

23rd Annual Watertown Radio Chili Cook-Off



**September 16th 2017
Information and Schedule**

Cooking:

- Chili may contain any ingredients
- Each team must bring their own ingredients
- Electricity is NOT AVAILABLE. Cooking on grills, portable burners, etc. is required
- You MAY pre-cook meat
- Canned, bottled tomatoes, tomato sauce, peppers, pepper sauce, broth and spices may be prepared beforehand
- All other preparation must be done during cooking time (chopping vegetables, etc)

Set Up:

- The zoo will supply each team with a picnic table
- Bring your own 'space', including grills, tents, chairs, etc.
- Set up is Saturday morning (9/16) beginning at 9:00am utilizing the South Employee entrance on 6th avenue marked Gate #4. If you would like to bring a larger camper, etc – please call Jamie at the Bramble Park Zoo 605-882-6269 to arrange before hand
- Themes and signs are encouraged – as are any other items you would like to decorate your space with in order to be in the running for the Showmanship Award.

Misc:

- The Zoo does not allow latex balloons or pets on zoo grounds
- Be prepared to serve a minimum of 3 gallons of chili to your adoring fans. Keep in mind when you run out of chili you will lose possible votes. 5 gallons may not be a bad idea.
- Cost per team: \$75.00 made to Bramble Park Zoo.
- The public can buy wrist bands to try any or all of the chili for \$3 per person beginning at 1:00pm and ending at 3:00pm

Judging:

- 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place Awards, as well as Shoot & Hollar and Showmanship Awards will be chosen by three official judges. Shoot & Hollar must be palatable to compete.
- People's Choice Award will be chosen by public vote (via voting slips and dollar donations. Dollar donations will count \$1 for 1 vote)

Schedule:

9:00 am	Zoo open for set-up
10:15 am	Cooks meeting
10:30-11:00am	Prep time
11:00am	Cooking with fire
12:50pm	Samples collected for judging
1:00pm	Public Tasting begins
3:00pm	Awards Ceremony

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Registration Form

Team Name: _____

Organization/Company Name: _____

Theme: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

Email
Address: _____

Phone
Number: _____

Other Information (space for tents
etc.): _____

I have read the rules and regulations on the enclosed sheet and confirm that all of the above information is correct. I understand that Watertown Radio, the Bramble Park Zoo, or any other sponsoring organization is not responsible for any accidents or injuries to me or my support team members.

Signed : _____ Date: _____

Please return this form along with your \$75 entry fee payable to Bramble Park Zoo by
September 8th 2017 to:
Non-Profit and Families cost is \$25

Watertown Radio
921 9th Ave SE
Watertown, SD 57201
Attn: Tim Sheehan

Interest, as always, is very high and space is limited, so to ensure your space make sure you return your entry form with payment by **September 8th, 2017**.

If you have questions, please call 886-8444 Brenda Rorvick at Brenda.Rorvick@alphamediausa.com

