Terlingua Trails
CASI
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Diane Spence Wins Texas Ladies State

Diane Spence of Crosby Texas - 2000 Ladies State Champion.

Jackie Ralston of Wichita Falls Texas - Ladies State Showmanship Winner.

Ladies State.

The Texas Ladies' State Cookoff was wonderful! Diane Spence is the new Ladies' champion - congratulations! All the ladies who attended are winners - over 160 cooks. Thanks to the Committee for a wonderful event.
Donn Shands has photos from the event on his website, and he promises more to come later in the week. http://users.ev1.net/~tejasmed/LADIESSTATE00/

"I just wanted to tell you of the Mother-Daughter luck we have at Ladies State. In 1995, I placed 2nd, Kendra, my daughter, placed 10th. In 1997, I placed 7th, Kendra placed 10th. In 1999, Kendra placed 10th, and I didn't place. In 2000, I placed 4th, Kendra placed 9th. Lady luck is with us at Ladies State and, maybe, one of these days we will both place 1st."

Joyce Jowers

Winners

Chili

1 Diane Spence
2 Salley Lee
3 Sherrie Davis
4 Joyce Jowers
5 Ruby Ross
6 Roma Kilpatrick
7 Sandra Watts
8 Sharon Roy
9 Kendra Kuehler
10 Kay Mallett

Show

1 The Bag Lady
Jackie Ralston
2 Bunny Chili
Mitzi Mathis
3 Pooh's Chili
Gretchen Kaveney

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Thanks Everyone!

To all of you who have sent cards, emails, gifts, money to The Terlingua School Library, St. Judes, and Make-A-Wish and to all of you who made telephone calls & hospital visits; I want to send you my deepest Thanks. All of the well wishes, prayers, thoughts, and every prayer circle must surely have been of great value. I hope over the next few months to thank each of you in person and I plan on replying to most of you by mail as time allows. Elton and I love you all. And thanks from our Sons and their families too.

Norma Homesley

MEMBERSHIP NOTE

We would like to WELCOME these new and past annual members.

Rodger W. Allison - League City, TX
Royce Blakely - Fort Worth, TX
Clyde Boismenue - Los Angeles, CA
Ren Condon - North Aurora, IL
Ray Eddins - Dallas, TX
Gene Enke - Ottawa, IL
Bill Greenfield - Beaver, OK
Terry L. Hendrickson - Columbia, TN
Bob Krueger - Woodland Hills, CA
Amy Lambright - Irving, TX
C.R. Luney - Iowa Park, TX
Glenn Martin - Quinlan, TX
Mike Mayenschein - Tulsa, OK
Willie Moore - Seagraves, TX
Frank Neukomm - Houston, TX
Annie M. Nickerson - Wichita Falls, TX
Sherwin Phillips - Burleson, TX
Joe Prestridge - Dallas, TX
David Sexton, Jr. - Grapevine, TX
Steve Shaff - Livingston, TX
Dorothy Spishock - Clear Lake Shores, TX
Steve Sukovich - Woodbridge, CT
D.W. Weldon - Stone Mountain, GA

Another GREAT CASI day.

Mike Strack, Membership Chairman

Comments from the President

It has been a few months since my last message, but we are now over half way through the chili year. I hope many of you are closer to getting those much needed points than I am. It just seems like some years for me those points come easy and other years you can't buy a point, although Diane never seems to have that problem. I am beginning to think this is going to be one of those years I might not get those twelve points, but as many have said, I'll be going to Terlinqua anyway. Diane and I have attended some great cookoffs so far this year and have many more on our schedule if all works out. Thanks to all those hard working CASI members that are responsible for making all the cookoffs such a great success. Our charity numbers are looking good and will continue to grow as the year goes on. We have some great sponsors supporting many of our cookoffs and will continue to support upcoming events, please support our sponsors when ever you can.
Many of us are keeping up with what's going on within CASI by email and going to cookoffs. I'm sure many of you are aware of the great news about Jo Ann Gaines getting a new kidney. I know she is doing just great and looking forward to getting back on the chili trail with Glynn, better known as Pop to me. I know we were all very concerned and prayed much for the health problems encountered by Norma Homesley. I understand she is much improved, but she has had a very rough time. I look forward to see her once again cooking chili. We have lost some of our chili friends over the past months, including the past 1987 TICC winner David Henson, our thoughts go out to all the families of those that have passed away. Well, so much for now, again thanks to all our CASI membership for all their hard work throughout the year supporting our many cookoffs for charity and our organization. Diane and I look forward to seeing many of you on the chili trail, drive safe.

Mel FitzHenry
CASI/President

Rancho CASI

What a place! You really feel that you are surrounded by friends - and you usually are; but I was referring to the mountains. You experience a location that hasn't been affected by the long arm of corporate development.
Let's back up a little, to 1989-90. A saying from the movie Field of dreams - "built it and they will come" - holds much truth; this place has the raw beauty and the undeveloped infrastructure that has disappeared from so many unique spots!
The CASI Board of Directors has a unique perspective concerning the future of the Rancho and its development. Every year you see some changes, all made to accommodate our members and visitors. Enlarging the camping areas, enlarging the judging area, doubling the size of the dance floor, more and better security, and on and on, yet with the evolution of mind for preserving our beautiful piece of nature's handiwork.
All of this takes much vision, foresight and planning. We all hear complaints and suggestions about water, electrical hookups, etc.. Hey, those were never really a part of the master plan. In order to maintain our pristine surroundings, we have to consider the ecology, the cost for just a few days of use during the year, etc..
TICC has grown each year that we have held the event at the Rancho. It is known worldwide today and the general consensus is that it just keeps getting better and better. This is attributed to the Board of Directors. I still feel very close to the Board and will proudly say that they will continue their positive progress at the Rancho. After all, the community, the school, and commercial ventures down there all benefit by CASI's success.
Thumbs up for a job being done well!

HUT

Nominating Committee Named

I have the honor of announcing to you the 2000 CASI Nominating Committee:

Garnier Albus, Chair, Amarillo, Texas	806-353-0500
Anne Roberts, Red Oak, Texas	972-617-7853
Kat Tomlin, Sierra Vista, Arizona	520-458-9559

These people are knowledgeable CASI members. You may contact them for information regarding the election process or to request a Qualification and Information form; you certainly may give one of them your completed Qualification and Information form. I also serve on the Nominating Committee.

There is a Director Qualification and Information form in this issue. If you intend to run for the Board of Directors, please be sure this completed form is in the hands of a Nominating Committee member in sufficient time to be submitted to the Executive Director by August 9, 2000.

Johnye

Trail Droppings

Well I don't seem to be getting many requests for your free 1/4 page ads. Don't forget you get 1 free quarter page ad per year per pod on a first come first serve basis.

When you send me an upcoming, I automatically assign it a cookoff number and mail the packet to the address in the ad. I have a lot of ads that do not include an address. I need that address to send you your packet and also to send you a packet of Terlingua Trails for your cookoff. I just received a cookoff today with only the name of the town, no state, no ZIP code.

I hope you all like the color in the newest Terlingua Trails. The pictures on the front page were sent to me via the internet. We'll see how they come out. Pictures are from Don Shands

Receipt of the Month

Chocolate Con Kahlua
Chocolate with Kahlua

2 tablespoons unsweetened cocoa

3 tablespoons sugar

1 stick cinnamon

2 cups half and half

4 tablespoons Kahlua liqueur

Combine cocoa, sugar, water and cinnamon stick in a saucepan. Boil and stir for 2 minutes or until cocoa dissolves. Add half and half and stir constantly over a low flame until mixture reaches boiling point. DO NOT BOIL. Remove from head, add Kahlua liqueur and beat with a rotary beater until frothy.

(Serves 2)

On Site

May - what a wonderful time of year. Happy Mother's Day!

It's time to start gearing up for the Great Peppers Meeting. You will notice in this issue a "CASI Director Qualifications and Information" form. If you are of a mind to run for the CASI Board of Directors, completing the form and returning it to me or a member of the Nominating Committee is the first step. If you would like a copy of the form, or if you would like the form emailed to you, please let me know. I have set an August 9, 2000 deadline for return of the forms - it is to your advantage to submit your form timely so that it may be shared with the Great Peppers and Pods in their preparations for the meeting.

It is also the time of year when - normally - rules changes and proposals are solicited. It is my extreme pleasure to remind our members that at last year's Great Peppers' Meeting the delegates voted to revise the rules once every three years. This year isn't a revision year. As a consequence of the rules not changing, CASI Life Members and continuing annual members will not receive rulebooks in the mail this October. New members will receive the 2000 rulebook. If you need a 2000 rulebook, please let me know.

On a personal note, thanks once again to those who donated yarn to my afghan project - I made over thirty afghans and 200 hats last year, and I'm working now toward next winter. I have started donating to Project Linus, which is a group that gives blankets to seriously ill children. If you want more information about this project, let me know. Project Linus probably has a chapter near you.

Be terrific out there!

Johnye

CASI DIRECTOR QUALIFICATIONS AND INFORMATION
Election for Board of Directors 2000

Please complete the following and return this form to Johnye Harriman, 3005 N Divis Avenue, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73008 before **AUGUST 9, 2000**. This form is available via email; please contact rhjhshow@aol.com for a copy.
Thank you for your interest in serving on the CASI Board of Directors.

Name:

Address:

Primary Pod affiliation (home Pod):

Other Pods in which you hold memberships:

Pod offices held: 1999:

1998:

Prior Pod offices:

Position sought: Director Executive Director

Did you cook at TICC in: 1996 1997 1998

1999

CASI awards and accomplishments:

Tell us about you and why are you seeking a position on the CASI Board of Directors.

"Jan Clark died peacefully in her sleep this morning (Monday) at 9:45 EDT. No word yet on a memorial service. We will all miss this fine person." Remember the Clarks in your prayers.

I just talked with Maggie and she asked if I'd send out a note to you. Her granddaughter is involved in a school project of receiving post cards from people around the world. If you have a few minutes, would you please drop her a note stating who you are and were you live. Her address is as follows:

Shay Gasperian
c/o W.P.N.S.
7300 W. Manchester Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90045

Pat Krenek

More Cookoffs in Maryland

"Chili is definitely on the rise in Maryland. We already have 8 cookoffs booked (four completed). In addition, we are waiting for a date (due momentarily) for a cookoff at the Hard Times Cafe in College Park, and cookoff #10 will probably be at the Maryland State Fair in front of tens of thousands of people. We should have the final go-ahead on the State Fair in the next couple of days also. Thanks to everyone's efforts, we are getting much greater exposure and that has already led to several new cooks."

Chili Glossary

Confused by the terms chili cooks use? Want to know what various chili-cooking particulars mean? Here's a chance to submit your requests for clarification (and your proposed definitions) in an attempt to prepare a Chili Glossary. What a helpful addition this will be to the CASI web site! Write or email your suggestions to me - I'll compile a list, have it reviewed by some knowledgeable chiliheads and publish definitions we can agree are most appropriate to meet the intent of CASI.

Help me with this endeavor!

Great Pepper Change

Due to a change in job duties and a change in location of those job duties, Howard Ruyle has had to resign as the Great Pepper of the ChiliHeads of Arizona Pod. Dick Bruce was elected as Great Pepper to replace Howard Ruyle; Nancy Coultas was elected as Pepper Popper to replace Dick Bruce. Please update your Great Pepper lists - Dick's address is; 9180 E 8th Street, Tucson, Arizona 85710-3114; email is RBruce6838@aol.com; and phone number is 520-298-0468. Good luck to Howard and Dick!

AIDE Notes

Congratulations go out to Eloy Salamanca of El Paso. Eloy is a relatively new cook, and darned if he didn't earn his first points - and his first first-place trophy - at the Southwest Livestock and Rodeo cookoff in February. Way to go, Eloy!

Our very own Tom Williams made the USA Today newspaper on April 11 - Tom was concerned about the US Government not counting the Terlingua area in the census. This is serious - according to the article, "He [Tom] and about half of the estimated 10,000 residents of the western Texas county didn't get their Census forms in the mail."

How about that Jason??!! Jason Douglass of El Paso is a track coach, and his 7th grade girls' team has placed third in meets for the past three weekends! Since track meets are normally held on Saturday, Jason has not been able to cook much this spring - but he says: "Coaching has been fun but do miss the cooking trail. Watch out for the end of May when Surf Chili hits the trail again. Coach Surf JD" Hats off to Jason! Do I have to call you "Coach" now?

Donn Shands sends word that photos of the Papa's Ice House are on his site at: http://users.ev1.net/~tejasmed/papas/index.html. I don't know where Donn finds the time, but you gotta love him - great work, Donn!

Donn Shands has a new hobby: photographing beer signs. That is, well, kind of a natural for a chili cook with a camera. He has a very slick display of his collection so for at http://users.ev1.net/~tejasmed/BEERSIGNS/BEER1B.EXE The "slide show" is great. Kinda makes you want to get a cold beer and throw peanut shells on the floor.

Deer Valley

Here's the results of the North Valley Cookoff, Phoenix, AZ, April 15, 2000. Nineteen chilis were judged.

REDCHILI
1st Place Steve Smith, Glendale, AZ
2nd Place Lylah Raven, Phoenix, AZ
3rd Place Sharon Pinnell, Ahwatukee, AZ
4th Place Willie Raven, Phoenix, AZ
5th Place Mary Ellen Scott, Glendale, AZ
6th Place Bill Yeargin, Kingman, AZ
7th Place Nancy Klug, Gold Canyon, AZ
8th Place Sandy Lee, Peoria, AZ
9th Placem Roland Regeon, Phoenix, AZ
10th Place Paul Hailey, Phoenix, AZ

SHOWMANSHIP
1st Place Teresa Pearl, Phoenix, AZ
2nd Place Last Place Chili, Dave Garner, Chandler, AZ
3rd Place Small Paul's Chili, Paul Hailey, Phoenix, AZ

Thanks!
Lylah

Jokes & Stuff

ONLY FOUR PARACHUTES

An airplane was about to crash, and there were 5 passengers left, but only 4 parachutes. The first passenger, Bill Clinton said "I am president of the United States, and I have a great responsibility, being the leader of nearly 300 million people, and a superpower, etc.", so he takes the first parachute, and jumps out of the plane.

The second passenger, said "I'm Antoine Walker, one the best NBA Basketball players, and the Boston Celtics need me, so I can't afford to die" so he takes the second parachute, and leaves the plane.

The third passenger, Hillary Clinton, said "I am the wife of the President of the United States, a soon to be New York Senator, and I am the smartest woman in the world", so she takes the third parachute and exits the plane.

The fourth passenger, Pope John Paul the second, says to the fifth passenger, a 10 year old boy scout "I am old and frail and I don't have many years left, so as a Christian gesture and good deed, I will sacrifice my life and let you take the last parachute.

The boy scout said "It's OK JP, there's a parachute left for you. The world's smartest woman just jumped out with my backpack."

A mama mole, a papa mole, and a baby mole all live in a little mole hole. One day the papa mole sticks his head out of the hole, sniffs the air
and says, "Yum! I smell maple syrup!" The mama mole sticks her head out of the hole, sniffs the air and says "Yum! I smell honey!"
The baby mole tries to stick his head out of the hole to sniff the air, but can't because the bigger moles are in the way so he says, "Geez, all I can smell is.....

molasses."

The patient's family gathered to hear what the specialists had to say.

"Things don't look good. The only chance is a brain transplant. This is an experimental procedure. It might work, but the bad news is that brains are very expensive, and you will have to pay the costs yourself."

"Well, how much does a brain cost?" Asked the relatives. "For a male brain, $500,000, for a female brain, $200,000", said the doctor.

Some of the younger male relatives tried to look shocked, but all the men nodded because they thought they understood. A few actually smirked, but the patient's daughter was unsatisfied and asked, why the difference in price between male brains and female brains?

"A standard pricing practice," said the head of the team. "Women's brains have to be marked down because they have actually been used."

Old age ... Aint it grand !!

A 75 year old man went to his doctor's office to get a sperm count. The doctor gave the man a jar and said, "Take this jar home and bring me back a semen sample tomorrow."

The next day the 75 year old man reappeared at the doctor's office and gave him the jar, which was as clean and empty as on the previous day.

The doctor asked what happened and the man explained: "Well, doc, it's like this - First I tried with my right hand, but nothing. Then I tried with my left hand, but still nothing. Then I asked my wife for help.

She tried with her right hand, then her left, still nothing. "She even tried with her mouth, first with the teeth in, then with her teeth out, and still nothing. We even called up Earleen, the lady next door and she tried too, first with both hands, then an armpit and she even tried squeez'n it between her knees, but still nothing."

The doctor was shocked! "You asked your neighbor?"

The old man replied, "Yep, but no matter what we tried we still couldn't get the damn jar open!"

Here Go Da Judge

Notes from an inexperienced chili taster named Frank, who was visiting Texas:

"Recently I was honored to be selected as an outstanding famous celebrity
in Texas, to be a judge at a chili cook-off, because no one else wanted to do it. Also the original person called in sick at the last moment, and I happened to be standing there at the judge's table asking directions to the beer wagon when the call came. I was assured by the other two judges (native Texans) that the chili wouldn't be all that spicy, about the same as usual, and besides they told me I could have free beer during the tasting, so accepted. Here are the scorecards from the event:

Chili # 1: Mike's Maniac Mobster Monster Chili
Judge One: A little too heavy on tomato. Amusing kick.
Judge Two: Nice, smooth tomato flavor. Very mild.
Frank: Holy smokes, what the hell is this stuff? You could remove dried paint from your driveway with it. Took me two beers to put the flames out. Hope that's the worst one. These hicks are crazy.

Chili # 2: Arthur's Afterburner Chili
Judge One: Smoky (barbecue?) with a hint of pork. Slight Jalapeno tang.
Judge Two: Exciting BBQ flavor, needs more peppers to be taken seriously.
Frank: Keep this out of reach of children! I'm not sure what am supposed to taste besides pain. I had to wave off two people who wanted to give me the Heimlich maneuver. Shoved my way to the front of the beer line.

Chili # 3: Fred's Famous Burn Down the Barn Chili
Judge One: Excellent firehouse chili! Great kick. Needs more beans.
Judge Two: A beanless chili, a bit salty, good use of red peppers.
Frank: This has got to be a joke. Call the EPA, I've located a uranium spill. My nose feels like I have been snorting Drano. Everyone knows the routine by now and got out of my way so I could make it to the beer wagon. Barmaid pounded me on the back; now my backbone is in the front part of my chest.

Chili # 4: Bubba's Black Magic
Judge One: Black bean chili with almost no spice. Disappointing.
Judge Two: Hint of lime in the black beans. Good side dish for fish or other mild foods, not much of a chili.
Frank: I felt something scraping across my tongue, but was unable to taste it. Sally, the barmaid, was standing behind me with fresh refills so I wouldn't have to dash over to see her.

Chili # 5: Linda's Legal Lip Remover
Judge One: Meaty, strong chili. Cayenne peppers freshly ground, adding considerable kick. Very impressive.
Judge Two: Chili using shredded beef, could use more tomato. Must admit the cayenne peppers make a strong statement.
Frank: My ears are ringing, and I can no longer focus my eyes. I farted and four people behind me needed paramedics. The contestant seemed hurt when I told her that her chili had given me brain damage. Sally saved my tongue by pouring beer directly on it from the pitcher. Sort of irritates me that one of the other judges asked me to stop screaming.

Chili # 6: Vera's Very Vegetarian Variety
Judge One: Thin yet bold vegetarian chili. Good balance of spice and peppers.
Judge Two: The best yet. Aggressive use of peppers, onions and garlic. Superb.
Frank: My intestines are now a straight pipe filled with gaseous flames. No one seems inclined to stand behind me except Sally.

Chili # 7: Susan's Screaming Sensation Chili
Judge One: A mediocre chili with too much reliance on canned peppers.
Judge Two: Ho Hum, tastes as if the chef threw in canned chili peppers at the last moment. I should note that I am worried about Judge # 3. He appears to be in a bit of distress.
Frank: You could put a grenade in my mouth and pull the pin, and I wouldn't feel it. I've lost the sight in one eye, and the world sounds like it is made of rushing water. My clothes are covered with chili which slid unnoticed out of my mouth at some point. Good! At the autopsy they'll know what killed me. I've decided to stop breathing, it's too painful, and I'm not getting any oxygen anyway. If I need air I'll just suck it in through the 4 inch hole in my stomach.

Chili # 8: Helen's Mount Saint Chili
Judge One: A perfect ending, this is a nice blend chili, safe for

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Chiligula's Thought's for Spring From the CAP-CASI Newsletter

Pearls melt in vinegar ... Prunes melt in **Chili**.

Ten percent of the Russian government's income comes from the sale of vodka... Ten percent of American beer sales comes from **Chili Cooks.**

If you put a raisin in a glass of champagne, it will keep floating to the top and sinking to the bottom... If you put a rune in **chili**, it will sink like a stone.

