

# Terlingua Trails CASI

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## 2004 Texas Open Conroe, Texas



*Doyle Smith  
San Antonio, Texas  
1st Place Chili*



*Black Gold Chili Team  
Corsicana, Texas  
1st Place Showmanship*



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## President's Message

The chili year seems to be flying by. Diane and I have had a very up and down year so far but are looking forward to a new grandbaby in August, the GP meeting in September, and of course, the big week long TICC in November. The deadline for getting those chili points is not far off. Good luck to those needing points and congrats to those who already have them. We hope to see everyone in Terlingua in November.

Speaking of Terlingua, I know that Alan put out some information on the CHN concerning much of what occurred during the recent Directors' Meeting held in Irving on the 17<sup>th</sup> of July. As he stated, we had a well attended meeting with a nice gallery of visitors. We hope those attending a Directors' Meeting for the first time came away with a better understanding of what actually goes on during a meeting.

Several of those attending the meeting had made a trip to the Terlingua area and paid a visit to the CASI Ranch. They made this long trip after hearing about the work ongoing at the Ranch. They didn't like what they heard and wanted to see for themselves just what was happening. I also made a quick trip out there to see what was going on, having left the Terlingua area in early May.

The Board signed an Agreement to sell an undetermined amount of dirt from the Ranch to Gilvin-Terrill Ltd. of Amarillo to be used as fill material during the re-construction of Hwy. 170 now being done from the Ghost Town to Lajitas. Some of this roadwork will be completed by TICC, some won't. The work will be completed at the Ranch.

I initially met with the supervisor for the construction company to determine which locations he would use. I selected these areas with two requirements in mind: the removal of the material would result in new parking areas and improved safety for those attending TICC. The supervisor and I agreed on the areas, but the quality of the material in the selected areas would determine what location he would use.

The first area selected proved to contain too much large rock, not uncommon in Terlingua. This area will be smoothed and recovered and will provide some new parking in the spectator area. The second area selected resulted in a large new parking area on the cooks side of the Ranch in the area used in the past by cooks from Tennessee and North Texas, however it also didn't provide the quality material needed.

It was in this area that a sad mistake was made by the equipment operator for the construction company. He was told to prepare the area for material removal, but misunderstood what was expected of him. He thought they were going to remove an entire hill and started preparing the area by going to the top of the hill and making several passes down the hill with the dozer blade. The mistake resulted in an area on the side of this hill that has had the surface vegetation removed.

I must admit it does not look good. It was an honest mistake and I take full responsibility for this happening. I tried to spend as much time and effort as possible to insure that anything done at the Ranch would be of benefit to CASI, but the mistake happened and we will do what we can to repair the damage. I will try to work with the contractor to see what can be done, but whatever and whenever we do, Mother Nature will in time repair all the damage.

Tom, Dorothy, Diane and I all know full well how quickly and how much vegetation grows at the Ranch during the period CASI members are not there. It takes us several hours over several days to remove all the growth before everyone gets to the Ranch for TICC. I ask for your patience and understanding concerning this mistake and hope you will allow the time and effort necessary for the area to return to a natural state.

The third area selected, and the one presently being used for material removal, is in the spectator area just in front of the concession stand now in place across the creek. This area has been heavily congested over the past several years due to the lack of space for all the people who have populated this area during TICC. The area was a work in progress during my visit, as well as during the visit made by others recently.

I must say even I was somewhat amazed at the work going on, but after speaking with the construction supervisor and going over the plans for how the area will look after work is completed, I know all will become a great benefit to CASI. I have been assured that the area in question will result in much more usable parking areas, much improved safety by filling in some of the areas of concern, along with paying us at present over \$7000, which will be used for future Ranch improvements.

### Terlingua Trails

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TICC continues to grow each year and we must plan for that growth. We felt working with Gilvin-Terrill during this road construction period was an opportunity that seldom comes to an area like Terlingua. A mistake was made, but it will be fixed and it is not the end of the world. We have realized new parking, improved safety and equipment work done on the Ranch that would have cost CASI \$30-40,000 if we were to have that kind of money to spend.

We appreciate the concerns of all CASI members and appreciate all the work done throughout the year by the many CASI volunteers. We expect another big year for the upcoming TICC and expect the need for more volunteers again this year. We hope those of you who have some spare time to help us out will contact Ken Rodd and offer your help.

Be safe in your travels.

Mel FitzHenry



## ED Ponderings

As this paper is going to press, we're busy working to put the finishing touches on the 2004 Great Peppers' Meeting. We began thinking of hosting this meeting about ten years ago and we're excited to welcome our friends to our part of the CASI world. The Great Peppers' Meeting has evolved into two pretty intense days of meetings, and we hope that the delegates and attendees find Baltimore's Inner Harbor a fun place to visit between meeting sessions.

Congratulations to the Houston area Pods for a very successful Texas Open in Conroe. This was a very successful first effort with 176 chili entries and lots of fun. As always, the Houston Pods were excellent hosts. We really appreciate the hard work that went into making a great weekend for everyone. The Montgomery County Fairgrounds provided a nice setting and there was good food and entertainment all weekend.

That's all for now. If we don't see you in Baltimore, we'll be back on the chili trail in October. Thanks for the contributions you all make to CASI.

## 2004 Great Peppers' Meeting

Radisson Lord Baltimore Hotel  
Baltimore, Maryland  
September 9-11, 2004

### Thursday, September 9

4:00 – 6:00 p      Registration  
5:00 – Midnight      Hospitality Suite Open (Snacks & Drinks)

### Friday, September 10

8:00 a      Board Meeting  
10:00 – 11:00      McCormick Spice Presentation  
11:00 – 11:30      Texas GPs Causus  
11:00 – Noon      Registration  
1:00 – 2:30 p      Candidates' Forum  
2:45 – 3:30 p      CASI Officials Workshop  
3:30 – 4:30 p      Officials Certification Session  
4:30 – 5:30      Registration  
4:30 – Midnight      Hospitality Room Open (Snacks & Drinks)

### Saturday, September 11

7:30 – 8:30 a      Registration (outside meeting room)  
9:00 – Noon      Great Peppers' Meeting  
Noon – 1:30 p      Luncheon  
1:30 – 4:00 p      Great Peppers' Meeting Resumes  
4:00 – 6:00 p      Hospitality Room Open (Snacks & Drinks)  
6:00 – 10:00 p      Maryland Crab Feast at the Babe Ruth Birthplace and Museum  
9:00 – Midnight      Hospitality Suite Open (Snacks & Drinks)

## Admission to TICC

Every year at TICC, questions arise to the number of wristbands available to qualified cooks, show teams, and Old 320 members.

Each qualified cook receives one (1) wristband. A husband and wife who are both qualified receive only one (1) wristband each. A second wristband will be given to the qualified cook if their spouse or friend is with them and are not qualified. Qualified cooks DO NOT receive additional wristbands if they are also Old 320 members.

Each Old 320 member receives one wristband. If a husband and wife are both "Old 320" members, they receive one (1) wristband each. A second wristband will be given to an "Old 320" member if their spouse or friend is with them and they are not members. Qualified cooks do not receive wristbands in addition to the Old 320 wristband.

Small Show Teams receive up to 4 wristbands. These will be allocated when they register for Show at TICC.

Large Show Teams receive up to 8 wristbands. These will be allocated when they register for Show at TICC.

A Show Team member who is charged gate admission will be reimbursed for their wristband by CASI.

The gate fee for TICC this year is \$25.00 for the entire event or \$15.00 for Saturday only.



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**WHEN:** Saturday, Oct. 2, 2004  
9:00 a.m. - Cooks Meeting  
Pod Cook-off Sunday, Oct. 3rd  
**WHERE:** Tall Pines RV Park  
Ruidoso, NM

**ENTRY FEE:** \$20.00  
\*Goodie Bags  
\*Booze  
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\*Food  
\*Music  
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P. O. Box 152  
Ruidoso, New Mexico 88355  
(505) 257-2325

Overnight Camping: Yes  No

Are you competing in People's Choice Chili: Yes  No

ENTRY FEE ENCLOSED: Yes  No

**Contact Person - Scott**  
Pre-Registration for RV's required by Sept. 14th

Size of RV \_\_\_\_\_ x \_\_\_\_\_



Team members to help judging:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

Name of CHILI: \_\_\_\_\_  
Head Cook's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
CHILI Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Showmanship Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City and State: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_



Proceeds to benefit:  
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## CASI Membership Report

*Mikie McGarity - Membership Chairperson*

Thank you to all of our members who have renewed your annual dues. It's really neat to see all of the new names. If you have a question about your membership,

please call me (817)975-2200 or email me (mikiem@flash.net).

Please remember that CASI annual memberships now run for one year based on your anniversary date. You will soon be able to see just exactly what that date is on our web page. If you have questions in the meantime, please don't hesitate to call me or send me an email.

### New CASI Members

Please welcome our newest CASI members. Make it a point to meet them and greet them.

Nancy Bigon – Taylor, TX  
 James Boswell – Bryant, AR  
 Weldon Broaddus – Red River, NM  
 Susan Buchanan – Red River, NM  
 Beverly Cambron – Dallas, TX  
 Cynthia Clerc – Austin, TX  
 Virginia Eyster – Marble Falls, TX  
 Bill Harris – La Porte, TX  
 Gill Hewlett – Tyler, TX  
 Robert Hubbell – San Marcos, TX  
 Thomas W. Jenkins – Pasadena, MD  
 Julie Johnson – Pierce City, MO  
 Milton Keith – Taylor, TX  
 Timothy Lawler – Severna Park, MD  
 Sandy Lee – Wittmann, AZ  
 Tamara Lewis – Marble Falls, TX  
 Lisa Olson – Liberal, KS  
 Randal Papasan – Midland, TX  
 James F. Piper – Port Arthur, TX  
 Lynette Roberson – Irving, TX  
 Donald W. Smith – Higginsville, MO  
 Jason Story – Ft. Campbell, KY

Robert Sullivan – Denton, TX  
 Wendy Story – Ft. Campbell, KY  
 Kenneth Swart – Corsicana, TX

### Renewing Members

CASI would like to welcome back these annual members and some of our past members who have joined us again.

Alan Alexander – Del Rio, TX  
 Ron Barnes – Euless, TX  
 Tina Barnes – Euless, TX  
 Bud Barrick – Organ, NM  
 Dave Boone – Odessa, TX  
 Karl Buechler, Jr. – Kerrville, TX  
 John J. Burns – Del Rio, TX  
 Bill Buschel – Irving, TX  
 Linda Buschel – Irving, TX  
 Jeanette Cardenas – Austin, TX  
 Lee Roy Childress – Midland, TX  
 Patsy Childress – Midland, TX  
 Keith Coffman – Odessa, TX  
 Jo Anna Dahl – Shoreacres, TX  
 Jenifer Danysh – Edna, TX  
 Alan Dean – Bel Air, MD  
 Pat Dreibrodt – Comfort, TX  
 Eve DuMond – El Paso, TX  
 Bob Essner – Grandview, MO  
 Sandra "Sam" Essner – Grandview, MO  
 Gail Fisher – Sierra Vista, AZ  
 Roy Fisher – Sierra Vista, AZ  
 Marcia K. Gamino – El Paso, TX  
 Dirk M. Gilbreath – Houston, TX  
 James Gillen, Jr. – San Antonio, TX  
 Mary Ellen Gillen – San Antonio, TX  
 Dallas Gipson – Jacksonville, AR  
 John Goforth – Comfort, TX  
 Robin Kirk Goodman – Waxahachie, TX

Philip Greenlees – Houston, TX  
 Robert Griffin – Endicott, NY  
 Robert J. (Butch) Hammack – N. Little Rock, AR  
 Susan K. Hammack – N. Little Rock, AR  
 Jimmy Harper – Ennis, TX  
 Gerry Harris – Del Rio, TX  
 Lorina Harris – Del Rio, TX  
 Diana Hughes – Alamogordo, NM  
 John C. Johnson – Del Rio, TX  
 Donna Jones – Roland, AR  
 J. Richard Jones – Roland, AR  
 Mike Laws – Oklahoma City, OK  
 Allen Light – Little Rock, AR  
 Teena G. Miller – Baytown, TX  
 G. Taylor Miller – Baytown, TX  
 Annie K. Murphy – Houston, TX  
 Frank Murphy – Houston, TX  
 Traci Nix – Harper, TX  
 Raymond Parkes – Newark Valley, NY  
 Larry Patton – Odessa, TX  
 Phyllis Patton – Odessa, TX  
 Roxana Patton – Odessa, TX  
 Risa Ray – Houston, TX  
 Charmaine Rogers – San Antonio, TX  
 Clyde Rogers – San Antonio, TX  
 Paul Rowland – Bryant, AR  
 Mark Sanders – Ennis, TX  
 Vicki Sanders – Ennis, TX  
 Betsy Schulze – Yorktown, TX  
 Marvin Schulze – Yorktown, TX  
 David I. Sexton, Sr. – Dallas, TX  
 Shirley Sexton – Dallas, TX  
 Bruce Smith – Little Rock, AR  
 Carol Straughan – El Paso, TX  
 Frances Sullivan – Ennis, TX  
 Johnnie Sullivan – Ennis, TX  
 Terry Tenery – Kerrville, TX  
 Mike Tracy – Odessa, TX  
 Balta Vizcano – El Paso, TX  
 Dick Wagner – Little Rock, AR  
 Jessie Waguespack – Austin, TX  
 William Westbrook – Sierra Vista, AZ  
 Patricia White – Cuero, TX

Please remember if you're moving, let us know. Your Trails will not follow you without an address change. You can either call me (817-975-2200) or email me at mikiem@flash.net.

## Terlingua Trails - Use Color or Black & White?

During the last few months, Steve Nadeau have worked very hard to see if we could make color work in our monthly newspaper, the Terlingua Trails. We have worked very closely with Barrett, the color man at our printer, the Kerrville Daily Times, and have unfortunately come to the realization that color is simply not in our future. We have determined that color can only look as good as we would like it to look, if we have the color person, at the printer, prepare the pictures. This, however, would cost money and would increase the production costs of the paper to a level that we simply can't justify. You, our readers, have probably wondered just what has been going on, and I hope you will find this explanation satisfactory. We have decided that beginning with this issue of the Terlingua Trails that we will return to a black and white paper. It is our belief that this direction will make the paper look as good as a group of dedicated volunteers are capable of making it look.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank Steve Nadeau for all of the contributions he has made while assisting me with the publishing and printing of the Terlingua Trails. For the last few years Steve has been my most valuable player, as far as the Terlingua Trails goes, and I would hope that all of you will join me in expressing my mega thanks for all that he has done. I have got

to tell you that Steve has added a certain level of excitement into the offices of Hill Country Software, and the entertainment value has been second to none. The bottom line is that I would not have been as successful at publishing the Terlingua Trails if it was not for Steve Nadeau.

Over the last few months we have also worked at establishing a vehicle where the Terlingua Trails is delivered to the printer in a total electronic format. In this endeavor we have been successful, and this will make life easier for your next editor and publisher of the Terlingua Trails. With these newly developed procedures, our monthly paper can be published from any place in the world. When ready for the printer, all of the necessary files will be delivered to the Kerrville Daily Times via the world wide web. For example, I completed this edition of the Terlingua Trails while in Oak Ridge, Tennessee. All of the necessary files were then sent to Kerrville while sitting at my computer in my motorhome.

As all of you should know by now I am retiring from the CASI Board at the Great Pepper's Meeting in Baltimore, Maryland. At that time a new director will assume the responsibility for the production of our monthly newspaper. I hope that all of the work we have done will make things easier for my successor.

There are a few others I would also like to thank at this time. First I would like to thank my wife for all of the running she has done to bring the Terlingua Trails to you. With out her help folks, it just would not have happened. Next I would like to thank Myrl Coultas, the person responsible for the Terlingua Trails as we know it today. I worked closely with Myrl when he was the editor and publisher, and he was a tremendous help to me after his departure from the board. Of course his wife Nancy was no doubt an important player in this process.

When Myrl Coultas did the paper, for all practical purposes he and Nancy did it all by themselves. When I took over I reorganized the operation and created a staff. This staff has been nothing short of super. Renee Moore actually became the editor in that she proofed all of the articles and ads. And then there are the writers. Folks without writers you don't have a paper, and I would like to thank all of you that have contributed.

The Terlingua Trails is our number one source of spreading the word to the rest of the world and we must continue to maintain our current standards. Remember, the power of the pen!

*Jim Stateczny*



## Corporate Members and Krazy Flats Open House

Some of CASI's corporate members are teaming up to make the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Krazy Flats Open House at TICC an event not to miss.

On Thursday, November 4, from 2:00pm till 4:00pm the Open House will feature door prizes along with a "Happy Hour". The limited quantity "SPECIAL EDITION" Krazy Flats t-shirt goes on sale during this event. This year, along with the standard t-shirt, there will be a few "tank tops" and "spaghetti strap" shirts. These shirts will only be available at the Krazy Flats Concession Stand. Be there to get yours; last year they sold out in 2 hours!!!!!! These one of a kind Krazy Flats t-shirts will make their "preview" at the Great Peppers' Meeting in Baltimore.

Our 2003 TICC Champion, Honey Jones, will be there to sign your TICC Poster and share with you all the fun she's had during her year as our Champion, meeting CASI members and attending cookoffs all over the United States.

The following Corporate Members donated door prizes: Long Draw Pizza, Starlight Dinner Theater, Passport America, Lone Star RV Resort, Big Bend Motor Inn & RV Park, Mild Bill's Spices, Etc., and Red Lion Spicy Food Company.

**Ken Rodd**



## An Important Update From The Old 320

All the Old 320 members should be aware that we have an election on Friday morning at TICC to elect the next Old 320 Alcalde/Alcaldesa. Three members have tossed their hats in the ring:

**Ralph Hay  
Connie Schrade  
Bob Steinle**

Come hear their speeches and cast your ballots!

**Robert E. Schrade**  
Old 320 Alcalde



## Tallymaster's Report

### Year To Date Statistics

STATE	REQ PTS	COOKOFFS HELD	CHILIS JUDGED	MONEY RAISED	
ALABAMA	6	5	92	4,500.00	
ARKANSAS	12	23	618	37,810.00	
ARIZONA	12	32	769	50,882.00	
BRITISH COLUMBIA	6	3	57	800.00	
CALIFORNIA	6	1	20	20,000.00	
COLORADO	6	3	64	6,000.00	
FLORIDA	9	10	217	30,581.00	
IOWA	9	7	116	9,876.00	
ILLINOIS	9	9	207	3,615.00	
INDIANA	6	2	41	11,480.00	
KANSAS	6	3	115	2,370.00	
LOUISIANA	6	1	62	2,816.00	
MARYLAND	9	10	179	25,048.00	
MISSOURI	6	4	89	9,000.00	
MISSISSIPPI	6	4	69	2,810.00	
MONTANA	6	1	15	5,000.00	
MEXICO	6	4	261	7,450.00	
NORTH CAROLINA	9	5	92	26,060.00	
NEW MEXICO	12	10	258	12,620.00	
NEVADA	6	2	33	1,556.50	
NEW YORK	6	2	35	12,700.00	
OKLAHOMA	12	15	307	61,052.00	
OREGON	6	2	31	975.00	
PENNSYLVANIA	6	1	15	150.00	
TENNESSEE	12	13	420	37,773.00	
TEXAS	12	261	9,063	439,821.60	
VIRGINIA	6	5	93	1,985.00	
VIRGIN ISLANDS	6	1	17	8,000.00	
VERMONT	6	1	15	600.00	
WASHINGTON	9	7	132	8,201.00	
WISCONSIN	6	1	15	185.00	
WEST VIRGINIA	6	1	15	1,300.00	
WYOMING	6	2	46	5,900.00	
GRAND TOTAL			451	13,578	848,917.10

DELINQUENT COOKOFFS - These are Cookoffs held before 07/01/04 that results have not been received for!

May 29, 2004-004 - Augusta AR  
Augusta Days Chili Cookoff.,

## Police Blotter

The Police Blotter is going to take a brief hiatus until after TICC, in order to bring you some really important information.

However, I do want to give my annual reminder to the Referees to get the cookoff paperwork to me as quickly and completely as possible. If someone has worked hard to get qualified for TICC, we surely want to make sure they get invited. Late and/or incomplete results make this more difficult to accomplish.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

**Bill Pierson**  
Tallymaster

## *Rancho CASI de los Chisos City Hall Contributions and Memorials*

Memorials have been given to the CASI City Hall Fund in memory of Doug Hill by:

Connie & Tim Collier  
James & Linda Harper  
Carrie & Larry Kinnison  
Mel & Sharon Neff  
Highland Lakes Pod  
West Texas Barbeque Association

Donations were made to the CASI City Hall Fund in the name of Darrell Johnson Willis and Davis Willis by:

Hut & Jackie Brown  
Billy Willard  
Cindy Reed Wilkins  
Cecil Willis  
D.J. Willis  
Darrell Willis

Darrell and David requested these donations in lieu of wedding gifts.

Contributions have been made to the CASI City Hall Fund by:

Hut Brown  
Bob & Doris Coats  
Daniel Grannan  
Ava & Bob Horan  
Robert Horan  
Dixie & Junior Johnson  
Virgil Johnson  
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Black Gold Pod  
Borderline Chiliheads  
CASIA Pod  
Central Arkansas Pod  
Chillini Pod  
Florida on the Panhandle Pod  
Houston Pod  
Mason Dixon Pod  
New Mexico Chili Society  
NOB Pod  
Piney Woods Pod  
State of Alabama Pod  
Top of Texas Pod

## *TICC Registration*

All cook and showmanship registration for the 2004 Terlingua International Chili Championship will be behind the presentation stage on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The times will be Thursday, November 4, from 11:00 am until 3:00 PM; Friday, November 5, starting immediately following the Old 320 meeting, approximately 10:30 AM until 2:30 PM; and late registration on Saturday, November 6, from 8:00 to 9:00 AM.

