

Orion Area Chamber of Commerce 9th Annual

Chili Challenge



Rules

- ◆ Prepare at least two gallons of chili
- ◆ Save at least two quarts for the judging
- ◆ Meat must be stored on ice.
- ◆ Store all fresh foods in plastic bags or in containers
- ◆ No home canned or frozen food products allowed (tomatoes, peppers, etc.)
- ◆ Enamel pots and utensils are prohibited
- ◆ Two cutting boards must be used—one for meat and one for vegetables
- ◆ Gloves must be used when handling fresh foods (Chamber will supply these)
- ◆ No pre-cooked items allowed.
- ◆ Chili must reach temperatures of 140 degrees before it can be served.
- ◆ Cooking areas must be kept clean.
- ◆ Anyone under the age of 18 must be supervised.
- ◆ Chili can only be served in Chamber-provided Chili Kits. No exceptions.

Prizes

Grand Prize: for best overall chili

People's Choice: voted on by general public

Scorned Woman: best spicy chili

Born To Be Mild: best mild chili

Winners' recipes will be featured at four area restaurants during the month of October.

What to Bring

Each Challenger must supply

- ☑ Your own stove top or grill
- ☑ 3 buckets of water: one fresh water, 1 wash and one bleach water. Chamber will supply bleach water)
- ☑ Two cutting boards: one for vegetables, one for meat
- ☑ Table covers
- ☑ Cleaning cloths
- ☑ Container and ice for food storage
- ☑ Back up utensils
- ☑ Your own beverages
- ☑ Hat or head cover
- ☑ Written copy of your recipe with measured ingredients and cooking instructions. Winning recipes will be needed for restaurants to recreate your entry to serve.

Time Schedule

9:30–11:00 a.m.	Check in and setup completed
11:30 a.m.	Cooks Meeting
12:00	Challenge Begins!
2:00 p.m.	Challenge Ends
2:00 – 3 p.m.	Judging and Sampling
3:45 p.m.	Awards

The Orion Area Chamber of Commerce reserves the right to limit entries and will not be held liable for accidents.

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Registration

The Chili Challenge is open to any group, business, family or individual.

Yes, I accept the Challenge! Please enter me in the Barn Daze **Chili Challenge!**
Registration Deadline: September 1, 2010

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ ZIP _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

My check for \$50 is enclosed (*payable to Orion Area Chamber of Commerce*)

Please charge my CreditCard: Visa MasterCard American Express

Number: _____ Exp. _____

Signature: _____

Return this registration form along with \$50 entry fee (*payable to Orion Area Chamber of Commerce or OACC*) by **September 1** to:

Orion Area Chamber of Commerce Chili Challenge
P.O. Box 484
Lake Orion, MI 48361

Once your registration has been processed, the Orion Area Chamber of Commerce will contact you with information as the Chili Challenge date approaches. If you have questions in the meantime, please contact us at 248-693-6300 or info@lakeorionchamber.com.

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