Only two people signed the declaration of independence on July 4th. All the rest but one signed on August 2nd, but the last signature wasn't added until 5 years later. That final signee almost certainly was a **Chili Cook**

A large new motor home was towed into a garage for body work and repair. The whole vehicle generally looked like an extra in "Twister." I asked the manager what had happened and he told me the driver was a **Chili Cook** who had set the cruise control then gone into the back to fix a sandwich and beer.

Donna Leird doesn't want any more
Tequila

Pun of the Month

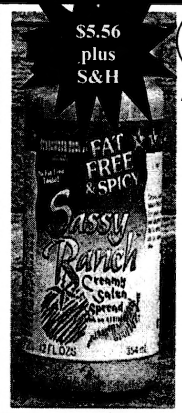
A lady went to her gynecologist, and was acting a little shy and hesitated to tell the Dr. why she was there. "Come come, said the Dr., Surely after all we've been through, nothing can be so embarrassing that you can't tell me." The lady said, "I'm not embarrassed, I'm scared." "Well tell me why," pleaded the Dr.

The woman paused and then told this story...."Well yesterday morning I went to the bathroom, I heard a plink plink. When I looked into the toilet I saw two pennies. Then later that morning I went again, and this time I found two nickels. After dinner, I went again and this time I found two dimes. And then this morning after going to the bathroom, I found two quarters.

The Dr pondered the facts and then offered his explanation

Are you ready ?

"There's nothing to worry about....You're just going though the change."



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Holy Mackerel-JJ's Cantina-Cholla Bay, Mexico-May 20th, 2000

Preparations are underway for another glorious fun filled weekend at JJ's Cantina in beautiful downtown Cholla Bay, Mexico. Come see Mexico before it gets all modernized by gringo gadgets. I've heard that they already have power lines. Until everything is modernized, we will still feature the same things we always have. That is: the sun, fresh ocean fish, margaritas, bikinis, a place on the beach, and of course a chili cookoff to raise money for the Santa Claus Club's Annual Christmas Party. Last year our efforts raised $1500. Part of that money came from chili sales but a big part also came from raffle and auction items. So!!! If you have or can donate anything that might be added to a raffle or auction please let me know and we'll get this job done one more time, as long as there are kids. For info on this cookoff contact me at 420-726-8349 nights, or 420-655-5330 days, or call one of our loco directors. I think that usually Lori Caradori and Sharron Christopherson usually handle most of the raffle stuff but I don't yet know for sure if they're going, though I can't imagine why they wouldn't, so call them or one of our loco directors if you'd rather.

Mad Jack

Hi Lyndia

Here goes

Thanks to one and all of the cooks who came to Parker for our 2nd annual Chili Cook-Off. Because of your our Chili CookOff was a success. On behalf of Rotary I want to thank you for your generosity. It's folks like you who make helping people sooo much fun.

Rotary raised $2,500.00 as a result of your efforts. All of the money raised goes back into the community. Rotary doesn't keep one penny of it. Rotary, as many of you know is a service organization. It operates on 4 principles regarding the things we Think, Say, or Do: 1. Is it the TRUTH? 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned? 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS? 4. WILL IT BE beneficial

Habanero

Dark green to orange, orange-red, or red when fully ripe. Lantern shaped and measuring about 2 inches long and 1 1/4 to 1 3/4 inches in diameter.
The habanero (meaning "from Havana") is used extensively in the Yucatan and is the hottest of any chili grown in Central America or the Caribbean, and indeed, the rest of the world. Users beware! It has been estimated that the habanero is 30 to 50 times hotter than the jalapeno, and it can have an irritating effect in the mouth and on the fingers. Be careful when handling. In spite of its fierce intense heat, it has a wonderful, distinctive flavor with tropical fruit tones that mix well with food containing tropical fruits or tomatoes. The ripe habanero is a little sweeter and has more developed fruitiness than the green habanero. Closely related to the Scotch Bonnet and the Jamaican hot chiles. Mainly used for salsas, chutneys, marinades for seafood and pickled (en escabech.) It is becoming increasingly popular in the United States as a bottled condiment sauce.

NOB POD COOKOFF

MAY 28,2000 WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS FOLLOWS SOUTH-WEST OPEN

North of the Brazos Pod Annual Cookoff will be held at the Wichita County Mounted Patrol Arena on Hwy 369. Plenty of RV parking space. CHILI GRIND ONLY $17.00 CASI turn in noon. JACKETS will be awarded to top 10 chilis and first place show. JACKPOT BEANS $5.00 turn in 11 am. Benefits NOB Pod Charities. Come for THE SOUTHWEST OPEN May 27 and stay for the Pod cookoff Sunday morning. Info: Don Walker 940 691 0108 or Glyn Gaines 940 767 2273.

YEAR-TO-DATE COOKOFF STATISTICS

STATE	REQ PTS	COOKOFFS HELD	CHILIS JUDGED	MONEY RAISED
ALASKA	6	1	16	385.00
ALABAMA	6	1	16	2,985.00
ARKANSAS	12	13	369	30,935.00
ARIZONA	12	18	485	33,186.00
CALIFORNIA	6	1	31	23,000.00
COLORADO	6	2	35	2,400.00
FLORIDA	6	2	31	700.00
GEORGIA	6	1	28	400.00
IOWA	9	2	43	2,130.00
ILLINOIS	9	4	84	1,325.00
KANSAS	6	1	35	2,674.15
LOUISIANA	9	2	35	2,579.00
MARYLAND	6	4	61	2,480.00
MISSOURI	6	2	38	1,150.00
MISSISSIPPI	9	4	64	2,133.00
MEXICO	6	3	253	3,700.00
NORTH CAROLINA	9	2	30	1,600.00
NEW MEXICO	12	7	252	11,600.00
OKLAHOMA	12	7	144	8,410.00
OREGON	6	1	17	454.00
TENNESSEE	12	6	99	16,635.00
TEXAS	12	147	5,054	256,392.00
VIRGINIA	6	3	66	7,200.00
WASHINGTON	9	2	45	1,125.00
GRAND TOTAL		236	7,331	415,578.15

First, I want to say how very much Helping Restore Ability and I appreciate all the fantastic help we got from the various CASI folks before, during, and following up our first sanctioned chili cookoff! Doris Coats is the most wonderful person in the world! She and her team made things run soooo smoothly, with their flexibility, savvy, creativeness, patience, and marvelous sense of humor!

And, I think without Nick McGarity salvaging me from the abyss of ignorance in the very earliest planning stages, our VERY SUCCESSFUL CCO might never have happened. He and the other Top Of Texas Pod folks adopted me and walked me through all the perils. And Anne Roberts carried me forward from there, taking care of so many details and counseling me several times, even enlisting Doris as our Referee, reassuring me all the way.

We made over $7,000, entertained some 500 souls of one sort or another, made some wonderful friendships in the process, and assured HRA that there WILL BE a Second Annual.... Many of the cooks assured us they will be back next year. We anticipate more vendors, both for food/beverage and for arts/crafts/whatever, along with more activities for kids. We learned a WHOLE LOT from each of you, and we're sure we can make this GOOD THING even BETTER in 2001! Thank you all, from the depths of our chili-cooking hearts!!!

And Speaking of Next Year, I need your help once again. Since we had no idea who else might have cookoffs scheduled when we set ours for March 4, we ended up conflicting with one in Fort Worth and another in Irving. So sorry! We simply wanted to tie into the "Texas Independence" theme, since with our clients--adults with severe physical disabilities in the Metroplex--we emphasize the theme of personal "independence." Nice tie-in for our non-profit mission.

Help us avoid such an oversight for 2001, please. We definitely want to stay on a Saturday (11-4 p.m. worked out well) and our best times for using the Pavilion at The Ballpark in Arlington again (which was well appreciated by all) are from mid-February, through March, before April 1 (when the Rangers are back at The Ballpark). Probably the closer to Texas Independence Day (March 2), the better, but we're perfectly willing to stretch the theme as needed.

March 3 would be lovely, but I'm assuming the Elks in Irving and the Fort Worth event may already be set for that date. How about March 10? Any better? Help me get ours set so we can announce in Terlingua Trails right away and help others in the area from conflicting with us as well.

So, what do you think? March 3? Or 10th? Or when is our best bet? Don't want to conflict with either Trader's Village in Grand Prairie or Arlington's "Pecan Street Spring Festival", which was March 18 & 19 this year.

Please let me hear from you. Again, many, many thanks!

Bonnie Chism, Development Director, Helping Restore Ability, 1635A W. Division, Arlington, TX 76012; Metro 817/469-1977; Fax Metro 817/461-2334; www.HRAbility@aol.com

P.S.: Anne & Nick--Please keep me updated on when your pod meetings take place. Anne, I don't have a location for yours (Cowtown)...which I think is HRA's "geographically correct" affiliation. Not to worry, Nick, I'll keep coming to TOT's meetings also. Your troops have been so good to me.

Southwest Open Chili Championship

May 27, 00
Wichita Falls TX
Memorial Day
Weekend

Contact People
***Glyn Gaines*- 940-767-2273**
***Jim Ezell*- 940-692-5974**
Jezell8642@aol.com

Announcer: ***Boomer Kingston***
Head Judge ***Jim Dog Luhn***

Wichita County Mounted Patrol Arena on Hwy 369
Between US 82/277 and US 287

***** LARRY JOE TAYLOR *****

Friday night at COOKS PARTY. DINNER Served Friday and Saturday.
BREAKFAST served Saturday and Sunday

May 27. CASI chili turn-on 2 pm Beans 11 am

CASI chili $25 Jackpot beans $5

GREAT AWARDS - Glyn Gaines Traveling Trophy..... **20 places CASI.**

Top 3 CASI & 1st Show qualify to TICC

EXPENSE MONEY TO TICC to 1st thru 3rd place chili & 1st place show

Custom stove bags and chairs awarded

Registration payable to **SOUTHWEST OPEN**

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

CIRCLE: CASI Chili $25.00 Beans $5.00

Southwest Open Polo Shirt: $25.00 Size_____

Name and Title on Shirt_____

SWO Hat: $10.00

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: _____

MAIL ENTRY TO: JANICE SCHAUF 2804 McNeil, Wichita Falls, TX 76309

Phone 940-696 9543

EARLY REGISTRATION: by APRIL 30. ELIGIBLE FOR ROOM DRAWING.
ROOMS AVAILABEL AT HAMPTON INN
PHONE 940-766-3300 ASK FOR CASI RATE

HOUSTON POD

CHILI APPRECIATION SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL

29th Annual Hal John & Judy Wimberly Memorial Chili Cookoff

April 29th ~ 30th, 2000

Friday Night Cooks' Party ~ Saturday AM Kick-Start Breakfast ~ Saturday Night Music & Cooks' Feed (Crock Pot & Grill Off Entries)

SATURDAY, APRIL 29

12 noon	Jackpot Beans Turn-In (100% Pay Back)
1:00 pm	Junior Chili Turn-In (Chili Grind Only)
2:00 pm	CASI Chili Turn-In
2:30 pm	Showmanship
7:00 pm	Crock Pot Open & Dessert (Jack Pot 50/50 Split - Top 3)
7:00 pm	Grill-Off Open

Proceeds Benefit: The Houston Food Bank

Silent Auction....Raffle....Tasting Cups....
Arts & Crafts....Grab Bags...Food & Beverages

For More Info Call: Al Austin 281-847-2451
Make checks payable to: Houston Pod CASI
Mail to: Al Austin, 6303 Pecan Wood Drive, Houston, TX 77088-4021

Traders Village
7979 N. Eldridge Rd. ★ Houston, TX 77041
281.890.5500

SUNDAY, APRIL 30

9:00 am	Breakfast Casserole
12 noon	CASI Chili Turn-In (Chili Grind Only)
12:30 pm	Showmanship
2:00 pm	Jackpot Gumbo (50/50 Split - Top 3)

Proceeds Benefit: Houston Area Women's Center

REGISTRATION FORM

GGA

Head Cook: _____

Chili Name: _____

Address: _____ City _____ State ___ Zip _____

Phone: Home _____ Office _____

Check appropriate box(es): **Jackpots 50/50 Split - Top 3**

Sat April 29
- ❑ Chili $17
- ❑ Show
- ❑ Junior Chili (Non Perishable Food)
- ❑ Jack Pot Beans $5
- ❑ Crock Pot Dessert $5
- ❑ Crock Pot Open $5
- ❑ Grill Off Open $5

Sun April 30
- ❑ Breakfast Casserole-Whole Dish
- ❑ Chili $17
- ❑ Show
- ❑ Jackpot Gumbo $10

$ _____ Total Enclosed

Trinidad Colorado

Welcome to historic and scenic Trinidad Colorado. Trinidad is a town of approximately 10,000 residents and is located 13 miles North of the New Mexico State line, on interstate 25. It's an easy four- (4) hour drive from Amarillo Texas, Albuquerque New Mexico, and Denver Colorado.

The June 10th Chili Cookoff is being held in conjunction with the town's Santa Fe Trail Days Festival where Main Street is closed to traffic and instead is a site for food, games, live music, arts and crafts, and for the first time... CHILI. You will be cooking on the grounds of the Baca House, which is part of the Santa Fe Trail history Museum. The Baca House and Bloom Mansion where built from 1870 to 1883 and covers one city block.

While you are here, why not make it a mini vacation. Enjoy the historic sites in and around Trinidad. A must is driving the scenic byway, "Highway of Legends" which loops Trinidad to Walsenburg via the Cuchara Pass.

Weather in June is typically very mild, bring a jacket for the evenings. We are at 6,025 feet elevation. You will have a wonderful view of the Rocky Mountains and many historic peaks around town.

Out of town cooks can request an information packet on the area. For additional information please contact Mike or Laurie Parker at 922 Atchison Ave., Trinidad, CO. 81082, or feel free to call us at (719)846-0494, e-mail: mlparker@rmi.net.

Bob Coats was in a very serious car accident on March 29 - and nobody told us. Johnye saw photos of his vehicle; the man is leading a charmed life. He was pretty banged up and is still doing therapy on which wrist. He's a pretty tough one!

Parker's Crossroads

Judi Cassini and the HOT Pod have issued a challenge to all cooks to attend the Parker's Crossroads in June (first weekend). Seems there could be some craziness in store. Judi writes: "Parker's Crossroads is a MUST for all chili lovers!!!! Us "Tennessee" folks have been challenged by Jim Ezell that he'd bring more TEXAS cooks than we can and I've (in turn re-challenged him!). Parker's Crossroads CCO could very well be equal to Terlingua

CASI COOKOFF WINNERS

Oct 16, 1999-018 - Big Lake TX
Redneck Beans, Brisket & CCO *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Mellisa Wood, Big Lake TX
2 Peggy Davis, Big Lake TX
3 Doug Cockrell, Big Lake TX
4 Nancy Jackson, Big Lake TX
5 John Turner, Lamesa TX
6 Emilio Balderas, Big Lake TX
7 Toni Heflin, Big Lake TX
8 Sandra Thompson, Big Lake TX
9 Oscar Sanchez, Big Lake TX
10 UNCLAIMED ****,
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Dirty Half Dozen, Big Lake TX
Jana Freeman
2 Me Me Mongrels, Big Lake TX
Mary Tucker
3 Dos Lobos, Lamesa TX
John Tucker

Jan 16, 2000-001 - Puerto Penasco MX
Day after in Puerto Penasco CCO *, 50 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Neta Rohr, Garland TX
2 William N (Bill) Garbutt
Sierra Vista AZ
3 Don Weber, McHenry IL
4 Bobby Elliott, El Paso TX
5 Jim Tomlin, Sierra Vista AZ
6 Sue Knotts, Cottonwood AZ
7 Virgil Johnson, Ottumwa IA
8 Patsy Childress, Midland TX (Correction)
9 Karen Bains, Rankin TX
10 Yvonne McComb, Rankin TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Rev-Rind Will-I Chil-I, Phoenix AZ
Willie Raven
2 Butt Good Chili, Garland TX
Neta Rohr

Feb 26, 2000-001 - Yoakum TX
Land of Leather Days CCO *, 83 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Wayne Roessler, Victoria TX
2 Debi Waldrop, Sealy TX
3 Teena Miller, Baytown TX
4 Honey K. Jones, Canyon Lake TX
5 Alice Reynolds, Rockport TX
6 James Barker, Highlands TX
7 Norma L. Homesley, Manchaca TX
8 Doris Anderson, Houston TX
9 Diane Spence, Highlands TX
10 Barbara Taylor, Cedar Park TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 La Cucaracha Chili, Yoakum TX
David Barnes
2 Back Country Wildlife, Cuero TX
James Angerstein
3 Ta-Tanka Tin-Ta Chili, Yoakum TX
Jeanette Dierschke

Mar 4, 2000-001 - Casa Grande AZ
Arizona State Championship OPEN*, 81
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Bruce Pinnell, Anwatukee AZ
2 Ken Holmes, New River AZ
3 Karen Banas, Queen Creek AZ
4 Dick Swenberger, Mesa AZ
5 Charles C. (Chuck) Dugan
Sierra Vista AZ
6 Guy Tennison, Sierra Vista AZ
7 Nancy Coultas, Tucson AZ
8 Willie Raven, Phoenix AZ
9 David (Mad Jack) Garner, Chandler AZ
10 Steven Smith, Glendale AZ
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Hang 'em High, Sierra Vista AZ
John C. Johnson
2 Big Kahuna, El Mirage AZ
Larry Egger
3 Carpet Bagger Chili, Prescott AZ
Jim Coffey

Mar 4, 2000-008 - Austin TX
Lions Sightfest (18th Annual) CCO *, 51
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 George K. Jowers III
San Antonio TX
2 Chuck Taylor, Cedar Park TX
3 Steve Nadeau, Austin TX
4 Barbara Taylor, Cedar Park TX
5 Lynn Hejtmancik, Round Rock TX
6 Douglas (Bucky) Seelig, Austin TX
7 Jan Windrow, San Antonio TX
8 Margaret Nadeau, Austin TX
9 Melissa Schroth, Dallas TX
10 John Casias, Somerset TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Twist and Shout, Tomball TX
B.J. Johnson
2 Copenhagen Lady, San Antonio TX
Connie S. Schrade
3 Doc's Backbone Chili
Marble Falls TX
Larry Kinnison

Mar 4, 2000-009 - Canton TX
Buffalo Girls CCO *, 21 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Gale Thedford, Lewisville TX
2 Roy Harper, Dallas TX
3 Jack Schultz, Quinlan TX
4 Stan Moore, Lucas TX
5 Betty Arnold, Longview TX
6 Neta Rohr, Garland TX
7 Kim Hibbs, Emery TX
8 Dottie Brooks, Mabank TX
9 Mary Harmon
North Richland Hills TX
10 Linda Embree, Flower Mound TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Da'Chiefs Chili, Quinlan TX
Jack Schultz
2 Kalamity Kids Wild West, Scurry TX
Jana Jeffcoat
3 Mama's In The Kitchen, Dallas TX
Desiree' Stephens

Mar 4, 2000-010 - Little Rock AR
VFW Post 9095 CCO *, 29 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Bo Prewitt, North Little Rock AR
2 Preston Nickle
North Little Rock AR
3 Scott Chudy, Conway AR
4 Kenny Morris, Conway AR
5 Greg (Oz) Iosbaker, Little Rock AR
6 Stuart Frye, Little Rock AR
7 Linda D. Chandler
North Little Rock AR
8 Linda Iosbaker, Little Rock AR
9 Maria Chudy, North Little Rock AR
10 Clifton Nickle, Philadelphia MS
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Heifer's Chili, Little Rock AR
Sharon Skinner
2 Chisolm Trail Chili Co.
Fort Worth TX
Will Draper
3 Furby's Chili, Little Rock AR
Allen Light

Mar 4, 2000-013 - Medina TX
Apple Capital VFD CCO *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Mary Ellen Gillen, San Antonio TX
2 John Goforth, Comfort TX
3 R. Bruce Jones, Canyon Lake TX
4 Pat Dreibrodt, Comfort TX
5 Clyde Rogers, San Antonio TX
6 Sue Ann Greive, San Antonio TX
7 Karl F. Buechler Jr., Kerrville TX
8 Eldon Hiley, Boerne TX
9 Sharon Roy, Fredericksburg TX
10 Terry Tenery, Kerrville TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Iron Horse Chili, Kerrville TX
Karl F. Buechler
2 Ace In The Hole II, San Antonio TX
Charmaine Rogers
3 Buzzard Back Chili, Kerrville TX
Terry Tenery

Mar 4, 2000-014 - Pensacola FL
Hospice Of NW Florida CCO *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Randal D. (Randy) Moore
Gulf Shores AL
2 Harry Tomlin, Crestview FL
3 Renee F. Ray-Moore, Gulf Shores AL
4 John Alexander, Gulf Breeze FL
5 Carolyn Wise, Pace FL
6 April Frazier, Brewton AL
7 Ryan Oliver, Pensacola FL
8 Ricky Wilson, Orange Beach AL
9 Larry Joe Oliver, Pace FL
10 James E. Brockman, Daphne AL
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Watermelon Patch Chili, Crestview FL
Dianne Tomlin
2 Red Pepper Chili Outlaw, Daphne AL
James E. Brockman
3 Hot Cow Chili, Pelham AL
Darrell Tubb