"Heightened security concerns" have affected many facets of our daily lives, and TICC has not escaped these concerns. There are a couple of new procedures that will be instituted for this year's TICC registration.

Upon entering the registration area, you will receive your name badge from one of our volunteers. In order to get your badge, you will have to produce a picture ID. Your CASI membership will also be verified at this station. So, be prepared. If you are registering for showmanship only, you may bypass this station and go to the showmanship registration table.

After you have your name badge, you may proceed to the next station to receive your judging cup and contestant tee shirt. This procedure requires each contestant to register for himself or herself. If you have a physical condition that would prevent you from coming to the stage area, let us know and we will come to you.

Showmanship registration will be conducted at the same times as cooks' registration, except it will be by the Head Show Judge at a separate station. A picture ID will not be required, but current CASI membership is necessary.

A new method of distributing contestant wristbands to show team members will be implemented this year. Each small show team is permitted up to four (4) wristbands and each large show team will be allowed up to eight (8). However, only the Show Team Captain will be admitted free at the gate. All other team members will be required to pay the gate admission and receive a spectator's wristband.

The Show Team Captain will supply the Head Show Judge with a list of their team members. The team members may exchange their spectator's wristband for a contestant wristband with the Head Show Judge. They will also receive a voucher to refund their admission fee. The vouchers may be redeemed at the concession stand (not the beer side).

Our goal is to provide each Cook and each Show Team Captain who participates in the 2004 Terlingua International Chili Championship with a contestant's shirt. It is also our desire to make sure the shirt is the recipient's correct size.

The desire to meet our goal will inadvertently result in excess contestant's shirts. These extra shirts will be offered to qualified Cooks and Show Team Captains who are unable to attend this year's TICC. Someone may pick up a shirt for you on a first come first serve basis at 3:00 PM on Friday for as long as the shirts last. The person you designate must present your qualification card, and your CASI dues must be current.

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Championship**





## Bess's Best

Hello to all from Lamar, Missouri! Where has the year gone? The sun is starting to move southward over the highway and that means that fall will be here soon. We have already lost an hour of daylight in our area, so I am constantly after Harry to stay busy.

We have really been blessed this year with tomatoes and peppers, and I think everyone has who put out any plants. We have more than we can use and I can't give them away, so I'm making chow-chow, tomato juice, and tomato paste.

The Missouri State Cookoff is over and everything went well. This year we had two past CASI Directors and their spouses participate in our cookoff. Myrl and Nancy Coultas were in the area and stopped by, along with Guy and Erna Smith and two new cooks from Fort Smith, Arkansas. Everything went super with a salsa contest, junior chili division, and CASI cooks from 7 different states.

Then we got home and the fun started, but I don't think Harry and I are calling it much fun. When we arrived home from the cookoff, the grandkids helped me unload the silver GMC as Harry hadn't been feeling well all day and went in to take a nap to see if he could perk up some. Well, his nap didn't last long, as he found the waterbed had sprung a leak sometime between the time we got up and when we got back home.

The grandkids had left for the day, so it was Harry and I who got to survey the damage and see what could be done. Checking things out, we found the carpet on one side of the bedroom and the hallway were soaked, so the process began to remove the waterbed before any more damage occurred. This is where "Murphy" entered the scene, and "his law" began to take over.

Everything that could go wrong did. We had three carpet layers tell us they would be here to do the work, and they all canceled. So, after sleeping on the hide-a-bed for two weeks, we finally got the carpet down and back into our regular bed. We did find out one thing - home repairs do not go like they do on the TV shows. I think the only way we kept our sanity was to go and cook chili for two weekends.

Chili cooking is starting to grow in our area, and more people in and around Lamar desire to learn about competition chili cooking. Sometime after our return from the Great Peppers' Meeting, we are holding an informational meeting and 2 or 3 cooking classes. This will put us in the fall of the year, and most outdoor activities will have finished in this area. With the cool temperatures we've been having in August, who knows, we may have snow by Thanksgiving. I couldn't think of anything better to have with the Thanksgiving meal but a big bowl of chili!

October 23<sup>rd</sup> will mark the 4<sup>th</sup> year that Cassville, Missouri, has held a CASI chili cookoff. They hold the cookoff along with their fall get together. Cassville is a small town of about 2,500 located in the Ozark Mountains about an hour's drive south of Springfield, Missouri. I would urge anyone who has not seen the Ozarks in their fall colors to make the drive to Cassville. The area had plenty of rain this summer, so the fall foliage should be very brilliant.

As I said, summer is gone and school starts here tomorrow, so a lot of our time is going to be taken up with the grandkids again this year. The grandson has been going to morning football practice for the past two weeks from 5:30 to 8:30 a.m.; he then comes home and has chili for breakfast. I have to keep salsa made up for the granddaughter. Maybe they will take after Harry. When we were on the road hauling pickup campers many years ago, it didn't make any difference where we'd stop to eat; Harry would have to order chili and a sweet roll.

Hate to run but got to get things ready for the grandkids and school. Thank you for your time this time and until next time, remember to start slow and then taper off!

*Harry & Bess*



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## Tales from the Ranch

God bless CASI y que paso everybody? I'm back in West Texas for a while. Barbara got down in the weather, so I'm being baby sitter for a few days. Now I know how Karen Theodora Bains feels.

If you haven't heard the latest, Big Rog Bains broke a couple of toes while in his garage, and last time I talked to Karen, she informed me that Roger was milking it to the max. I told Karen that I know the feeling. Seems that I've been in the same situation.

Tim and Connie Collier's dairy can't compete with Rog and Barbara. I should be having a milk stool up for sale pretty soon. Actually, Barbara's good enough that I decided to leave town and play for a few days. Really, folks, Barbara is okay. Trust me.

My trusty companion and fellow rancher, Dave Boone from Marathon, Texas, called me while I was in Odessa tending to Miss Barbara and asked me if I'd like to go on a business trip with him for a few days. Without asking where we were going, I told my trusty companion and fellow rancher, "Dave, right now I'd join the Marine Corps to get out of the house." Dave said we'd be going to Colorado.

Seems that my amigo bought a lapping machine (you'll have to ask him what that is) in Grand Junction from this old feller. So I told Dave to pick a date and let's roll. We were not in any hurry to get there and back, so we whipped out this old Rand McNally antique road atlas and began planning our trip.

It was agreed that we would go to Colorado by way of Odessa, Seminole, Denver City, Clovis, New Mexico, Las Vegas, New Mexico, and Taos. Yo Rita! Well, we left 4356 Haner, Odessa, Texas, (Barbara's house) and headed north. We did not stop till we got to Taos. It ain't that long folks, really.

My trusty companion and fellow rancher, Dave, did not see the need for motel reservations, since it wasn't during peak season. So we figured we wouldn't have any problems. Duh - think again. After three different motels, we finally landed a room at the Quality Inn. They only had two rooms left, so we got one. Dave and I figured that the reason they call it Quality Inn is that it just so happens that there was a New Mexico Women's Business Convention going on in Taos and all 200 rooms had been rented out. Luckily, we got a room due to a cancellation. Folks, one cannot imagine how 200 single businesswomen act on a trip out of town without close supervision. Friends, Taos in our rearview mirror was an understatement.

It is now the 4<sup>th</sup> day in our Louis and Boone expedition. So far we've been to Mesa Verde National Park and checked out the dwellings where my people used to live. We spent the whole day looking at my ancestors' living quarters and also helping Dave look for a new breed of Horned Toads. Didn't find any though.

The R & R ended, and we headed to Denver by way of Durango, Silverton, Ouray, Montrose, Delta, and Grand Junction. Folks, not that we entertain the notion of drinking and driving, but when we entered the Rockies close to Montrose, things got serious in Mr. Boone's cab. If I'd had a rosary, the beads would have been the size of BB's by the time we got to Grand Junction.

Coming from Paint Rock, Texas, I ain't quite used to looking down at canyons that are bigger than the town I grew up in. We spent the night in Grand Junction and picked up the lapping machine that my trusty companion and fellow rancher purchased and headed for Denver; still no new breed of Horned Toads.

(1 day later) We just left Trinidad, Colorado. We spent the night in Golden, went out to eat, got a good night's sleep, ate breakfast at LaQuinta where we stayed, and the Louis and Boone expedition got under way.

While my trust companion was driving, I got on my cell phone and called on a chili friend from Trinidad, Ms. Laurie L. Meridith, and informed her that we were in town. My trusty companion and I were taken to this fine restaurant in Trinidad and treated to a very fine meal. Folks, being a chilihead pays off because no matter where you are in the US, you can always call someone you've met on the chili trail. Anyway, Ms. Laurie's hospitality was superb. Make note, if you happen to need property whether out in the country or in town in the Colorado area, call Ms. Laurie. She has her very own real estate company and is doing very well. Along with her real estate success, she also is a renowned chili cook. We said goodbye and the Louis & Boone expedition continued south; still no new breed of Horned Toads.

Our expedition ended 12 hours later here in the heart of Odessa, Texas; lots of good memories, a lapping machine, no new breed of Horned Toads, and a cooler full of toasted Sandia chili peppers that we picked up in Artesia, New Mexico. We managed to keep in touch with our chili friends. If we missed you, feel lucky. Seems that my trusty companion and I did not look at the clock on some of those calls. Oh, well, we meant well. We were just having so much fun we needed to share this with everyone.

Beware; my trusty companion and I are organizing another trip. Don't know where yet; it might be where you are. Of course, we know your number. We have the Cook's Register.

Well, amigos, if you're in the Paint Rock area, stop by. I've got steaks and fish in the freezer. I also have some fresh shrimp. Call me first, though, as I might be in South Padre at my other home. Keep cooking, keep traveling. See ya.

*Louis Gonzales  
Matthiesen Ranch  
Paint Rock, Texas*





## Corporate Membership Report

*Mikie McGarity*

Please welcome and thank these CASI Corporate Members. They have invested in our Society as Annual Corporate Members. If you live in their area, PLEASE stop by and thank them personally.

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At long last, the CASI "Unofficial" Book of Lists has been updated! The Book of Lists contains the history of CASI in list form – Great Peppers and Chiliheads of the Year, Pods, Great Pepper Meetings, TICC winners, Directors, and other items of interest. Originally issued in 2001, the new version contains the corrections forwarded by diligent readers and updated information.

The Book of Lists will be available for download from the CASI website, but if you would like a paper copy in full color, let me know. Since this update has been produced without financial sponsorship, there is a nominal charge of \$3 per copy, which almost covers the cost of production (for mailing, please add \$1.42).

Thanks for the interest, thanks to everyone who contributed to the Book of Lists, and thanks for all of your continuing contributions to CASI.

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# Cook Off Winners



Jun 12, 2004-002 - Owego NY  
Owego Kiwanis New York State, 20 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS

1 Robert Griffin, Endicott NY  
2 Susan Dean, Bel Air MD  
3 Rachel Snyder, Corning NY  
4 Ann Grossman, Corning NY  
5 Alan Dean, Bel Air MD  
6 David G. Grossman, Corning NY  
7 Susan Wineland-Li, Binghamton NY  
8 Ray Fedora, Harpursville NY  
9 Lisa Harder, Corning NY  
10 Vince Capozzi, Binghamton NY  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS

1 Hot Shot Chili, Towanda PA  
Bill Roof  
2 Hot Off The Press Chili  
Binghamton NY  
Mike Remza  
3 Dr. D's Double-barrel Chili  
Corning NY  
David G. Grossman

Jun 12, 2004-007 - Amarillo TX  
Goodwill Chili Cookoff, 17 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS

1 Carol Lilly, Amarillo TX  
2 Rodney Lilly, Amarillo TX  
3 Randy Whipple, Amarillo TX  
4 Scott Campbell, Amarillo TX

5 Nelda Matheson, Amarillo TX  
6 Vickie L. Childers, Amarillo TX  
7 Mike Parker, Trinidad CO  
8 Susan Campbell, Amarillo TX  
9 Steven A. Lopez, Rio Rancho NM  
10 Susan Faris, Amarillo TX  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Bekin's Best, Amarillo TX  
Pam Matheson  
2 Hawg Wild, Amarillo TX  
Rodney Lilly  
3 Campbell's Kids, Amarillo TX  
Scott Campbell

Jun 18, 2004-001 - Fort Smith AR  
Mrs Parker's Friday Night Social, 32 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS

1 Bo Prewitt, North Little Rock AR  
2 Rusty Black, Fort Smith AR  
3 Chris Moore, Fort Smith AR  
4 Larry Velasquez, Mission KS  
5 Dixie Johnson, Lamar MO  
6 Tom Esford, Riverview FL  
7 Grant Olcott, Fort Smith AR  
8 Don Boone, Belton MO  
9 Diana Lee, Fort Smith AR  
10 Joe Giles, Farmington AR  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Aloha Chili, Muldrow OK  
Tregg Van Zandt  
2 My Brothers BBQ's Chili  
Greenwood AR  
Dickie Spahn

3 Princess Chili, Fort Smith AR  
Nikki Moore

Jun 19, 2004-002 - Greer AZ  
Greer Cookoff, 17 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS

1 Mary Ellen Scott, Glendale AZ  
2 B. Wayne Scott, Glendale AZ  
3 Scott Hamilton, Queen Creek AZ  
4 Leo Zamacona, Queen Creek AZ  
5 Sue Seehusen, Alamogordo NM  
6 Karen Banas, Queen Creek AZ  
7 Tim Wasik Sr., Hualapai AZ  
8 Bob Bell, Chandler AZ  
9 Lylah Raven, Phoenix AZ  
10 Guy Tennisson, Sierra Vista AZ  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Queen Creek Chili Chicks  
Queen Creek AZ  
Karen Banas  
2 Pirates Gold, Sierra Vista AZ  
Larry Cornell  
3 Jack-O-Lantern Chili  
Sierra Vista AZ  
Guy Tennisson

Jun 19, 2004-005 - Fort Smith AR  
22nd Annual Judge Issac C Parker, 64  
CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
1 Jason Bagwell, Lonoke AR  
2 Bob Cagle, Cabot AR  
3 Carol Zimmerman, Clarksville AR  
4 Glenda Johnston, Maumelle AR  
5 Dara Hopson, Fort Smith AR  
6 Preston Nickle  
North Little Rock AR  
7 Erma W. Smith, Fort Smith AR  
8 Chris Sugg, Fort Smith AR  
9 Larry Velasquez, Mission KS  
10 Stuart Frye, Little Rock AR  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Aloha Chili, Muldrow OK  
Tregg Van Zandt  
2 Sgt. Peppers No Bean Chili  
Van Buren AR  
Jay Davis  
3 My Brothers BBQ's Chili  
Greenwood AR  
Dickie Spahn

Jun 26, 2004-004 - Joppa MD  
All American Cookoff, 17 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS

1 Debbie Henderson, Forest Hill MD  
2 Bill Henderson, Forest Hill MD  
3 Kim Archer, Pylesville MD  
4 Christine (Chris) Johnson  
Harrisburg PA  
5 Phil Martinek, Fallston MD  
6 John Iaquina, Annapolis MD  
7 James C. Greer, Abingdon MD  
8 Brenda Robinson, Jarrettsville MD  
9 John Peery, Joppa MD  
10 Margie Magill, Annapolis MD

Jul 3, 2004-004 - Lake Ivie TX  
Owl's Roost 4th of July Chili & BBQ, 19  
CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
1 Darrell Hopper, Odessa TX  
2 Phyllis Patton, Odessa TX  
3 Randal Papasan, Midland TX  
4 Barbara Herrin, Odessa TX  
5 Tim Collier, Snyder TX  
6 Connie Collier, Snyder TX  
7 Joann Scott, Odessa TX  
8 Karen Bains, Rankin TX  
9 Richard R. Scott, Odessa TX  
10 Sally Papasan, Midland TX  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 J & J Chili, San Angelo TX  
Jason Jackson  
2 Texas Chili & Tattoo Parlor  
Odessa TX  
Larry Patton  
3 Lefty's Chili, Odessa TX  
Karen Wilson

Jul 3, 2004-008 - Statesville NC  
Big Yankee Day Backyard Cookoff, 18  
CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
1 Richard J. Steinert, Greensboro NC  
2 John Rhyne, Mooresville NC  
3 Judy McCrickard, Reidsville NC  
4 Tim McCrickard, Reidsville NC  
5 Adrienne Grant, Durham NC  
6 Mike Williams, Mocksville NC  
7 Kenneth (Kenny) Jones  
Reidsville NC  
8 Paul Ingold, Greensboro NC  
9 Robin Miller, Madison NC  
10 Seth Jones, Jefferson WI  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Bubba's Chili, Mocksville NC  
Mike Williams  
2 Hillbilly Chili, Union Grove NC  
Jody Godfrey  
3 Outlaw Chili, Reidsville NC  
Judy McCrickard

Jul 3, 2004-009 - Odessa TX  
2nd Annual Project Freedom Chili, 15  
CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
1 Al McDonald, Odessa TX  
2 Mike Tracy, Odessa TX  
3 Gwyn Brackeen, Lamesa TX  
4 B.J. McDonald, Odessa TX  
5 Patsy Childress, Midland TX  
6 Lee Roy Childress, Midland TX  
7 Doretta "Dodie" Simpson, Odessa TX  
8 Keith Coffman, Odessa TX  
9 Brenda Fikes, Odessa TX  
10 Dennis Brackeen, Lamesa TX  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Donkey Express, Odessa TX  
Doretta "Dodie" Simpson  
2 Home Grown Chili, Odessa TX

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Jul 10, 2004-001 - San Angelo TX  
Firecracker Chili Blow Out, 19 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Guy Stewart, Lubbock TX  
2 Connie Collier, Snyder TX  
3 Tim Collier, Snyder TX  
4 Allene Kline, San Angelo TX  
5 Jason Jackson, San Angelo TX  
6 Horace Peek, Crane TX  
7 Debbie Taylor, Crane TX  
8 David Mohler, San Angelo TX  
9 Pat Holland, San Angelo TX  
10 Laura L. Coad, San Angelo TX  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 J & J, San Angelo TX  
David Mohler  
2 Tag Along Chili, Crane TX  
Debbie Taylor  
3 Pepper-up, San Angelo TX  
Sherry J. Maus

Jul 10, 2004-003 - Midwest City OK  
Oklahoma State Chili Cookoff, 21 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Mike Mayenschein, Owasso OK  
2 Tom (Tucker) Snyder, Tulsa OK  
3 Bettie Spears, Shawnee OK  
4 Deborah (Debbie) Bond, Jones OK  
5 Mark Bass, Skiatook OK  
6 Donell Dickerson, Shawnee OK  
7 Nick Wilson, Bethany OK  
8 Bob Luney, Iowa Park TX  
9 Gene Bond, Jones OK  
10 David Brown, Catoosa OK  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Pig Pen Chili, Jones OK  
Deborah (Debbie) Bond  
2 B.J. Cathouse Chili, Shawnee OK  
Bettie Spears  
3 Road Kill Chili, Shawnee OK  
Jerry D. Dickerson

Jul 10, 2004-004 - Schertz TX  
VFW Post 8315 Chili Cookoff, 31 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Doyle Smith, San Antonio TX  
2 Roger Patteson, Canyon Lake TX  
3 Stan Pitts, San Antonio TX  
4 Gayle A. Cook, Marble Falls TX  
5 Julie Darley, Canyon Lake TX  
6 John Goforth, Comfort TX  
7 Barbara Schueler, Leander TX  
8 Melodie Smith, San Antonio TX  
9 R. Bruce Jones, Canyon Lake TX  
10 Don White, Austin TX  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Biker Chili, San Antonio TX  
Doyle Smith  
2 No Show Show Team, Canyon Lake TX  
R. Bruce Jones  
3 Home Brew 1, Yorktown TX  
Marvin Schulze

Jul 10, 2004-006 - Arlington TX  
USMC Toys for Tots CCO, 15 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Morris Moss, Garland TX  
2 Linda Buschel, Irving TX  
3 Suzie Manske, Arlington TX

4 Jim Taylor, Alvarado TX  
5 Mack Walker, Arlington TX  
6 Charles Breeden, Alvarado TX  
7 Jim "Pooch" Luhn, Fort Worth TX  
8 Pat Langley, Garland TX  
9 Bill Buschel, Irving TX  
10 Lee Brett, Euless TX  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Do Da Budda, Arlington TX  
David Manske  
2 South Side Foggy Mountain  
Grand Prairie TX  
Jim Johnson  
3 Armidilla, Euless TX  
Lee Brett

Jul 10, 2004-010 - Red Oak TX  
Red Oak Chili Cookoff, 28 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Gail Parsons, Waxahachie TX  
2 Sherree Duncan  
North Richland Hills TX  
3 Tommy Kriska, Ennis TX  
4 Tori Green, Lewisville TX  
5 Roger Foltz, Mesquite TX  
6 Ed Green, Lewisville TX  
7 Frank Gadberry, Lancaster TX  
8 Terry Guerra, Ovilla TX  
9 Larry Hutson, Red Oak TX  
10 Billy "Blue" Kriska, Ennis TX  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Booze Brothers, Garland TX  
Bill Lester  
2 World's Miniest Disco, Dallas TX  
Steve Heaser  
3 Hell's Fury, Dallas TX  
Shirley Sexton

