



OFFICIAL RULES AND ENTRY FORM



**Big Catch Grill
And
Lake Oconee Elks Lodge #2849
Presents
2008 LAKE OCONEE
CHILI COOK-OFF**

**All Proceeds Go To: Local Fire Departments in Putnam
and Greene Counties and the Lake
Oconee Emergency Canteen Unit**

When: March 29, 2008 (Cooking begins at 11:00 A.M.)
Show Hours 10:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.

Where: Big Catch Grill, 920 Highway 44 at Lake Oconee, Eatonton,
Georgia, 31024

Prizes: \$350.00 Judges Grand Prize
\$200.00 Judges Grand Prize Runner-up
\$150.00 Peoples Choice
\$100.00 Most Chili Cup Tickets Sold
\$100.00 Best Booth Theme/Decor

Team Name: _____

Head Chef's Name (one name please): _____

Organization/Business Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Day Telephone #: _____

Other Telephone #: _____

Fax: _____

E-mail address: _____

(Very important for any updates; will not be released for uses other than Chili Cook-Off communications)

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- The entry fee is **\$50.00 per Booth**.
- Booth spaces will be assigned randomly based on drawing the team names out of a hat. **Drawing to be conducted on March 28, 2008 at 4:00 P.M.** This will allow time for teams to begin setting up their booths if they choose. Teams do not have to be present for the drawing but applications must be in by this time. **Note: Overnight security is not being provided.**
- You may purchase more than one booth space. Spaces are approximately 12' x 12' in size.
- If you are requesting a booth space next to another team, please send both entry forms together or make a note of your request next to your team name on this entry form.
- Any booth desiring to advertise for outside sponsorship (i.e. company and commercially named organizations) will be charged an **additional \$100.00 per Booth**

Mail or drop off your entry form and payment to:
Big Catch Grill
920 Highway 44
Eatonton, Georgia, 31024

Official Rules

- All participants must provide LP gas, coleman fluid or similar type cookers.
- Tents, tables, chairs, water or electric hook-ups, etc. will not be provided. Bring everything you need.
- No fires are to be set on the property and no charcoal grills allowed.
- All participants must provide their own cooking utensils, etc.
- All cooking must take place in designated areas.
- Ingredients must be "wholesome" (USDA approved including wild game). **No fillers are allowed (i.e. pasta, beans, rice, etc.).**
- No ingredient may be pre-cooked in any way (including meat) prior to the commencement of the official cook-off. Meat may be treated, pre-cut or ground. The only exceptions are canned or bottled tomatoes, tomato sauce, peppers, pepper sauce, beverages, broth and grinding and/or mixing of spices.
- A minimum of 1 gallon of chili must be prepared for the judging.
- No cooking shall begin before 11:00 A.M. The cooking period will be 3 hours (11:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.). Cooking during the entire cooking period is at the sole discretion of the contestant.
- Pre-chopping is allowed from 10:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.
- Judging will take place at 2:00 P.M.
- No additional equipment or ingredients are allowed after 10:00 A.M.
- Chili prepared prior to the cook-off will become property of Big Catch Grill and sold to guests for \$1.00 a cup by each team. Cups will be provided to all teams.

I have read and fully understand the rules above. I understand that all taxes and any instillation charges will be the financial responsibility of the prize winner.

Signature of Team Captain: _____ **Date:** _____