Mar 4, 2000-015 - Ft. Worth TX
Louis Zapata (2nd Annual) CCO *, 16
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Billy Hutson, Granbury TX
2 Kay Hutson, Granbury TX
3 Gary Peterson, Glen Rose TX
4 Ray Calhoun, Waxahachie TX
5 Roma Kilpatrick, Saginaw TX
6 Judy Dyer, Cleburne TX
7 Cody Day, Glen Rose TX
8 John Perry, Fort Worth TX
9 Jim Dyer, Cleburne TX
10 Geri Briones, Dallas TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Goat Neck Roadkill Chili, Glen Rose TX
Gary Peterson
2 Grand Prize, Waxahachie TX
Ray Calhoun
3 The Bud Chili Team, Glen Rose TX
Cody Day

Mar 5, 2000-001 - Issaquah WA
Chili's Chili Challenge CCO *, 25 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Fred Roycroft, Pt. Coquitlam, BC Canada
2 Jim Minion, Federal Way WA
3 Erica Yarbrough, Lynnwood WA
4 Judie Anderson, Olympia WA
5 Ruth H. Peach, Tacoma WA
6 Grier Goldsby, Pt. Coquitlam, BC Canada
7 Mack Yarbrough, Lynnwood WA
8 Sharon Yarbrough, Lynnwood WA
9 Betty Duff , Pt. Coquitlam, BC Canada
10 Eric H. Wall, Seattle WA

Mar 5, 2000-002 - Austin TX
Lions No Frills CCO *, 36 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Barbara Taylor, Cedar Park TX
2 Margaret Nadeau, Austin TX
3 Larry Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
4 Anne Roberts, Red Oak TX
5 Carrie Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
6 Greg Martin, Cedar Park TX
7 Norma L. Homesley, Manchaca TX
8 Tom Cook, Marble Falls TX
9 Marion "Rusty" Paske, Kingsland TX
10 Diane H. Barton, Round Rock TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Spine Tingling Chili, Marble Falls TX
Carrie Kinnison
2 Tall Girl Frog, Rockdale TX, Sue Caffey
3 Copenhagen Lady, San Antonio TX
Connie S. Schrade

Mar 11, 2000-001 - Pasadena TX
Pasadena Pod 27th Annual CCO *, 60 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Mitzi Matthis, Crosby TX
2 Karin Barnes, Houston TX
3 Teena Miller, Baytown TX
4 Phil Barnes, Houston TX
5 Ken Rodd, Austin TX
6 Jo Anna Allen, La Porte TX
7 Diane Spence, Highlands TX
8 Nick Roberts, Red Oak TX
9 Gilbert Butschek Jr., Houston TX
10 Bert (Bubba) Reinke, Martindale TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Bunny Chili, Crosby TX, Mitzi Matthis
2 Hot Rodd Chili, Austin TX, Ken Rodd
3 Outcast Cooker, Pasadena TX
Hank Romano

Mar 11, 2000-002 - Comfort TX
Hermann Sons Retirement Home CCO *, 50
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Patricia K. (Pat) Irvine, Seguin TX
2 John Comte, Garland TX
3 Sally Lee, San Antonio TX
4 Barbara Benold, Dripping Springs TX
5 Barbara Schueler, Leander TX
6 Julie Darley, Canyon Lake TX
7 Sharon Roy, Fredericksburg TX
8 Mel FitzHenry, Whitney TX

9 Irene Duffield, San Antonio TX
10 James Bauer, Leander TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Ace In The Hole, San Antonio TX
Clyde Rogers
2 Copenhagen Lady, San Antonio TX
Connie S. Schrade
3 Tall Girl Frog, Rockdale TX
Sue Caffey

Mar 11, 2000-003 - Caballo NM
Eagles Aerie Under The Patio CCO *, 23 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Bill Asbury, Las Cruces NM
2 Marion (Bud) Barrick, Organ NM
3 Ron Wright, Organ NM
4 Patsy Elliott, El Paso TX
5 Dick Seehusen, Alamogordo NM
6 Cathy Daugherty, Alamogordo NM
7 Carol Straughan, El Paso TX
8 Mark Barrick, Organ NM
9 Donna Von Gentz, El Paso TX
10 Janie Owen, El Paso TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 More Hal'acious, Alamogordo NM
Hal Etter
2 Asheep At The Wheel, El Paso TX
Carol Straughan
3 Piggy Too, Alamogordo NM
Hugh Hughes

Mar 11, 2000-004 - Memphis TN
VFW Post 4935 CCO *, 16 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 H. Bruce Smith, Memphis TN
2 Wendy Rains, West Memphis AR
3 Preston Shaw, Parsons TN
4 Jean Shaw, Portageville MO
5 Brian Powers, Cordova TN
6 Judi Cassini, Memphis TN
7 William R. "Bill" Bailey
Southaven MS
8 Carol Knight, Lebanon TN
9 Tanna M. Jones, Walls MS
10 Susan Knight, Rio Frio TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Riverside Cookers, Proctor AR
Janie Raines
2 Attitude Chili, Walls MS
Rodney A. Jones
3 Crazy Leggs Chili, Portageville MO
Jean Shaw

Mar 11, 2000-005 - White Settlement TX
CSCOP Challenge CCO *, 30 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Billy Hutson, Granbury TX
2 Johnnie L. Sullivan, Ennis TX
3 Gary Peterson, Glen Rose TX
4 Kay Hutson, Granbury TX
5 Cody Day, Glen Rose TX
6 David Manske, Arlington TX
7 Frank Gadberry, Lancaster TX
8 Suzie Manske, Arlington TX
9 James Ouzts, White Settlement TX
10 Shirley Sexton, Dallas TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Goat Neck Roadkill Chili, Glen Rose TX
Gary Peterson
2 Hell's Fury, Dallas TX
Shirley Sexton
3 Ralston Gang, White Settlement TX
Bill Sampson

Mar 11, 2000-006 - Gardendale TX
Fat Tommy's CCO *, 30 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Doretta (Dodie) Simpson, Odessa TX
2 Karen Bains, Rankin TX
3 Marlon Brock, Big Spring TX
4 Kenneth Archer, Odessa TX
5 Joann Scott, Odessa TX
6 Wes W. Watson, Midland TX
7 Gwyn McCollum, Lamesa TX
8 David (Dave) Boone, Odessa TX
9 Gary Brant, Odessa TX
10 Dennis Brackeen, Lamesa TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Outlawz Buzzard Chili, Midland TX
Bobby Slaughter
2 Frank's Favorite, Midland TX
Bill Dees
3 River Rat, Lamesa TX
Dennis Brackeen

Mar 11, 2000-007 - Nicksville AZ
St. Pats Day 14th Annual CCO *, 31 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Fran Phillips, Sierra Vista AZ
2 Charles C. (Chuck) Dugan
Sierra Vista AZ
3 William N (Bill) Garbutt, Sierra Vista AZ
4 Dick Bruce, Tucson AZ
5 David (Mad Jack) Garner, Chandler AZ
6 Mike Wienert, Tucson AZ
7 Ron Phillips, Sierra Vista AZ
8 James (Jim) Teeter, Sierra Vista AZ
9 Denise Cabello, Tucson AZ
10 Craig Harris, Sierra Vista AZ
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Hang 'em High, Sierra Vista AZ
John C. Johnson
2 Jack-O-Lantern Chili
Sierra Vista AZ
Guy Tennison
3 Doug's Road show, Sierra Vista AZ
Douglas L. Thuma

Mar 11, 2000-009 - Bedford TX
Cracked Back CCO *, 26 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Tina Roberts, Bedford TX
2 John Perry, Fort Worth TX
3 Doris Coats, Irving TX
4 Bob Roberts, Bedford TX
5 Jack Schultz, Quinlan TX
6 Jim Stoddard, Coppell TX
7 Kenneth Robbins, Lewisville TX
8 Judy Dyer, Cleburne TX
9 Amy Lambright, Irving TX
10 Don Witcher, Burleson TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Trailblazer, Hurst TX
Beth Moon
2 Da'Chiefs Chili, Quinlan TX
Jack Schultz
3 Puzzle Time Chili, Hurst TX
Bill Sweigart

Mar 11, 2000-010 - Pine Bluff AR
Jaycees 21st Annual CCO *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Gary Nesler, Cabot AR
2 Bo Prewitt, North Little Rock AR
3 Preston Nickle
North Little Rock AR
4 Randy Neal, Pine Bluff AR
5 Gloria Robinson, Pine Bluff AR
6 Allen Light, Little Rock AR
7 Debbie Blanks, Little Rock AR
8 Carroll C. Reed, Sheridan AR
9 Kyle Kittler, Pine Bluff AR
10 H.A. Taylor, Pine Bluff AR
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Meat Masters, Pine Bluff 71
John Hauge
2 Century Tube Million $
Pine Bluff AR
Sandy Bitely
3 Mash 2000, Pine Bluff AR
Julee Johnson

Mar 12, 2000-001 - Alvarado TX
VFW Aux. 9299 CCO *, 25 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Billy Hutson, Granbury TX
2 Suzie Manske, Arlington TX
3 Kay Hutson, Granbury TX
4 John Perry, Fort Worth TX
5 Beth Baxter, Grand Prairie TX
6 Jim Taylor, Arlington TX
7 Johnnie L. Sullivan, Ennis TX
8 Alicia Johnson, Cleburne TX
9 Gary Peterson, Glen Rose TX
10 David Manske, Arlington TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Goat Neck Roadkill Chili
Glen Rose TX
Gary Peterson
2 Wild Willie's Chili, Lancaster TX
Hulen Hansen
3 Wayne's Chili, Howe TX
Wayne Mathewson

Mar 12, 2000-002 - Tulsa OK
The Choo-Choo CCO *, 26 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Lorinda Crawford, Collinsville OK
2 Mike Barber, Tulsa OK
3 Everett Crawford, Collinsville OK
4 Jami Gregory, Tulsa OK
5 Tom (Tucker) Snyder, Tulsa OK
6 David H. Curtis, Guthrie OK
7 Janet Keirsey, Tulsa OK
8 Loida Mayenschein, Tulsa OK
9 Aaron Gregory, Tulsa OK
10 Mike Hallenbeck, Broken Arrow OK
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Biggens Chili, Tulsa OK
Aaron Gregory
2 Line Gang Chili, Fort Smith AR
Guy E. Smith
3 Pharter Starters, Broken Arrow OK
Mike Hallenbeck

Mar 12, 2000-003 - Pasadena TX
Boomer's CCO *, 41 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Jo Anna Allen, La Porte TX
2 Rita Primeaux, Houston TX
3 Monteia Davidson, Katy TX
4 Cynthia A. (Cindy) Reed
The Woodlands TX
5 Daniel Davidson, Katy TX
6 Julie Darley, Canyon Lake TX
7 Kevin Foley, Houston TX
8 Ken Rodd, Austin TX
9 Joe Dalton, Houston TX
10 Carrie Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 The Neighbors, Clear Lake Shores TX
Dorothy Spishock
2 Snakebreath Chili, Houston TX
Don Meehan
3 Bunny Chili, Crosby TX
Mitzi Matthis

Mar 18, 2000-001 - Alvarado TX
American Legion #426 (3rd Annual) *, 39 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Coby Davis, Dallas TX
2 Frances Sullivan, Ennis TX
3 Johnnie L. Sullivan, Ennis TX
4 Gary Post, Grand Prairie TX
5 Gary Peterson, Glen Rose TX
6 Patti Cook, Garland TX
7 Mark Sanders, Ennis TX
8 Gail Post, Grand Prairie TX
9 Don Witcher, Burleson TX
10 Lee Brett, Duncanville TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Goat Neck Roadkill Chili
Glen Rose TX
Gary Peterson
2 Snowman, Kemp TX
Portia Rogers
3 Alamo Chili Show, Fort Worth TX
George F. Roof III

Mar 18, 2000-002 - Coldspring TX
Coldspring CofC Hot Stuff CCO *, 31 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 James Barker, Highlands TX
2 Doug Hay, Pasadena TX
3 Mary Roe, Willis TX
4 Monteia Davidson, Katy TX
5 Ralph Hay, Pasadena TX
6 Karin Barnes, Houston TX
7 Mitzi Matthis, Crosby TX
8 William (Jimbo) Matthis, Crosby TX
9 Walter Caldwell, Kemah TX
10 Kevin Foley, Houston TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Marshall's Throw Down, Huffman TX
Doyle Marshall
2 Linda Lou's Sugar & Spice, Huntington TX, Linda Whitten

Mar 18, 2000-003 - San Antonio TX
San Antonio Pod 25th Annual CCO *, 75 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Greg Martin, Cedar Park TX
2 Patricia K. (Pat) Irvine, Seguin TX
3 Shirley Stateczny, Boerne TX
4 Barbara Taylor, Cedar Park TX
5 Sally Lee, San Antonio TX
6 Sue Caffey, Rockdale TX
7 John Goforth, Comfort TX
8 Sue Ann Greive, San Antonio TX
9 Larry Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
10 Leonard Jonas, San Antonio TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Ace In The Hole, San Antonio TX
Clyde Rogers
2 Shoot-A-Mile, Comfort TX
John Goforth
3 One More Time, San Antonio TX
Claire Martin

Mar 18, 2000-004 - Tacoma WA
St. Patricks Red & Green CCO *, 20 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Fred Roycroft
Pt. Coquitlam, BC Canada
2 Ken Peach, Tacoma WA
3 Erica Yarbrough, Lynnwood WA
4 David Veljacic
Coquitlam, BC Canada
5 Betty Duff
Pt. Coquitlam, BC Canada
6 Bob Lyon, Bellevue WA
7 Evelyn Trevino, Vancouver WA
8 Ruth H. Peach, Tacoma WA
9 LaRaine Baker, Spanaway WA
10 Sharon Yarbrough, Lynnwood WA

SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Aggieny & ExTexasy, Lynnwood WA
Mack Yarbrough
2 St. Jimmy's Chili Team, Vancouver WA
Evelyn Trevino
3 Chili North Pt. Coquitlam, BC Canada
Fred Roycroft

Mar 18, 2000-005 - The Colony TX
Hidden Cove Park (19th) CCO *, 36 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Jack Schultz, Quinlan TX
2 Jim Robertson, Dallas TX
3 David Sexton Jr., Grapevine TX
4 Lisa R. Duggan, Corinth TX
5 Linda Marlow, The Colony TX
6 Shirley Sexton, Dallas TX
7 David Sexton Sr., Dallas TX
8 Mary Harmon
North Richland Hills TX
9 John Strange, Carrollton TX
10 Linda Embree, Flower Mound TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Candy's Chiefs, Quinlan TX
Candy Schultz
2 Hell's Fury, Dallas TX Shirley Sexton
3 Bull Rush, Irving TX Ginny Williams

Mar 18, 2000-006 - Odessa TX
Incredibles Lounge 2nd Annual CCO *, 24
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Martha Edwards, Odessa TX
2 Barbara Herrin, Odessa TX
3 Wes W. Watson, Midland TX
4 Beverly Maynard, Odessa TX
5 Dennis Edwards, Odessa TX
6 Barbara Conaway, Stanton TX
7 David (Dave) Boone, Odessa TX
8 Gary Brant, Odessa TX
9 Tamara Dees, Midland TX
10 Louis Gonzales, Odessa TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Outlawz Buzzard Chili, Midland TX
Bobby Slaughter
2 Double LL, Midland TX
Louis Gonzales
3 Three's (3's) Are Closed
Midland TX Andy Young

Mar 18, 2000-008 - Oklahoma City OK
Spring Craft Fair & Country Music *, 15
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Everett Crawford, Collinsville OK
2 Jerry Dickerson, Shawnee OK
3 Junior Johnson, Lamar MO
4 Dixie Johnson, Lamar MO
5 Jami Gregory, Tulsa OK
6 George D. Ralston, Wichita Falls TX
7 Jackie Ralston, Wichita Falls TX
8 Aaron Gregory, Tulsa OK
9 Donell Dickerson, Shawnee OK
10 Russell E. Harriman, Bethany OK
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Pig Pen Chili Team, Tulsa OK
Gene Bond
2 Road Kill Chili, Shawnee OK
Jerry Dickerson

Mar 19, 2000-001 - Seguin TX
Country Cabaret CCO *, 24 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Janet Cielencki, San Antonio TX
2 Larry Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
3 Fread E. Cielencki Sr.
San Antonio TX
4 Ruby Ross, Marble Falls TX
5 Julie Darley, Canyon Lake TX
6 Carrie Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
7 R. Bruce Jones, Canyon Lake TX
8 Lorina B. Harris, Del Rio TX
9 Raymond Pilchiek, Bluffton TX
10 Irene Duffield, San Antonio TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Royal Flush, Weimar TX
Jean H. Barkley
2 Home Brew 1, Yorktown TX
Marvin Schulze

Mar 25, 2000-001 - Houston TX
2001 Quad Pod Chili Odyssey CCO *, 40
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Marolyn Blair, Houston TX
2 James Barker, Highlands TX
3 Pat Krenek, Houston TX
4 Teena Miller, Baytown TX
5 Donna Leird, Houston TX
6 Bubba Forester, Houston TX
7 Marcia Headrick, Huntsville TX
8 Ralph Hay, Pasadena TX
9 Beth Baxter, Grand Prairie TX
10 Sandra (Sandy) Blaschke, Houston TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Murphy's Magic, Houston TX
Anne Murphy
2 The Neighbors, Clear Lake Shores TX
Dorothy Spishock
3 Bendover VFD #3, Houston TX
Meier Mathis

Mar 25, 2000-004 - Las Cruces NM
Mayfield Grapplers CCO *, 20 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Mark Barrick, Organ NM
2 Marion (Bud) Barrick, Organ NM
3 Janie Owen, El Paso TX
4 Bill Asbury, Las Cruces NM
5 Sue Seehusen, Alamogordo NM
6 Hut Brown, El Paso TX
7 Norm Wilkie, El Paso TX
8 Hal Etter, Alamogordo NM
9 Beverly Linker, Fabens TX
10 R.E. "Clem" Clement, Alamogordo NM
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 More Hal'acious, Alamogordo NM
Hal Etter
2 Piggy Too, Alamogordo NM
Hugh Hughes
3 Vagabond Chili, El Paso TX
Lola Diaz

Mar 25, 2000-005 - Odessa TX
St. Anthony's 2nd Annual CCO *, 41 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 David (Dave) Boone, Odessa TX
2 Kenn Hill, Odessa TX
3 Robin Crain, Crane TX
4 Louis Gonzales, Odessa TX
5 Barbara Conaway, Stanton TX
6 Roger Bains, Rankin TX
7 Patsy Childress, Midland TX
8 Joyce Yarbrough, Odessa TX
9 Wes W. Watson, Midland TX
10 Dennis Edwards, Odessa TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Hobo's, Midland TX
Barbara Summerlin
2 River Rat, Lamesa TX
Dennis Brackeen
3 T.L.C. Chili, Odessa TX Joann Scott

Mar 25, 2000-006 - Wichita Falls TX
American Legion Post 169 CCO *, 25 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Janice Schauf, Wichita Falls TX
2 Jo Ann Gaines, Wichita Falls TX
3 Jackie Ralston, Wichita Falls TX
4 Glyn Gaines, Wichita Falls TX
5 Anne Roberts, Red Oak TX
6 Roy Huston, Wichita Falls TX
7 Lisa R. Duggan, Corinth TX
8 Jerry Dickerson, Shawnee OK
9 Judy Walker, Wichita Falls TX
10 Phebe Cude, Breckenridge TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Two Gun Chili, Wichita Falls TX
Jackie Ralston
2 Colorado Connection Wichita Falls TX
Janice Schauf
3 Bottom Of The Barrel, Lawton OK
Lisa Knight

Mar 25, 2000-007 - Somerset TX
Cheap Charlie's Cabrito & CCO *, 36 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Pat Pilchiek, Bluffton TX
2 Sharon Roy, Fredericksburg TX
3 Pat Dreibrodt, Comfort TX
4 Joyce Jowers, San Antonio TX
5 Raymond Pilchiek, Bluffton TX
6 Happy Hinman, San Antonio TX
7 Fread E. Cielencki Sr.
San Antonio TX
8 Sue Caffey, Rockdale TX
9 Julie Darley, Canyon Lake TX
10 Janet Cielencki, San Antonio TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Ace In The Hole II, San Antonio TX
Charmaine Rogers
2 Copenhagen Lady, San Antonio TX
Connie S. Schrade

Mar 25, 2000-008 - Conowingo MD
Conowingo Chili Challenge *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Charlie Walstrom
Fort Washington MD
2 Alan Dean, Bel Air MD
3 Robert Cooper, Nottingham MD
4 Dave E. Cleary Jr., Conowingo MD
5 Steve Corley, Alexandria VA
6 Bonnie Walstrom, Fort Washington MD
7 James C. Greer, Perry Hall MD
8 Wesley Thorne, Moon Township PA
9 Ghon Eckley, Mount Airy MD
10 Jim Parker, Alexandria VA