Jul 10, 2004-011 - Wellington KS  
First Annual Rise'n Shine Lion's, 16 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Larry Velasquez, Mission KS  
2 Junior Johnson, Lamar MO  
3 Bob Essner, Grandview MO  
4 Dixie Johnson, Lamar MO  
5 Dale Reinecker, Bedford TX  
6 Sheila VanBuskirk, Canyon Lake TX  
7 Peggy Velasquez, Mission KS  
8 Jim Evans, Canyon Lake TX  
9 Jim Searce, Attica KS  
10 Colleen Lintner, Shawnee Mission KS  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Toad Chokin' Chili  
Shawnee Mission KS  
Colleen Lintner  
2 Chili Puercos, Mission KS  
Larry Velasquez  
3 Cilly Chili, Canyon Lake TX  
Sheila VanBuskirk

Jul 10, 2004-013 - Humboldt AZ  
Billy Jack's Saloon and Grill CCO, 15  
CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Pamela (Pam) Diffin, Camp Verde AZ  
2 Debbie Merritt, Hualapai AZ  
3 Sandy L. Lee, Phoenix AZ  
4 Maxine Lee, Cornville AZ  
5 Tim Wasik Sr., Hualapai AZ  
6 Jerry D. Lee, Phoenix AZ  
7 Dennis Huff, Glendale AZ  
8 Steven (Steve) Smith, Glendale AZ  
9 David J."MadJack" Garner, Mesa AZ

10 Mary Ellen Smith, Glendale AZ  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Deb's Rt 66 Chili Fix, Hualapai AZ  
Debbie Merritt  
2 Alchemist Chili, Phoenix AZ  
Jerry D. Lee  
3 Texas Hot Stuff, Glendale AZ  
Dennis Huff

Jul 11, 2004-001 - Schertz TX  
VFW Post 8315 Sunday Cookoff, 24 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Doyle Smith, San Antonio TX  
2 Ron W. Black, Somerset TX  
3 Randy Evans, Canyon Lake TX  
4 Marvin Schulze, Yorktown TX  
5 Billy Doss, Georgetown TX  
6 Laura McDaniel, San Antonio TX  
7 Clyde Rogers, San Antonio TX  
8 R. Bruce Jones, Canyon Lake TX  
9 Betsy Schulze, Yorktown TX  
10 Ed Shelton, San Antonio TX  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Home Brew 1, Yorktown TX  
Marvin Schulze  
2 Biker Chili, San Antonio TX  
Doyle Smith  
3 No Show Show Team, Canyon Lake TX  
R. Bruce Jones

Jul 11, 2004-002 - Arlington TX  
Military Appreciation Cookoff, 16 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 David Manske, Arlington TX  
2 Pat Langley, Garland TX  
3 Tommy Kriska, Ennis TX

4 Mack Walker, Arlington TX  
5 Larry Hutson, Red Oak TX  
6 Shirley Sexton, Dallas TX  
7 David I. Sexton Sr., Dallas TX  
8 Suzie Manske, Arlington TX  
9 Melissa Kriska, Ennis TX  
10 Billy "Blue" Kriska, Ennis TX

Jul 17, 2004-001 - Olive Branch MS  
Olive Branch Shrine Cookoff, 15 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Scott Brown, Cordova TN  
2 Cindy Brown, Memphis TN  
3 Michael (Mike) Brown, Memphis TN  
4 Dan Brown, Olive Branch MS  
5 Lynne Murry, Como MS  
6 Alan Smith, Memphis TN  
7 Gene Freeman, Magnolia MS  
8 Tanna M. Jones, Walls MS  
9 James Murry, Como MS  
10 James Triplett, Atoka TN  
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
1 Sauced & Sassy, Memphis TN  
Michael (Mike) Brown  
2 Love Me Tender II, Collierville TN  
Wanda Cassini  
3 Rotel Hell, Memphis TN  
Liam Haggerty

Jul 17, 2004-002 - Golden City MO  
Missouri State Chili Cookoff, 40 CHILIS  
CHILI WINNERS  
1 Steve Dowdy, Kansas City MO  
2 David Brown, Catoosa OK  
3 Dara Hopson, Fort Smith AR  
4 Mark Bass, Skiatook OK



- 5 Thomas Mike Shea, Moberly MO
  - 6 Bob Essner, Grandview MO
  - 7 Erma W. Smith, Fort Smith AR
  - 8 Nancy Coultas, Tucson AZ
  - 9 Jerri Dowdy, Kansas City MO
  - 10 Bob Luney, Iowa Park TX
- SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**
- 1 Line Gang Chili, Fort Smith AR  
Guy E. Smith
  - 2 Duck Blind Chili, Kansas City MO  
Steve Dowdy
  - 3 Toad Chokin' Chili  
Shawnee Mission KS  
Colleen Lintner

- Jul 17, 2004-003 - Cash TX  
6th Annual Greenville Elks Lodge, 35 CHILIS
- CHILI WINNERS**
- 1 Tommy Kriska, Ennis TX
  - 2 Suzie Manske, Arlington TX
  - 3 David Manske, Arlington TX
  - 4 Morris Moss, Garland TX
  - 5 Beth Moon, Hurst TX
  - 6 Pat Langley, Garland TX
  - 7 Ed Green, Lewisville TX
  - 8 Dale Reinecker, Bedford TX
  - 9 Tori Green, Lewisville TX
  - 10 Billy "Blue" Kriska, Ennis TX

- SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**
- 1 Maverick Chili, McKinney TX  
Andrew (Andy) Hardin
  - 2 Road Warriors Roadkill Chili Brew  
Terrell TX  
Larry Wampler
  - 3 Picnic Table, Hughes Springs TX  
Tom Megason
- Jul 17, 2004-004 - Laramie WY  
Butch Cassidy Classic Chili Cookoff, 22 CHILIS
- CHILI WINNERS**
- 1 Janita Hinds, Livingston TX
  - 2 John Montgomery, Golden CO
  - 3 Tom Esford, Riverview FL
  - 4 Vicki Esford, Riverview FL
  - 5 Sally Hite, Hereford AZ
  - 6 Rocky Kimball, Highlands Ranch CO
  - 7 W.E. "Bill" Britton, Laramie WY
  - 8 Steve Lee, Longmont CO
  - 9 Elmo Hite, Hereford AZ
  - 10 Richard Hinds, Livingston TX
- SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**
- 1 Chili Hut, Cheyenne WY  
Duane A. Minear
  - 2 Maverick, Laramie WY  
W.E. "Bill" Britton

- 3 Warriors Of Crimson Pepper  
Longmont CO  
Steve Lee
- Jul 17, 2004-006 - Crosby TX  
Bob-n-Jeans CASI Chili Cookoff, 17 CHILIS
- CHILI WINNERS**
- 1 David Loscuito, Houston TX
  - 2 Pete Drake, Houston TX
  - 3 Ralph Hay, Pasadena TX
  - 4 Lil Drake, Houston TX
  - 5 G. Taylor Miller, Baytown TX
  - 6 Jim Birch, Seabrook TX
  - 7 Ed Nesbitt, Houston TX
  - 8 Don Meehan, Houston TX
  - 9 Malcolm Williams, Beaumont TX
  - 10 Teena G. Miller, Baytown TX
- SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**
- 1 Oil Field Trash, Houston TX  
Larry Hammock
  - 2 NDC Chili, Houston TX  
Keith Karaff
  - 3 Cleopatra's Tuts, Houston TX  
Don Meehan

- Jul 17, 2004-010 - Odessa TX  
VFW AMVETS Cookoff, 24 CHILIS
- CHILI WINNERS**
- 1 Mike Tracy, Odessa TX
  - 2 Gregg Wilson, Odessa TX
  - 3 Michael Bateman, Odessa TX
  - 4 Sissy (Sally) Hill, Odessa TX
  - 5 Keith Patton, Odessa TX
  - 6 Patsy Childress, Midland TX
  - 7 Darrell Hopper, Odessa TX
  - 8 Gwyn Brackeen, Lamesa TX
  - 9 Phyllis Patton, Odessa TX
  - 10 Al McDonald, Odessa TX
- SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**
- 1 Texas Chili & Tattoo Parlor  
Odessa TX  
Larry Patton
  - 2 Home Grown Chili, Odessa TX  
Crystal Thompson
  - 3 Chuck Wagon Chili, Odessa TX  
Michael Bateman

- Jul 18, 2004-001 - Cash TX  
6th Annual Morning After Greenville, 27 CHILIS
- CHILI WINNERS**
- 1 David McKee, Rockwall TX
  - 2 Tommy Kriska, Ennis TX
  - 3 David Manske, Arlington TX
  - 4 Jean Megason, Hughes Springs TX
  - 5 Tori Green, Lewisville TX
  - 6 Debbie Kriska, Ennis TX
  - 7 Morris Moss, Garland TX
  - 8 Tom Megason, Hughes Springs TX
  - 9 Tammy Williams, Terrell TX
  - 10 Ray Calhoun, Waxahachie TX
- SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**
- 1 Picnic Table, Hughes Springs TX  
Tom Megason
  - 2 No Brag Chili, Longview TX  
Betty Arnold Blakeley
  - 3 Road Warriors Roadkill Chili Brew  
Terrell TX  
Larry Wampler

- Jul 18, 2004-003 - Staples TX  
2nd Day Purgatory Creek Cookoff, 36 CHILIS
- CHILI WINNERS**
- 1 Mike Benold, Dripping Springs TX
  - 2 Sue Caffey, Rockdale TX
  - 3 Jean H. Barkley, Weimar TX
  - 4 John Caffey, Rockdale TX
  - 5 Carrie Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
  - 6 Carol Martin, Gonzales TX
  - 7 Larry Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
  - 8 Jenifer Danysh, Edna TX
  - 9 Don White, Austin TX
  - 10 Mike Monte, Cedar Park TX
- SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**
- 1 Tall Girl Frog, Rockdale TX  
Sue Caffey
  - 2 UNCLAIMED
  - 3 UNCLAIMED

- Jul 24, 2004-001 - Memphis TN  
VFW 4935 Ladies Auxiliary Cookoff, 15 CHILIS
- CHILI WINNERS**
- 1 James Stone, Memphis TN
  - 2 Michael (Mike) Brown, Memphis TN
  - 3 Karen Bonner, Horn Lake MS
  - 4 Joe R. Cassini, Collierville TN

**MIDWEST REGIONAL OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

**18th ANNUAL WILLIAMS CHILI CHALLENGE**

**C.A.S.I. SANCTIONED**

1st OPEN OF NEW YEAR

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2004 6:00P.M. TO 11:00P.M.**  
**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2004 9:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M.**  
**OLD TOWN LENEXA, KANSAS**

**AWARDS FOR TOP 10**

CASI Chili  
Homestyle Chili

**1ST PLACE CASI**  
Paid Travel Expenses  
to 05 TERLINGUA

**AWARDS FOR TOP 3**

Showmanship  
Salsa  
Buffalo Wings  
Peoples Choice

**CHILI TURN-IN TIME**  
Noon on October 16th

**TOP 3 CASI**  
Qualify for 05 Terlingua

**GOODY BAGS FOR PRE-REGISTERED COOKS**  
DEADLINE OCTOBER 1, 2004

**CHECK-IN**

Friday, October 15th 2:00pm to 6:00pm  
Saturday, October 16th 7:00am to 9:00am

**ENTRY FEES**

**\$25 for CASI**  
**\$25 for Homestyle**

**LIVE CHILI CAM**  
[www.ci.lenexa.ks.us](http://www.ci.lenexa.ks.us)

**WANT MORE INFO CONTACT:**  
Contest Organizer  
Jim Finlon (913) 541-8592  
jfinlon@ci.lenexa.ks.us  
or  
MO-KAN POD Representative  
Sam & Bob Essner (816) 763-6883  
or  
<http://www.ci.lenexa.ks.us/parks/chilichallenge.html>

**WILLIAMS**  
Bring on the FLAVOR!

SATURDAY AFTERNOON

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT  
FRIDAY NIGHT

FOOD

FUN

PROCEEDS FROM THE WILLIAMS CHILI CHALLENGE BENEFIT  
Lynette Essner Research Foundation  
Dedicated to Terlingua 2004

5 Tanna M. Jones, Walls MS  
 6 Shirley Cason, Como MS  
 7 Robert Gross, Como MS  
 8 Mindy Johnson, Southaven MS  
 9 Chris Bonner, Horn Lake MS  
 10 Liam Haggerty, Memphis TN  
**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**  
 1 Rotel Hell, Memphis TN  
 Liam Haggerty  
 2 Sauced & Sassy, Memphis TN  
 Michael (Mike) Brown  
 3 Thunderbird Chili, Memphis TN  
 Mike Tarpley

Jul 24, 2004-002 - Cloudcroft NM  
 Annual Cloudcroft Cookoff, 43 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 Hut Brown, El Paso TX  
 2 Sally Hite, Hereford AZ  
 3 Tim Collier, Snyder TX  
 4 Keith Coffman, Odessa TX  
 5 Phyllis Patton, Odessa TX  
 6 Tom Esford, Riverview FL  
 7 Connie Collier, Snyder TX  
 8 Vicki Esford, Riverview FL  
 9 Jason Douglass, El Paso TX  
 10 Eloy Salamanca, El Paso TX  
**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**  
 1 Dragon Lady, El Paso TX  
 Marcia Gamino  
 2 Warriors Of Crimson Pepper  
 Longmont CO  
 Steve Lee  
 3 Texas Chili & Tattoo Parlor  
 Odessa TX  
 Larry Patton

Jul 24, 2004-003 - Wichita Falls TX  
 American Legion Auxiliary Unit 120, 20  
 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 Jan Hodge, Wichita Falls TX  
 2 Judy Hawthorne, Wichita Falls TX  
 3 Carol Gibbs, Iowa Park TX  
 4 Arvol Hodge, Wichita Falls TX  
 5 Jerry D. Dickerson, Shawnee OK  
 6 Donell Dickerson, Shawnee OK  
 7 Don Walker, Wichita Falls TX  
 8 Dennis H. Jackson, Iowa Park TX  
 9 Bob Luney, Iowa Park TX  
 10 Dale Daniel, Denton TX  
**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**  
 1 UNCLAIMED  
 2 UNCLAIMED  
 3 UNCLAIMED

Jul 24, 2004-004 - Lillian TX  
 Lillian Fire Dept. Chili Cookoff, 27 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 Tom (Tommy) Hornsby, Benbrook TX  
 2 Shirley Sexton, Dallas TX  
 3 Bill Lester, Garland TX  
 4 Tommy Kriska, Ennis TX  
 5 Terry Skipper, Waxahachie TX  
 6 Ericka Brown, Ennis TX  
 7 Debbie Kriska, Ennis TX  
 8 Tina Barnes, Euless TX  
 9 David I. Sexton Sr., Dallas TX  
 10 Gary Post, Grand Prairie TX  
**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**  
 1 Black Gold Chili, Corsicana TX  
 Kenneth Swart  
 2 911 Chili Station, Valley Mills TX

Randy Duke  
 3 Retired Fireman, Waxahachie TX  
 Terry Skipper  
 Jul 24, 2004-005 - Austin TX  
 Lone Star Weekend Cookoff, 59 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 Margaret Nadeau, Boerne TX  
 2 John Caffey, Rockdale TX  
 3 Frank Fox, Houston TX  
 4 Sue Caffey, Rockdale TX  
 5 Michele Goodwin, Waxahachie TX  
 6 Sherrie Davis, South Houston TX  
 7 Joyce Jowers, San Antonio TX  
 8 Bill Dees, Bulverde TX  
 9 Tamara Dees, Bulverde TX  
 10 Jessie Waguespack, Austin TX  
**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**  
 1 Sun City Amigos, Georgetown TX  
 Richard Bethell  
 2 Bubba's Church, Martindale TX  
 Bert "Bubba" Reinke  
 3 Tall Girl Frog, Rockdale TX  
 Sue Caffey

Jul 24, 2004-006 - Castle Rock WA  
 Mountain Mania CCO, 17 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 LaRaine Baker, Spanaway WA  
 2 Mary Wattahowe, Cereal AB  
 3 Dennis Bloomfield, Issaquah WA  
 4 Barbara (Barb) Sigler  
 Battle Ground WA  
 5 Debi Price, Portland OR  
 6 Perry Sigler, Battle Ground WA  
 7 Al Ruskin, Spanaway WA  
 8 Don Weber, McHenry IL  
 9 Susan (Suzy) Weber, McHenry IL  
 10 Anita Murphy, Camas WA

Jul 24, 2004-007 - Odessa TX  
 Market Bar & Grill Chili Cookoff, 15 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 B.J. McDonald, Odessa TX  
 2 Richard R. Scott, Odessa TX  
 3 Gregg Wilson, Odessa TX  
 4 Gary Shook, Lamesa TX  
 5 Brenda Fikes, Odessa TX  
 6 Patsy Childress, Midland TX  
 7 Guy W Bates, Midland TX  
 8 Joann Scott, Odessa TX  
 9 Al McDonald, Odessa TX  
 10 Mike Tracy, Odessa TX  
**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**  
 1 Lefty's Chili Team #2, Odessa TX  
 Gregg Wilson  
 2 Bang Howdy Partner, Midland TX  
 Patsy Childress  
 3 TLC, Odessa TX  
 Joann Scott

Jul 24, 2004-008 - Moulton TX  
 Moulton Town & Country Jamboree, 44  
 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 Carol Martin, Gonzales TX  
 2 Alice Reynolds, Rockport TX  
 3 Vince Slominski, Caldwell TX  
 4 Bo Boles, Angleton TX  
 5 Marvin Schulze, Yorktown TX  
 6 Ronald Reich, Weimar TX  
 7 James Orsak, Moulton TX  
 8 Heather Hubenak, Weimar TX

9 Gene Thompson, Katy TX  
 10 John Meisetschleager, Moulton TX  
**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**  
 1 R & B Rocking Ranch, Moulton TX  
 Robert Shockley  
 2 Beer Hunters, Moulton TX  
 Donald Haikenwaelder  
 3 Chili On The Run, Gonzales TX  
 Carol Martin

Jul 24, 2004-009 - Rio Medina TX  
 1st Annual Texas Spirits Saloon CCO, 19  
 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 Ed Green, Lewisville TX  
 2 Joe Boyd, San Antonio TX  
 3 Cindy McKinzie, Canyon Lake TX  
 4 Randy Evans, Canyon Lake TX  
 5 Jennifer Lee, San Antonio TX  
 6 Cecille Evans, Canyon Lake TX  
 7 Darlene Evans, Canyon Lake TX  
 8 Tori Green, Lewisville TX  
 9 Robert Lisherness, San Antonio TX  
 10 Stan Pitts, San Antonio TX  
**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**  
 1 Biker Chili, San Antonio TX  
 Doyle Smith  
 2 Jason's Jenuine Jaw Remover  
 Lytle TX  
 Jason Brown  
 3 Miss Texas Chili, San Antonio TX  
 Jennifer Lee

Jul 24, 2004-011 - Hallsville TX  
 1st Annual East Texas Pod Cookoff, 24  
 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 David McKee, Rockwall TX

2 Don Woods, Marshall TX  
 3 Roy E Johnson, Marshall TX  
 4 Bobby Shirey, Marshall TX  
 5 Jean Megason, Hughes Springs TX  
 6 Gary Grubbs, Longview TX  
 7 David Willis, Tyler TX  
 8 Larry Wampler, Terrell TX  
 9 Tammy Williams, Terrell TX  
 10 Morris Moss, Garland TX  
**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS**  
 1 Road Warriors Roadkill Chili Brew  
 Terrell TX  
 Larry Wampler  
 2 Grizzly Head Gravy, Hallsville TX  
 Chuck Darden  
 3 Hot Cow Chili, Tyler TX  
 Darrell Willis

Jul 25, 2004-001 - Wichita Falls TX  
 American Legion Auxiliary Unit 169, 22  
 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 Dennis H. Jackson, Iowa Park TX  
 2 Mack Walker, Arlington TX  
 3 Carol Gibbs, Iowa Park TX  
 4 Bob Luney, Iowa Park TX  
 5 Rebecca Daniel, Denton TX  
 6 Chuck Hawthorne, Wichita Falls TX  
 7 Donell Dickerson, Shawnee OK  
 8 Jerry D. Dickerson, Shawnee OK  
 9 Don Walker, Wichita Falls TX  
 10 Mike Bryan, Wichita Falls TX

Jul 25, 2004-003 - Fair Hill MD  
 Cecil County Fair CCO, 15 CHILIS  
**CHILI WINNERS**  
 1 Chris Sills, Pylesville MD  
 2 Kim Archer, Pylesville MD



**Mrs. Renfro's and  
 Mrs. Renfro's Salsa  
 2003 CASI TICC Sponsors**

3 Alan Dean, Bel Air MD  
 4 Christine (Chris) Johnson  
 Harrisburg PA  
 5 Brenda Robinson, Jarrettsville MD  
 6 Chuck Cooke, Elkton MD  
 7 Debbie Henderson, Forest Hill MD  
 8 Douglas Johnson, Harrisburg PA  
 9 Donald Robinson, Jarrettsville MD  
 10 Lisa Knackstedt, Pylesville MD

Jul 25, 2004-004 - St. Helen's OR  
 Oregon's Best Chili Cookoff, 15 CHILIS  
 CHILI WINNERS

1 Gordon Forbord, Portland OR  
 2 Barbara (Barb) Sigler  
 Battle Ground WA  
 3 Ken Peach, Tacoma WA  
 4 Steven (Steve) Price, Portland OR  
 5 Keith Tubbs, Snoqualmie WA  
 6 Dennis Bloomfield, Issaquah WA  
 7 Gerald Gowans, Vancouver BC  
 8 Perry Sigler, Battle Ground WA  
 9 John Billups, Portland OR  
 10 Ruth H. Peach, Tacoma WA  
 SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS

