

# **Mother Seton 2nd Annual Chili Cookoff**

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## **WE WANT TO TRY YOUR CHILI!**

Enter your famous chili for a chance to win a trophy and bragging rights to the rest of the parish! Contest Rules on back. All money raised will benefit the High School Youth Group. All of the money will help with retreats, supplies and scholarships! Thanks for your support.

**When:** Sunday, January 29<sup>th</sup> from 8:30am to 2pm.

**Where:** Parish Center

**Who:** All are welcome to come and try many different types of chili.

**Cost:** \$5 to enter \$20 per family (4 or more). You can also purchase take home cups of chili. All money will benefit the High School Youth Group!

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**Please return bottom portion with \$10 registration fee to:  
Stacy Halbach, 19951 Father Hurley Blvd, Germantown, MD 20874**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ **Yes!** I would like to enter the Chili Cookoff! And have read cook off rules (reverse side).

\_\_\_\_ **No thanks, But here is a donation for the youth group! (A receipt with your donation will be sent back)**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Forms are due NO LATER THAN January 25<sup>th</sup>! Only 25 spots!**

## Cook Off Rules

1. Official signed chili cook-off registration forms must be received with a nonrefundable \$25.00 entry fee by Jan 26th 2012. On site registration will be accepted with a non-refundable \$10.00 late registration fee through 9:00am Jan 30th 2011. Space is limited.
2. A chili entrant team will consist of at least 2 people: 1 person to dispense chili into tasting cups and 1 person to serve the public.
3. Set up of your assigned area must be complete and chili ready to serve to official judges (the priests) by 1:30pm. Mother Seton Youth Group will be on site at 8am. Entrants may begin setting up their booths at 8am.
4. Appropriate “themed” decoration of your area and related costuming is encouraged.
5. Mother Seton will provide an assigned table, testing cups, spoons and bowls for the public, tickets and a ballot box to contestants.
6. Chili must be cooked from home and brought on site the day of the cook-off. Each cook must prepare 1- 3 gallons of chili to be judged by the public.
7. **You may bring extra chili to sell to public (even better fundraiser for us!)**
8. A listing of ingredients used to make the chili should be displayed. Quantities do not need to be included.
9. It is recommended that contestants also bring extension cords.
10. Bring chili in crock pots or roasters to keep temperature hot for serving.
11. No bare hand contact with food is allowed. Hand washing facilities are available in the Parish Center.
12. Food should be covered when not in use to protect from customer handling, coughing, sneezing or other contamination.
13. Contestants agree that all money(s) collected will be donated to TAG Mother Seton Youth Group for scholarships, retreats, supplies, etc.
14. No deliberate sabotage to another contestant or their entry will be tolerated and such an act would lead to automatic disqualification.