Mar 25, 2000-009 - Parker AZ
People's Choice 2nd Annual CCO *, 19
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Lyndia Slawson, Phoenix AZ
2 Willie Raven, Phoenix AZ
3 Sharon Pinnell, Anwatukee AZ
4 Sandy L. Lee, Peoria AZ
5 B. Wayne Scott, Glendale AZ
6 Tom J. Klug, Gold Canyon AZ
7 Lylah Raven, Phoenix AZ
8 Ken Black, Glendale AZ
9 Pat Jones, Chino Valley AZ
10 Mary Ellen Scott, Glendale AZ
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Rev-Rind Will-I Chil-I, Phoenix AZ
Willie Raven
2 Alchemist Chili, Peoria AZ Jerry D. Lee
3 Happy Pat Chili, Chino Valley AZ
Pat Jones

Apr 1, 2000-001 - Monroe LA
Monroe Moose Lodge 818 CCO *, 20 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 James Mosley, Little Rock AR
2 Don Pell, Monroe LA
3 George E. French III, Minden LA
4 Stuart Frye, Little Rock AR
5 Frankie Carter, Bernice LA
6 Benny McCarty, Monroe LA
7 Ernie Carter, Bernice LA
8 Mike Costa, Schwartz LA
9 Brian Anderson, Monroe LA
10 Clorice Breland, Monroe LA
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 The Four Amigos, Monroe LA
Clorice Breland
2 Round Belly Team, Monroe LA
Billie Miller

Apr 1, 2000-002 - Gulf Shores AL
Alabama State Championship CO OPEN*, 16
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Linda D. Chandler
North Little Rock AR
2 Larry Joe Oliver, Pace FL
3 Darrell Johnson Tubb, Pelham AL
4 John McGiboney, Montevallo AL
5 Carolyn Wise, Pace FL
6 Clifton Nickle, Philadelphia MS
7 April Frazier, Brewton AL
8 Preston Nickle
North Little Rock AR
9 Dianne Tomlin, Crestview FL
10 John Alexander, Gulf Breeze FL
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Hot Cow Chili, Pelham AL, Darrell Tubb
2 Finish Line Chili, Montevallo AL
John McGiboney
3 Rebel Lonestar, Point Clear AL
Kate Settles

Apr 1, 2000-003 - Clear Lake Shores TX
Islander 2nd Annual Soup & CCO *, 34
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Daniel Davidson, Katy TX
2 Cecil Schmidt, League City TX
3 Donna Leird, Houston TX
4 Kevin Foley, Houston TX
5 Monteia Davidson, Katy TX
6 Doug Hay, Pasadena TX
7 Sandra (Sandy) Blaschke, Houston TX
8 Bubba Forester, Houston TX
9 Ralph Hay, Pasadena TX
10 Karin Barnes, Houston TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 The Neighbors, Clear Lake Shores TX
Dorothy Spishock
2 Murphy's Magic, Houston TX
Anne Murphy
3 Bendover VFD #3, Houston TX
Meier Mathis

Apr 1, 2000-004 - Lubbock TX
ABC Rodeo 2nd Annual BBQ & CCO *, 16
CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Dennis Brackeen, Lamesa TX
2 Brad Tarver, Lubbock TX
3 Fidel Durion Jr., Lubbock TX
4 Gwyn McCollum, Lamesa TX
5 Kay Ragland, Lubbock TX
6 Pam Matheson, Amarillo TX
7 Kenneth Posey, Littlefield TX
8 Bill McDonald, Amarillo TX
9 Steve Stricklen, Lubbock TX
10 Jody Rood, Lubbock TX

SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Pepe's Bradass Chili, Lubbock TX
Brad Tarver
2 Red Wolf, Hobbs NM
Suzanne Wolfe
3 River Rat, Lamesa TX
Dennis Brackeen

Apr 1, 2000-005 - San Antonio TX
Ronald McDonald House 3rd CCO *, 22 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Mary Ellen Gillen, San Antonio TX
2 Connie Sue Schrade, San Antonio TX
3 Sue Ann Greive, San Antonio TX
4 Happy Hinman, San Antonio TX
5 Kim Hiley, Boerne TX
6 James Gillen Jr., San Antonio TX
7 Sally Lee, San Antonio TX
8 April McNeff, San Antonio TX
9 John Casias, Somerset TX
10 Nora Casias, Somerset TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Roadkill Chili, Lakehills TX
Imajean Williams
2 Twin Sisters, San Antonio TX
Sue Ann Greive
3 Drop Dead Chili, San Antonio TX
Mark Bessellieu

Apr 1, 2000-006 - Gonzales TX
Back to Back with April 2nd CCO *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Marvin Schulze, Yorktown TX
2 Russell Bethke, Weesatche TX
3 Healani Bethke, Weesatche TX
4 Wayne Roessler, Victoria TX
5 Robert Lowery, Victoria TX
6 Charles Schons, Victoria TX
7 Scott Bailey, Seguin TX
8 Betsy Schulze, Yorktown TX
9 Fred Koricanek, Gonzales TX
10 Landra Priestly, San Antonio TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Home Brew II, Yorktown TX
Betsy Schulze

Apr 1, 2000-007 - Odessa TX
Loyal Order of Moose CCO *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Doretta (Dodie) Simpson, Odessa TX
2 Darrell Hopper, Odessa TX
3 Michael W. Watson, Midland TX
4 Wes W. Watson, Midland TX
5 Gene Matthews, Denton TX
6 Kenn Hill, Odessa TX
7 Beverly Maynard, Odessa TX
8 Louis Gonzales, Odessa TX
9 Ken Large, Odessa TX
10 Tamara Dees, Midland TX

Apr 1, 2000-009 - Kingsland TX
Bluebonnet CCO *, 29 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Carrie Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
2 James Bauer, Leander TX
3 Barbara C. Taylor, Johnson City TX
4 Wendell Carnes, Marble Falls TX
5 Chuck Taylor, Cedar Park TX
6 Sharon Roy, Fredericksburg TX
7 Barbara Taylor, Cedar Park TX
8 Melba Fae Paske, Kingsland TX
9 Melba Westerman, Marble Falls TX
10 Barbara Schueler, Leander TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Toy Person, Marble Falls TX,
Gayle Cook
2 Spine Tingling Chili, Marble Falls TX
Carrie Kinnison
3 Tall Girl Frog, Rockdale TX
Sue Caffey

Apr 1, 2000-010 - Luling TX
Roughneck 11th Annual CCO *, 27 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Bert (Bubba) Reinke, Martindale TX
2 Al Austin, Houston TX
3 Jean H. Barkley, Weimar TX
4 Karen Reinke, Martindale TX
5 Dennis Pesek, Shiner TX
6 Don Perry, Kingsbury TX
7 Ronald D. Charlton, Houston TX
8 Russell Seeliger, Lockhart TX
9 Doug Bohanan, Luling TX
10 Nancy Perry, Kingsbury TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Flashback (ISI), Luling TX
Tammy Ezernack
2 TKO Cookers, Floresville TX
Terry McIlvain
3 Red Adair Blow Out, San Antonio TX
Ray Kirsch

Apr 1, 2000-011 - Clinton MD
Christmas In April CCO *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Hilde Carter, Conowingo MD
2 Alan Dean, Bel Air MD
3 Freddie W. Gann, Charlotte NC
4 Susan Dean, Bel Air MD
5 Steve Corley, Alexandria VA
6 Michael Massarelli, Fallston MD
7 Jim Parker, Alexandria VA
8 Bob Massarelli, Fallston MD
9 Bruce Baker, Falls Church VA
10 Bonnie Walstrom, Fort Washington MD

Apr 2, 2000-001 - Gonzales TX
Back to Back with April 1st CCO *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Russell Bethke, Weesatche TX
2 Jean H. Barkley, Weimar TX
3 Wayne Roessler, Victoria TX
4 Robert Lowery, Victoria TX
5 Bert (Bubba) Reinke, Martindale TX
6 Betsy Schulze, Yorktown TX
7 Healani Bethke, Weesatche TX
8 Marvin Schulze, Yorktown TX
9 Charles Schons, Victoria TX
10 Linda J. McDonald, Victoria TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Home Brew II, Yorktown TX
Betsy Schulze
2 Charlea's Tailgate Chili, Gonzales TX
J.R. Burrier

Apr 2, 2000-002 - Kingsland TX
Chamber Of Commerce CCO *, 15 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Pat Pilchiek, Bluffton TX
2 Chuck Taylor, Cedar Park TX
3 Melba Westerman, Marble Falls TX
4 R. Bruce Jones, Canyon Lake TX
5 Richard"Big Dick" Rogers
Marble Falls TX
6 Irene Duffield, San Antonio TX
7 Barbara Taylor, Cedar Park TX
8 Fred Westerman, Marble Falls TX
9 Ruby Ross, Marble Falls TX
10 Carrie Kinnison, Marble Falls TX

Apr 8, 2000-001 - Del Rio TX
First 2000 CCO *, 25 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Desiree Heard, Del Rio TX
2 Sue Caffey, Rockdale TX
3 R. Bruce Jones, Canyon Lake TX
4 Lorina B. Harris, Del Rio TX
5 Gerald Harris, Del Rio TX
6 Julie Darley, Canyon Lake TX
7 Jim McKee, Canyon Lake TX
8 Fred Westerman, Marble Falls TX
9 Jan Windrow, San Antonio TX
10 Phyllis McKee, Canyon Lake TX
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Pot Bellies Chili, San Angelo TX
Sue Yates
2 Tall Girl Frog, Rockdale TX
Sue Caffey
3 Hoochie's Koochetas, Del Rio TX
Lauree Koog

Apr 8, 2000-003 - Hiawassee GA
G.C.C.A. Mountain CCO *, 28 CHILIS
CHILI WINNERS
1 Randal D. (Randy) Moore
Gulf Shores AL
2 Robert Mitchell, Harmony NC
3 Renee F. Ray-Moore, Gulf Shores AL
4 Dick Steinert, Greensboro NC
6 Max R. James Sr., Olin NC
5 James Howell, Hiawassee GA
7 Steve Grant, Statesville NC
8 Pat Lundy, Statesville NC
9 Freddie W. Gann, Charlotte NC
10 Bill Lundy, Statesville NC
SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS
1 Rain Soaked, Marietta GA
Danny R. Cannon
2 Chili By Tuxedo Bill, Statesville NC
Bill Lundy
3 Pat's Comanchero Chili, Statesville NC
Pat Lundy

COOKS QUALIFIED AS OF 04/16/00

87 John Strange, Carrollton TX
88 Ken Holmes, New River AZ
89 Karen Banas, Queen Creek AZ
90 George K. Jowers III
San Antonio TX
91 Preston Nickle
North Little Rock AR
92 Stuart Frye, Little Rock AR
93 Patricia K. (Pat) Irvine, Seguin TX
94 John Comte, Garland TX
95 Sally Lee, San Antonio TX
96 Gary Nesler, Cabot AR
97 Billy Hutson, Granbury TX
98 Kay Hutson, Granbury TX
99 Coby Davis, Dallas TX
100 Jack Schultz, Quinlan TX
101 David Sexton Sr., Dallas TX
102 Martha Edwards, Odessa TX
103 Larry Kinnison, Marble Falls TX
104 Fred Roycroft
Pt. Coquitlam, BC Canada
105 Karin Barnes, Houston TX
106 Jo Anna Allen, La Porte TX
107 James Barker, Highlands TX
108 David (Dave) Boone, Odessa TX
109 Janice Schauf, Wichita Falls TX
110 Glyn Gaines, Wichita Falls TX
111 Charlie Walstrom
Fort Washington MD
112 Alan Dean, Bel Air MD
113 Tom J. Klug, Gold Canyon AZ
114 Marion (Bud) Barrick, Organ NM
115 Joyce Jowers, San Antonio TX
116 Sue Caffey, Rockdale TX
117 Linda D. Chandler
North Little Rock AR
118 Darrell Johnson Tubb, Pelham AL
119 John McGiboney, Montevallo AL
120 April Frazier, Brewton AL
121 Happy Hinman, San Antonio TX
122 Doretta (Dodie) Simpson, Odessa TX
123 Darrell Hopper, Odessa TX
124 James Bauer, Leander TX
125 Sharon Roy, Fredericksburg TX
126 Karen Reinke, Martindale TX
127 Wayne Roessler, Victoria TX
128 Pat Pilchiek, Bluffton TX
129 Dennis Brackeen, Lamesa TX
130 Randal D. (Randy) Moore
Gulf Shores AL

SHOW TEAMS QUALIFIED AS OF 04/16/00

41 Hang 'em High, Sierra Vista AZ
John C. Johnson
42 Copenhagen Lady, San Antonio TX
Connie S. Schrade
43 Iron Horse Chili, Kerrville TX
Karl F. Buechler
44 Spine Tingling Chili
Marble Falls TX
Carrie Kinnison
45 Ace In The Hole, San Antonio TX
Clyde Rogers
46 Asheep At The Wheel, El Paso TX
Carol Straughan
47 Goat Neck Roadkill Chili
Glen Rose TX
Gary Peterson
48 Outlawz Buzzard Chili, Midland TX
Bobby Slaughter
49 Royal Flush, Weimar TX
Jean H. Barkley
50 Home Brew 1, Yorktown TX
Marvin Schulze
51 River Rat, Lamesa TX
Dennis Brackeen
52 Rev-Rind Will-I Chil-I, Phoenix AZ
Willie Raven
53 Happy Pat Chili, Chino Valley AZ
Pat Jones
54 Watermelon Patch Chili
Crestview FL
Dianne Tomlin
55 Ace In The Hole II, San Antonio TX
Charmaine Rogers
56 Hot Cow Chili, Pelham AL
Darrell Tubb
57 Toy Person, Marble Falls TX
Gayle Cook
58 Murphy's Magic, Houston TX
Anne Murphy

DELINQUENT COOKOFFS - These are Cookoffs held before 03/01/00 that results have not been received for!

Oct 23, 1999-008 - Chalk Hill PA
Mountain Harvest Festival CCO

Nov 13, 1999-004 - Piggott AR
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Parkers Crossroads Battlefield Cookoff	June 10th
Cowtown Pod Cookoff	June 17th
The Texas Open CASI State Championship	August 12th

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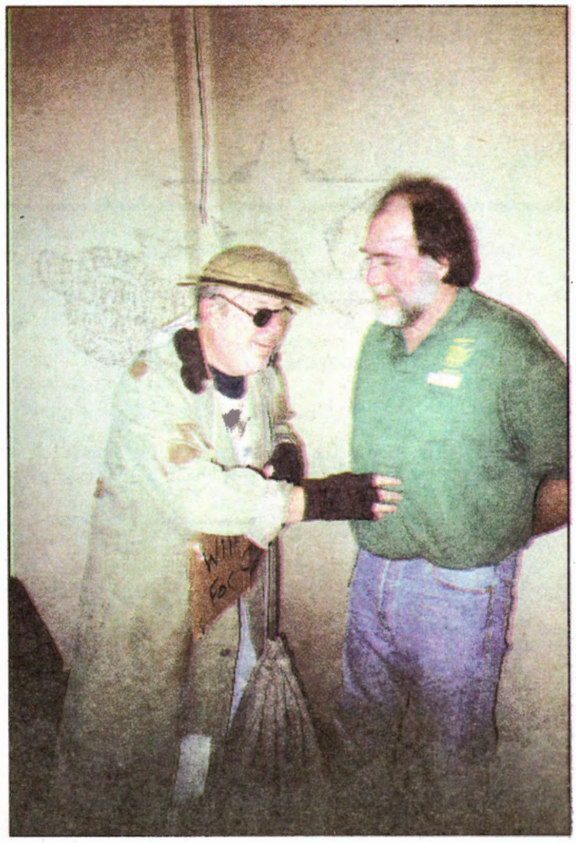

James Mosley trying to get $ from Preston Nickle

Rodney Jones

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May 2000

May, 06, 2000, Organ, NM, CASI. 7th Annual Miners Day CCO Ace's Place Organ, NM Benifits Domestic Violence Shelter. Turn IN4:00PM. **Cancelled**.Entry Fee$12.00payable to NMCS Info: Di Hughes 505-437-6259 or Bud Barrick 505-382-5107

May 06, 2000, Ennis, TX, CASI. Jackpot Beans and CASI Chili, 21st Annual Top of Texas Kickoff Cookoff, location of cookoff is the Knights of Columbus Hall in Ennis, TX, benefits Knights of Columbus, turn-in for Beans is Noon, turn-in for Chili is 2:00 PM, entry fees are $5/Beans and $20/Chili, goody bags guaranteed for 1st 100 entries, make checks payable to Top of Texas and send to Bill Cook at 6418 Casa Vista, Garland, TX 75043, indicate shirt size or live with XL, for information or questions contact Nick McGarity at 817-975-0484. Junior and Local Cookoff Also. Friday night Hospitality Party, overnight camping/no hookups, see also TOT Mornin' After Cookoff on Sunday

May 06,2000, Pyote,TX, CASI. 10th Annual Aunt Jackie's Chili & Barbeque Cookoff. Held at 111 West Highway 80 Pyote, Texas. Charity: Christmas in July CASI & W.T.B.A. Rules: Entry $17.00 per category: Chili, Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs, and Brisket; $10.00 for JackPot Beans. Checks payable to Aunt Jackie's Place Contact: Connie Zocher, P.O. Box 523, Pyote, TX 79777. (915)389-5722 or zoch915@caprok.net

May 06,2000, Nowhere, AZ, CASI. Arizona Men & Women's Open at the Burro Inn. State Wings Championship & Spam-a-Rama also included. Benefits Wilhoit Volunteer Fire Dept. Entry fee $10.00 payable to YCS. Dry camping available. For more info, Wayne & Mary Ellen Scott 623-930-9271 or e-mail MES Inc@aol.com <mailto:Inc@aol.com>

May 6, 2000, Las Cruces, NM, CASI. Las Cruces Eagles Aerie North 17th Street, behind the Western Motel. Benefits Eagles Charities. Turn-in 2:00 p.m. Entry Fee $12.00. Info Bud Barrick (505) 678-8943 or TeamOrgan@zianet.com

May, 06, 2000, Amarillo, TX, CASI. 10th Annual Goodwill Ind. CCO. Held at 4600 Georgia St. Shopping Ctr.. Benefits Goodwill Ind. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00, payable to Tall in Texas Pod. **Chili Grind Only**. Beans $5.00, Beans furnished. Info Larry Guffey, 3609 Doris, Amarillo TX 79109-4401. (806)355-3642

May, 06, 2000, Marble Falls, TX, CASI. . Cook off Name 29th. Howdy Roo Chili, BBQ & Beans. Location: Johnson Park, Turn in times: Beans 12.00 Chicken 1.00 Chili 2.00 Ribs 2.30 Brisket 3.00 CASI Sanctioned chili $15.00 BBQ Sanctioned C.T.B.A. Also Golf Tournament Friday May 5 at 1.00, $25.00 Entry fee including green fee, cart, range balls & prize money-handicapped. Cooks Party & local charity Checks Payable to Highland Lakes Pod. Information contact Pat Pilchiek 370 W. Lakecrest Dr., Bluffton TX. 78607 Ph. (915)379-1407 Or Ruby Ross (830)693-3452 Chili meat open

May, 06, 2000, Ashland, MS, CASI. Mississippi Springfest Championship. Entry fee $18.00, payable to Mississippi Springfest. Info Tony Tidwell, PO Box 507, Ashland, MS 38603. (662)224-3220.

May, 06, 2000, Accokeek, MD, CASI. Watch Your Step CCO at the Hard Bargain Farm Annual Spring Farm Festival. Entry fee $17 payable to Mason-Dixon Pod. Turn-in at 2:00. For information, call Charlie Walstrom at (301)292-5403.

May, 06, 2000, Gladewater, TX, CASI--Annual East Texas Gusher Days Chili Cookoff sponsored by Budweiser and the Gladewater Chamber of Commerce, in the "Antiques Capital of East Texas." Chili entry $20.00, Jackpot Beans $5.00. Chili grind only. Goodie bags, cooks' dinner Friday night, with festival events galore on Saturday. Benefits Gusher Days College Scholarship Fund. For more information, write Brenda Brown, Caddo_B@hotmail.com. or call (903) 845-7690.

May, 06/07, 2000, Grove, OK, CASI. "Smoke on the Water BBQ & Chili Blast" Held at the Civic Center (Parking Lot), 18th & Main (Northwest West Corner) Grove, Oklahoma 74344. Cooks Meeting: 9:30 a.m., Showmanship: 10:00 a.m., Turn-In: 2:00 p.m. Entry Fee: $17.00. **Chili Grind Ground only** For more information contact Cindy Kramer, (918) 786-9079 or Bill Ford (918) 787-2299.

May, 06, 2000, Seguin, TX, CASI. 1st Annual Ultimate Cookoff Event. Benefits Buffalo Roam/A Sanctuary. Chili, BBQ (Brisket, Chicken & Ribs,) and Beans. Buffalo Roam/A Sanctuary, 8301 FM 20, Seguin, TX 78155. Entry fee's, CASI Chili $17, Beans $10, BBQ Brisket, Chicken or Ribs $25.00 each or all 3 for $50.00. Info Penny Sengler (830)303-0440 or Buffalo Roam (830)372-4747.