1 Rubber Chicken, Battle Ground WA  
 Barbara (Barb) Sigler  
 2 Dragon's Breath Chili, Portland OR  
 Steven (Steve) Price  
 3 German Chili, Tacoma WA  
 Ruth H. Peach

Jul 31, 2004-001 - Schultenburg TX  
 Schultenburg Festival Chili Cookoff, 41  
 CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
 1 Jean H. Barkley, Weimar TX  
 2 Ryan Cantwell, Weimar TX  
 3 Carol Martin, Gonzales TX  
 4 Donna Leird, Galveston TX  
 5 Carrie Kinnison, Marble Falls TX  
 6 Lanna Cantwell, Weimar TX  
 7 Alice Reynolds, Rockport TX  
 8 Frank Wick Jr, Schultenburg TX  
 9 Pat Krenek, Houston TX  
 10 Dee Hay, Pasadena TX  
 SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
 1 Moravian Czili Mooners, Weimar TX  
 Heather Hubenak  
 2 Texas Grill Sergeant Delight  
 Houston TX  
 Rodney Wendel  
 3 Chili On The Run, Gonzales TX  
 Carol Martin

Jul 31, 2004-002 - Batavia IL  
 Twelfth Illinois State Championship, 35  
 CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
 1 Candace Thomas, Naperville IL  
 2 Georgia Weller, Bloomfield Hills MI  
 3 Wes Carlson, Loves Park IL  
 4 Gloria Molitor, St. Charles IL  
 5 Russ Reaves, Bensenville IL  
 6 Kathy Martin, Huntley IL  
 7 Charles "Bill" Thomas  
 Naperville IL  
 8 Randy Metz, Lombard IL  
 9 Gerald (Gary) Christensen  
 Cedar Rapids IA  
 10 Julie Netser, Seymour IN  
 SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
 1 Black Bear Chili, Huntley IL

Kathy Martin  
 2 Gosto's Chicago Chili, Woodridge IL  
 John Gastaldello  
 3 Chris' Chili, Montgomery IL  
 Christine Hansen

Jul 31, 2004-004 - Decatur TX  
 Game Hunters Outdoor Expo Fishing, 19  
 CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
 1 Dale Reinecker, Bedford TX  
 2 Donell Dickerson, Shawnee OK  
 3 Lisa Rider, Richardson TX  
 4 Mike Rider, Richardson TX  
 5 Bill Sweigart, Hurst TX  
 6 Don Walker, Wichita Falls TX  
 7 Tori Green, Lewisville TX  
 8 Ed Green, Lewisville TX  
 9 Lee Brett, Euless TX  
 10 Jerry D. Dickerson, Shawnee OK  
 SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS

1 Global Warming Chili, Richardson TX  
 Lisa Rider  
 2 Beers Are Us, Euless TX  
 Lee Brett  
 3 Caliente Chili, Wichita Falls TX  
 Don Walker

Jul 31, 2004-005 - North Little Rock AR  
 Elks Lodge #1004 Chili Cookoff, 18 CHILIS  
 CHILI WINNERS

1 Tim Swicegood, Maumelle AR  
 2 Preston Nickle  
 North Little Rock AR  
 3 Paul A. Rowlan, Bryant AR  
 4 David Boyle, Bryant AR  
 5 Glenda Johnson, Maumelle AR  
 6 Debby Cagle, Cabot AR  
 7 Debbie Blanks, Little Rock AR  
 8 Linda Nickle, North Little Rock AR  
 9 Bruce Smith, Little Rock AR  
 10 Dick Wagner, Little Rock AR  
 SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
 1 LDN Chili, North Little Rock AR  
 Linda Nickle  
 2 Jamaica Spice, Little Rock AR  
 Debbie Blanks  
 3 911 Firehouse Chili  
 North Little Rock AR  
 Ron Burke

Aug 1, 2004-001 - Bel Air MD  
 Mason Dixon Pod Backyard Cookoff, 16  
 CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
 1 Daniel E. "Dan" Bauer  
 Alexandria VA  
 2 John Iaquina, Annapolis MD  
 3 Debbie Henderson, Forest Hill MD  
 4 Christine (Chris) Johnson  
 Harrisburg PA  
 5 Bill Henderson, Forest Hill MD  
 6 Chris Sills, Pylesville MD  
 7 Brian W. Smith, Pylesville MD  
 8 Lisa Knackstedt, Pylesville MD  
 9 James C. Greer, Abingdon MD  
 10 Douglas Johnson, Harrisburg PA

Aug 1, 2004-002 - Batavia IL  
 Windmill City Chili Cookoff, 22 CHILIS  
 CHILI WINNERS

1 Cheryl L. Pierson, Batavia IL  
 2 Roylene Johnson, Ottumwa IA

3 Charles "Bill" Thomas  
 Naperville IL  
 4 Jennifer Uhrin, Indianapolis IN  
 5 Bret Centers, Lisle IL  
 6 Candace Thomas, Naperville IL  
 7 Bert Centers, Lisle IL  
 8 Virgil Johnson, Ottumwa IA  
 9 Mike Mayenschein, Owasso OK  
 10 William C.(Bill) Pierson  
 Batavia IL

SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
 1 Chris' Chili, Montgomery IL  
 Christine Hansen

2 2nd Wind, Owasso OK  
 Mike Mayenschein  
 3 Mother Goose Chili, North Aurora IL  
 Barbara Segina

Aug 7, 2004-001 - Tombstone AZ  
 Tombstone Vigilante Days Cookoff, 35  
 CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
 1 Tamara Dees, Bulverde TX  
 2 Bill Dees, Bulverde TX  
 3 Patti Kunstman, Sierra Vista AZ  
 4 Lynn Barta, Sierra Vista AZ  
 5 Greg Monger, Sierra Vista AZ  
 6 Guy Tennon, Sierra Vista AZ  
 7 Shirley Stateczny, Comfort TX  
 8 David J."MadJack" Garner, Mesa AZ  
 9 William N.(Bill) Garbutt  
 Sierra Vista AZ  
 10 Sunny Fichtl, Sierra Vista AZ  
 SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
 1 Wrecking Crew, Sierra Vista AZ  
 Greg Monger  
 2 Intensive Care, Sierra Vista AZ  
 Cash Ply  
 3 Jack-O-Lantern Chili  
 Sierra Vista AZ  
 Guy Tennon

Aug 7, 2004-004 - Memphis TN  
 Al Chymia Shrine Center Billy Hicks, 23  
 CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
 1 Preston Nickle  
 North Little Rock AR  
 2 Lynne Murry, Como MS  
 3 Kim Sharp, Memphis TN  
 4 George T. Tubb, Jackson TN  
 5 Joe R. Cassini, Collierville TN  
 6 James Murry, Como MS  
 7 Edna Ward, Memphis TN  
 8 Cindy Brown, Memphis TN  
 9 Dean Brown, Memphis TN  
 10 Wanda Cassini, Collierville TN  
 SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
 1 G.I. Joe Chili, Jackson TN  
 George T. Tubb  
 2 Teddy Bears-R-Us, Jackson TN  
 Paula Arsement Tubb  
 3 Love Me Tender II, Collierville TN  
 Wanda Cassini

Aug 7, 2004-006 - Richardson TX  
 Plano Richardson Elks 2485 Cookoff, 25  
 CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
 1 Tom (Tommy) Hornsby, Benbrook TX  
 2 David I. Sexton Sr., Dallas TX  
 3 Lee Brett, Euless TX  
 4 Lynette Roberson, Irving TX

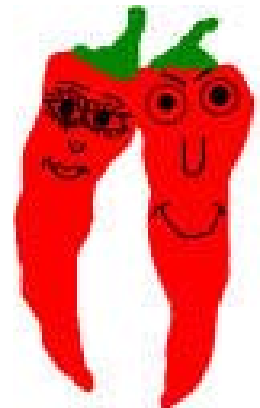
5 Tina Barnes, Euless TX  
 6 Coby Davis, Garland TX  
 7 Gail Parsons, Waxahachie TX  
 8 Lee Pruiett, Garland TX  
 9 Mack Walker, Arlington TX  
 10 Tammy Williams, Terrell TX  
 SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
 1 Black Gold Chili, Corsicana TX  
 Kenneth Swart  
 2 Road Warriors Roadkill Chili Brew  
 Terrell TX  
 Larry Wampler  
 3 Hell's Fury, Dallas TX  
 Shirley Sexton

Aug 7, 2004-008 - Odessa TX  
 Westside VFD Cookoff, 28 CHILIS  
 CHILI WINNERS

1 Michael Bateman, Odessa TX  
 2 Sissy (Sally) Hill, Odessa TX  
 3 Teresa Wagnon, Odessa TX  
 4 Tim Collier, Snyder TX  
 5 Guy W Bates, Midland TX  
 6 Connie Collier, Snyder TX  
 7 Patsy Childress, Midland TX  
 8 Richard R. Scott, Odessa TX  
 9 Dennis Brackeen, Lamesa TX  
 10 Wanda Peek, Crane TX  
 SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS  
 1 Renegade Chili Rovers, Riverview FL  
 Tom Esford  
 2 Home Grown Chili, Odessa TX  
 Crystal Thompson  
 3 River Rat Chili, Lamesa TX  
 Dennis Brackeen

Aug 8, 2004-002 - Tacoma WA  
 Puget Pod Championship Cookoff, 15  
 CHILIS

CHILI WINNERS  
 1 Dennis Bloomfield, Issaquah WA  
 2 B.J. Mayer, Lakebay WA  
 3 Carla Hadley, Kenmore WA  
 4 Ken Peach, Tacoma WA  
 5 Al Ruskin, Spanaway WA  
 6 Judie Anderson, Olympia WA  
 7 Larry Mayer, Lakebay WA  
 8 Michael Peach, Seattle WA  
 9 Ruth H. Peach, Tacoma WA  
 10 Evelyn Trevino, Vancouver WA



# More 2004 TICC Qualifiers thru August 15, 2004

## COOKS

- 302 Christine (Chris) Johnson  
Harrisburg PA
- 303 Robert Griffin, Endicott NY
- 304 Rachel Snyder, Corning NY
- 305 Ann Grossman, Corning NY
- 306 Morris Moss, Garland TX
- 307 Suzie Manske, Arlington TX
- 308 Pat Langley, Garland TX
- 309 David I. Sexton Sr., Dallas TX
- 310 Mike Mayenschein, Owasso OK
- 311 Bettie Spears, Shawnee OK
- 312 Carol Lilly, Amarillo TX
- 313 Nelda Matheson, Amarillo TX
- 314 Mike Parker, Trinidad CO
- 315 Roger Foltz, Mesquite TX
- 316 Mary Ellen Scott, Glendale AZ
- 317 Mike Tracy, Odessa TX
- 318 Al McDonald, Odessa TX
- 319 Jenifer Danysh, Edna TX
- 320 Shirley Sexton, Dallas TX
- 321 R. Bruce Jones, Canyon Lake TX
- 322 Doyle Smith, San Antonio TX
- 323 Clyde Rogers, San Antonio TX
- 324 Betsy Schulze, Yorktown TX
- 325 Jan Hodge, Wichita Falls TX
- 326 Dennis H. Jackson, Iowa Park TX
- 327 Dennis Bloomfield, Issaquah WA
- 328 Don Weber, McHenry IL
- 329 Dale Reinecker, Bedford TX
- 330 Tori Green, Lewisville TX
- 331 David McKee, Rockwall TX
- 332 Tommy Kriska, Ennis TX
- 333 Cindy McKinzie, Canyon Lake TX
- 334 Candace Thomas, Naperville IL
- 335 Wes Carlson, Loves Park IL
- 336 Gloria Molitor, St. Charles IL
- 337 Charles "Bill" Thomas  
Naperville IL
- 338 Randy Metz, Lombard IL
- 339 Cheryl L. Pierson, Batavia IL
- 340 Bert Centers, Lisle IL
- 341 Jason Bagwell, Lonoke AR
- 342 Bob Cagle, Cabot AR
- 343 Carol Zimmerman, Clarksville AR
- 344 Alice Reynolds, Rockport TX
- 345 Donell Dickerson, Shawnee OK
- 346 Darrell Hopper, Odessa TX
- 347 Randal Papan, Midland TX
- 348 Joann Scott, Odessa TX
- 349 Mark Bass, Skiatook OK
- 350 Bob Essner, Grandview MO
- 351 Tim Swicegood, Maumelle AR
- 352 Michael (Mike) Brown, Memphis TN

- 353 Tanna M. Jones, Walls MS
- 354 Chris Bonner, Horn Lake MS
- 355 John Montgomery, Golden CO
- 356 Tom Esford, Riverview FL
- 357 Elmo Hite, Hereford AZ
- 358 Daniel E. "Dan" Bauer  
Alexandria VA
- 359 John Iaquina, Annapolis MD
- 360 Debbie Henderson, Forest Hill MD
- 361 Tom (Tommy) Hornsby, Benbrook TX
- 362 Judie Anderson, Olympia WA
- 363 Ruth H. Peach, Tacoma WA
- 364 Richard R. Scott, Odessa TX
- 365 Lynne Murry, Como MS

## SHOW TEAMS

- 115 Hot Off The Press Chili  
Binghamton NY  
Remza, Mike
- 116 Home Grown Chili, Odessa TX  
Thompson, Crystal
- 117 Chili Puercos, Mission KS  
Velasquez, Larry
- 118 Pepper-up, San Angelo TX  
Maus, Sherry J.
- 119 Hot Cow Chili, Tyler TX  
Willis, Darrell
- 120 911 Chili Station, Valley Mills TX  
Duke, Randy
- 121 Home Brew 1, Yorktown TX  
Schulze, Marvin
- 122 No Show Show Team, Canyon Lake TX  
Jones, R. Bruce
- 123 Picnic Table, Hughes Springs TX  
Megason, Tom
- 124 Black Bear Chili, Huntley IL  
Martin, Kathy
- 125 Gosto's Chicago Chili, Woodridge IL  
Gastaldello, John
- 126 Chris' Chili, Montgomery IL  
Hansen, Christine
- 127 Aloha Chili, Muldrow OK  
Van Zandt, Tregg
- 128 Lefty's Chili Team #2, Odessa TX  
Wilson, Gregg
- 129 Jeremiah Bowie, Bedford TX  
Reinecker, Dale
- 130 J & J Chili, San Angelo TX  
Jackson, Jason
- 131 Jamaica Spice, Little Rock AR  
Blanks, Debbie
- 132 Sauced & Sassy, Memphis TN  
Brown, Michael (Mike)
- 133 Teddy Bears-R-Us, Jackson TN  
Tubb, Paula Arsement



John, Janita and Richard "celebrating" their top 10 places at the Laramie, Wyoming CCO (Janita did take first!)





**20th ANNUAL  
Championship  
Chili Cookoff  
Tennessee State Open**



Fairgrounds, Memphis, Tennessee  
Sunday, October 3, 2004

**CATEGORIES: , Chili , Fried Catfish , Hot Wings,  
Anything But Fried Catfish**  
\$35 for 1 category, \$100 for all 4 categories  
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Ed Paetzel, Sandy McMurry and CASI's first GP, Fread McMurry check out the event at the Texas Open



Ken Rodd "Lovin' The Camera" at the Lone Star RV cookoff





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John Goforth receives a bear hug from Johnye Harriman at the TexasOpen



Doug "Bucky" Seelig moments after having the words of his acceptance speech (allegedly) misconstrued



Chuck Taylor shows off his award winning smile - Too bad that other guy is in the picture...

*I have enjoyed working on the Trails again since being asked to help out in June. But alas it is time for me to move on. Be sure and visit Chilipphoto.com, currently hosting over 10,000 photos from a multitude of cookoff's and other CASI related events. "Love the Camera!" Steve Nadeau, Chilipphoto.com*



# Cooking With CASI



Sep 4, 2004-001 - Rockport TX CASI. 4th Annual Labor Day Chili Cookoff. Changed location from Aransas Pass. NEW LOCATION...being held at Palm Harbor RV Park, 170 Port Ave. in Rockport. Located on TX 35, 3.7 miles South of FM 1069 in Rockport or 1 mile North of FM 188 & 35 almost midway between Rockport & Aransas Pass. Bird watching & fishing. Marina next door. AC Rec. room. For RV hookup info contact Palm Harbor at 361-729-0113 be sure to tell them you are a chili cook. Bubba Reinke at 512-357-6227. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Local charity. See cookoff next day same location.

Sep 4, 2004-002 - Odessa TX CASI. 8th Annual West Texas Barbecue Association Championship Cookoff. Held at Becky Sam's 2518 N. FM 1936 Entry fee Chili \$18. WTBA/IBCA BBQ: Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs, Brisket: \$75 one or all three categories. \$4,000 guaranteed money/\$2,000 open and \$2,000 for WTBA/IBCA members. (must be a member of WTBA/IBCA by August 31, 2004). Jackpot beans \$10, 50% payback 1st place only. Turn in times, Beans 11 AM, Chicken Noon, Ribs 1 PM, Chili 2 PM, Brisket 3 PM. Benefits Make A Wish. Cook's party Friday night. Checks payable to WTBA. Contact Boomer Kingston 1508 E 37th Odessa, TX 79762 432-366-1777.

Sep 4, 2004-003 - Paris TX CASI. Red River Valley Pod Cookoff. Held at Lamar County Fairgrounds. Make checks payable to Red River Valley Fair. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Contact Rick Poston 930 41st St. SW. Paris, TX 75460. Phone 903-785-0929.

Sep 4, 2004-004 - Pittsburg KS CASI. 19th Annual Kansas State Open Chili Championship. Held at 813 N. Broadway. Charity TBA. Entry fee chili \$20, turn-in Noon. Salsa \$5, turn-in 11 AM. Wings \$5 turn in 1 PM. Contact Sam Essner 13715 Bennington Ave. Grandview MO 64030 816-763-6883. ressnr@kc.rr.com.

Sep 4, 2004-005 - Pace FL CASI. FLOPPod Cookoff. Held at Elk's Lodge Hwy 90. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 1 PM. Benefits FLOPPod. Plenty of motorhome parking no hookups. This is Labor Day weekend, come to the beach and enjoy an end of the year cookoff in Pepper Paradise. Contact Larry Oliver drdoubleshot@mchsi.com

Sep 4, 2004-006 - Canyon Lake TX CASI. 1st Annual Canyon Lake Chili & BBQ Cookoff. Held at Dam Red Barn RV park. LSBS and CASI sanctioned. BBQ \$25 per category or \$60 for all (chicken, spare ribs, brisket) 60/40 payback. BBQ plates available for purchase on Sat. Jackpot LSBS beans \$10 turn-in 11 AM, chili \$18 turn-in 2 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Chicken Noon, Ribs 1 PM, Brisket 3 PM. Pot luck dinner Friday nite. River tubing 1/2 mile, lake access 1/2 block. Cook's breakfast 8-9 Cook's meeting 9 AM. Music by Dam Red Barn Fri. & Sat. Call for RV hookup space. Reva Weatherly 1-830-899-7150 or Darlene Evans 1-830-899-7773. Set up Friday.

Limited space for small show. Stay over for cookoff Sun. same site.

Sep 4, 2004-007 - Bruceville-Eddy TX CASI. VFD Annual Chili Cookoff. Off I-35. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Beans \$10 turn-in Noon. Silent auction, raffle. Cooks party Sat. night. Small fee for hookups, water and elec. Contact Bryan Bagley 254-379-4911 or Mavis Nelson rdmmn@hotmail.net.

Sep 4, 2004-008 - Statesville NC CASI. Brent's Backyard No Frills Cookoff. Held at Brent & Jean Lundy's Home 453 Jane Sowers Rd. Make checks payable to Piedmont Pepper Pod Entry fee \$20 Turn-in Noon. Info Brent 704-876-2681. Benefits the Piedmont Pepper Pod.

Sep 5, 2004-001 - Rockport TX CASI. 4th Annual Day After Labor Day CCO. New location, formerly held in Aransas Pass. See directions to Palm Harbor RV Park, 170 Port Ave. Rockport TX. on previous day cookoff. RV Park reservations 361-729-0113. Be sure to tell them you are a chili cook. Other info call Bubba Reinke 512-357-6227. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 1 PM. Local charity.

Sep 5, 2004-002 - Bisbee AZ CASI. Annual Brewery Gulch Daze Cookoff. Held on Brewery Avenue. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 3 PM. Make checks to High Desert Pod. Benefits Boys and Girls Club. Contact Ben Berry 520-378-3692.

Sep 5, 2004-003 - Hanover PA CASI. 9th Annual Pennsylvania State CCO. Held behind Kclinger Tavern. Entry fee \$25, fee includes Salsa entry. Turn-in 2 PM. Benefits Hart Center and Hanover Public Library Fund. Contact John Clinger 717-761-5170. Live entertainment and Jalepeno eating contest.

Sep 5, 2004-004 - Arlington TX CASI. 27th Annual Arlingua Cookoff. Held at the Arlington Elk's Lodge #2114, 601 W. Pioneer Parkway. For Elk's charities. Jackpot beans \$5 turn-in noon, Casi chili (CHILI GRIND ONLY) \$20 TURN-IN 2 pm. Elk's division for current Elks only (non-CASI) 2 PM turn-in. RV parking limited hookups. Burgers on Sat. night around 7 PM. Bring your golf clubs! Contact Ron Barnes phone 817-685-0160 or David "Budda" Manske 817-922-9992. See cookoff next day same location.

Sep 5, 2004-005 - Canyon Lake TX CASI. Second Day 1st Annual Canyon Lake Cookoff. Entry fee \$15 turn-in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Reva Weatherly 1-830-899-7150 or Darlene Evans 1-830-899-7773. See cookoff previous day same site.

