

5th Annual Scarecrows in the Garden Chili Cook-Off

October 8, 2016 – Stanford City Hall – 11:00AM-1:00PM
Sponsored by Stanford Beautification Street Committee

ENTRY FORM

RULES

1. \$20.00 per entry – may enter more than one chili.
2. Any type of chili is permissible, and is defined as an original, and made from scratch. Contestant may bring condiments and garnishments however; the Judges will only taste the chili.
3. Competition chili must be prepared and ready to eat upon arrival. Each contestant must prepare one crock pot of chili per entry. Please be at the contest by 10:45AM. Tables, cords and power strips will be provided, as will plastic gloves for serving. Please bring applicable hot pads, spoons & utensils to serve.
4. Each contestant is responsible for policing and cleaning up the area at the end of the competition. No items shall be allowed to remain after the close of the Cook-off.
5. Each contestant will be assigned a “contestant number” by the Chief Scorekeeper and be given a container in which their chili will be collected at the time of official judging, each contestant should verify that the number on the bottom of their container is the same number as their contestant number assigned to them.
6. The decision of the Judges is final. Judging will be based on a criteria system and points given for each criterion. **Criteria are as follows: aroma, consistency, color, flavor and aftertaste.**
7. Cash awards and prizes will be given for the **Judges’ Choice**: 1st Place-\$100 and trophy, 2nd Place-\$75 and trophy, 3rd Place - \$50 and trophy, and **People’s Choice Award** - \$50. Winners will be announced after 1:00PM.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL CONTESTANTS!

Detach and Submit Entry to:
Janine Merrill
C/O Stockman Bank
P.O. Box 428
Stanford, MT 59479

NAME OF COOK _____

ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE#(S) _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

CHILI NAME & DESCRIPTION _____

Entry Fee is \$20.00. Please make checks payable to: Stanford Beautification Street Committee

Entry Deadline is Friday, October 7th

For more information call or text (406) 366-5881, 535-5707, or email jmerrill@stockmanbank.com