May 07, 2000, Ennis, TX, CASI. TOT Mornin' After Cookoff (**GROUND MEAT ONLY**), location of cookoff is the Knights of Columbus Hall in Ennis, TX, benefits Knights of Columbus, turn-in is Noon, entry fee is $12, make checks payable to Top of Texas and send to Bill Cook at 6418 Casa Vista, Garland, TX 75043, for information or questions contact Nick McGarity at 817-975-0484, see also 21st Annual Top of Texas Kickoff Cookoff on Saturday

May, 07, 2000, Amarillo, TX, CASI. Hotter Than Fire CCO & BBQ. Held at Club 26, 26th & Paramount. Benefits Valle D' Oro Fire Dept. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00 Chili, $5.00 Beans, $15.00 Ribs & $15.00 Brisket. ,payable to Tall in Texas Pod. Info Larry Guffey, 3609 Doris, Amarillo TX 79109-4401. (806)355-3642

May 07, 2000, Tulsa, OK, CASI. 2nd Annual Sequoyah Flats Chili Cookoff and Political Clout Challenge. Salsa competition also. 2:00 pm turn-in. Held at Sequoyah Park, 3400 E. Newton. Entry fee $20. Contact Nancy Turner, 918-834-7580 or Tom Snyder, 918-838-0798.

May 07, 2000, Marble Falls, TX, CASI. Location Johnson park. 3 Rd. Back Bone Creek cook off. CASI sanctioned. Local Charitys Chili turn in 12.00 entry fee $13.00. Make checks payable to Highland Lakes Pod For information contack Pat. Pilchiek 370 W. Lakecrest Dr. Bluffton tx. 78607 PH. (915)379-1407 or Ruby Ross (830)693-3452 Chili Grind Only Pot luck supper Sat. Night. Send packet to Pat Pilchiek at above add. thanks Raymond

May 07, 2000, El Paso, TX, CASI. KBNA - KAMA Cinco De Mayo Chili Cookoff. Benefits St Judes Children's Hospital. Location El Paso County Colliseum, 4100 E Paisano Dr. Entry fee $12.00. Chili turn in 2:00pm. Info. Hut Brown, 1516 Prairie, El Paso, TX 79925. Telephone (915) 772-2379.

May 13, 2000, Lake Texoma, TX, CASI. 7th Annual Thousand Trails Great Pepper Chili Cookoff. Held at the Thousand Trails Preserve, 12 miles North of Whitesoro via US 377. Benefits Thousand Trails Kids for Christmas. Free camping - Full hookups, Swimming pool and Hot Tub. Rental Cabins and RV's Available. Entry fee's, $17.00 Chili, $5.00 Jackpot Beans. Turn-in 1:00 Beans & 2:00 Chili. Info Pearce Bailey, 905 Crawford Rd., Sadler, TX 76264 (903)564-6228

May, 13, 2000, Tulsa, OK, CASI. 2nd Annual Sequoyah Flats Chili Cookoff and Political Clout CCO. Salsa Competition Also. Turn-in 2:00. Held at Sequoyah Park, 3400 E Newton. Entry fee $20.00. Info Nancy Turner (918)834-7580 or Tom Snyder (918)838-0798

May, 13, 2000, Denton, TX, CASI. Denton Elks Lodge #2446 Cookoff. Benefits Aubrey Baseball Program. Held at Elks Lodge at 228 E Oak. **Chili Grind Only**. turn-in beans 1:00, Chili 2:00. Entry fee's, $17.00 Chili & $5.00 Jack Pot Beans. Info Robert Bell. (940)382-5360 days or (940)382-5360 nights.

May, 13, 2000, San Antonio, TX, CASI. 2nd Annual Country Gold Chili Cook-Off **Chili Grind Only** Benefits Southwest Volunteer Fire Department. Entry Fee :$17.00. Turn In: 2 p.m. Located at Country Gold Dance Hall (1 1/2 miles outside loop 410 on Old Pearsall Rd.) For info contact Robert Schrade (210) 626-3705

May 13, 2000, Alamggordo, NM, CASI
VFW Post 7686 Indoor CCO HWY 70 West 2:00 PM Turn In, Entry Fee $12.00 payable to NMCS Benefits VFW Charities Info. Di Hughes 505-437-6259/Clem Clement 505-437-6214

May, 13, 2000, CASI. Black Gold Cookoff, details to follow

May, 13, 2000, Victoria, TX, CASI. Colet Inn Chili Cookoff. Held at the Colet Inn. Call for detailed map. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00, payable to VASA Pod. Benefits the 2000 Great pepper's Meeting. Mail entry to Linda McDonald, 619 Springwood, Victoria Tx 77905. (361)578-2575 (eve). Dianna Hoy (361)277-8687 (eve), Robert Lowery (361)575-6066 (day) or (361-576-1776 (eve). Other categories, Jackpot Beans $5, 11:00 turn-in. Pork-Spare Ribs $15, 12:00 Turn-in. Jr Chili, $5 1:00 Turn-in & BBQ Brisket $15, 4:00 turn-in.

May 13, 2000, Odessa, TX, CASI. Black Gold Pods 13th Annual Chili and BBQ Cookoff at Becky Sams Saloon, 2458 N. FM1936 Odessa, TX. Fees, Chili $17.00, WTBA sanctioned BBQ Chicken. Ribs and Brisket $16.00 per category. 50 percent pay back on BBQ. Friday nights cooks party and Fish Fry. (Members to bring covered dish.) Info, Ken or Barbara Large, (915) 381-0897.

May 13, Tyler, TX, CASI. Rose City Chili Cookoff. Held at the Fairgrounds in Tyler. Benefits Jaycees Charity Cancer Fund. turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00, payable to Rose City Chili Pod. Info Mary Moore, PO Box 985, Jacksonville, TX 75766. (903)586-4191.

May 13, 2000, Statesville, NC, CASI. Do-Over Cookoff. at the Elks Lodge, 1251 RADIO RD, STATESVILLE, NC 28677, Call (704) 873-6386 for directions. Proceeds to benefit the Elks charities. Entry fee: $15 for pod members, $20 non-members. Checks Payable to Piedmont Pepper Pod. For cookoff information, please contact Bill Lundy at 704-872-5652.

May 13, 2000, Anchorage, AK, CASI. Sears Mall Cook-off May 13th, at the corner of Northern Lights & Seward Highway. Cooks meeting at 10:00 AM, turn in at 3:00 PM, benefiting the Anchorage Rescue Mission. Info & pre-registration: Vic Powell, 10538 Ketch Cir. Anchorage, AK. 99515. Phone W-907-279-8506, H 907-344-8259

May 13, 2000, Castroville, TX, CASI. 14th Almost Re Annual Country Bumpkin CCO. Cooks party Friday night. Benefits Medina County Cancer Unit. Entry fee $17.00. Overnight Camping. No Hook-Ups. Contact Jody (830)931-3592.

May, 20, 2000, Christoval, TX, CASI. Toenail Trail Days Cookoff. Held at Pugh Park in Cristoval. Benefits community Chamber. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00. **Chili Grind Only**. Also WTBA Sanctioned BBQ. 1/2 Jointed Chicken, Pork Spareribs, & Brisket $17.00 per category and Jackpot Beans $5.00. Info Vicki Dewolf, 22656 Doorkey Lane, San Angelo, TX 76904. (915)651-7880

May 20, 2000, White Sands Missile Range, NM, CASI. Mid-Summer Sizzler in Spring CCO Held at Volunteer Park White Sands Missile Range. Benefits the Morale, Welfare, and Recreation Fund. Turn-in 2:00 p.m. Entry Fee $12.00. Info Bud Barrick (505) 678-8943 or TeamOrgan@zianet.com

May, 20, 2000, Saint Charles, IL, CASI. The Eighth Chillini Pod Chili Cookoff. Held at the St. Charles VFW Post 5036, 119 N Third Street, St. Charles, IL Charity: TBD. Turn-in Time: 1:00 PM. Entry Fee: $17.00. Checks Payable To: CHILLINI POD. Information Contact: Larry Gabriel, 309 N Prairie Street, Batavia, IL 60510. Phone Contact: Bill Pierson 630-879-7934 Or Larry Gabriel 630-406-1949

May, 20, 2000, High Point, NC, CASI. Piedmont Epilepsy Association CCO, held at Oak Hollow Festival Park in High Point, NC on May 20, 2000. Turn-in time is 1:00. Contact Steve Grant at 704-873-4071 days or 704-872-3141 evenings for more information. $20. Entry fee, $15 for Pod members. Make checks payable to Piedmont Pepper Pod.

May, 20, 2000, Sierra Vista, AZ, CASI. Relay for Life CCO. Charity - The American Cancer Society. Held at Sierra Vista City Park. $10 entry fee. Cooking - 8:00 - 12:00 noon. Potluck Friday night

May, 20, 2000, Weimar, TX, CASI. Circle the wagons CCO. Held on Hwy 90 just West of Town. Bugman's Guest House. Some hook-ups, plenty **Cancelled** Turn-in 2:00 Chili. Entry fee $17.00, payable to Colorado Co. Go Texan Committee. **Chili Grind Only.** Info Jean or Keith Barkley, Rt. 1 Box 102 K, Weimar, TX 78962. (979)263-5851

May, 20, 2000, Leakey, TX, CASI. . 3rd. Ann. Frio Canyon CCO. Leakey, TX Leakey Masonic Lodge, Benefits the Masonic Lodge Scholarship Fund. **Chili Grind Only!** Friday night Cooks Pizza Party. Turn-in's: Chili, 2:pm, Jackpot Beans, 12:noon. Fees: Chili, $17, Beans, $10. Leakey High School Roping Arena, north side of town. Plenty of RV parking, no hookups. Info: Nora Casias 210-622-3011 or Dub Suttle 210-479-9923.

May 20, 2000, Jourdanton, TX, CASI. Malvin Prasifka Memorial CCO (10th Annual). **Chili Grind Only.** Located at the Catholic Church by the City Park. Turn-in time 3:00 PM, with auction to follow announcements. Proceeds benefit Jourdanton Volunteer Fire Department. For more information contact Marty Prasifka (830) 759-3147 or David Prasifka at (830) 769-2028.

May 20, 2000, Cholla Bay, MX, CASI. JJ's Cantina Santa Clause Club CCO. Two Cooks Parties, beaches , bikinis, fishing and more. Info: Mad Jack, 480-726-8349. 2 PM. turn in, CASI Rules.

May 20, 2000, Liberal, MO, CASI. Buffalo Bill's Days Chili Cook Off. Held at Hwy. K & 130th Lane, Liberal, MO 64762. Benefits the Liberal Children's Activity Fund. Turn-in Time 6 PM. Entry fee $17.00. Checks Payable to: Mo-Kan Chili Pod c/o Sandra Essner Information Contact: Sam Essner, 13715 Bennington Ave., Grandview, MO 64030 Contact Phone Number: 816-763-6883 or 816-405-6234. Preregistration Deadline: None Special Meat: None

May 20, 2000, North Little Rock, AR, CASI. North Shore CCO at Riverfront Park. Turn-in 1:00 Entry fee $20.00. Friday night cooks party at Gators Restaurant & Bar, on the riverboat docked at the park. . Info Preston Nickle, 617 W. M. St., North Little Rock AR 72116. (501)791-2191

May 20, 2000, Boyd, TX, CASI. 14th Annual CASI Boyd VFD Chili Cookoff. Changed from May (This Year Only). Benefits Boyd Volunteer Fire Department. Held at Hwy. 114 W of town. Friday night cooks party with live band. Entry fee $17.00 Chili & $5.00 Charity Beans, payable to Boyd VFD. Info Vicki Vanatta, 306 CR 4683, Boyd, TX 76023. (817)232=8591 (days) or (940)433-5572 (eve & weekends)

May 20, 2000, Arlington, TX, CASI. Fielder Fandango Cookoff. Held at 1616 W. Abram St., in Arlington. I-30 to Fielder Rd., South of Fielder to Evie Martin Blvd., turn left or I-20 to Cooper, North on Cooper to Aram, West on Abram to Fielder House. Benefits Fielder House. Entry fee $17.00, payable to Arlington Historical Society. Turn-in 2:00. Info Emma Sheard, 1502 Brairwood Blvd., Arlington, TX 76013. EmmasBloomers@cs.com. (817)267-4226 or (817)275-3320.

May 20, 2000, Odessa, TX, CASI. 2nd Annual FMS/CFIS Chili & BBQ cookoff. Held at Becky Sam's Tropical Bar & Grill, 2485 North F.M. 1936. Benefits Fibromyalgia Victims. CASI & West Texas BBQ Assoc. rules apply. Entry fees, $17.00 Chili, $17.00 each for Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs, & Brisket. Pinto Beans (dry) $10.00. 50% payback on Bar-B-Que & Beans. Open dessert, $5.00. Raffles, Auction 50/50 pot. Cooks party Friday night. Info Mike Wysong (915)363-8151 or Becky Sam (915)381-9966. Plenty of RV Parking (no hook-ups).

May, 20, 2000, Cloverdale BC, CN, CASI. Canadian International CCO. Held at the Cloverdale Rodeo Grounds, Cloverdale, Surrey, BC. Benefits the Surrey Assoc. for the Mentally Handicapped. Turn-in 4:00. Entry fee $15.00 US / $20.00 CDN. Info F. Roycroft, 3422 Lancaster St., Port Coquitlam, B.C. V3B4R3. (604)464-3472

May, 20, 2000, Sierra Vista, AZ, CASI. Relay For Life Cookoff, Held at the Sierra Vista City Park Sierra Vista, AZ. Cooking 8:00-12:00 Turn in, judging and tasting at noon. $10 entry fee. Prizes for top 3 show and top 10 chilis. Cook where you camp. No hook-up camping available Friday and Saturday Potluck Friday night. Contact Trudy or Ben Berry for more information, 520-378-3692

May, 20, 2000, La Varnia, TX, CASI. Le Vernia Lions Club Bluebonnet Fest CCO. Held at the city Park in La Vernia, TX. Info Adeline Pierdolla, PO Box 884, La Vernia, TX 78121. (210)366-7611 (work) & (830)779-5191 (home). email adelinepierdolla@indsys.ge.ciom

May, 26-27, 2000, Rankin, TX, CASI. World Championship Barbados Cookoff. Call 91-69EVENT or E-mail chamber_rankin@yahoo.com

May, 27, 2000, Glenwood, NM, CASI. Third Annual CCO. Turn-in 1:00. Dry camping. $12.00 entry to Alpine Chili Society. Contact Dick Seehusen (520)339-1840

May 27, 2000, Wichita Falls, TX, CASI. Southwest. Open Chili Championship, 5 state regional Cookoff. Held at Wichita County. Mounted Patrol Arena on Hwy 369 between US 82/277 and US 287. Benefits The Wichita County Mounted Patrol. Free camping, Some electrical. Cooks Party Friday night will feature **LARRY JOE TAYLOR** and beer by our sponsor. Dinner served Fri and Sat nights, Breakfast served Sat and Sun mornings Top 3 chilis and Top show qualify to TICC. Great Awards to Top 20 chilis and Top 3 show. Expense money for TICC to Top 3 Chilis and Top show. Entry by April 30 eligible for room drawing at Hampton Inn. Room info CASI Rate 940 766 3300. CASI chili $25.00. Beans $5.00. Chili turn in 2 pm. Mail entries to Southwest Open c/o Janice Schauf 2804 McNiel, Wichita Falls, TX 76309. Info. Call Glyn Gaines 940 767 2273 or Jim Ezell 940 692 5974. Email JEzell8642@aol.com. See also NOB Pod cookoff same location on May 28.

May, 27, 2000, Converse, TX, CASI. Memorial Day Weekend. 8th Annual Halfway Point Cookoff. Converse American Legion Post 593, 326 Legion Dr., Converse, TX. $17 entry fee (CASI). Local Division free with CASI entry. Beans $10 60/40 payback. **CHILI GRIND ONLY**. Cooks party Friday night. Turn in 2 PM. Cookoff 28 May same place. Contact David Richardson 210-655-6590 or American Legion 210-658-1111. Benefits youth activities, Boys State, etc.

May 27, 2000, York, PA, CASI. 11th Annual York Jaycees Chili Cookoff at the York County Fairgrounds. Turn-in 2:00. Thousands of spectators, quality entertainment, fun for the whole family. For information contact Alan Dean 410-879-6410 or pepperdean@erols.com

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May, 28, 2000, Water Valley, TX, CASI. Chili Legends Memorial Chili Cookoff. Held at Water Valley Park in Water Valley TX. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00, payable to Concho Valley Pod. **Chili Grind Only.** Info Venetia Smith PO Box 933, Iraan, TX 79744. (915)639-2761. BBQ cookoff same place May 27th.

May, 28, 2000, Converse, TX, CASI. 4th Annual American Legion Auxiliary Unit 593 Chili Cookoff. 326 Legion Dr., Converse, TX. $17 entry fee. **CHILI GRIND ONLY**. Turn in 2 PM. Cooks party Sat night. Cookoff 27 May same place. Contact Mary Ann Richardson, 210-655-6590 or American Legion 210-658-1111. Benefits youth activities, Girls State, etc.

May, 28, 2000, Tombstone, AZ, CASI. O.K. Corral Chili Cookoff and Wyatt Earp Days Celebration. Held at 4th and Allen St. in Tombstone. Benefits Tombstone Lions Club. Turn-in 3:00. Entry fee $10.00, payable to High Desert Pod. Info Chuck Dugan, PO Box 2571, Sierra Vista, AZ 85636. (520)458-4615.

May 28, 2000, Wichita Falls, TX, CASI. North of the Brazos (NOB) Pod annual CCO. Held at Wichita County Mounted Patrol Arena on Hwy 369 following Southwest Open. Benefits NOB Pod charities. Entry $17.00 CASI. Chili, $5.00 beans, Chili turn in 12 noon, Beans 11. **Chili Grind Only**. Jackets to Top 10 chili and Top Show. For info contact Don Walker 940 691 0108.

May, 27, 2000, Spicewood, TX, CASI. Castoff Chili Cookoff. Held at Krause Springs. Charity: Helping Hands Center. Turn In Time 1:00 P. M. Entry Fee: $15.00. Hook ups available-make reservations at (830)693-4181. There is an electronic gate if arriving before 7 a.m. or after 9:30 p.m. call for entrance code. Info: Pat Pilchiek (915)379-1407.

May 28, 2000, Spicewood, TX, CASI. Laid Back Chili Cookoff Krause Springs C.A.S.I. Charity: Local Charities. Turn Time: 1:00 p.m. Entry Fee $15.00 Info: Pat Pilchiek (830)379-1407

May, 29, (Monday), 2000, San Antonio, TX, CASI. Return of the Chili Queens CCO. Held at El Mercado Farmers Market; Commerce St & Dolorosa, Downtown. Benefits the Mex. Am. Educ. Fund. Turn-in 12:00. Entry fee $20.00, payable to El Mercado Merchants Assn. **Chili Grind Only**. Info Nora Casias, PO Box 6, Somerset, TX 78069-006. (210)622-3011

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June, 03, 2000, Greer, AZ, CASI. Second Annual Greer Days CCO. Benefits Greer Civic Association. Turn-in 1:00 Dry camping. $12.00 entry fee to Alpine Chili Society. Contact Dick Seehusen (520)339-1840

June, 03, 2000, Sonora, TX, CASI. West Texas Championship Cookoff. Held at Will Carver City Park. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $10.00, payable to West Texas Championship. Benefits In-Town Charities. Info Kirk Joy, 501 S. Crockett, Sonora, TX 76950. (915)387-5243

June, 03, 2000, Houston, TX, CASI. 21st Annual Space City Pod Cook-off. Held at Blanco's Bar, 3406 W. Alabama in Houston. RV parking (no hook-ups.) Benefits Houston Food Bank. Entry fee $17.00 Chili (2PM,) $5.00 Jackpot Beans (Noon), $10.00 Fajitas (1PM), $5.00 Margarita (11 AM), $8.00 Wienie Show (2:30), & $10.00 Ribs, payable to Space City Pod. Wienie Judging goes to the 7 highest bidders! Info Bruce Wilkins, 11702 Braewick, Houston, TX 77035. (713)728-1706 E-Mail bwilkins@brokersys.com

June, 03, 2000, Memphis, TN, CASI. Ducks Unlimited Mid-South Regional Open CCO. Tom 3 Chili's and Top Show Team qualify for TICC 2000. Held at the Great Outdoors Festival at Agriculture. Center International in Memphis. Benefits Ducks Unlimited. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $25.00 ($20.00 if received prior to May 1st,) payable to Ducks Unlimited. RV Space and Hook-ups available (901)756-7433. Info Preston Shaw PO Box 176, Parsons, TN 38363 (901)847-7208 or Luanne Hartman, % Ducks Unlimited, One Waterfowl Way, Memphis, TN 38120. (901)758-3825 or Steve Baiel, 1297 Marcia, Memphis, TN 38117 (901)761-1739..