Sep 5, 2004-006 - Gulf Shores AL CASI. Day Before Labor Day Cookoff. Held at Gulf Shores Adult Activity Center, 260 Clubhouse Drive. Cook inside in air conditioning or outside if you prefer. Ground Meat Only. Entry fee \$20, turn-in 12:30 PM, leaving you the rest of the afternoon to enjoy the beach! Charity TBA. Contact Renee Moore rmoore@ci.gulf-shores.al.us phone 251-949-7000. See September 4th cookoff in Pensacola.

Sep 5, 2004-007 - Bruceville-Eddy, TX TX CASI. Bruceville EMS Chili Cookoff. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 1 PM. Off I-35. Come and cook both days. Contact Bryan Bagley 254-379-4911 or Mavis Nelson rdmmn@hotmail.net.

Sep 6, 2004-001 - Arlington TX CASI. Day After Arlingua Cookoff. Held at Arlington Elk's Lodge #2114 at 601 W. Pioneer Parkway. Benefits medical expenses for Debra Lopez's nephew (was in a serious accident). CHILI GRIND ONLY. Noon turn-in \$18. Contact Ron Barnes 817-685-0160 or David "Budda" Manske 817-922-9992.

Sep 6, 2004-002 - Midland TX CASI. 3rd Annual MDA Beat the Heat CCO. Held at the Party Station 6009 Empressa, Midland. Entry fee \$18 Jackpot beans \$10 50% payback for first place only. Benefits MDA. Enjoy Labor Day Telethon live while you cook. Bean turn-in 1 PM Chili 2 PM. Checks payable to MDA Contact Boomer Kingston, 1508 E 37th Odessa TX 79762, 432-366-1777. WTBA/IBCA BBQ: Brisket \$25, Pork Spare Ribs \$25, Chicken \$25. \$1,000 added prize money.

Sep 11, 2004-001 - West Tawakoni TX CASI. 10th Annual Chili By the Lake Cookoff. Held at Tawakoni City Park, 9 miles east of Quinlan on Hwy 276. Benefits Tawakoni Park Board for park improvements. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 1 PM. Jackpot Beans entry \$5, turn-in Noon, 50/50 1st place only. Cooks party Friday night 7 to 9. Limited paid electric hookups, first come first serve. Info Carl & Jackie Grose 5640 Hwy 34 South, Quinlan, TX 75474-3228, 903-883-4916. Also, See Sunday cookoff same location.



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Sep 11, 2004-002 - Edgerton WICASI. Chilimania Cookoff Wisconsin State Championship. Held at intersection Hwy 59 & 51 downtown. Make checks payable to charity, Chilimania. Entry fee \$20, turn-in 1:30 PM. Salsa contest. For information www.chilimania.com Contact Jennifer Kersten 950 Nelson Ave. Milton WI 53563 608-884-3358. CHILI GRIND ONLY.

Sep 11, 2004-003 - Wichita Falls TX CASI. Hospice Benefit Cookoff. Held at American Legion Post 169 4605 Lakeshore Dr. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Pinto beans \$5 turn in Noon. RV parking no hookups. Friday night pizza party. Contact Donald Barfield 940-322-5057. CHILI GRIND ONLY.

Sep 11, 2004-004 - Rodanthe NC CASI. Chicimocomaco Fire Station Cookoff. Held at Cape Hatteras KOA. Call Norma at 1-800-562-5268 for cooks special rate on camp sites and cabins. Benefits Chicomocomaco Fire Station. Entry fee \$20 for CASI and Freestyle. Chili grind or cut meat. Turn-in TBD. Make check payable to Piedmont Pepper Pod. Contact Adrienne Grant aig@duke.edu or 919-403-9135.

Sep 11, 2004-005 - Elephant Butte NM CASI. 1st Ever American Legion Post 44 Cookoff. Held at 1005 Highway 195. American Legion Charities. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 2 PM. Contact Jim McNutt 505-620-8741. Jerry Light 505-744-4144. Jmcnutt@starband.net.

Sep 11, 2004-006 - Odessa TX CASI. Lonesome Dove Chili Cookoff. Held 1 mile East of Hwy 385 on South Loop 338. Benefits St. Marys Catholic School. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Auction, Raffles, Clay Pigeon Shoot. Contact Sam Holloman 432-559-6563.

Sep 11, 2004-007 - Killeen TX CASI. Texas Old West Bronc Riding Championships. Held at Killeen Rodeo Arena. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Chisolm Trail Productions. Contact Jerry Hall 9126 New Sulphur Springs Rd., San Antonio, TX 78263 phone 512-796-8392. Donna Conrad phone 254-486-9206, dangergail@aol.com. CHILI GRIND ONLY.

Sep 11, 2004-008 - Del Rio TX CASI. 3RD Annual Dave Stichter Memorial Cookoff. Held at Elks Lodge Hwy 90 East. Benefits local charities. Entry fee \$17 turn-in 2 PM. No preregistration discount. BBQ chicken \$15 turn-in Noon. Jackpot Beans \$5 turn-in 12:30. Ribs, baby back ok, \$20 turn-in 1 PM. Brisket \$25, turn-in 3 PM. Enter all three meats for \$50. Payback 60/25/15 added money. CTBA rules. Chili is CHILI GRIND ONLY. Cooks party Friday night. Limited RV parking. Info John J. Burns days John\_J\_Burns@acuna.intier.com. 830-703-3618.

Sep 11, 2004-009 - Sugarland TX CASI. Badges of Courage 2004 Chili CCO. Benefits Badges of Courage. Entry fee \$50 turn-in 11:45 AM. Check-in registration 7-9 AM. Need two gallons of chili for public tasting Make checks payable to Exchange Club of Sugarland. Contact Kiowan Gardner 319 Shadow Creek, El Lago TX 77586. 713-899-4269 or home 281-532-1236.

kiowan\_gardner@yahoo.com. Held at First Colony Mall Hwy 6 & Hwy 59.

Sep 11, 2004-010 - Port Coquitlam BC CASI. Pacific Pod Cookoff. Held at 3422 Lancaster St. Fee \$15 US, \$20 CDN. Turn-in 2 PM. Fred Roycroft 604-464-3472. Email chili4fred@telus.net. Benefits Heart and Stroke Foundation.

Sep 11, 2004-011 - West Memphis AR CASI. Sonny Sayre Memorial Foundation Chili Cookoff. Held at 152 Legion Rd. at American Legion, P.O. Box 152 West Memphis, AR. 72303. Benefits Make A Wish. Entry fee \$25 turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Sonny Sayre Mem. Found. Contact Harold Carpenter 4061 East Broadway, West Memphis, AR. 72301. 870-732-3277 901-483-3277 cse.inc2@netzero.net.

Sep 12, 2004-001 - West Tawakoni TX CASI. Morning After 10th Annual Chili By the Lake Chili Cookoff. Benefits Merchants Association for merchants local charities. Entry fee \$15, turn-in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Checks payable to City of West Tawakoni. No beans cookoff on Sunday. Info Carl or Jackie Grose 5640 Highway 34 South, Quinlan, TX 75474-3228 903-883-4916. Saturday cookoff same location.

Sep 12, 2004-002 - El Paso TX CASI. Public Library Birthday Celebration Chili Cookoff. Held at the Main Branch of the Library in downtown El Paso, 501 N. Oregon. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 2 PM. Cooks meeting 10 AM. Make checks payable to the El Paso Library Assn. Contact Carol Straughan 915-852-3599 email caroleptx@aol.com.

Sep 18, 2004-001 - Jarrettsville MD CASI. Cow Chip Chili Cookoff. CANCELLED DATE CHANGED TO 9/25/04 Brenda Robinson 410-692-2112.

Sep 18, 2004-002 - Sierra Vista AZ CASI. Windemere Hotel Chili Cookoff. South Hwy 92, across highway from the Mall at Sierra Vista. Benefits Boys & Girls Club. Make checks payable to High Desert Pod. Entry fee \$15, turn-in 2 PM. Dry camping Cook where you camp. Room discounts Details later. Contact Larry Rau LPRAU@hotmail.com. 520-378-7247

Sep 18, 2004-003 - Lake Zurich IL CASI. Barn Burnin' Chili Cookoff. Held at Paulus Park, 200 S. Rand Rd. 1/4 mile north of Rt. 22 & Rt. 12. Entry fee \$22. turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Village of Lake Zurich. Contact Karen Meyers 200 S. Rand Rd. Lake Zurich Park & Recreation Dept. Lake Zurich, IL 60047. 847-438-5146, 847-540-5081 FAX.

Sep 18, 2004-004 - Pylesville MD CASI. Cowchip Cookoff. CANCELLED COOKOFF BEING HELD IN JARRETTSTVILLE, MD. Sept. 18th.

Sep 18, 2004-005 - Seymour TX CASI. American Legion Auxiliary Cookoff. COOKOFF CANCELLED. Info Mary Lyle 940-563-3457

Sep 18, 2004-006 - Midland TX CASI. West Texas Cowboy Rodeo Chili CCO. Benefits West

Texas Cowboy Rodeo. Entry fee \$20, turn in 2 PM. People's choice award. Contact Deanda Bollinger 511 East County Rd. 129. Midland, TX 79706 432-570-4116. Ranch Rodeo, Ranch Hand Sorting Series, Kids events, (muttin' bustin & steer riding), Arts and Crafts. Visit web site www.westtexascowboyrodeo.com for more information. Entry forms will be available on web site by June 1. Cookoff being held at the Midland County Exhibit Building 2445 E. Business Loop 250.

Sep 18, 2004-007 - Leroy TX CASI. Second Annual Central Texas Chili Festival Held in downtown Leroy. Entry fee for CASI, Local/ amateur divisions \$20 for chili and \$10 for beans. Chili turn-in time 4 PM. Chili trophies and cash prizes for Local/amateur division. RV spots, no hookups, rsvns avail., approx 40 spots. Camp cook fires allowed with fire rings must be cleaned up after event. Arts, crafts, children's area, antique car show, live music all day, many other events. Street dance after cookoff with Nashville recording artist, to be announced. Benefits maintenance and upkeep of Leroy Volunteer Fire Department. It's members thank you in advance for coming. Fun for the whole family. Contact Harold Pfeleiderer 254-855-3469, leave message, email lvfd3422@yahoo.com for RV spot rsvn or information.

Sep 18, 2004-008 - Ponca City OK CASI. 18th Annual Cherokee Strip BBQ & Chili Cookoff. Held at Ponca City Lake Pageant Area. Benefits the Hospice. Contact Susie Roberts 580-762-5651. Ext. 208. Email susier@pbtk.com, Becky Turner mailbox@sbcglobal.net. Entry fee \$25,

turn-in 11 AM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Make advanced checks payable to Hospice of Northern Oklahoma. Susie Roberts 522 N. 14th #101 Ponca City, OK 74601.

Sep 18, 2004-009 - Del Rio TX CASI. 3rd Annual Dave Stichter Memorial Cookoff. CANCELLED DATE CHANGED TO SEPT. 11. Info John J. Burns days 830-703-3618

Sep 18, 2004-010 - Kerrville TX CASI. Bill Lowery Memorial Cookoff. Held at 1907 Junction Hwy 27, Kerrville Elks Lodge. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Benefits Elks Lodge 2081. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Jackpot beans 100% payback turn-in Noon. Auction. Friday night cooks party. RV parking some hookups. Contact Karl Buechler 229 Ball Drive Kerrville, TX 78028. 830-792-4270.

Sep 18, 2004-011 - Bel Air MD CASI. Last Blast of Summer Cookoff. Harford County Fairgrounds. Great party with DJ, beer, crabs, pig roast, door prizes, and more. Info Alan Dean 410-879-6410 or email pepperdean@comcast.net.

Sep 18, 2004-012 - El Paso TX CASI. Northeast YMCA Chili Cookoff. Held at Beautiful Cohen Stadium 9700 Gateway North. Gate opens 10 AM. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 3 PM Softball games to follow. Benefits Northeast YMCA programs. Contact Hut Brown 915-772-2379.

Sep 18, 2004-013 - San Angelo TX CASI. 10th Annual Elks Chili Cookoff. Held at 405 So. Hill. Entry fee \$20, jackpot beans \$10, open dessert

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Sept 18, 2004-014 - Verde Valley AZ CASI. Almost Last Chance Chili Cookoff. Hosted by Verde Valley Moose Lodge 1449. Benefits Moose charities. Cook where you camp RV parking no hookups. Cooks meet 9 AM. Turn-in 1 PM. chili grind only. Entry fee \$12 payable to YCS, first time cooks free. Raffle and 50/50. Contact Jerry Lee 602-617-8381 or alchemistchili@wmconnect.com.

Sept 18, 2004-015 - Fort Smith AR CASI. 2nd Annual Elks Lodge #341 Cookoff. Held at 5504 Massard Rd. Benefits Elks Charity Funds. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 12:30 PM. Also, Arkansas Elks Cookoff and Junior Cookoff. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Rheaba Thames 3009 Souty 100, Ft. Smith AR 72903. 479-484-7718 pr email rheabaj@isp.com

Sept 18, 2004-016 - Menard TX CASI. Menard Chili Cookoff. Held at Stockpen Crossing Park. Entry fee \$28 turn-in 3 PM. Price includes entry in Open Beans, Bloody Mary, Hot Sauce, Hot Wings, Boiled Egg Eating, Hot Pepper Eating, and Karaoke Contests. Bring extra chili for tasting and Showmanship awards. Benefits Menard Chamber of Commerce. Info Angela McCain P.O. Box 64, Menard TX 76859. 325-396-2365.

Sept 25, 2004-001 - West Memphis AR CASI. Main Street Fall Festival Cookoff. Held at 231 E. Broadway. Take Missouri St. until it dead ends into Broadway, take a left, it will be on the right. Benefits Main Street. Entry fee \$25, turn in 2 PM. Salsa contest \$10. Cook's Party Friday night. Come early and enjoy. Next to contest site limited motorhome space, first come first served. Contact Debra Griggs 870-735-8814 or Kelvin Hazel 870-735-4443.

Sept 25, 2004-002 - Columbus NM CASI. Pancho Villa's Last Chance CCO. Held in Pancho Villa State Park. Benefits Friends of the Pancho Villa State Park. Make checks payable to NMCS. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 2 PM. Contact Bud Barrick P.O. Box 268, Organ NM 88052-0268 502-382-5107, teamorgan@zianet.com

Sept 25, 2004-003 - Bel Air MD CASI. Last Blast of Summer Cookoff. CANCELLED, DATE CHANGED TO 9/18/04 Info Alan Dean 410-879-6410 or email pepperdean@comcast.net.

Sept 25, 2004-004 - Temple TX CASI. Central Texas Search & Recovery Team Cookoff. Entry fee \$18. Beans \$10. Contact Bryan Bagley 254-379-4911 or Mavis Nelson rdmmrn@hotmail.net. Held at Frontier Tavern on I-35 at Lorena, TX. Go North take exit Woodlawn Rd, cross over interstate turn North on service road go about a mile going South take exit 322 and stay on service road about a mile.

Sept 25, 2004-005 - Warwick GA CASI. Southeast Regional Chili & BBQ CCO. Held in Emerson Park off GA HWY 300 Benefits WLBO Kids Christmas Fund. Entry fee \$35. CASI turn-in 12:30, CHILI GRIND ONLY. Open 1 PM,

Wings 1:30 PM, Ribs 2 PM. Announcements at 4 PM. Make checks payable to WLBO. Friday night street dance w/Michael Stacey. Cooks party 7 PM. Arts and crafts. Live entertainment. Goody bags for first paid 50 cooks. RV camping no hookups. Motel 12 miles north \$29 & \$39 specials. Contact Vann Jones P.O. Box 220 Warwick, GA 31796. Phone 229-535-6670, email vann@gritsfest.com. 229-272-0060 Cell.

Sept 25, 2004-006 - Wichita Falls TX CASI. Fallfest Chili Cookoff. Held in Lucy Park off Seymour Hwy. Benefits Junior League, Parks and Recreation, Streams and Valleys and many more. CASI entry \$20 turn-in 2 PM. Junior entry \$10 turn-in 1 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. RV parking no hookups. Fun for the whole family. Park opens Friday with food, games, fireworks display and concert by opening act John Arthur Martinez (Nashville runner up) and Josh Turner (Long Black Train). Saturday offers more of same plus poker run and concert by rock group "BTO". Due to fireworks display there may be a delay when entering park after 8 PM Friday. Cooks entry fee pays admission to the park all weekend. Family and friends \$4 each. Contact Glyn Gaines 940-767-2273 or Tammie Wooster 940-691-5323. See web site FallsFest.org.

Sept 25, 2004-007 - Jarrettsville MD CASI. Cow Chip Chili Cookoff. Turn in 3 PM. Cookout party for cooks and guests, hay rides and more. More information please call Brenda Robinson 410-692-2112.

Sept 25, 2004-008 - Brinkley AR CASI. Lick Skillet Festival Chili Cookoff and Backyard BBQ. Held at Brinkley Convention Center behind Walmart, in conjunction with Annual Lick Skillet Festival. Benefits Chamber of Commerce. Entry fee \$25, turn-in 1 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. BBQ entry \$20 turn-in 2 PM. Contact Teresa Prestwood 217 West Cypress Brinkley, AR 72021. 870-589-0036 mamatprestwood@hotmail.com. Arriera Brasseur 870-734-4602.

Sept 25, 2004-009 - Commerce TX CASI. Last Chance Chili Cookoff. Held at Farmer's Market, Bonham Alley. Benefits Rotary Club of Commerce. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 2 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Event being held during Bois D'Arc Bash Fest. downtown Commerce. Arts, crafts, food, live entertainment, wine tasting. On site parking no hook ups. Contact Tina Fretwell P.O. Box 1184, Commerce, TX 75429 903-886-2555 fretwell2000@yahoo.com Make checks payable to Commerce Rotary Club.

Sept 25, 2004-010 - Zuehl TX CASI. Last Chance No Frills Cookoff at Germania Hall, 1826 Zuehl Rd. Benefits CASI Scholarship Fund. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Dry camping, no hookups, no ground fires. Friday night Cooks party. Contact Happy 210-532-7205 or Larry 210-333-8133.

Sept 25, 2004-011 - Noblesville IN CASI. Indiana State Chili Cookoff. Held in Forest Park, 701 Cicero Rd Noblesville, IN. Entry fee \$23, turn-in 2 PM. \$20 entry fee for Anything Goes Chili, or free if cooking CASI. Contact Jennifer Uhrin 816 W. 64th Street Apt.D, Indianapolis, IN 46260 317-722-1451 inchili@netzero.com. Make

checks payable to Noblesville Boys and Girls Club.

Sept 25, 2004-012 - Odessa TX CASI. 3rd Annual Angel House Cookoff. Held at Moose Lodge, 2711 N. Dixie Benefits Crisis Center/Angel House. Entry fee \$20, turn-in 2 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Laura Myers 3111 Windsor, Odessa TX 79762, 432-337-1761, 432-352-8322 lauram@apex2000.net.

Sept 25, 2004-013 - Skull Valley AZ CASI. Skull Valley Chili Cookoff. Held at Spike's Ranch, South of Prescott. Benefits VFD. Details to follow. Fishing Derby. RV camping no hookups. Contact azmadadjack@prodigy.net, phone 480-733-1617.

Sept 25, 2004-014 - Red Cloud NE CASI. Red Cloud Area Chamber of Commerce. Being held at the Speedbowl race track, cooking in the pit. Entry fee \$20, turn-in 2 PM. Concert that evening by Leona Williams and The Fall Creek Opry. Contact Laura Roybal, 402-746-3238.

Sept 25, 2004-015 - Golden CO CASI. Chili Under the Mesas. Held in downtown Golden. Entry fee \$10. Charity TBD. Contact John Montgomery 303-831-5000. Make checks payable to Colorado Chili Pod.

Sept 25, 2004-016 - Burlington IA CASI. 21st Annual Blackhawk Chili Cookoff Held on the waterfront at Port of Burlington, 400 Front St. Benefits Crime Stoppers. Entry fee \$22, turn-in Noon. Bank and clowns etc. Contact Vickie Malcom phone 319-394-3121 sales@steamboatdays.com.

Sept 25, 2004-017 - Mineral Wells TX CASI. Sons of The American Legion Squadron 75 Cookoff. Held at American Legion Post 75, at 75 American Legion Drive. From Intersection of Hwy 281 and 180 take 180 West, past West City Park, turn right on American Legion Drive. Benefits the Legion. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Limited RV Elec. avail, first come first serve No Pets allowed in cooking area. IBCA BBQ, \$18 per category, pork spare ribs, 1/2 jointed chicken, brisket. Jackpot pinto beans \$10, 75% payback. Cooks dance Friday night 7-11 PM. Contact Roger Hensley American Legion Post 75, P.O. Box 1101 Mineral Wells, TX 76068-1101 940-325-6292, or Carolyn Harrison 940-325-1522.

Sept 26, 2004-001 - San Angelo TX CASI. Blaine's Last Chance Chili Cookoff. Held at Blaine's Pub. Benefits Meal's on Wheels. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 2 PM, Dry Jackpot pinto beans \$5, turn-in 1 PM. Ribs and Chicken entry \$15 each, Ribs turn in 3 PM, Chicken 3:30 PM. Open dessert \$5, turn-in 1 PM. Contact Laura Coad 325-944-7715 or Blaine Martin, Blaine's Pub 325-653-7074.