June, 03, 2000, Iraan, TX, CASI. Alley Oop Chili & BBQ Cookoff. Held at Iraan Park in Iraan. Benefits the Chamber of Commerce. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00, payable to Iraan-Sheffield Chamber of Commerce. **Chili Grind Only.** 1/2 Jointed Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs, Brisket, $15.00 per category. Jackpot

Beans $5.00. Info Venetia Smith PO Box 933, Iraan, TX 79744. (915)639-2761.

June, 03, 2000, Oklahoma City, OK, CASI. Oklahoma State Championship Open. Held at the Oklahoma City Stockyards, off I-40 at Agnew and Enterprize St. Benefits City Rescue Center Care Inc. Turn-in 1:00. Entry fee $20.00, payable to HOOCH Pod. Info Ruth Ann Newman, 6517 Lake Shore Dr., Guthrie, OK 73044. (h) (405)282-3082 (w) (405)579-8708. **Ground Meat Only.**

June, 03, 2000, Scandia, PA, CASI. Pennsylvania State Chili Cook-off. Held at Y-Bar U Saddle Club on site of Cabelo's, NABH Archery Tournament in Scandia. Benefits Cherry Grove Fire Dept. Entry fee $10.00, payable to Cherry Grove Fire dept. Info Larry Snavley, 56 Linda Lane, Warren, PA 16365. (814)723-2679 or Stella Austin (814)302-0296 or Micheal Bleech (814)726-1035.

June, 03, 2000, Floris, IA, CASI. Floris Flag Day CCO. Info Roylene Johnson (515)684-4525.

June 03, 2000, Columbia, MD CASI. . Maryland State Chili Cookoff. CASI. In front of Columbia Hard Times Cafe. Turn-in 2:00. Free entry for first-time CASI cooks. Details, Alan Dean 410-879-6410 or pepperdean@erols.com

June, 03, 2000, Buchanan Dam, TX, CASI. Summer Kickoff Cookoff #2. Held at S/E corner RR 1431 & Hwy. 29. Benefits Christ-Yoder Animal Shelter. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00, payable to Fuzzy's Corner. **Chili Grind Only.** Info Tim Rybaski, PO Box 1011, Kingsland, TX 78639. (512)793-6420.

June 03, 2000, El Paso, TX, CASI. American Legion Post 58 Chili Cookoff. 4724 Vulcan El Paso TX. 79904. Turn in at 2:00pm. Entry fee $15.00. Benefit Bld. Maint. Fund. Contact: Jason Douglass 915-821-0357 or J.R. 915-822-1381.

June, 04, 2000, Memphis, TN, CASI. 6th Annual Great Outdoor Wilderness Cookoff. Held at the Great Outdoors Festival at Agriculture. Center International in Memphis. Benefits Wetlands America Fund. . Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $25.00 ($20.00 if received prior to May 1st,) payable to Ducks Unlimited. RV Space and Hook-ups available (901)756-7433. Info Preston Shaw PO Box 176, Parsons, TN 38363 (901)847-7208 or Luanne Hartman, % Ducks Unlimited, One Waterfowl Way, Memphis, TN 38120. (901)758-3825 or Steve Baiel, 1297 Marcia, Memphis, TN 38117 (901)761-1739..

June, 04, 2000, Houston, TX, CASI. 21st Annual Space City Pod Sunday Chili Cookoff. Held at Blanco's Bar, 3406 W Alabama in Houston. RV Parking (no hook-ups.) Benefits Various Charities. Turn-in 1:00. Entry fee $17.00 Chili, $5.00 Bloody Mary (turn-in 10 AM,) payable to Space City Pod. **Chili Grind Only.** Info Bruce Wilkins, 11702 Braewick, Houston, TX 77035. (713)728-1706

June, 04, 2000, Midland, TX, CASI. Mex-Tex Menudo, Chili & Fajita Cook-off. Held in downtown Midland at Centennial Plaza, 105 N. Main. Benefits Midland Hispanic Chamber. Turn in 2:00. Entry fee $15.00 per category, payable to MHCC. Info Rachel L. Stone, PO Box 11134 (1410 N. Lamesa Rd.) Midland, TX 79702. (915)682-2960.

June 04, 2000, Wichita Falls, TX, CASI. Held at Little Brothers at the corner of Lamar and 15th St. Benefits Hospice of Wichita Falls. Turn-in 12 noon. Entry fee $17.00. **Chili Grind Only.** Info Kathy Wyatt. (940)691-5600 (w), 766-3761 (w) or 631-4380 (cell).

June, 09, 2000, Medina Lake, TX. "Lynn Hejtmancik's almost 2nd Annual Superfecta Chili Cookoffs" Entry fee $17.00 or $65.00 for all four events. **Chili Grind Only.** Turn-in 9:00 PM. Checks payable to AA Pod, PO Box 701105, San Antonio, TX 78232. Benefits American Cancer Society. Info Sally Lee (210)490-4436. (Cookoffs also on June 10 & 11th (2 on June 10th))

June, 10, Parkers Crossroads, TN, CASI. 6th Annual Battleground Chili Cookoff. Civil War Reenactment and living history displays, cannon firings. Held 1/2 mile North of I-40 Exit 108. Halfway between Memphis and Nashville. Benefits P.C.B. Association. Turn-in 1:00. Entry fee $20.00, payable to HOT-Pod. Info Preston Shaw, PO Box 176, Parsons, TN 38363. (901)847-7208

June, 10, 2000, Union Grove, NC, CASI. NC State CASI Chili Championship and Bluegrass Festival, held at VanHoy Campground in Union Grove, NC on June 10, 2000. Proceeds benefit the Miss Statesville Scholarship program. Contact Max James, Jr. at 704-539-4273. For more information. $20 entry fee, $15 for pod members. Make checks payable to Piedmont Pepper Pod.

June 10, 2000, Sperry, OK, CASI. Old West Fest Chili & BBQ Prize money for BBQ $20.00 Chili - $15.00 ea BBQ or $40.00 all 3 For Info Contact Everett Crawford 918-371-3274

June 10, 2000, Odessa, TX, CASI. 1st Annual Ector County Humane Society Chili & Bar-B-Que Cookoff. Held at Becky Sam's Tropical Bar & Grill, 2485 North F.M. 1936. CASI & West Texas BBQ Assoc. rules apply. Entry fees, $20.00 Chili, & $20.00 each for Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs, & Brisket. 50% payback on Bar-B-Que. The annual "Musicians Reunion" will be held in conjunction with this cookoff. A BBQ Pit designed and made by our fellow cooker, Mike Francis, is being raffled off on Saturday. These folks are working real hard to help our four legged friends, so lets try to make their first cookoff a good one. They are in the process of trying to raise added money for Q'ers. Info Del NeSmith (915)333-1969 or Becky Sam (915)381-9966. Plenty of RV Parking (no hook-ups).

June, 10, 2000, Seymour, TX, CASI. American Legion Auxiliary CCO. Held at Veterans Memorial Home 805 E Nevada. Benefits American Legion Aux. Entry fee $17.00, payable to American Legion Aux. Turn-in 200. Info Rebecca Johnson Vetern, PO Box 67, Seymour, TX 76380. (940)888-2238 (d) or (940)888-2181 (eves)

June, 10, 2000, Medina Lake, TX. (two cookoffs) "Lynn Hejtmancik's almost 2nd Annual Superfecta Chili Cookoffs" Pops Place. Entry fee $17.00 or $65.00 for all four events. **Chili Grind Only.** Turn-in 12 Noon and 7:00 PM. Checks payable to AA Pod, PO Box 701105, San Antonio, TX 78232. Benefits MS and MD. Info Sally Lee (210)490-4436. (Cookoffs also on June 9th & 11th)

June 10, 2000, Bloomfield, IA, CASI. Lakeside Campground & Stables Inn CCO. Hwy 63 in Bloomfield. Info Roylene Johnson (515)684-4525

June 10, 2000, Humble, TX, CASI. Chili Cookoff with BBQ. Benefits the Houston Police Benevolent Fund. Held at the Humble Civic Center, 8233 Will Clayton Parkway, Humble, Texas 77308. (281)879-1071. Email: chili@hal-pc.org

June 10, 2000, Miles City, MT, CASI. Big Sky Chili Cook Off Classic. Bean Cook Off Also., Friday evening cooks get together with pitch fork fondu. Chili $15, Beans $5 or $17 for both. Contact Chamber of Commerce (406)232-2890. Benefiting the Custer County Sheriff Reserve.

June, 10, 2000, El Paso, TX, CASI. German NCO Club CCO. Held in Bldg. 5095 Robert & Lee Road on Ft. Bliss. Benefits the German Community Center. Turn-in 4:00. Entry fee $15.00. Info Jason Douglass, 5608 Van Horn, El Paso, TX 79924. (915)821-0357.

June, 10, 2000, Trinidad, CO, CASI. Held at 300 E. Main Street in Trinidad (far North Texas), Colorado CASI sanctioned to benefit the: Trinidad Red Cross, Noah's Ark, Trinidad History Museum. Entry Fees: $15 Red Chili $15 Green Chili, $5 Beans Turn-in Times: 2 PM Red, 2:30 PM Green, 3 PM Beans. For more Info Call: Mike Parker @ (719) 846-0494 E-mail: mlparker@rmi.net Or write: 922 Atchison Ave.. Trinidad, CO 81082

June, 11, 2000, Parkers Crossroads, TN, CASI. Hot-Pod No Bullets / No Beans CCO. Held 1/2 mile North of I-40, Exit 108, halfway between Memphis and Nashville. Benefits HOT-POD. Turn-in 12:00. Entry fee $15.00, payable to HOT-POD. **Chili Grind Only.** Info Susie Shaw, PO Box 176, Parsons, TN 38363. (901)847-7208

June, 11, 2000, Medina Lake, TX. ("Lynn Hejtmancik's almost 2nd Annual Superfecta Chili Cookoffs" Pops Place. Entry fee $17.00 or $65.00 for all four events. **Chili Grind Only.** Turn-in 1 PM. Checks payable to AA Pod, PO Box 701105, San Antonio, TX 78232. Benefits Animal Defense League. Info Sally Lee (210)490-4436. (Cookoffs also on June 9th & 10th (two on June 10th))

June, 11, 2000, El Paso, TX, CASI. **New Location.** 16th Pod of the Pass Cookoff. Held at Seafarer Restaurant, 1711 N. Lee Trevino El Paso TX. Benefits Pod of the Pass. Cooks meet @ 10:00 am., turn-in 2:00 pm. Entry fee $12.00, payable to the Pod of the Pass. Info. Jason Douglass 5608 Van Horn El Paso, TX. 79924. (915)821-0357 or Hut Brown @ 915-772-2379.

June 16, 2000, Fort Smith, AR. CASI. Miss Laura Friday Night Social. Held at Columbus Acres, Hwy 71 So. and Broken Hill in Fort Smith. Belch Pod. Turn-in 7PM. Entry fee $10.00, payable to Belch Pod. Info. Guy Smith, % Belch Pod, PO Box 5211, Fort Smith, AR, 72913. Days (501)785-6887 Nights (501)646-9444. **Ground Meat Only.** There is a Jackpot Bean Cookoff Friday night. Fee $5.00, turn-in 6:00

June 16, 2000, Amarillo, TX, CASI. Pot Luck Chili Cook-off. Held at the Tri-state Fairgrounds. Park off 10th St. Benefits Make-

a-Wish Building Fund. Entry fee $15.00, payable to Make-a-Wish. Turn-in 9:00 PM. Info Garnier Albus, 4416 S Fannin St., Amarillo, TX 79110. (806)353-0500

June 17, 2000 Fort Smith, AR, CASI. 18th Annual Judge Isaac C. Parker Memorial Chili Cookoff and Arkansas State Open BBQ Championship. Held at Columbus Acres, Hwy. 71 So. and Brooken Hill, Fort Smith. Benefits Ft. Smith Boys Shelter. Turn-in 1:00. Entry fee $20.00 each category - Chili, Beef, Pork, Open, payable to Fort Smith Boys Shelter. Info Guy Smith, %Belch Pod, PO Box 5211, Fort Smith, AR, 72913. Days(501)785-6887 Nights(501)646-9444.

June 17, 2000, Carlsbad, NM, CASI. CD104 Under the Patio CCO Presidents Park, across from the Elks Lodge Carlsbad, NM Turn In 2:00 PM, Entry Fee $15.00 payable to NMCS Benefits Carlsbad HS Info. Di Hughes 505-437-6259

June 17, 2000, Grand Prairie, TX. CASI. COWTOWN POD COOKOFF, **CHILI GRIND ONLY**. Held at Traders Village, 2602 Mayfield Rd., Grand Prairie, TX. 75052. Charity KASH FOR KIDS. Entry $20.00 Chili, $5.00 Jackpot Beans. Turn-in 12:00 Beans and 2:00 Chili. Cooks dinner and party Friday night. Goody Bags 1st 100 entries. Mail to: Doris Coats, 1645 Priscilla Lane, Irving, TX 75061. Info contact Terry Massey 817 558-8922 or Anne Roberts 972 617-7853.

June 17, 2000, Austin, TX, CASI. STATE OF TEXAS (SOT) POD Annual Cookoff. Held at GIDDY-UPs, 12000 MANCHACA ROAD (exit Slaughter Road on IH-35). Benefits SOT Pod Charities. **CHILI GRIND ONLY**. Turn-in 2:00 P.M. Entry fee $17.00. BEANS Turn-in 1:00. Entry fee $5.00, 60/40 Payback. Info: John Caffey, CR 434, Rockdale, TX., 76567(512)446-2364 or Doug Seelig(512)440-0222 or (512)835-1739

June, 17, 2000, Austin, TX, CASI. STATE OF TEXAS (SOT) POD Annual Cookoff. Location details to follow. Benefits SOT Pod Charities **CHILI GRIND ONLY.** Turn-in 2:00 P.M. Entry fee $17.00. BEANS Turn-in 1:00P.M. Entry fee $5.00, 60/40 Payback. Info: John Caffey, CR 434, Rockdale, TX., 76567(512)446-2364 or Doug Seelig(512)440-0222(512)835-1739

June, 17, 2000, Odessa, TX, CASI. Annual Fathers Day Cookoff. Held at the Elks Lodge in Odessa. Benefits various charities of the elks Lodge, 9121 Andrews Hwy. CASI & West Texas BBQ Rules Apply. Entry fee's, $17.00 Chili & $17.00 each for Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs & Brisket. 50% payback. Cooks party Friday night. Swimming pool available. Hook-ups & lots of parking available. Info Becky Sam Dixon (915)381-9966.

June, 17, 2000, Amarillo, TX, CASI. Panhandle Youth Football League CCO. Held at the Tri-State Fairgrounds. Park off 10th St. Entry fee $15.00, payable to Pam Matheson. Turn-in 1:00. Info Pam Matheson, 808 S. Houston St., Amarillo, TX 79103 (806)373-9292 or (806)359-8469. BBQ cookoff same place same day

June, 17, 2000, Chugwater, WY, CASI. Chugwater Chili cookoff. Held at 2nd St. & Bowie Ave., in Chugwater. Benefits Chugwater Ambulance, Chugwater, Econ. Development., Chugwater Community center & Chugwater Historic Unity Group. Entry fee $15.00, payable to Chugwater chili Cookoff. Turn in 1:00. Info Karen Guidice, PO Box 142, Chugwater, WY 82210. (307)422-3493..

June, 17, 2000, Pinetop, AZ, CASI. Lion's Den. CASA Chili Cook-off & Back Yard Bar-B-Que. Scenic route 260 3 miles from Hondah Casino Pinetop Arizona $10.00 entry fee. Dry camping - room for RV's Cooks meeting: 9:00 a.m.. Red Chili Turn-In: 1:00 p.m.. Bar-B-Que Turn In: 3:00 p.m. For info call: Mary Ellen Smith (623) 435-0291 Days @ (602) 272-9338

June 17, 2000, El Paso, TX, CASI. Keystone Dam Archeological Site CCO. Location is the La Hacienda Restaurant, 1720 Paisano Dr. Cooks meeting at 10:00 am turn in at 2:00 pm. Entry fee $12.00. For more information contact Jason Douglass, 5608 Van Horn, El Paso, TX 79924. Telephone (915)821-0357.

June, 17, 2000, Cambria, WI, CASI. 4th Annual Cambria-Frieland Area Chamber of Commerce Chili Cook-off. Held in beautiful "Tarrant Park" in Cambria Wisconsin. Info Tim Perry (920)348-6012 or Lori Kratz-Smedema (920)348-5852 or 928-3121

June 18, 2000, Odessa, TX, CASI. The Does of Elks Lodge #1630 Cookoff. Chili only. Turn-in Noon. Entry fee $17.00, benefitting various charities of the Does. 9121 Andrews Hwy, Odessa. Info Becky Sam Dixon (915)381-9966. Swimming Pool Available

June, 24, 2000, Van Horn, TX, CASI. Van Horn Frontier Days Chili Cookoff. Held at the Texas Convention Center in Van Horn. Benefits VHCC and Visitors Bureau. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $15.00. Info Hut Brown, (915)772-2379 or Jason Douglas (915)821-0357 or Sara Elms 9915)283-2682.

June 24, 2000, Manchaca, TX . (South Austin) - CASI - 2nd Annual "GIDDY-UPs" Chili Cookoff, 12000 Manchaca Rd. (exit Slaughter Rd. on IH-35) - Easy access & plenty of RV parking (No Hookups). **CHILI GRIND ONLY**; ENTRY $15.00, TURN-IN 2:00PM. Jackpot Beans 50% payback Turn-in NOON. Info Elton Homesley 512-282-1199 or Nancy at Giddy-Ups 512-280-4732

June 24, 2000, Midland, TX, CASI. 2nd Annual " Ol McDonald's Farm" Cookoff. Benefits Presidio Mission. (United Methodist Church Fund-raiser). Held at McDonald's Farm in Midland. CASI and West Texas BBQ Rules Apply. Entry fee's, $17.00 Chili & $17.00 each for Chicken, Pork spare Ribs & Brisket. From Odessa and West take I-20 exit 138 to stop sign, turn right at closed station on Co. Rd. 715, continue on 715 to intersection of 1213, after crossing 1214 continue South on Caliche Rd. The one that has yellow fence posts, etc. on each side. The cookoff site is about 1 mile from pavement. 50% payback on BBQ. Some elect & some water hook-ups. Plenty of space for large & small RVs. The "Farm" was a really fun cookoff last year with lots of hospitality. Info Don McCown 915)561-9911, Buddy McDonald (915)561-9911 or Becky Sam (915)381-9966. Cooks party Friday night.

June 24, Catoosa, OK, CASI. - Cherokee Casino Chili & BBQ Cook Off at Cherokee Casino in Catoosa Okla. at least $5000.00 for BBQ winners. Turn-in Chili 2:00, BBQ Open 1:00, Ribs 1:30, & Brisket 2:30. For information contact - Everett Crawford at 918-371-3274

June 24, 2000, Ottumwa, IA, CASI. Ottumwa Pro Balloon Race CCO. Held at Ottumwa Park in Ottumwa IA. Info Roylene Johnson (515)684-4525

June 24, 2000, Grand Lake, CO, CASI. 17th Annual State of Colorado CASI Chili Cookoff and Green Chili Championship. Cooking at 9,000 feet in the beautiful Town Park in scenic and rustic/charming Grand Lake, Colorado. Awards: Top 10 CASI red, top 3 green and top showmanship Fees: $25.00 for CASI red and $25.00 for green. Cook both for $35.00. Deadline: day of event Contact: Lyman Wilkinson, 303-657-4457, Tina Cohen, 303-255-3366, John Montgomery 303-831-5000. Special memento: all cooks who sign-up and pay by June 3rd, 2000 will receive a "special" "memento" Send entry to: Colorado Chili POD, c/o John Montgomery, 1600 Broadway, Suite 2500, Denver, CO 80202-4925

June 25, 2000, Woodinville, WA, CASI. The 5th Annual Silver Lake Winery Home Style and CASI Chili Cookoff. Held at Silver Lake Winery, 17721 132nd Avenue, NE., Woodinville, WA 98072 and benefiting HOPELINK, Bothell, WA. Donations of canned goods is encouraged. Checks payable to Mack Yarbrough with memo Silver Lake CCO. CASI chili $15.00, turn in time 1 pm; public taste testing and judging of home style chili, 2 gallons minimum, begins at 1 pm. Top award for home style is a hand etched magnum of Silver Lake Reserve wine and ribbons for 2nd and 3rd place. CASI awards are trophies for 1st through 3rd, ribbons for 4th through 10th and participation ribbons for all cooks. For information contact Puget Pod's Mack or Sharon Yarbrough at (425)787-6278, email eesm_mack@msn.com or Silver Lake's Brad Hoffman at (425)485-6041, email brad@washingtonwine.com.

June 25, 2000, Berkley Springs, WV, CASI. First CASI CCO in WV. Held at the Coolfont Resort. Benefits the Morgan County Humane Society. Turn-in 1:00 for free style and 2:00 for CASI. Entry fee: $5.00 CASI; $5.00 for free style. Lodging available at Coolfront and at other locations nearby. Info Jennifer Joy (304)947-7905 or Beverly King at (703)305-2819 (w) or (703)492-6194 (h).