Sept 26, 2004-002 - St. Thomas VI CASI. Texas Society of The Virgin Islands 20th Annual Cookoff. Held at Bolongo Beach Resort. Benefits Queen Louise Home for the Aged, Red Cross, Kidscope, Dial-A-Ride, St. Thomas Rescue Family Support Network, St. Thomas Swimming Assn. Virgin Islands Institute of Performing Arts. Entry fee \$25, turn-in Noon. Make checks

payable Texas Society of the Virgin Islands Contact Georgeann "Pepper" Peters, P.O.Box 1163, St. Thomas, VI 00804

Sept 26, 2004-003 - Oklahoma City OK CASI. Oklahoma Men's State Chili Cookoff. Take I-40 to May Ave. N. to Gate 26 Benefits C.A.R.E. Entry fee \$25 turn-in 1 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Jerry Dickerson Hooch Pod 131 Amber Ridge, Shawnee OK 74801.

Sept 26, 2004-004 - Oklahoma City OK CASI. Oklahoma Women's State Chili Cookoff. Take I-40 to May Ave. N. to gate 26. Benefits City Rescue Mission. Entry fee \$25, turn-in 1 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Jerry Dickerson Hooch Pod, 131 Amber Ridge, Shawnee OK 74801.

Sept 26, 2004-005 - Dallas TX CASI. State Fair of Texas Chili Cookoff and Rib Roundup. Held at Fair Park parking lot by the coliseum. No overnight camping. Fair entry free to contestants. Gates open 7 AM Enter Lagow Gate from Fithugh Ave. Entry fee \$15 turn in 1 PM. BBQ ribs or chicken \$15, chicken turn in 11 AM, BBQ spareribs Noon. No propane stoves, must use coleman type pump-up stoves. City of Dallas fire code. Contact Creative Arts Dept. State Fair of Texas P.O. Box 150009 Dallas TX 75315 214-421-8744 Make checks payable to Creative Arts Dept. State Fair of Texas.

Sept 26, 2004-006 - Zuehl TX CASI. Ultimate Last Chance Sunday Cookoff. Held at Germania Hall, 1826 Zuehl Rd. Benefits Germania Building Fund. Entry fee \$15. Turn-in 1 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Dry camping, no hookups, no ground fires. Saturday night pot luck. Happy 210-532-7205 or Larry 210-333-8133.

Sept 26, 2004-007 - Fritch TX CASI. Meals on Wheels Chili Cookoff. This is the last Sunday of the year for points. Held at Lake Meredith Harbor. Entry fee \$20 make payable to Meals on Wheels, turn-in 1 PM. Contact Rodney Lilly 806-373-9774 or Scott Campbell 806-358-3576.

Sept 26, 2004-008 - Odessa TX CASI. 2nd Annual Mooseheart Cookoff. Held at Moose Lodge, 2711 N. Dixie Benefits Mooseheart. Entry fee \$20 turn-in Noon. Chili Grind Only Contact Laura Myers, 3111 Windsor Odessa TX 79762, 432-337-1761, or 432-352-8322 lauram@apex2000.net.

Sept 30, 2004-001 - Amarillo TX CASI. Last Chance Cookoff! Benefits Evelyn Rivers Charities. Held at 6508 Roxton. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 8 PM. Contact Garnier Albus 806-353-0500. Pam Matheson 806-359-8469.

Oct 1, 2004-001 - New Waverly TX CASI. Sixth Annual Gulf Coast Trades Center Chili Cookoff. Held at Citizens Bank of New Waverly. Make checks payable to GCTC. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 8 PM. Benefits Raven Charter School. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Get a jump start on next years points by attending this 3 day cookoff event. You could qualify in one weekend. Contact Marcia Headrick 936-344-7825 work 936-291-1928 Home, 936-581-3886 cell. 8191A SH 75 S, Huntsville, Texas 77340.

Oct 2, 2004-001 - Blytheville AR CASI. 25th Annual Chickasaw Cookoff. Held in downtown Blytheville. Entry fee \$30, turn-in 12 Noon. Makes checks payable to Mainstreet Blytheville. Contact Bret Sparks 210 W. Main St. Blytheville, AR 72315.

Oct 2, 2004-002 - New Waverly TX CASI. Second Day Annual Gulf Coast Trades Center Chili Cookoff. Held at Citizens Bank of New Waverly. Entry fee \$20, turn-in 2 PM. Beans turn-in Noon, entry fee \$10. Benefits Gulf Coast Trades Center Youth Leadership Program. Contact Marcia Headrick 936-344-7825 Work, 936-291-1928 Home, 936-581-3886 Cell. CHILI GRIND ONLY. There will be Bar-B-Que also Back Yard Style. As long as it comes off a cow, pig or chicken and cooked outside it works. We will also have an open and dessert category. Make checks payable to GCTC.

Oct 2, 2004-003 - Port Aransas TX CASI. South Texas Music Fest & Chili CCO. Held at Sharkey's Beach Club 2600 Hwy 361. Benefits Port Aransas Youth Center. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to South Texas Music Fest. Contact Charles Cole-Gordon Scott-Vicki Hart 361-749-4254, 210-826-4983 P.O. Box 196 Port Aransas, TX 78373

Oct 2, 2004-004 - Odessa TX CASI. Boy Scout Troop 437 Chili Cookoff. Held at VFW, at 208 VFW Lane. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 2 PM. Raffle, Auction. BBQ plates \$5. Contact Teresa Wagnon, 432-366-9168 or 432-550-6224, 432-366-5881.

Oct 2, 2004-005 - Chillicothe IL CASI. 10th Annual Hogwild Rib Classic & Chili Cookoff. Held in Cutright Park at the foot of Walnut St. Make checks Chillicothe Initiative. Benefits Rescue 33, local ambulance. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 1 PM. Ribs entry \$35 turn in 3 PM. Contact Jeff Anderson P.O. Box 555 Chillicothe IL 61523. 309-231-8034.

Oct 2, 2004-006 - San Antonio TX CASI. Second Annual Forum Mall CCO. CANCELLED. Robert Schrade phone 210-626-3705.

Oct 2, 2004-007 - Tucson AZ CASI. Old Tucson Cookoff. Held at 201 South Kinney Rd. Entry fee \$15, turn-in 1 PM. Peoples choice Chili will begin at 11 AM continue until done. Entry fee \$5 if not cooking CASI red chili. Benefits International Myeloma Foundation. Make checks payable to CHOA. Contact Bonnie Haskins 7760 East 39th St. Tucson, AZ 85730 520-748-7464, wmike51@yahoo.com.

Oct 2, 2004-008 - Ruidoso NM CASI. New Mexico State Open Chili Cookoff Held in Tall Pine RV Park 1800 Sudderth. Benefits W.I.N.G.S. Women in Need of Getting Support. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 2 PM. Make Checks payable to Ruidoso Chili Society. Scott Muhn P.O. Box 152 Ruidoso, NM 88355. 505-257-2325 Please register by 9/14/04.

Oct 2, 2004-009 - Hallsville TX CASI. 8th Annual Hallsville Western Days Chili Cookoff. Held in Downtown City Park. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 1 PM. Benefits East Texas Angel

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Oct 2, 2004-010 - Arlington TX CASI. USMC Toys For Tots Chili Cookoff. Held at VFW Post 8561. Details to follow. Scott Buschel.

Oct 2, 2004-011 - Pryor OK CASI. Great Mid-America Chili Cookoff. Held at Mid-America Industrial Park 4 miles south of Pryor on US Hwy. Entry fee \$20 turn-in Noon. Info Lorinda Crawford 918-455-8655 or lorinda.crawford@eds.com or Mike Mayenschein 918-234-7919 or email mikes2ndwind@cox.net.

Oct 2, 2004-012 - Dubuque IA CASI. Tri-States Largest Chili Cookoff. Held in Cable Car Square. Benefits Camp Albrecht Acres and Colts Youth Chairs. Live entertainment, We're Late & Smell Like Beer, Kids Korner Hawkeye Football Game Day Party, Food Vendors. Entry fee \$15, open \$10, both for \$20. CASI turn-in 1 PM, Open 1:30 PM. Tasting starts 1 PM. Salsa \$5 turn-in 1:30 PM. Contact Jan Feltes, 394 Bluff Street, Dubuque Iowa 52001. 563-582-3320. Event runs from 10 AM to 5 PM.

Oct 2, 2004-013 - Ft. Collins CO CASI. 14th Annual Sundance Bluegrass Festival and Chili Cookoff. Held at Senior Center, 1200 Raintree

Dr Ft. Collins. Benefits Friends of the Ft. Collins Senior Center. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Colorado Chili Pod, c/o John Montgomery 1600 Broadway, Suite 2500, Denver, CO. 80202. Set up 9 AM. Red Chili, Green Chili & Hot Wings competition Contact Lyman Wilkinson, phone 970-669-1573, chililyman@aol.com.

Oct 2, 2004-014 - Austin TX CASI. 1st Points for Sight Cookoff. Held at Travis County Sheriff's Posse Rodeo Area, just south of 812-183 intersection. Benefits the Austin Lions Sight Conservation Committee. Make checks payable to ALSCC. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM CHILI GRIND ONLY. Cook's party Friday night. Breakfast Sat. AM Silent auction, donations gladly accepted. Pot Luck Saturday night. RV parking, no hookups. Beans 100% payback \$5. Turn-in 1 PM. Please bring old eye glasses. Contact Sue or John Caffey caffeycasa@msn.com 512-446-2364. Cookoff next day same location.

Oct 2, 2004-015 - Kerrville TX CASI. Highlander Yacht Pub Cookoff. Held at 3804 Riverside Drive. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Cooks party Friday night. Benefits the Kerr County charities. Contact Rhonda Parham 830-896-7722. Make checks payable to Highland Yacht Pub.

Oct 2, 2004-016 - San Angelo TX CASI. 1st Chance's Chili Cookoff. Held at 2416 Sherwood Way. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 2 PM. Beans \$5 turn-in 2:30. Benefits Buster Fickling ASU Scholarship Fund. FMI Chances 325-942-0873.

Oct 2, 2004-017 - Wichita Falls TX CASI. Children's Home Cookoff. Held at 5029 Jacksboro

Avenue. Entry fee \$20, turn-in 2 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Roy Huston 940-781-1452.

Oct 2, 2004-018 - Pensacola FL CASI. 2nd Annual Wildfest CCO. Cooks meeting 9:30 AM, chili turn in 12:30, entry fee \$20. Benefits Wildlife Sanctuary of Pensacola, 105 North S St. No motorhome parking. Info Larry Oliver 850-995-9517 drdoubleshot@mchsi.com or call Wildlife Sanctuary 850-433-9453.

Oct 3, 2004-001 - New Waverly TX CASI. 3rd Day Annual Gulf Coast Trades Center Chili Cookoff. Held at Citizens Bank of New Waverly. Benefits Raven Charter School-Athletic Program. Entry fee \$18 turn-in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Marcia Headrick at work 936-344-7825, 936-291-1928 home, 936-581-3886 Cell.

Oct 3, 2004-002 - Ruidoso NM CASI. Ruidoso Chili Society Cookoff. Held in Tall Pine RV Park, 1800 Sudderth. Benefits local charity. Entry fee \$10, turn-in Noon. Make checks payable to Ruidoso Chili Society. Please register by 9/14. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Scott Muhm, P.O. Box 152 Ruidoso, NM 88355 505-257-2325.

Oct 3, 2004-003 - Hallsville TX CASI. East Texas Chili Pod Cookoff, 2005 Held in downtown City Park. Entry fee \$20 turn-in Noon. Make checks payable to East Texas Chili Pod. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact David Trice 903-668-3974. See cookoff previous day same location.

Oct 3, 2004-004 - Memphis TN CASI. Tennessee State Open Chili Cookoff. Held at Mid-South Fair Fairgrounds. Entry fee \$35 turn-in 2 PM. Cooks meeting 10:30 AM. Fried catfish, anything but FRIED catfish, Hot Wings each \$35 entry, or cook all four for \$100. Contact Claire Kermick 941 Early Maxwell Blvd. Memphis, TN 38104. 901-322-1458.

Oct 3, 2004-005 - Ottawa IL CASI. Ottawa Scarecrow Festival Chili CCO Held at Ottawa Savings Bank's NEW Drive-Up facility, 925 LaSalle St. Across from the park downtown. Benefits Voluntary Action Group (Meals On Wheels). Entry fee \$15 payable to Gene Enke, turn-in 1 PM Contact Gene Enke 730 Green St. Ottawa, IL 61350 815-434-4144. GENEENKE@YAHOO.COM. This is a CHILI GRIND EVENT.

Oct 3, 2004-006 - Austin TX CASI. 2nd Points for Sight Cookoff. Held at Travis County Sheriff's Posse Rodeo Area, just south of 812-183 intersection. Benefits local Lion's charities. Make checks payable to ALSCC. Entry fee \$18, turn-in Noon. Biscuits and gravy breakfast by Lions. Pot luck Saturday night. Indoor bathrooms and judging. RV parking no hookups CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact John/Sue Caffey 512-446-2364 caffeycasa@msn.com. See cookoff previous day same location.

Oct 9, 2004-001 - Pine Bluff AR CASI. Pine Bluff Cookoff

Oct 9, 2004-002 - Homosassa FL CASI. Southeast Chili Cookoff. Held at Natures RV Resort on West Halls River Road. Benefiting the Rotary Club Charities - RV sites and Cabin rentals available, call 1-800-301-7880. Tell them you are a chili cook for special rates. Entry fee \$20, turn-in 2 PM. See cookoff next day, same location. Contact Ken Rodd 210-887-8827 or email chiliflorida@aol.com.

Oct 9, 2004-003 - Big Lake TX CASI. 6th Annual Red Neck Chili Cookoff. Held in Reagan County Park, corner of 12th and Plaza Streets. On the North side of Big Lake near High School. Entry fee \$18 turn in 2 PM Beans \$10 turn-in Noon. Benefits Voice of Democracy Scholarship. Contact Sandy Armstrong 300 N. Ohio 325-884-2982 or Nancy Jackson 203 Plaza, 325-884-2633. Makes checks payable to VFW L.A.

Oct 9, 2004-004 - Cuero TX CASI. Cuero Turkeyfest Chili Cookoff. Held on Hwy 87 South, in Cuero City Park, directly across from Walmart. Benefits Cuero Turkeyfest. Entry \$17 turn-in 2 PM. Contact Julia Olguin 1506 N. Esplanade, Cuero TX 77954. 361-275-3311, 361-275-5891 jolguin@nodial.net.

Oct 9, 2004-005 - Santa Rosa CA CASI. Spice Up The Night Cookoff. California State Championship. Held at 1200 Oak Springs Lane. Benefits Education Foundation of Cotati-Rohnert Park. Entry Fee \$25, turn in 2 PM. Contact Bonnie Black 1065 Hawthorne Cir. Rohnert Park, CA 94928. 707-584-5452. Please register by 10/1/2004. See email website@spiceupthenight.org. New location, being held this year in a private Sonoma County Estate overlooking the wine country. More like a CASI party.

Oct 9, 2004-006 - Caruthersville MO CASI. 7th Annual Caruthersville Chamber of Commerce Chili Cookoff. Held in Reynolds Park on the river front downtown Caruthersville. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 1 PM. Make checks to Chamber of Commerce. Registration 9 AM, cooks meeting 10 AM. Craft booths, games for kids, train rides face painting. Antique car show. Contact Susie Engelhardt, P.O. Box 806 Caruthersville, MO. 63830. Chamber@caruthersvillecity.com. 573-333-1222, 573-359-5409.

Oct 9, 2004-007 - Tulsa OK CASI. Tulsa State Fair Cookoff. Held at Tulsa State Fairgrounds West of Yale on 21st St. Upper level (west end) of I.P.E. bldg. indoors. Benefits Rodeo Arts Foundation. Entry fee \$25. Turn in 2 PM. Butane stoves only. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Space is limited to 55 cooks. PREREGISTRATION REQUIRED BY SEPT. 24 DUE TO SPACE LIMITATION. Mike Hallenback, 918-355-2319, 1102 E. Dover St. Broken Arrow, OK 74012. Email tallfatguy@cox.net mikes2ndwind@yahoo.com.

Oct 9, 2004-008 - Medina Lake TX CASI. Pop's Place Cookoff. Call 830-535-4366 for RV/Cabana Rsvns-no charge for day cooks. Charity, MDS. Cook's party Friday Turn-in 2 PM. Entry \$20 or \$36 for both days. See cookoff Sunday same location. Contact Sally Lee 210-490-4436 or Bruce Jones phone 830-899-3353. Cut or Grind,

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Oct 9, 2004-009 - Conroe TX CASI. 4th Annual Piney Woods Pod On The Lake CCO. Held at Thousand Trails, Lake Conroe. Benefits PWP local charities. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 2 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Kids Cooking For Kids Chili (Grind only) entry fee \$5, turn-in Noon. Jackpot pinto beans \$5 turn-in 1 PM. Thousand Trails Chili (TT Members only) entry \$5 turn-in 3 PM. Full RV hookups & trailer rental available contact Margaret at Thousand Trails for rates and reservations 936-856-0175. See cookoff next day. Contact Bob Horan 281-357-0175 email pwp@pineywoodspod.org, see web site www.pineywoodspod.org.

Oct 9, 2004-010 - Cedar Hill TX CASI. Country Day on the Hill Chili CCO. Held in Historic Downtown Cedar Hill. Entry fee \$20, benefits Cedar Hill Food Pantry. Turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Friends of Country Day. Contact Christie Williams 421 Hastings Dr Cedar Hill TX 75104, 972-293-2604 home, 972-721-2364 work. Or Email cedarhillchilichicks@yahoo.com Goodie bags for first 30 cooks. Trophies to top 10 cooks, ribbons for top 3 showmanship.

Oct 9, 2004-011 - Love Valley NC CASI. Love Valley Horseman's Assn. CCO. Held at Love Valley Arena. Entry fee \$20 for Piedmont Pepper Pod members, \$25 all others. Turn-in 1 PM. Make checks payable to Piedmont Pepper Pod. Benefits Love Valley Horseman's Assn. Info Brent Lundy 453 Jane Sowers Rd. Statesville, NC 28625 704-876-2681 or Linda Jolly 704-876-1508 email chili@lovevalley.com.

Oct 9, 2004-012 - Whitney TX CASI. 16th Annual Thousand Trails Chili Cookoff. Benefits Christmas For Kids. Held at Thousand Trails Preserve, on FM 933 about 5 miles north of Whitney. RV hookups rental trailers available. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 2 PM. Jackpot beans entry fee \$5 turn-in Noon 100% payback to 1st, 2nd & 3rd places. Contact Darrell Baxter 972-262-4701, 817-980-0913 Mobile or email ddbaxter1@comcast.net. See cookoff next day same location.

Oct 9, 2004-013 - Marshall TX CASI. Fire Ant Chili Cookoff. Held in downtown Marshall. Entry fee \$15, Beans \$5. Turn-in 2 PM. Fire Ant Festival will have arts, crafts, entertainment, parade, bike ride, 5K run and many other events such as Men's Crazy Legs Contest, Diaper Derby, Fire Ant Calling Contest, Fire Ant Round-up, Rubber Chicken Chunking and Gurning (Ugly Face Making) Contest. Contact Beverly Slatter 903-930-8889.

Oct 9, 2004-014 - Venus TX CASI. City of Venus Octoberfest Cookoff. Held in downtown square for the benefit of the Venus Beautification Fund. Entry fee \$20, turn-in 2 PM. Jackpot beans \$5 turn-in Noon. Held in conjunction with the Venus Octoberfest. Contact Dee Palmer 817-473-2024.

Oct 9, 2004-015 - Hawkins TX CASI. 3rd Annual Hawkins Oil Festival \_ Chili Cookoff. Info Glenda Grubbs 903-843-2513 day, 903-725-6921 night. Details to follow.

Oct 9, 2004-016 - Lee's Summit MOCASI. Kick It Up! Chili Festival. Held at 338 SW Main St. Entry fee \$15 for CASI, Homestyle, or Vegetarian. Turn-in 1 PM. Benefits Open Arms Foundation. Contact Andrea Graham 816-347-9800.

Oct 9, 2004-017 - New River AZ CASI. 9th Granpa Horny-Fart Blossom Memorial CCO. Held at the New River Station, 15 miles North of Phoenix exit 232 on 1-17 Frontage Rd. Info Mad Jack 480-733-1617 or email admadjack@prodigy.net. Arizona Green Chili Championship also.

Oct 9, 2004-018 - St. Charles IL CASI. Great Pepper's Chili Cookoff at St. Charles' Scarecrow Fest. Held at St. Charles VFW Post 5036, 119N Third St., SW corner of Third and State Sts. Benefits Chillini Pod charities, make checks payable to Chillini Pod. Entry fee CASI Red Chili \$18, turn-in 1 PM. Jackpot Beans \$5, turn-in 2 PM. Contact Bill Pierson 411 Illinois Avenue Batavia, IL 60510-1843, phone 630-879-7934 chilliniPod@comcast.net.

Oct 10, 2004-001 - Homosassa FL CASI. Sunshine State Chili POD Cookoff. Held at Natures RV Resort on West Halls River Road. Entry fee \$15, turn in Noon. Contact Ken Rodd 210-887-8827, or email chiliflorida@aol.com. See cookoff previous day same location.

Oct 10, 2004-002 - Lemont IL CASI. The Best Of The Midwest Chili CCO. Held at 16028 127 St. Centennial Park. Entry Fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. For Special Playground Equipment. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Fred Stephani 16028 127 St. Lemont, IL 60439. 603-257-6787. Email Mike Stevens Luckychili@aol.com. Make checks payable to Lemont Park Dist.

Oct 10, 2004-003 - Medina Lake TX CASI. Sunday Pop's Place Cookoff. Call 830-535-4366 for RV/Cabana Rsvns - no charge for day cooks. Charity: Animal Defense. Entry fee \$20 or \$36 for both days, see Sat. cookoff same location. Contact Sally Lee 210-490-4436 or Bruce Jones 830-899-3353. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Turn-in 1 PM.

Oct 10, 2004-004 - Conroe TX CASI. 4th Annual Christmas in October CCO Held at Thousand Trails, Lake Conroe. Benefits TT Christmas Charities. Entry \$18, turn-in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Full hook up RV spaces and trailer rental available, contact Margaret at Thousand Trails for rates and reservations 936-856-7888. See cookoff previous day. Bob Horan 281-357-0175 pwp@pineywoodspod.org or www.pineywoodspod.org. for info.

Oct 10, 2004-005 - El Paso TX CASI. El Paso Elks Chili Cookoff. Held at 1211 E. Cliff St. Entry fee \$15, turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to El Paso Elk Lodge #187. Benefits Elks Club charities. Info Bobby Elliott, 7500 Big Bend El Paso TX 79904. 915-755-4419

coachili@aol.com. RV hookups with elec, water and sewer.

Oct 10, 2004-006 - Whitney TX CASI. 4th Annual Thousand Trails POD CCO. Benefits Great Peppers Meeting Expense. Held at Thousand Trails Preserve on FM 933 about 5 miles North of Whitney. RV hookups rental trailers available. Entry fee \$18, turn-in Noon. Contact Darrell Baxter 972-262-4701, or 817-980-0913 mobile, or email ddbaxter1@comcast.net. See cookoff previous day same location.

Oct 10, 2004-007 - Tulsa OK CASI. Chili House Bowl of Red Cookoff. In the parking lot of the Chili House Restaurant, 91st & Memorial, Northwest corner. Entry fee \$20 turn-in Noon. Benefits Jenks High School Wrestling Booster Club. Info Chris Fletcher 918-446-6360 Lorinda Crawford 918-455-8655

Oct 10, 2004-008 - Harve de Grace MD CASI. Swanfest Sunday Chili Cookoff. Held at Swan Harbor Farm, 401 Oakington Rd. 11 AM to 4 PM. Crafts, food, games, pumpkin patch & hay rides, live entertainment and fun for everyone. Call Debbie Henderson 410-692-5088 or dlhenderson@co.ha.md.us for further info.


Oct 15, 2004-001 - Victoria TX CASI. Texas Kickin' Bullriding Chili CCO. Held behind the Victoria Community Center, 2905 E. North St. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 8 PM. Make checks payable to MHS Dance and Drill Team Cookoff following day same location Linda McDonald, 619 Springwood Victoria, TX 77905. 361-578-

2575 Becky Showers 361-573-5241. CHILI GRIND ONLY.

Oct 16, 2004-001 - Midland TX CASI. 4th Annual Breast Cancer Chili & BBQ Cookoff. Held at 1700 South Midkiff (Kelly's Welding). Entry fees/turn-in times, \$25 each entry. Checks made payable to Black Gold Pod. Chicken - Noon, Pork spareribs 1 PM, CASI Chili 2 PM, Beef Brisket 3 PM. Plenty RV parking, no hookups Set up Friday Noon. Cooks fish fry Friday evening. Specialty raffle/ 50/50 raffle. Benefits Allison Cancer Center "Gifts of Hope". Contact Patsy Childers home 432-520-4433, patsy@t3wireless.com

Oct 16, 2004-002 - DeLand FL CASI. Great Bowls of Fire Chili Cookoff. Held in Historic Downtown DeLand on Indiana Avenue. Benefits The West Volusia Historical Society, Downtown Rotary Club, Stetson University. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 2 PM. Checks pay to Great Bowls of Fire Chili CCO. Contact Sally Landis Bohon 2140 Glenwood Hammock Rd. DeLand, FL 32720. 386-736-9494 or email salbohon@aol.com or Ken Rodd at casihotrodd@aol.com. Preregister by 10/15/04.

Oct 16, 2004-003 - Shepherd TX CASI. 1st Annual Chili in the Piney Woods Cookoff. Benefits Shepherd Senior Citizens, Inc. Entry fee \$25 turn in 2:30 PM. Make checks payable to Sherherd Chili Cookoff. Held in Shepherd Community Center 1 mile West of Shepherd on Hwy 150. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Local chili \$25 turn-in 2 PM. Jackpot pinto beans \$10 turn-in 1:30 PM. Showmanship 12 to 1 PM. Public

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Oct 16, 2004-004 - San Antonio TX CASI. SAPCASI Fall Cookoff. Held at FVW 7108. From Loop 1604 take Culebra Rd. (FM 471) west approx. 2 miles to 3rd light. Turn right on FM 1560 go north 1-1/2 miles to VFW. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM, \$30 both days. Beans \$10 turn-in noon, 50/50 split. Friday night cooks party. Saturday night pot luck. Contact Kim Hiley phone 830-767-4514, kdihiley@yahoo.com. VFW phone 210-688-9312. Benefits various charities.

Oct 16, 2004-005 - Wabash IN CASI. 2nd Annual Wabash Canonball Chili Held at Paradise Spring Historical Park. Entry fee \$25, \$50 Corporate Turn-in 1 PM. Benefits 4 charities Shop with a Cop, Wabash County Animal Shelter, CASA, Parks Dept of City of Wabash. Contact web site <https://home.insightbb.com/~chili> for charity.

Oct 16, 2004-006 - Columbia TN CASI. 20th Annual Maury County Chili CCO. TENNESSEE MEN'S STATE CHAMPIONSHIP. Held at Historic Elm Springs, on Mooresville Pike just off the Lewisburg Hwy. Benefits Junior Auxiliary of Columbia TN. Entry fee \$25 per team, make checks paid to Junior Auxiliary. Turn-in Noon. Please bring extra chili for public tasting. Cookoff hours are 11-3. Contact for 2004 cookoff Stephane Holgate-Williams P.O. Box 278 Columbia, TN 38402. 931-388-8045 redraiders92@hotmail.com.

Oct 16, 2004-007 - Victoria TX CASI. Texas Kickin' Bullriding chili & BBQ Championship Cookoff. Behind the Victoria Community Center, 2905 E. North St. Benefits MHS Dance and Drill Team. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. IBCA BBQ \$20 per category or \$50 for all 3. 1/2 fully jointed chicken turn-in 12:30. Pork Spare ribs turn-in 2 PM. Brisket turn-in 3 PM. Jackpot salsa \$10 turn-in 11 AM, Junior chili \$10, turn-in 1 PM. Jackpot beans (dry pinto) \$10 turn-in Noon. Junior chicken \$10, turn-in Noon. Info Linda McDonald 619 Springwood, Victoria TX 77905 361-578-2575 Becky Showers phone 361-573-5241.

Oct 16, 2004-008 - Eden NC CASI. CASI Chili Chow Down. Held at Eden Mall, 201 E. Meadow

Rd Benefits HELP, Inc. Center for Battered Women and Children. Entry fee \$20 for Piedmont Pepper Pod Members, \$25 for all others. All Freestyle entries are \$20. Make checks payable to Piedmont Pepper Pod. Contact Adrienne Grant 4105 Casa St. Durham, NC 27704 919-604-5262 adrienneg@netfriends.net or Judy McCrickard 684 Boyd Rd Reidsville, NC 27320, 336-951-0141 or Cathy Carter 336-623-5809.

Oct 16, 2004-009 - Lenexa KS CASI. Williams Chili Challenge Midwest Regional Open Championship. Held Santa Fe Trail Drive at Pflumm Rd. Benefits Juvenile Diabetes Found. Entry fee \$25 CASI, \$25 Homestyle, Turn-in Noon. Make checks payable to Williams Chili Challenge. Info Jim Finlen 13420 Oak St. Lenexa KS 66215

Oct 16, 2004-010 - Sierra Vista AZ CASI. Just For Kids Halloween Cookoff. Held at Sorry Gulch Saloon, 526 Fry Blvd. Limited space, please use canopies instead of RV's. Benefits Kiwanis Just For Kids Program. \$10 CASI chili and peoples choice, \$10 if show, \$15 if not showing. Make checks payable to High Desert Pod. We expect 100's of motorcyclists, please do peoples choice for our charity. Contact Greg Monger 520-417-9948, email [mongo9@cox.net](mailto:mongo9@cox.net).

Oct 16, 2004-011 - Columbia TN CASI. 20TH Annual Maury County Chili CCO TENNESSEE WOMENS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP Held at Historic Elm Springs, on Mooresville Pike just off the Lewisburg Hwy. Benefits Junior Auxiliary of Columbia TN. Entry fee \$25 per team, make checks paid to Junior Auxiliary. Turn-in Noon. Please bring extra chili for public tasting. Cookoff hours 11-3. Contact for 2004 cookoff Stephane Holgate-Williams, P.O. Box 278 Columbia, TN 38402. 931-388-8045 redraiders92@hotmail.com

Oct 16, 2004-012 - Bagdad AZ CASI. Bagdad Cookoff. Held at Main St baseball field and park. Benefits Bagdad Core Comm. Entry fee \$12, turn-in 1 PM. Make checks payable to YCS. Salsa turn in Noon. Peoples choice. Info Pam Diffin 2425 Arturo Circle, Camp Verde, AZ 86322 928-567-9311.

Oct 16, 2004-013 - Waco TX CASI. HEB #8 Waco Cookoff. Held at 1301 Wooded Acres, Corner of Bosque Blvd and Wooded Acres, one block off Valley Mills. Make checks payable to CASI, benefits the CASI Scholarship Fund. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. HEB parking lot cookoff, Saturday only, no hookups. Judging done inside of store. HEB is donating a BBQ pit for a raffle. They heard so much about our other Waco cookoff, they wanted us to come to their store. This is cousin Bill's store, so come help us out. Contact John/Sue Caffey, [caffeycasa@msn.com](mailto:caffeycasa@msn.com) phone 512-446-2364. CHILI GRIND ONLY.

Oct 16, 2004-014 - North Little Rock AR CASI. North Little Rock Elks Lodge 1004 Chili Cookoff. Held at Elks Park North Little Rock. Make checks payable to Elks Lodge 1004. Entry fee \$20, benefits Elks Bldg Fund. Turn-in 2 PM. Contact Preston Nickle 501-791-2191.

Oct 16, 2004-015 - El Paso TX CASI. Coronado Motel/C Senor Restaurant Chili Cookoff. Held at 4645 N. Mesa, I-10 Exit 16 Executive Blvd East, left on Mesa 1/2 mile. Benefits Battered Women. Entry \$15, turn-in 2 PM. Cooks meeting 10 AM. Contact Carol Straughan 915-852-3599 [caroleptx@aol.com](mailto:caroleptx@aol.com)

Oct 17, 2004-001 - San Antonio TX CASI. SAPCASI Fall Cookoff Plus. Held at VFW 7108. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 1 PM. \$30 for both days. Same location and contacts as previous day cookoff. Benefits various charities.

Oct 17, 2004-002 - Berkeley Springs WV CASI. West Virginia Chili Championship at Coolfont Resort. Top 3 WV Cooks qualify for TICC. Cooks meeting at 10 AM. Freestyle turn-in Noon. CASI Turn in 2 PM. Entry fee \$10 Benefits the Morgan County Humane Society. Info Beverly King home 703-492-6194, work 703-305-2819 [HotChiliVA@aol.com](mailto:HotChiliVA@aol.com) or Chris Lina 304-258-5456. Make reservations soon as this a peak fall foliage weekend. [www.BerkeleySprings.com](http://www.BerkeleySprings.com) and [www.coolfont.com](http://www.coolfont.com) for info on lodging and area attractions.

Oct 23, 2004-001 - San Angelo TX CASI. Concho Valley Fall Festival Chili and WTB BBQ Cookoff. Held at Water Valley Park. For the Benefit of Concho Valley Christmas Charity. Chicken \$15 turn-in Noon. Cooked on site Dry Jackpot Pinto Beans \$5 turn-in 12:30 PM. Pork Ribs \$15 turn in 1 PM. Chili entry \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Brisket \$15 turn-in 3 PM 80% Payback on BBQ. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Raffle items, cake raffle, 50/50. Contact Donna Hill 325-657-2979 or Pat Holland 325-655-7463.

Oct 23, 2004-002 - Kerrville TX CASI. Annual Kerr County Fair Champion Cookoff. Held at Hill Country Youth Exhibit Center. Details to follow. Contact 830-257-6833 or [kcfa@kfc.com](mailto:kcfa@kfc.com).

Oct 23, 2004-003 - McCamey TX CASI. McCamey Cookoff. CANCELLED> Date changed to October 30th.

Oct 23, 2004-004 - Culpeper VA CASI. 3rd Annual Old House Chili Cookoff. Held at Old House Vineyard, 18351 Corkys Lane. Entry Fee \$22, turn- in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Casinova Pod. Contact Dick DeTos 3230 Atlanta St. Fairfax, VA 22030 Charity TBD.

Oct 23, 2004-005 - Flatonia TX CASI. Flatonia Cchilispel 32 Czchili CCO. Held in downtown parking lot on Main Street. Benefits Flatonia Fire Dept., Public Schools and Flatonia improvements. Entry Fee \$20 if paid by Oct. 15th, \$25 after the 15th. Turn-in 3 PM. BBQ & Beans cookoff also. Show from 12 to 2 PM. Entertainment Reckless Kelly, Johnny Dee & Rocket Eighty Eights, and more. Contact Flatonia Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 610, Flatonia, TX 78941. [chamber@flatoniachamber.com](mailto:chamber@flatoniachamber.com). 361-865-3920.

Oct 23, 2004-006 - Cassville MO CASI. Cassville Fall Festival & Chili Cookoff. Held on the Cassville Square —Sixties Theme. Entry fee \$20 turn-in Noon. Make checks payable to Cassville Fall



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Festival. Contact Amy at 417-847-2814 or Dixie Johnson 601 Truman Ave, Lamar MO 64759, 417-682-5432 or email jrj8@sbcglobal.net.

Oct 24, 2004-001 - San Angelo TX CASI. Sunday Concho Valley Fall Festival Chili Cookoff. Benefits KLST Friendship Tree. Entry fee \$18 turn-in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Donna Hill 325-657-2979 or Pat Holland 325-655-7463. Held in Water Valley Park. See cookoff previous day.

Oct 29, 2004-001 - Del Rio TX CASI. Friday Terlingua Bound Cookoff. Held at Holiday Trav-L Park Hwy 90 West. Entry fee \$17, \$15 if preregistered by October 16th. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Turn-in 8 PM. Benefits local charities. Make checks payable to DRIP Pod. Info John J. Burns, HCR 3, Box 25, Hwy 90 West, Del Rio, TX 78840-9201. 830-703-3618 days only. Email John.J\_Burns@Acuna.Intier.com. Cooks party Friday night during cookoff. RV hookups available, Holiday Trav-L Park 830-775-7275.

Oct 29, 2004-002 - Odessa TX CASI. 13th Annual Guess Where Caravan to Terlingua. Held at Becky Sam's Tropical Bar & Grill, 2458 FM 1936. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 4 PM. Benefits the Terlingua Memorial Board Fund. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Dodie Simpson 432-381-2222.

Oct 30, 2004-001 - McCamey TX CASI. 18th Annual McCamey Cookoff. Held on 5th Street. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 1 PM. Benefits McCamey Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Fund. Contact Dollie Lynch 432-652-8202.

Oct 30, 2004-002 - Del Rio TX CASI. Saturday Terlingua Bound Cookoff. Held at Holiday Trav-

L Park 90 Hwy 90 West. Benefits Del Rio Bethel Center. Entry fee \$17, \$15 if pre-registered by Oct. 16. Turn-in Noon. Make checks payable to DRIP Pod. Contact John J. Burns HCR 3 Box 25, Highway 90 West, Del Rio 78840-9201. 830-703-3618 days only. Email John.J\_Burns@Acuna.Intier.com. Cooks party Friday night during cookoff. RV hookups available call Holiday-Trav-Park 830-775-7275.

Oct 30, 2004-003 - Lombard IL CASI. Texan BBQ Chili Cookoff. Held at 105 W. St. Charles, tent provided. Charity TBD. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Wes Carlson. Contact Wes Carlson 6613 Buckhorn, Loves Park, IL 61111, 815-885-3470. blckoyote2@insightbb.com.

Oct 30, 2004-004 - Russellville AR CASI. Arkansas Men's State Cookoff. 13th Annual Downtown Fall Fest & Chili Cookoff. Held on Mainstreet Benefits Mainstreet Russellville. Entry fee \$25, turn-in Noon. Info Betsy McGuire, P.O. Box 694 Russellville, AR 72811. Phone 479-967-1437.

Oct 30, 2004-005 - Russellville AR CASI. Arkansas Women's State Cookoff. 13th Annual Downtown Fall Fest and Chili Cookoff. Held on Mainstreet. Entry fee \$25, turn-in noon. Benefits Mainstreet Russellville. Contact Betsy McGuire P.O. Box 694 Russellville, AR 72811, phone 479-967-1437.

Oct 30, 2004-006 - Santa Theresa NM CASI. War Eagles Air Museum Cookoff. Held at dead end of Aircraft Road. Entry fee \$15, turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to NMCS. Contact Bud Barrick 505-382-5107 email

teamorgan@zianet.com. Benefits War Eagles Restoration Fund.

Oct 30, 2004-007 - Kaufman TX CASI. 14th Annual American Legion Post #165 Chili Cookoff. Contact Wayne Thomas 972-932-6083. Details to follow. wt7175@tvec.net

Oct 31, 2004-001 - Terlingua TX CASI. Last Stop On The Road to Terlingua. Held at the American Legion Post 653. 60 Miles South of Alpine on HWY 118. Turn in Noon, entry fee \$18. Contact Dorathy Williams 432-371-2595, dorathy@brooksdata.net CHILI GRIND ONLY. Benefits the American Legion Post 653.

Nov 2, 2004-001 - Terlingua TX CASI. Sotol Pod Cookoff. Held at Rancho CASI de le Chisos. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Sotol Pod. Info dorathy@brooksdata, 1-888-227-4468 This is your chance to experiment with your recipe using the new 32 OZ cup that will be used at TICC Saturday.

Nov 6, 2004-001 - Terlingua TX CASI. 38th ANNUAL TERLINGUA INTERNATIONAL CHILI CHAMPIONSHIP. Must qualify to earn invitation to cook. Friday is National Scholarship Day, with hot wings, beans and salsa open competition. Saturday chili turn in 12 Noon. See www.chili.org for more details and schedule of events Phone for info 1-888-227-4468 or dorathy@brooksdata.net, or Alan Dean pepperdean@comcast.net.

Nov 13, 2004-001 - Tucson AZ CASI. 2004 Tucson Country Music Festival Chili Cookoff. Held at Pueblo Inn 350 South Freeway. Charity

TBD. Competition chili turn-in 2 PM, entry \$15. Peoples choice served to public 11 to 1 PM, entry fee waived if doing Comp chili, other-wise \$5. Contact Peter Braly pjabraly@cs.com or 520-574-0197.

Nov 13, 2004-002 - Cleveland TX CASI. 2nd Annual Family Chili Cookoff. Operation Refuge Food Pantry held in downtown Cleveland at Crockett and College St. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 2 PM. Vendor booths, cake walk, children's activities (stick horse race). Contact Frieda White P.O. Box 355 Cleveland, TX 773-328 281-592-0204

Nov 13, 2004-003 - Seguin TX CASI. Classic CASI Pod Pecan Fest Chili Cookoff at Seguin Fairgrounds. Entry fee \$20, benefits Christian Free Clinic. Cooks party Friday night and Sunday brunch. Turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Classic CASI Pod, 214 Signal Hill, Seguin, TX 78155. Contact Annell Causey 830-379-6565 or Pat King 830-303-1755.

Nov 13, 2004-004 - Wichita Falls TX CASI. Fraternal Order of Eagles Lodge #4128. Held at 5396 Seymour Hwy. Next to McBrides Seafood. Entry fee \$17 turn-in 2 PM. Novice Chili \$10, Jackpot Beans \$5. Cooks party Friday night. RV parking no hookups. Contact Linda Lance 2594 Maverick Trl, Wichita Falls, TX 76730. 940-691-1356, 940-761-7427. Trophies 1st thru 10th CASI chili, Novice and Showmanship 1st thru 3rd Benefits Charlene Jennings' Family in Burkburrett. Make checks payable to F.O.E. 4128.

Nov 13, 2004-005 - Kirby TX CASI. VFW Post 2059 Chili Cookoff. Held at VFW Post 2059.



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Entry fee \$20 turn-in 2 PM. Contact Bill MacAllister 210-661-4072. Email billmacallister@yahoo.com. See Cookoff next day same location. Cook Both Days for \$30. We will have Silent auction, Saturday nite we will have karaoke. No hookups no open fires.

Nov 13, 2004-006 - Edna TX CASI. Texana Chili Spill & Go Texan Cookoff. Held in Brackenridge Park & Campground 891 Brackenridge Parkway. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 3 PM. Beans \$10, turn-in Noon. BBQ \$100. Contact Karen Gregory P.O. Box 429, Edna, TX 77957, 361-782-5229.

Nov 13, 2004-007 - Edgewood TX CASI. Log Cabin Cookoff. Held in historic downtown Edgewood. Bazaar, Pony rides next to restored historical park. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 1 PM. Showmanship. Info Bobby Phillips 903-896-4807.

Nov 14, 2004-001 - Seguin TX CASI. Sunday Classic CASI Pod Pecan Fest Chili Cookoff. Held at Seguin Fairgrounds. Entry fee \$20, make checks payable to Classic CASI Pod. 214 Signal Hill, Seguin TX 78155, Benefits Pecan Growers Charity Fund Cooks party Friday night and Sunday brunch. Turn-in 1 PM. Contact Annell Causey 830-379-6565 or Pat King 830-303-1755.