July 2000

July 01, 2000, McKinney, Texas, CASI. 6th Annual Forever Free Chili Cookoff. CASI. Jackpot beans. Location: Towne Lake Park, 1405 West Wilson Creek Parkway. Benefits local children's charities. RV parking, but no hookups. Friday night cooks party. Turn-in: Chili 1:00 PM (new time) - beans 12:00 PM. Entry fee: Chili $17 - beans $5. Also Classic & Custom Car Show and Children's area. Information: Andy Hardin 972-562-5591 (day) - 972-542-2092 (night) or e-mail at andy_hardin@hotmail.com.

July, 01, 2000, Sierra Blanca, TX, CASI. White Mountain Chili Cookoff. Held at Hudspeth County Courthouse. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $15.00, payable to Sierra Blanca Chamber of Commerce. Info Hut Brown (915)772-2379 or Jason Douglas (915)821-0357

July, 01, 2000, Ontario, CA, CASI. MICA Pod. Ontario Police & Fire Games 2000 Held at Ontario Convention Center. More Info to Come Later. Contact Carol Dissler (619)478-9401 or Fax (619)478-9438

July, 01, 2000, Tulsa, OK, CASI. 3rd Annual All-American Chili & BBQ Cookoff American Legion Post 1, 1120 E. 8th St., Tulsa, OK 74120. Charity - Youth activities Entry Fees: $20 Adults - $5 Junior - BBQ $10 each category or $25 for all (Poultry, Ribs, Brisket). Showmanship no charge. Checks Payable to: American Legion Post 1 Information contact: Shirley Bruce, 4996 E. 26th St., Tulsa, OK 74114. Phone 918-747-1706 Mail Judging packet to Shirley Bruce at above address.

July 01, 2000, Kerrville, TX, CASI. Highlanders Pub 2nd Annual CCO. Held at 3804 Riverside Dr., Kerrville, TX, on the Guadalupe River. Benefits Hill Country Crisis Council. Turn-in 2:00 Entry fee's, $16.00 Chili & $5.00 Jackpot Beans (turn-in 12:00.), payable to Hill Country Chili Pod. Info Rhonda's, 3804 Riverside Dr., Kerrville, tax 78025. (830)896)772 or (830)792-4270. **Chili Grind Only.** Cooks party Friday night. Plenty of RV Parking On the Guadalupe River and Flat Rock Lake.

July 01, 2000, Statesville, NC, CASI. Backyard Cookoff. Charlie Salem's Backyard, 2646 Old Mocksville, Road, Statesville, NC 28625-1462. **GROUND MEAT ONLY**. Entry fee: $15 Pod members, $20 non-members. Checks payable to Piedmont Pepper Pod. For more information or directions, please call Charlie Salem at 704-546-2935.

July 01, 2000, Littlefield, TX, CASI. Littlefield Arts & Heritage 1st Annual Chili & Barbecue Cookoff. Location: Lamb County Agriculture Center; 17th & Hall, Littlefield, Texas. Proceeds benefit the Littlefield Arts & Heritage Scholarship Fund. CASI & WTBA Rules: Chili, Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs, & Brisket: $17.00 per category; 50% payback in barbecue categories. Contact: Email Macha, P.O. Box 510, Littlefield, Texas 79339. (806)385-4474/ Fax: 806-385-6229

July, 01, 2000, Loveland, CO, CASI. "Sizzlin Summerfest" Chili Cookoff. Held at the Ellis Ranch, 2331 Waterdale drive, in Loveland. Benefits Sertoma of Loveland. Entry fee's, $15.00 for Red/Green or $20.00 for both. Info June Jerger (970)482-5991 or Lyman Wilkinson (303)657-4457 (work). Send entry to Colorado Chili Pod, % John Montgomery, 1600 Broadway, Suite 2500, Denver, CO 80202

July, 01 2000, Johnson City, TX, CASI.

Johnson City 4th of July Bash. 1st 2nd 3rd & 4th July location: "THE BAR" on the square 6th annual CO.. CASI jackpot beans. Benefits Business Ambassadors/Chamber of Commerce. Free RV parking (no hookups) dry camping. Entry: $17 chili $5 beans Friday night party. Also antique car show, art show period reenactments, live music, parade and fun for all. Info: RON-830-868-7398 email: larry@moment.net.

July 01, 2000, Kent, WA, CASI. Kent Annual CCO. Held at the Burlington Green/ International Sister Cities Park, Railroad Ave., Kent, WA Charity: Toys for Joy Turn-in Time: 2:00 pm Entry Fee: $18. Checks Payable to: Peggy Vargas. Information Contact: Peggy Vargas, 705 E. Republican #A, Seattle, WA 98102 (206)328-1743. **Chili Grind only**

July, 02, 2000, Springerville, AZ, CASI. First annual White Mt. Fireworks CCO. Held at the airport. Turn-in 2:00. Backyard Brisket Competition, turn in 4:00. RV dry camping. $12.00 entry fee to Alpine Chili Society. Contact Dick Seehusen (520)339-1840

July 4, 2000, Crawford, NE, CASI. Old West Trail Chili Cookoff Crawford City Park. Charity: Legend Buttes Health Clinic Fee: $15. Information Contact: Jenny Nixon 308-668-2428 or richardkaan@hotmail.com Parade, Art Show, PRCA Rodeo, Fireworks, and Fort Robinson State Park

July 04, 2000, Vienna, VA, CASI. 17th Annual 4th of July All American Chili Cookoff. Held at the Vienna Community Center. Benefits Optimist Club of Vienna. Turn-in 2:000. Entry fee $20.00, payable to Casinova Pod. Info Dick Deitos, 3230 Atlanta St., Fairfax, VA 22030. (703)273-5075. This cookoff is held on the 4th of July every year.

July, 08, 2000, Water Valley, TX, CASI. Firecracker Blowout. Held at Water Valley, Park, Water Valley TX. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00 Chili, $5.00 Jackpot Beans, payable to Concho Valley Chili Pod. **Chili Grind Only.** Info Venetia Smithe, Box 933, Iraan, TX 79744. (915)639-2761

July, 08, 2000, Crosby, TX, CASI. Bob and Jeans 8th Annual Cookoff. Held at 4700 FM 1942, Crosby TX. Benefits Shriners burn Center for Children. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00 payable to Bob & Jeans. Info Larry Mendenwall, PO Box 203, Mont Belview, TX 77580. (281)385-5221 or B&J's (281)421-5650.

July, 08, 2000, Ft. Washington, MD, CASI. Up The Creek CCO. CASI. Free entry for first-time CASI cooks. Details, call Charlie Walstrom 301-292-5403

July 08, 2000, Cedar Rapids, IA, CASI. Dunkerton Days CCO. Entry fee $15.00. Charity Dunkerton Volunteer Fire Dept. Info Contact: Dennis Bertling, 1918 J St. SW., Cedar Rapids, IA. 52404. (319) 298-9413 iachili@aol.com This cookoff on probation

July 15, 2000, Lewisville, TX, CASI. 9th Annual Jerry Elbert Memorial Chili Cookoff Held at 900 N. Hwy 121, 3 miles east of IH 35E , Lewisville, TX. Charity: Denton State School Entry Fee: $18 - Chili $5 - Jackpot Beans Checks Payable to: VFW Post 9168 Information Contact: Ron Foster Contact Address: 7145 Nicole Pl., Dallas, TX. 75252 Contact Phone Number: 972.732.1363 Preregistration Deadline: None Special Meat: No

July 15, 2000, Cheyenne, WY, CASI. American Legion Chili Cookoff Held at the American Legion 2001 East Lincolnway, Cheyenne, Wyoming. Top three places will receive trophies. Top ten places will receive points towards Terlingua. Entry fee's $10.00 for CASI red and $10.00 for green. Cook both for $15.00. Deadline: Day of event. Contact: Gale Worth, 307-635-6163 Send entry to: 40-8 Chili Cook off, 1605 Seymour Avenue, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82001

July 15, 2000, Roslyn, WA, CASI. Pastime Tavern Annual Chili Cookoff (Washington State Ladies Championship.) Held at 204 Pennsylvania Ave., Roslyn, WA. exit 80 off I-90. Benefits Upper County Senior Citizens Home. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00, payable to Arnie Guadalupe. Info Arnie Guadalupe, 16916157th Pl. SE, Renton, WA 98058. (425)255-3334. Email ArnieBme@aol.com

July 15, 2000, Sierra Vista, AZ, CASI. First Annual Christmas In July CCO. Location 220 El Mercado Loop - S. Hwy 92 at Avenida Cochise CASI Sanctioned: Yes Charity: Toys For Tots Turn-in time: 1 PM Entry fee: $10.00 Checks payable to: High Desert Pod. Information Contact: (Chili) Guy Tennison (Cycle events) "Puddin" (520) 456-2156. Contact Address: 4612 Camino Segundo, Sierra Vista, AZ 85650. Info.(520) 378-3604(Cycle events) "Puddin" (520) 456-2156. Contact Address: 4612 Camino Segundo, Sierra Vista, AZ 85650

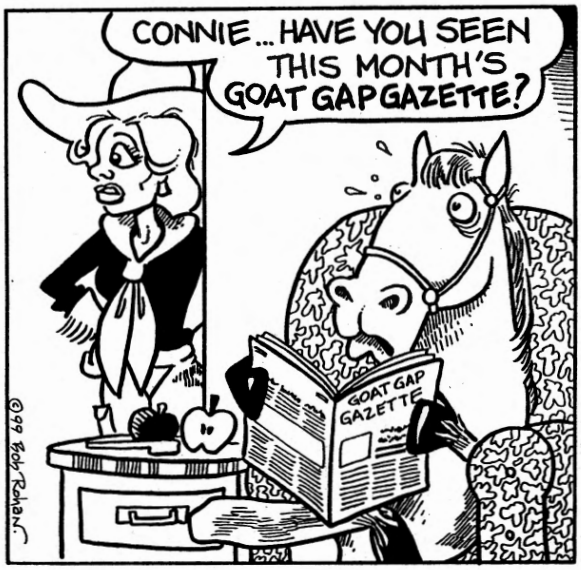
July 15, 2000, Irving, TX. CASI Directors Meeting. Held at Elks Lodge in Irving TX. Contact your local CASI Director for information or call the Executive Director, Johnye Harriman at (405)440-2455

July 15, 2000, New Berlin, TX, CASI. 5th Annual New Berlin CCO. Luensmann Ice * Food. Cooks Party Friday night. Benefits New Berlin & Clemens 4-H. Info Hugo (830)420-3838. Entry fee $17.00. Overnight Camping (no hook-ups)

July 22, 2000, Lubbock, TX, CASI. 25th Annual Lubbock Jaycees Chili & Barbecue Cookoff Location: Buffalo Springs Lake, Lubbock, TX. Proceeds benefit Women's Protective Services. CASI & WTBA Rules: Chili: $20.00/ Chicken, Ribs, Brisket: $25.00 per category/ Jackpot Beans: $10.00/ Open: $10.00. Cooks party Friday Night. Contact: Kim Rood, P.O. Box 539, Lubbock, TX 79408. (806)863-3842.

July 22, 2000 Odessa, TX, CASI. Chili cookoff at Pats Place, 7405 Andrews Highway, Odessa, TX benefiting Americans Veterans Assn. Chili Only. Info Teressa Pace, (H) 915-550-6224, (W) 915-332-9913. Info Teressa Pace, (H) 915-550-6224, (W) 915-332-9913.

July, 22, 2000, Cloudcroft, NM, CASI. New Mexico Chili Society CCO. Held at Ski



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July, 22, 2000, Cheyenne, WY, CASI. 21st Annual Lions Chili Cookoff. Held the first Saturday of Cheyenne Frontier Days in Lions Park, at 8th Ave. & Carey Ave. I-25 North to exit 12, South on Central Ave. to 8th Ave., turn right (West) to Lions Park, you'll see the signs along Central Ave. & 8th Ave. Benefits Lions Eyeglass Program. Entry fee $15.00 for 1 div. and $25.00 for 2 div.. Info Bill Moore, PO Box 3264, Cheyenne, WY 82003. (307)778-2500 or Dick Dubay (307)635-0446.

July, 22, 2000, Tucson, AZ, CASI. 7th Annual Foothills Mall CCO. Held at Foothills Mall, 7401 N. La Cholla Blvd. in Tucson. Entry fee $10.00, payable to CHOA. Turn-in 2:00. Info (520)298-6838

July, 27, 2000, Castlerock, WA, CASI. Mountain Mania & Men's State Championship. Held in the Downtown block of Castlerock. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00, payable to Al Ruskin. Info Al Ruskin, PO Box 4070, Spanaway, WA 98387-0550. (253)847-1713. **Chili Grind Only.**

July 27/30, Moulton, TX, CASI. 24th Annual CASI & Local Chili Cookoff. Held in conjunction of the Moulton Town and Country Jamboree. . Entry fee $15.00. Turn-in 2:00. Info Thomas Motal (361)596-7928 or Moulton Chamber of Commerce (361)596-7205.

July 29/30, 2000, Schertz, TX, CASI. 3rd Annual VFW Post 8315 Chili Cook-off (CASI) 1000 FM 78 Schertz, TX. Cooks party Friday night 7pm. Chili cook-off (CASI) $18 entry fee on Sat, turn in 2pm. Chili Cook-off (CASI) $15 entry fee on Sun, turn in 12 noon. Checks payable to VFW Post 8315. NO OPEN FLAMES. Contact C.W.Reese (210)658-6765 or Jimmy Gonzales (210) 658-9774 or the Post (210)658-6325. Benefits VFW Post and various charities.

July 29, 2000, Odessa, TX, CASI. American Legion Ladies Auxiliary CCO. Held at Earl S. Bailey Post No 430 at East 8th and Hwy. 80. Benefits Girls State. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00, payable to American Legion Auxiliary Post 430. Info Roxanne Kaufman, PO Box 1109, Odessa, TX 79760. (915)367-9093. Email RPATTONTX@AOL.COM. Also BBQ. WTBA Brisket, Pork Ribs, 1/2 Chicken Entry fee's $15.00 per category.

August 2000

Aug., 05, 2000, El Paso, TX, CASI. Smith's CCO. Held at 701 N. Zaragosa in El Paso. Benefits Cancer - Memory Mr. Smith. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $12.00. Info Jason Douglass, 5608 Van Horn, El Paso, TX 79924. (915)821-0357.

Aug., 05, 2000, Schulenburg, TX, CASI. Schulenburg Festival CASI Chili Cookoff. Held at Wolters Park in Schulenburg. Turn-in 3:00. Entry fee $17.00 per team. Electrical hook-ups available on first come first serve basis. A hook-up fee will be charged. Shaded area also. Info Glenda Janda (979)247-4141 or Helen Kruppa (979)247-4560.

Aug., 12, 2000, Lewisville, TX, CASI. Texas Open CASI State Championship. Benefits Lewisville Parks & Leisure Services. Entry fee's, $25.00 Chili & $5.00 Junior Chili. Goody bags to all cooks registered by June 15th. RV reservations must accompany entry & must include RV make, license and length. Friday and Saturday night $14.00. Info Mikie McGarity (817)975-2200 or Doris Coats (972)254-5290.

Aug., 12, 2000, Midland, TX, CASI. Jack-O-Lope Cookoff. Held at Gene & Betty's Shade Western Lounge, 3303 Rankin Hwy. Midland, TX. CASI & West Texas Bar-B-Que Assoc rules apply. Benefits make-A-Wish Foundation. Entry fee's $17.00 Chili, $17.00 each for Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs, & Brisket. Live music Friday & Saturday nights. 3 awards in Show. 1 award for best campsite. Info Betty Joseph (915)683-9515. Plenty of parking no hook-ups.

Aug., 19, 2000, Alpine, AZ, CASI. 4-Corners Regional Chili Cook-off. Turn-in 2:00. Dry camping. Bean Jackpot, brisket, Margarita Shake-off. Info Jim Tomlin (520)458-9559 or Dick Seehusen, (520)339-1840

Aug., 19, 2000, Will's Point, TX, CASI. 5th Annual CASI Benefit CCO. Benefits Myrtle Springs VFD. Location: Brown Bob's Hideaway **NUDIST RESORT** (clothing optional), 3 mi N of I-20 at Hwy 64 & CR3403. Camping and RV hook-ups available. Clubhouse, swimming pool, hot tub, beautiful grounds. Kareoke Friday and Saturday nights. Entry fee: $20 CASI/Local chili, $5 Jackpot beans. Head cook/1 assistant, 4 members per showmanship team free ground fees. All others $30 each for weekend. RV and camping reservations info: 903/873-3311. Email: b.b.s.hideaway@airmail,net. Web site:

Aug., 19, 2000 Lamesa, TX CASI. Mike Blakley, Jimmy Sanders Benefit Chili and BBQ cookoff at Weavers Gin on Seminole Highway. Fees, Chili $17.00. WTBA sanctioned BBQ Chicken. Ribs and Brisket $16.00 per category. 50 percent pay back on BBQ. Info, Dennis Brackeen, (806) 872-5628

August 19, 2000, Bel Air, MD, CASI. Mason Dixon Pod Party and Backyard CCO at Casa Pepperdean. Free entry for first-time CASI cooks. Details, Alan Dean 410-879-6410 or pepperdean@erols.com.

Aug., 26, 2000 - Lake Wales, FL, CASI. - Lake Wales Elks Chili Cookoff, at the Elks Lodge, Highway 27, Lake Wales, Florida. Entry fee $17.00. Limited RV sites with Water/Electric. INFO: Ken Rodd 210-887-8827 or sgmken@aol.com

Aug., 26, 2000, Amana, IA, CASI. 17th annual Iowa State Championship CCO, CASI, $20 Entry fee. Held at the visitors center in Main Amana, IA. Benefits Tanager Place, a home for abused and battered children and their families. Hot Air Balloons, Family fun and games. 1:00 turn-in. Call Jerry Christensen (319)363-3073. 628 33rd St. NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402 jerryc@joconstrustion.com

Aug., 26, 2000, Houston, TX, CASI. Auxiliary Cookoff 151. 5230 S Willow Drive in Houston. Details to follow.

Aug., 26, 2000, Timonium, MD, CASI. State Fair Chili Cookoff. CASI sanctioned. Huge crowds. Watch for details.

Aug., 26, 2000, Timonium, MD, CASI. Fire On The Midway - Maryland State Fair Cookoff. CASI. Rides, entertainment, big crowds. Turn in 2:00 PM. Entry $17.00, free to first-time CASI cooks. For information call Alan Dean 410-879-6410 or pepperdean@erols.com

Aug., 27, 2000, Memphis, TN, CASI. 2nd Steamatic of Memphis Chili Cook-off. Held at 3684 Cherry Rd., Memphis, TN. Benefits Pods Breakfast. Turn in 12:30. Entry fee $15.00, payable to Hot Pod. **Chili Grind Only**. Info Tanna Jones, 3684 Cherry Rd., Memphis, TN. (800)221-5349

September 2000

Sept., 09, 2000, West Tawakoni, TX, CASI. 6th Annual Chili by the Lake Chili Cookoff. Held at Tawakoni City Park, 9 miles East of Quinlan on 276. Benefits Tawakoni Park Board for Park Improvements. Entry fee $17.00. Chili turn-in at 2:00. and $5.00 50/50 Jackpot Beans turn-in at 12 noon 1st place only. Goodie bags to 1st 30 paid cooks. Cooks party Friday night 7 to 9. Very limited paid Elect. hook-ups, 1st come 1st serve no reserves. Free non elect overnight camping. Checks payable to City of West Tawakoni. Info Carl or Jackie Grose 5640 Hwy. 34 So. Quinlan, TX 75474-3228 (903)883-4916 day or night.

Sept., 10, 2000, West Tawakoni, TX, CASI. Morning after 6th Annual Chili By the Lake Cookoff. Benefits Merchants association for merchants local charities. **Chili Grind Only.** Turn-in 12:00 Noon. Entry fee $13.00, payable to City of West Tawakoni. Info Carl or Jackie Grose, 5640 Hwy 34 so., Quinlan, TX 75474-3228 (903)883-4916 day or night.

Sept., 10, 2000, St. Thomas, VI, CASI. Texas Society of the VI 16th Annual Chili Cook-off. Held on Sapphire Beach Resort and Marina. Benefits, Queen Louise Home for the Aged, American Red Cross Family Support Network, St. Thomas Rescue, St. Thomas Swimming Assoc., VI Institute of Performing Arts, Kids Scope & Meals-ON-Wheels. Turn-in noon. Entry fee $25.00, payable to Texas Society of the Virgin Islands. Info Georgeann "Pepper" Peters. PO Box 1163, St. Thomas, V100804. (340)775-8011.

Sept. 16, 2000, Alamogordo, NM, CASI. Battle of the Chili Cooks "Golden Spur" Hwy. 54/70 North Alamogordo, NM. 2:00 PM Turn In. Entry Fee $12.00. Benefits Local Charity. Info Di Hughes 505-437-6259. e-mail housoshug@zianet.com PO 3373, Alamogordo, NM 88311

Sept., 16, 2000, Cloverdale BC, CN, CASI. Pacific Pod Cookoff. Held at 3422 Lancaster St., Port Coquitlam. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $15.00 US/$20.00 CDN. Info Fred Roycroft, 3422 Lancaster St. Port Coquitlam, BC V3B4R3. (604)464-3472

Sept., 23, 2000, Midland, TX, CASI. Permian Basin Barbecue Championship Midland County Exhibit Building 2445 E. Business 80, Midland, Texas CASI/IBCA Rules. Chili: 25.00; Brisket, Pork Spare Ribs ,Chicken: $35.00 per category; Fajitas: $25.00 Open: free if you have entered another category or else $25.00 Benefits the Make A Wish Foundation of West Texas Permian Basin Barbecue Championship, P.O. Box 2419, Midland, TX. 79702. Contact: Bill Carrell; Work:915-697-8784/Home: 915-683-2957

Sept., 23, 2000, Lake Zurich, IL, CASI. Barn Burin' Chili Cookoff. Held at Paulus Park - off of Rt. 12 - 1/2 mile North of Rt. 12 & 22 - Across from Kmart. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $20.00, payable to Village of Lake Zurich. Info Karen Meyers, 70 E. Main St., Lake Zurich, IL 60047. (847)438-5146 FAX (847)540-5081. Preregistration Deadline 09/17/2000.

Sept., 30, 2000, CASI. Black Gold Cookoff, details to follow.

Sept. 30, 2000, Columbus, NM, CASI. Pancho Villa State Park, Columbus NM. Last Chance CCO. Entry Fee $12,00. Turn In 2:00 PM. Benefits Local Charity. Info Di Hughes 505-437-6259. e-mail housoshug@zianet.com, PO 3373, Alamogordo NM 88311

October 2000

Oct., 07, 2000, Lewisville, TX, CASI. "Escape from Chili Island." Chili Cookoff and Madcap Mardi Gras. Held at Sneaky Pete's Beach and in the parking lot for our folks with RV's. Benefits Bryan's House. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee's, $17.00 Chili and $5.00 50/50 Jackpot Beans. Vender spots available for $25.00 each. Hosted by "The Lone Star Parrot Head Club." the club with a "Texas Heart and Caribbean Soul." Info Kim Worley, 2117 Newbury, Arlington, TX 76014. (817)472-9095. Pre-registration must be postmarked by Weds. Sept. 27th.

Oct., 07, 2000, Mabank, TX, CASI. We are located in Mabank TX. 75147 We are approximately 60 miles Southeast of Dallas located on Cedar Creek Lake. Mabank Fire Dept., PO Box 1233 Mabank, TX 75147

Oct., 07, 2000, Fort Collins, CO, CASI. 10th Annual Sundance Chili Cookoff, held at the Sundance Steakhouse and Saloon in Fort Collins. Benefits Fort Collins Senior Center. Entry fee's CASI/red green or $25.00 for both. Info John Montgomery (303)831-5000 (work) or Lyman Wilkinson (303)657-4457 (work). Send entry to Colorado Chili Pod, % John Montgomery, 1600 Broadway, Suite 2500, Denver, CO 80202

Oct., 07, 2000, Rodanthe, NC, CASI. 4th Annual Outer Banks Chili Cookoff. Held at Cape Hatteras KOA Campgrounds, NC route 12, Rodanthe NC. Benefits the Chicamacomico Fire dept. Turn-in 1:00. Entry fee $15.00 for Piedmont Pepper Pod

Members, $20.00 for non-members, payable to Piedmont Pepper Pod. Free campsites for all cooks, 25% off all cabin rentals for all cooks. Cooks party at the pool patio on Friday night Oct. 6th. Campground numbers for further info and reservations (800)562-5268 or (919)987-2307. Info Dick Steinert, 3221 Forsyth Drive, Greensboro, NC 27407. (336)292-6580.. Cut Meat.

Oct., 14, 2000, Lake Whitney Thousand Trails, TX, CASI. 12th Annual Thousand Trails Great Pepper Chili Cookoff. Held at the Thousand Trails Preserve, 12 miles North of Whitesoro via US 377. Benefits Thousand Trails Kids for Christmas. Free camping - Full hookups, Swimming pool and Hot Tub. Rental Cabins and RV's Available. Entry fee's, $17.00 Chili, $5.00 Jackpot Beans. Turn-in 1:00 Beans & 2:00 Chili. Info Darrell Baxter, 1100 Ralph, Grand Prairie, TX 75051. (972)262-4701

Oct., 14, 2000, West Memphis, AR, CASI. Main Street Fall Festival & CASI Chili Cookoff. Held at 231 E. Broadway - Union Planters Plaza - Take Missouri St. Exit, left on Broadway site is on your right. Benefits Main Street West Memphis. Entry fee $25.00. Turn-in 2:00. Salsa Contest entry fee $10.00. Limited RV parking. Info Leigh Ann Simmons / Toby Steele, 108 W Broadway, West Memphis, AR 72301. (870)735-8814 or (870)735-2850.

Oct., 21, 2000, Water Valley, TX, CASI. Water Valley Chili Cookoff.. Held at Water Valley, Park, Water Valley TX. Turn-in 2:00. Entry fee $17.00 Chili, $5.00 Jackpot Beans, payable to Concho Valley Chili Pod. **Chili Grind Only.** WTBA BBQ, Brisket, Pork Spare-ribs, Chicken, $15.00 each category. Info Venetia Smithe, Box 933, Iraan, TX 79744. (915)639-2761

Oct., 21, 2000, Odessa, TX, CASI. Kookin for Kids Chili and BBQ Cookoff at Odessa Shrine, 3rd and North Tom Green, Odessa, TX. Fees, Chili $17.00. WTBA sanctioned BBQ, chicken, ribs and brisket $16.00 per category. Jack Pot Beans $5.00. Payable to Odessa Shrine. Info Kenn Hill, #2 Hialeah Circle, Odessa, TX 79760 (915) 362-3350.

Oct., 21, 2000, Baltimore, MD, CASI. Bohagers in Fels Point. CASI. Huge cookoff in the heart of the historic port area of Baltimore. Proceeds go to the National Kidney Foundation. Details, Alan Dean 410-879-6410 or pepperdean@erols.com

Oct., 21, 2000, Baltimore, MD, CASI. NKF Cookoff at Bohagers in historic Fels Point area. Top local and national bands. Big crowds. Watch for details.

Oct., 21, 2000, Caruthersville, MO, CASI. Caruthersville C of C Chili Cookoff. Held downtown at 4th & Ward Ave. Exit 19 off I-55 or Exit 6 off I-155. Entry fee's, $20.00 CASI Division & $20.00 for Local Division. Turn in both at 3:00. Jalapino Eating Contest. Info Beth Price (573)333-1222

Oct., 27-28, 2000, Flatonia, TX, CASI. Czhilispiel Cookoff this year is Oct. 27 &28 in Flatonia, TX. The contact person is DeRose Janecka. More information later or contact the Flatonia Chamber of Commerce 361-865-3920 or visit or web site www.flatonia-tx.com or email us at flatcofc@techisp.com.

Nov., 04, 2000, Terlingua, TX, CASI. Terlingua International Chili Championship. Held at the CASI de los Chisos Ranch, between Terlingua and Lajitas TX. Info, Vickie Childers. (806)352-8783.

Nov., 11, 2000, Edgewood, TX, CASI. 24th Bazaar and festival. Held at the Heritage Park Museum. Located 50 miles East of Dallas on US Hwy. 80. More info to come.

BBQ's

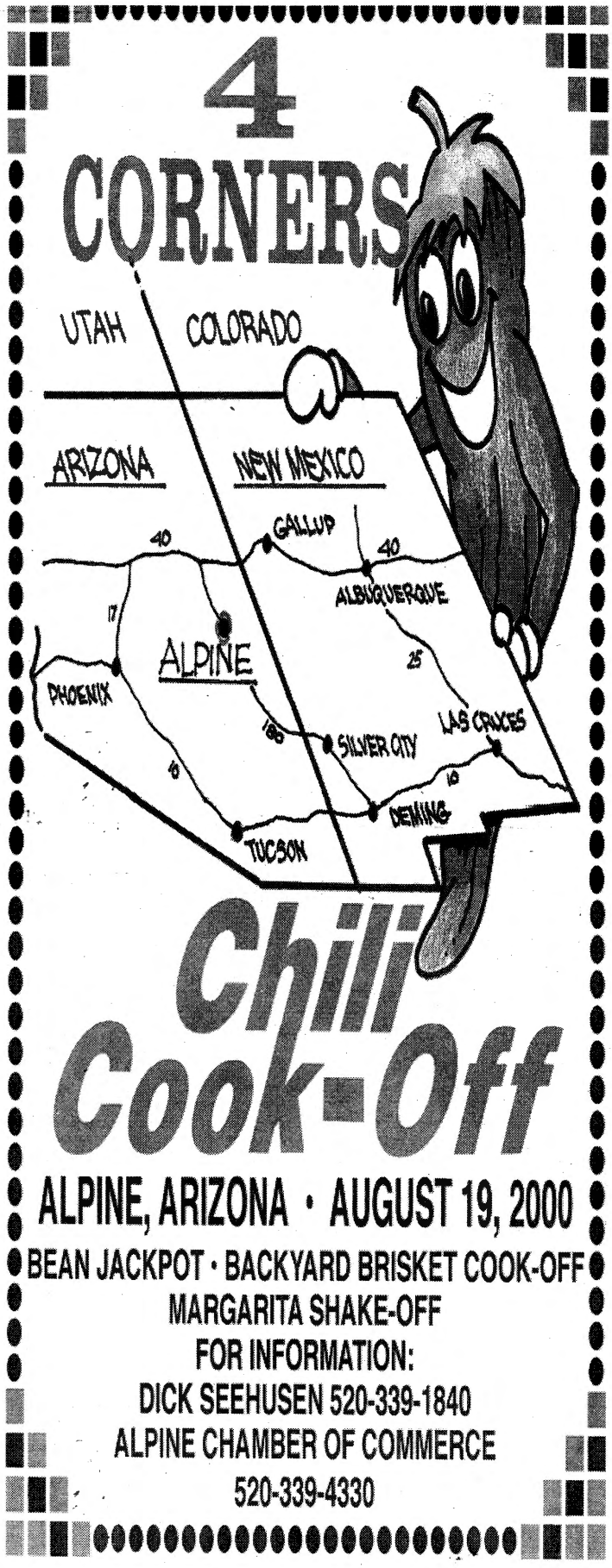
May, 05-06, Post, TX. The 3rd, 1st Annual West Texas Open BBQ Cookoff Held at the Caprock Lounge in Post Texas. WTBA Sanctioned, Brisked, Ribs, Chicken, Fajitas, Jackpot Beans. $15.00 entry in each event. Some RV Space, no hook-ups. Big Cooks Party friday Night. For more Info, Call Danny Cooper at 806-495-1252, FAX 806-495-3869, E-MAIL COOPERDV@AOL.COM 208 N Ave F Post, TX. 79356

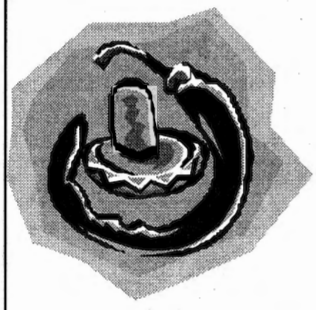
June, 17, 2000, Amarillo, TX. Panhandle Youth Football League CCO. Held at the Tri-State Fairgrounds. Park off 10th St. Entry fee's $20.00 per category for Chicken (turn-in 12:00), Pork Ribs (turn-in 2:00), & Brisket (turn-in 3:00), or $50.00 for all, payable to Pam Matheson. Turn-in 1:00. Info Pam Matheson, 808 S. Houston St., Amarillo, TX 79103 (806)373-9292 or (806)359-8469. Chili cookoff same place same day.

May, 27, 2000, Water Valley, TX. Tom Green County Championship BBQ Cookoff. WTBA Sanctioned.. Held at Water Valley Park in Water Valley TX. 1/2 Jointed Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs, Brisket, $15.00 per category. Jackpot Beans, Non-Desert Open & Dessert Open $5.00 per category, payable to Concho Valley Pod. Info Venetia Smith PO Box 933, Iraan, TX, 79744. (915)639-2761. BBQ cookoff same place next day. Chili Cookoff same location on May 28th.

July, 29, 2000, Moulton, TX. 11th Annual Championship BBQ and Lavaca County Area Go Texan Cookoff. IBCA sanctioned. Categories: Jackpot Pinto Beans, Pork Spare Ribs and Brisket. Turn- in times: jackpot pinto beans 12:00, pork spare ribs 1:00, Championship Brisket 3:00, Lavaca County Area Go Texan Brisket 4:00. Entry fees: Jackpot beans $15.00, enter one meat category $35.00. Enter both meat categories $40.00, and enter Area Go Texan for $10.00 additional. Info Gussie Muchalec (361)596-4034 or Moulton Chamber of Commerce (361)596-7205

Sept., 29-30, 2000, Post TX. The post Texas Founders Day 2000 BBQ Cookoff. Downtown Post, TX. WTBA Sanctioned Brisket, Ribs, Chicken, Jackpot Beans. $15 entry in all events. Downtown, Booths, Arts & crafts, Foods, Available you can cook, vend & Arts & Crafts. Some RV Parking available, No Hook-ups. Elect Available for venders. Lots going on this weekend in Post, Steer Roping (tripping) @ Rodeo Areana, Gary P Nunn, on the Dance Slab Sat. Night. %15 will go to local Charity TBA at later date . For More Info Call Canny Cooper @ 806-495-1252, FAX 806-495-3869, E-MAIL COOPERDV@AOL.COM or Wanda Mitchell @ 806-495-3461





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PUBLIC CHILI SAMPLING IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING TURN-IN

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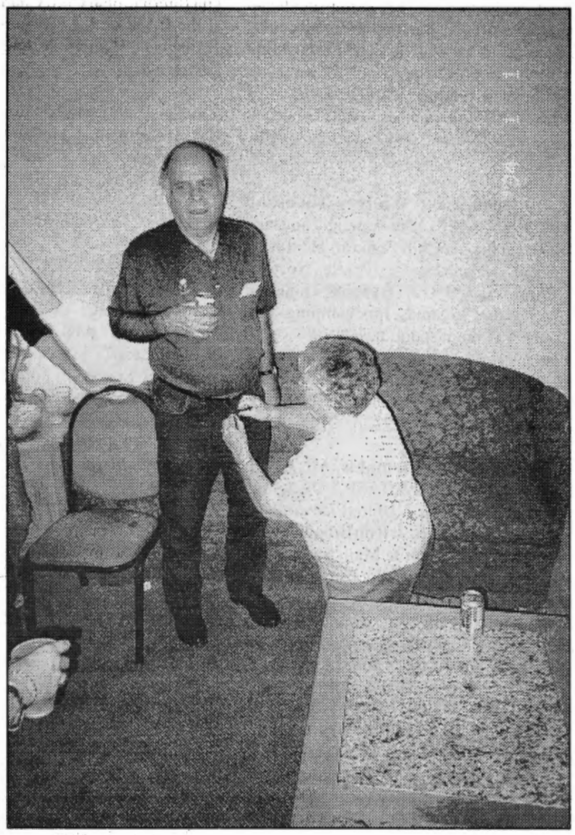

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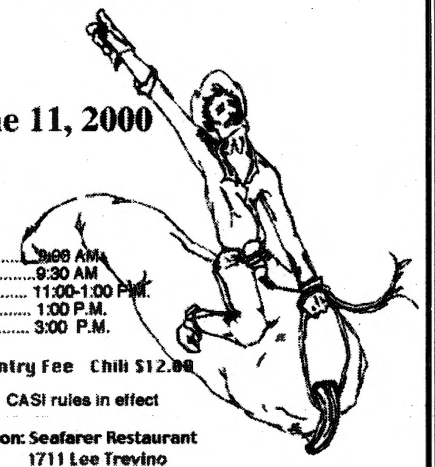

June 11, 2000

EL PASO, TEXAS

Cooks' Meeting:.....9:00 AM
Cooks Breakfast.....9:30 AM
Showmanship.....11:00-1:00 P.M.
Chili Turn In:.....1:00 P.M.
Announcing.....3:00 P.M.

Entry Fee Chili $12.00

CASI rules in effect

Location: Seafarer Restaurant
1711 Lee Trevino
El Paso, TX

Awards: Chili places.....1-10
Showmanship places.....1-3

Public Invited

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Day after the Battle

June 11, 2000

HOT-POD **Cook-off** (Chili grind only)

CASI Treasurer's Report

Financial Statement
January 1, 2000 thru April 16,2000

Income Statement

Revenues

Terlingua International Chili Championship		1,546.00
Membership Dues		780.00
Money Received from TICC Sponsors		6,500.00
Money Received from Friends of CASI	1,256.00	
Terlingua Trails		480.00
Cookoff Sanctioning Fees		4,137.00
CASI Cookoff Packets		630.00
Interest Earned		142.64
Miscellaneous		0.00
Transfer from GP Meeting Fund		3,905.92
Transfer from Life Membership Fund		0.00
Great Pepper's Meeting Reserve Fund Revenues		
Cookoff Sanctioning Fees		4,137.00
Interest Earned		0.00
Life Membership Reserve Fund Revenues		
Interest Earned		0.00
Old 320 Monument Fund		
Contributions		170.00
Total Revenues		23,684.56

Disbursements

Terlingua International Chili Championship		6,165.70
Terlingua Trails		4,718.63
Charitable Contributions		3,000.00
Depreciation Expense		0.00
CASI Director's Expenses		1,067.35
Chilicity Expenses		24.00
Membership Expenses		171.54
Tallymaster Related Expenses		141.88
Rancho CASI de los Chisos Expenses		530.98
Printing of CASJ Rule Books	161.25	
Director's Liability Insurance		0.00
Internet Expense		164.85
Old 320 Expenses		0.00
LMRF Transfer to GF for Life Members Subsidy	0.00	
GP Meeting Fund Transfer to General Fund		3,905.92
GP Meeting Expense		0.00
Old 320 Monument Fund Expenditures	0.00	
Miscellaneous		212.60
Total Disbursements		20,264.70
Net Income		3,419.86

Balance Sheet

Assets

General Operations Fund - Cash in Bank		36,854.67
Certificates of Deposit		0.00
Great Peppers Meeting Reserve Fund – Cert of Deposit		10,000.00
Old 320 Monument Fund – Checking		2,704.00
Life Membership Reserve Fund – Certificates of Deposit		60,000.00
Total Cash in Bank		109,558.67
Office Equipment		6,854.00
Trailer and Sign		1,500.00
Land and Land Improvements		92.523.48
Building at Rancho CASI de los Chisos	58,360.00	
Less Accumulated Depreciation		21,193.00-
CASI Trademark Fees		1,120.00
Total Non-Cash Assets		139,164.48
Total Assets		248,723.15

Liabilites

Combined Fund Balancing Account		245,303.29
Net Income		3,419.86
Total Liabilities		248,723.15

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Date and City: _____

Cookoff Name: _____

Street Address/Location: _____

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CASI Sanctioned: _____ Charity: _____ Turn-in Time _____

Entry Fee: _____

Checks Payable to: _____

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Contact Address: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Preregistration Deadline (if Applicable:) _____ Special Meat _____

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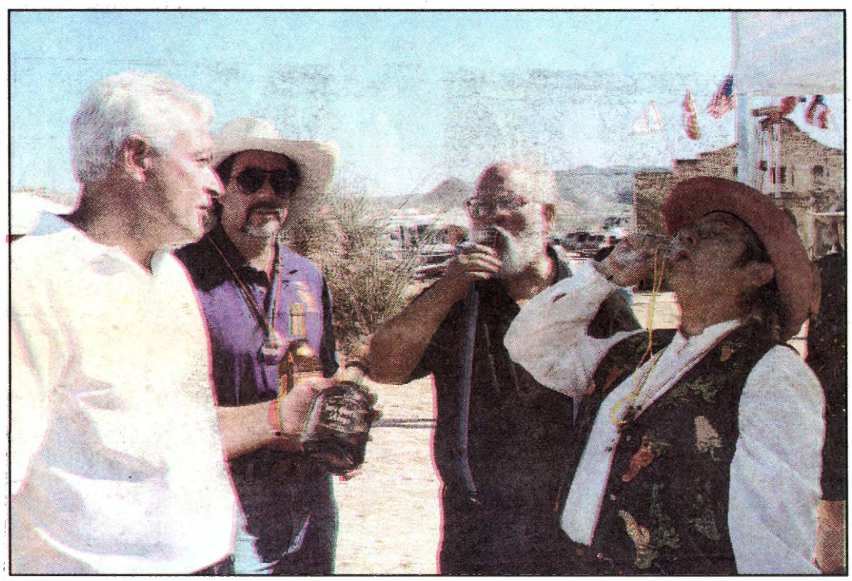

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