Nov 14, 2004-002 - Kirby TX CASI. Sunday VFW Post 2059 Chili Cookoff. Held at VFW Post 2059. Entry Fee \$15, turn-in 1 PM. Contact Bill MacAllister 210-661-4072. Email

billmacallister@yahoo.com. See Cookoff previous day. Cook both days for \$30. Saturday night we will have Karaoke. No hookups no open fires.

Nov 14, 2004-003 - Alvarado TX CASI. American Legion Post 426 Chili CCO. Held at FM 3136, West of I-35 W call for directions if needed. Benefits Ladies Auxiliary Charity. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 1 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Legion 817-783-8858 day or night. Dee Palmer 817-473-2024.

Nov 20, 2004-001 - Valley Mills TX CASI. 2nd Annual Valley Mills Chili & Bean Cookoff. Held in downtown Valley Mills. Benefits Masonic Lodge. Entry fee chili \$18, turn- in 2 PM. Beans \$5 turn-in 1 PM. Contact Randy or Angie Duke 254-932-6787. Bill Smith 254-934- 2161. Rndu2@hotmail.net Pot luck supper Saturday night. Stay over for cookoff next day same site.

Nov 20, 2004-002 - Livingston TX CASI. Indian Springs VFD Annual CCO. Local chili and Jackpot beans. Located between Livingston and Woodville, 1 block off Hwy 190. CHILI GRIND ONLY. 50% payback to 1st place beans. Arts and Crafts, "A Wheel of Cheer". Dance in the evening, everyone welcome. Contact Pat 936-327-3544 days or evenings and weekends 936-563-2615 for more info. BYOB. Hope to see y'all.

Nov 20, 2004-003 - Glendale AZ CASI. 3rd Viet Nam Veterans Cookoff. Held at Steel Horse

Saloon. Benefits Operation Freedombird. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 2 PM. 9 AM setup, 10:30 cooks meeting. Peoples choice 11 to 2. Trophies 1st thru 10th. Peoples choice award. Please bring extra chili for people's choice. Dennis Huff 602-789-1963.

Nov 20, 2004-004 - Katy TX CASI. 6th Annual Katy Elks Lodge CCO. Held at 1050 Katy Fortbend Rd. Just North I-10. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Beans turn-in Noon. Information Larry Arnold 281-392-6073. resumes@dacjobs.com.

Nov 20, 2004-005 - Shawnee OK CASI. Bell Street Senior Cookoff. Held at 400 N. Bell St. and corner 10th St. on southeast corner Pott County Courthouse. Benefits Bell Street Senior Center. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 1 PM, Jackpot salsa \$5 turn-in 11 AM, Jackpot beans \$5 turn-in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Info Jerry Dickerson 405-214-9395 131 Amber Ride, Shawnee OK 74801.

Nov 20, 2004-006 - Marble Falls TX CASI. VFW & Highland Lakes Pod Cookoff. Held at VFW Post 1431 West past HEB. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Beans \$5 turn-in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Make checks payable to Highland Lakes Pod. Benefits HLP local charities. Friday night cook's party, Karaoke on Fri and Sat night. VFW selling breakfast Sat & Sun morning. Real pancakes this time. Dinner served for a fee if you wish to eat at VFW. Limited elec hookups \$5 per day. Silent auction. Contact Carrie Kinnison 830-693-5502 or

Candy cell 512-755-3958 for VFW info. Come join the fun. See cookoff next day same location.

Nov 21, 2004-001 - Valley Mills TX CASI. Day After Valley Mills Chili CCO. Held in downtown Valley Mills. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 1 PM. See cookoff previous day same location Contact Randy or Angie Duke 254-932 -6787 or Bill Smith 254-934-2161.

Nov 21, 2004-002 - Marble Falls TX CASI. Sunday VFW & Highland Lakes Pod CCO Held at VFW Post 1431 West past HEB. Entry fee \$18 turn-in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. VFW selling breakfast. Checks payable to Highland Lakes Pod. Benefits the VFW Post & Ladies Auxiliary. Raffle and silent auction. Contact Carrie Kinnison 830-693-5502 or Candy cell 512-755-3954 for VFW info. Neat trophies. Looking forward to seeing you.

Nov 26, 2004-001 - Victoria TX CASI. Day After Thanksgiving Cookoff. First day of a 3 day event. Held at Colet Inn 361-578-1360. Call for detailed map or visit web site www.coletinn.com, 3023 Camp Colet Rd. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 4 PM. Jackpot bean (open) \$5, turn-in 3 PM. Make checks payable to VASA Pod. Benefits Ron Charlton Scholarship Fund. Contact Linda McDonald 619 Springwood, Victoria TX 77905. 361-578-2575 Henry Danysh 361-782-0129 or Dianna Hoy phone 361-277-8687. See cookoffs on 27th and 28th.



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Nov 27, 2004-001 - Victoria TX CASI. 23rd Annual VASA Pod Chili Cookoff. Second day of a 3 day event. Held at Colet Inn 361-578-1360 3023 Camp Colet Rd. Call for map or visit web site www.coletinn.com Entry fee \$18 turn in 2 PM. Make checks to VASA Pod. Jackpot Salsa \$5 turn in 11 AM. Jackpot dry pinto beans \$5, turn-in Noon. Brisket \$15 turn-in 4 PM. Contact Linda McDonald 361-5789-2575 or Henry Danysh 361-782-0129 or Dianna Hoy 361-277-8687.

Nov 28, 2004-001 - Victoria TX CASI. Morning After Chili Cookoff. Day 3 of a 3 day event. Held at Colet Inn 361-578-1360 3023 Camp Colet Rd. Call for map or visit web site www.coletinn.com. Benefits VASA Pod. Make checks payable to Pod. Entry \$18 turn-in 1 PM. Pork Spare Ribs entry \$15, turn-in Noon. Info Linda McDonald 361-578-2575 Henry Danysh 361-782-0129 or Dianna Hoy 361-277-8687.

Dec 3, 2004-001 - Angleton TX CASI. 5th Annual Christmas on the Square Chili Cookoff. Held in downtown Angleton across from the Gazebo. Benefits Chamber of Commerce. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 8 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Use Christmas theme since it's that time of year. Unique trophies awarded top three chili and first place show winners. Contact TC Lipe 281-802-1394 or Chamber at 979-849-6443

Dec 4, 2004-001 - Crawford TX CASI. Toys for Tots 2nd Annual Cookoff. Cancelled, date changed to 12/18/04

Dec 4, 2004-002 - North Little Rock AR CASI. Rudy's Oyster Bar Chili Cookoff. Held at 2695 Pike Avenue. Benefits ARK Food Bank. Entry fee \$20 turn in 1 PM. Make checks payable to ASS-CASI. Contact Preston Nickle 501-791-2191.

Dec 4, 2004-003 - Sierra Vista AZ CASI. 25th Sierra Vista Christmas Parade Chili Cookoff. Held at K-Mart parking lot, 2011 E. Fry Blvd. Benefits High Desert Pod. Entry fee \$15, turn-in 12:30 PM. Dry Camping, no hookups, cook where you camp. Friday night potluck dinner, brisket being served. Contact Roy Fisher 3364 Wheelan Loop Sierra Vista, AZ 85635 520-378-1311 roysfisherAZ@cs.com. Make checks payable to High Desert Pod.

Dec 4, 2004-004 - San Angelo TX CASI. 10th Annual Toys For Tots CCO. Held at Cactus Cantina, 5258 N. Chadbourne. Entry fee \$10 and a new toy. Jackpot beans \$5, Brisket \$10, Chicken \$10, Pork Ribs \$10. Sammie Plant 325-656-8258 or Jason 325-450-4401.

Dec 5, 2004-001 - Crawford TX CASI. CTC Pod Cookoff. Cancelled, date changed to 12/19/04

Dec 11, 2004-001 - El Paso TX CASI. 4th Annual Cowboy Christmas at La Hacienda 1720 W. Paisano. Cooks meet 10 AM. Entry fee \$15 turn in 2 PM announcements 4 PM. From Noon to sundown entertainment. Charity TBA. Contact Carol Straughan 915-852-3599 c 915-491-2766 or Elvia Hernandez 915-533-1919 c 915-253-6171.

Dec 11, 2004-002 - Parkin AR CASI. Parkin Winterfest Chili Cookoff. Held at Parkin Fire Department. Benefits Parkin Winterfest. Entry fee \$20 turn-in 1 PM. Make checks payable to Parkin Winterfest. Info Preston Nickle, 501-791-2191.

Dec 11, 2004-003 - Speepleville TX CASI. Speepleville Chili Cookoff. Held at Quail Crossing RV park. Phone 254-848-4818 see web site www.quailcrossingrvpark.com. Also have cabins for rent, 254-405-4333 Randy Duke. Cooks party Sat. night pot luck bring dish and drinks, meat will be furnished. Contact Mavis Nelson 254-486-2487 email rdnmrn@hotmail.net. See cookoff next day. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM CHILI GRIND ONLY. Beans \$5 turn-in Noon 100% payback. RV parking \$16 per night, benefits Mason's charity

Dec 11, 2004-004 - Weimar TX CASI. 7th Annual "Circle The Wagons" CCO. Held at Weimar Veterans Hall 503 Park Drive. Plenty of RV parking. Cooks party Friday Night 7 PM. Saturday night Pot Luck/Turkey & Dressing, please bring side dishes. Benefits Weimar FVW. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Jean or Keith Barkley 1868 Deer Hollow Rd. Weimar, TX 78962. 979-263-5851, or email kb42930@cvtv.net. See cookoff next day same location.

Dec 12, 2004-001 - Speepleville TX CASI. Second Day Speepleville Chili CCO. Chili \$18 turn-in 1 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. See cookoff previous day for details. Mavis Nelson 254-486-2487, rdnmrn@hotmail.net or Randy Duke 254-932-6787.

Dec 12, 2004-002 - Weimar TX CASI. Second Day Circle The Wagons CCO. Held at Weimar Veterans Hall 503 Park Dr. Plenty RV parking some elec. Benefits local charities. Entry fee \$14 turn-in Noon. Info CHILI GRIND ONLY. Jean or Keith Barkley 503 Deer Hollow Rd. Weimar, TX 78962. 979-263-5851. See cookoff previous day same location. kb42930@cvtv.net.

Dec 18, 2004-001 - Axtell TX CASI. Toys for Tots 2nd Annual Cookoff. New Location. Held at Jim's Cycle Shop, on Hwy 31. Benefits Toys for Tots. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. Junior chili \$10 turn-in 1 PM. 50/50 Beans \$5 turn-in noon. Contact Donna Conrad or Dianne Stimson 330 S. Ave. B. Crawford, TX 76638. 254-486-9206. dangergail@aol.com. CHILI GRIND ONLY. See next day cookoff same location. Limited RV elec hookups.

Dec 19, 2004-001 - Axtell TX CASI. Fibromyalgia of Waco Cookoff. New location. Held at Jim's Cycle Shop on Hwy 31. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 1 PM. Contact Donna Conrad or Dianne Stimson, 330 S. Ave. B Crawford, TX 76638. 254-486-9206. dangergail@aol.com. CHILI GRIND ONLY. See cookoff previous day same location. RV parking limited elec hookups.

Dec 31, 2004-001 - San Angelo TX CASI. Water Valley New Years Eve CCO. Held in Water Valley Park. Entry fee \$5, turn-in 10 PM. Contact Benefits SACA Pod Table/Chair Fund. Contact

Sammie 325-656-8258 or Jason 325-450-4401. See cookoff next day.

Jan 1, 2005-001 - San Angelo TX CASI. SACA POD New Years Chili Cookoff. Held in Water Valley Park. Entry fee \$20, Beans \$5, Brisket \$10, Pork Ribs \$10, Chicken \$10, Open Dessert \$10 or enter all categories for \$50. Benefits SACA Pod Great Peppers meeting. Contact Sammie 325-656-8258, Jason 325-450-4401.

Jan 8, 2005-001 - Bastrop TX CASI. American Legion Auxiliary 4th Annual Chili Cookoff. Held at 3003 Loop, 150 East. Across from State Park. Benefits Lincoln Clinic. Turn-in 2 PM. Make checks payable to American Legion Aux. 533 Contact Crystal Dear, P.O. Box 717 Bastrop, TX 78602. CHILI GRIND ONLY. 512-321-5555 or 253-6335. Entry fee \$20. Saturday nite cooks party 5 PM to 6:30 PM free to cooks \$5.50 to all others. Music from 7:30 to 11:30 PM. Raffle and silent auction. RV parking no hookups. See cookoff following day same site

Jan 9, 2005-001 - Bastrop TX CASI. 2nd Day American Legion Auxiliary 4th Annual Chili Cookoff. Held at 3003 Loop 150 East. Across from State Park. Entry fee \$15 turn-in 1 PM. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact Crystal Dear P. O. Box 717 Bastrop, TX 78602 512-321-5555 or 253-6335. See cookoff previous day same location. Charity TBA.

Jan 15, 2005-001 - Converse TX CASI. 13th Annual "Half Way Point" CCO. Held at American Legion Post 593 on West Legion Drive. Benefits Legion Programs. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 1 PM. Irish Coffee Off at 10 AM. RV parking available. Music Sat. night. Info 210-658-1111, Ken Rodd 210-887-8827, casihotrodd@aol.com. Cookoff next day same location.

Jan 16, 2005-001 - Converse TX CASI. 12th Annual Ladies Auxiliary CCO. Held at American Legion Post 593 on West Legion Drive. Entry fee \$18 CHILI GRIND ONLY. Turn-in 1 PM. Info 210-658-1111 or Ken Rodd 210-887-8827. Cookoff previous day same location.

Jan 22, 2005-001 - Tarpon Springs FL CASI. 1st Annual Suncoast Chili Cookoff. Held at 600 Klosterman Rd. Palm Harbor, FL. St. Petersburg College Tarpon Springs Campus. Make checks payable to St. Petersburg College Scholarship Fund. Entry fee \$20 in advance, \$25 day of event. Turn in 1 PM. Contact Derrick Janisz P.O. Box 1698 Tarpon Springs, FL 34688-1698. Phone 727-938-4273. CHILI GRIND ONLY.

Jan 22, 2005-002 - Wichita Falls TX CASI. 1st Annual Mitchell RV Park Cookoff Held at FM 2210, Perrin TX, 2.7 miles East from US 281 East, and 50 miles Northwest of Ft. Worth 7.3 miles from 199. Benefits Perrin VFD. Entry fee \$18, turn in 2 PM. Make checks payable to Perrin VFD. Contact Glyn Gaines 7 Bandera Circle, Wichita Falls, TX 76302. 940-767-2273. Indoor cooking if needed. Cooks party Friday, Brisket. Sat. AM breakfast. CHILI GRIND ONLY.

Feb 19, 2005-001 - Terlingua TX CASI. Bronze Roadrunner Chili Cookoff. Held at new location,

the Community Center, behind the post office. Benefits Terlingua School. Entry fee \$18 turn-in 2 PM. WTBA entry \$20 per category. Turn-in chicken noon, Ribs 1 PM, Brisket 3 PM. Payback 50%, 1 thru 3 places. Bronze Roadrunner trophy for first place chili and BBQ Grand Champion. Contact Dorathy Williams 432-371-2595 or Boomer Kingston 432-366-1777. Stay over for cookoff next morning same location. Plenty of parking, cool indoor judging. Clean restrooms.

Feb 20, 2005-001 - Terlingua TX CASI. Morning After Chili Cookoff. Held at new location Community Center behind the Post Office. Entry fee \$15, turn in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Contact phone Dorathy Williams 432-371-2595. dorathy@brooksddata.net.

Mar 19, 2005-001 - Tyler TX CASI. 3rd Annual Tyler Rotary Club CCO. Held at 1620 S. Broadway in Union Heritage Credit Union Parking lot, across from Bergfeld Park. Cooks & rotary members party Friday nite. Register Sat. 8 AM. Peoples choice and CASI \$15, turn-in 1 PM. Great prizes for chili and show winners plus thank you gift to cooks. Goody bags, music, tables and chairs. Fire extinguisher required. Limited RV parking no hookups. Enjoy Azalea Trails. Benefits Rotary Club projects. Make checks payable to Tyler Rotary Club. Please register early, send name, chili name, address with zip code, and phone number to Fran Hall, P.O. Box 131444 Tyler, TX 75713. Email tylerrotarysec@hotmail.com. see www.tylerrotary.org for last years cookoff pictures. Phone Fran Hall 903-561-8056.

Mar 26, 2005-001 - Englewood FL CASI. 2nd Annual Englewood Beach Cookoff. Turn at McDonald's off Hwy 776 on to Beach Road, go over two bridges to Manasota Key, turn left at "y" on Gulf Blvd, then left again into park. No glass bottles, no pets. Covered cooking area with picnic tables. Entry fee \$20, turn-in Noon Contact Denise Saunders or Scott Johnson 941-587-1608, 941-266-3799 Charity TBA.

Apr 2, 2005-001 - Johnson City TX CASI. TEXAS MEN'S STATE Chili Championship. Held at Blanco County Fairgrounds, West side of Hwy 281 just South of the bridge crossing the Pedernales River. Benefits North Blanco County EMS & Blanco County Fairgrounds. Entry fee \$35. Make checks payable to Texas Mens State Chili Championship Turn-in 1 PM. Cook's party Friday nite, followed by music from Nigel Delgado. RV parking and shade, cook where you camp. Park opens Thurs. 8 AM. Pot luck dinner Sat. nite. with entertainment. Special First Place Chili Trophy. Contact Jimmy Taylor or Bob Horan. Mail checks to Texas Men's State c/o Bob Horan P.O. Box 1115 Tomball, TX 77377-1115 Moved to 1st weekend in April to avoid Easter. taylor@moment.net phone 830-868-2223. Bob Horan texasmens@pineywoodspod.org. Phone 281-357-0175. Preregister by 2/15 to receive goody bag, register on site, no goody bag. See Sunday cookoff next day same location.

Apr 3, 2005-001 - Johnson City TX CASI. Day After Men's State Pod on the Pedernales Chili Cookoff. Held at Blanco County Fairgrounds West side of Hwy 281 just South of the bridge

crossing the Pedernales River. Benefits the Pod and National Scholarship Fund. Entry fee \$18 turn-in Noon. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Fri night cooks party. Sat night Pot Luck. RV parking with shade limited hook ups. Great trophies. This cookoff will return to March after 2005. Contact Barbara C. Taylor 493 Stonegate Dr., Johnson City, TX 78636. 830-868-2223, 512-577-5528 taylor@moment.net.

Apr 16, 2005-001 - Millington TN CASI. St. Jude Funfest 3rd Annual Chili Cookoff. Held at Misty Hollow Farms, 6315 Walsh Rd. Entry fee \$20, turn-in 1 PM. Jr. Chili and Hot Wing Division \$10. Chili and Hot Wings entry \$25. Jr. Chili and Hot Wings turn-in Noon. Show from 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM. Benefits the St. Jude Children's Research Hosp. Info Mike Tarpley, Funfest Chairman 901-358-5855, 901-872-5520 email shappy3@bellsouth.net.

Apr 30, 2005-001 - Grand Falls TX CASI. Grand Falls/ Royalty Chamber of Commerce Chili Cookoff. Held at Grand Falls County Park on Avenue A. Entry fee \$18, turn-in 2 PM Benefits Chamber of Commerce. Contact Debbie Taylor 432-558-3541.

Jun 4, 2005-001 - Midland TX CASI. MEX-TEX Menudo, Chili, Salsa and Fajita Cookoff. Held at 107 N. Main, Centennial Plaza downtown. Entry fee \$15 per category. Turn in chili 2 PM, Salsa 1 PM, Fajita 3 PM and Menudo 4 PM. Make checks payable to MHCC. Contact Gaylia Olivas 208 S. Marienfeld, Midland TX 79701

golivas@visitmidlandtx.com 432-686-3559 432-770-1151. CHILI GRIND ONLY. Benefits the Midland Hispanic Chamber of Commerce.

Jun 25, 2005-001 - Grand Lake CO CASI. 22nd Annual State of Colorado Chili Championship. Held in beautiful Grand Lake. Benefits various Grand Lake area charities. Top 10 CASI places, top three Green places and top three Showmanship awards. Entry fee \$25 for CASI red or green or cook both for \$35. Cook in town park, on grass under trees. Eat, drink and stay with a few blocks of cooking site. Special arrangements for out-of-town cooks with RVs. All cooks who sign up and pay their fee by June 14 will receive a special memento. Contact John Montgomery 303-831-5000, Lyman Wilkinson 303-940-3668 or Frank Loomis in Grand Lake 970-887-1488. Entry fee payable to Colorado Chili Pod, c/o John Montgomery, 1670 Broadway, Suite 3000, Denver, CO 80202.

Jul 2, 2005-001 - Englewood FL CASI. 3rd Annual Burr Smidt Memorial Chili Sunshine Pod Cookoff. Turn at McDonald's off Hwy 776, on to Beach Rd, go over two bridges to Manasota Key, turn left at 'Y' on Gulf Blvd, then left again into park. No glass bottles, no pets. Covered cooking area with picnic tables. Entry fee \$20, turn-in Noon. Park open 8 to 5 PM. Contact Denise Saunders or Scott Johnson 941-587-1608, 941- 266-3799. Charity TBA.

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 Please list the following Upcoming Cookoff in the Terlingua Trails.

Date and City: \_\_\_\_\_

Cookoff Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address/Location: \_\_\_\_\_

CASI Sanctioned: \_\_\_\_\_ Charity: \_\_\_\_\_

Turn-in Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Entry Fee: \_\_\_\_\_

Checks Payable to: \_\_\_\_\_

Information Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Preregistration Deadline (If Applicable): \_\_\_\_\_ Special Meat: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail Judging Packet to: \_\_\_\_\_

Need Rule Book: (Yes) or (No) Chili Grind Only: (Yes) or (No)  
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