



4th Annual
Ridgefield Chili Challenge Entry Form
Amateur Category

Deadline to Enter: January 25, 2019

Guidelines: See Chili Challenge Event Information

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

Phone# _____

Email Address (please print clearly):

Please review the “Event Information” and follow the Chili Challenge Rules.

Make check for \$25 entry fee payable to: City of Ridgefield

The challenge is limited to a maximum of 12 entrants; on a first come, first accepted basis.

Return the completed form and entry fee to Ridgefield City Hall during regular business hours.

*For additional information or questions contact:
Jessica Kipp, City Hall: 360-887-3557 or Jessica.Kipp@ci.ridgefield.wa.us*

Signature: _____



4th Annual Ridgefield Chili Challenge

Event Information For Amateur Category

Date: February 2, 2019

Time: 10AM – 2PM

Location: Ridgefield Community Center, Ridgefield, WA.

Chili Challenge Rules:

1. The challenge is open to anyone but preference will be given to those who live in the 98642 zip code area.
2. The challenge is limited to a maximum of 12 entrants; on a first come, first accepted basis.
3. Bring your homemade chili ready to serve in a crock pot or low voltage warmer. Provide sanitary conditions during preparation of chili and on serving day.
4. You must prepare enough chili to serve 5 judges.
5. Bring a table, a 25 ft. 3 prong extension cord, a table cloth (if you'd like) and your own cooking utensils for stirring and serving.
6. The following items will be provided: sample cups for judging, spoons and napkins.
7. Use your best judgment regarding spice level; not all judges like a lot of heat.
8. Do not offer any condiments such as cheese, sour cream, onions, etc. Judging will be CHILI only.
9. HAVE FUN!!!!

WA Health Dept. prohibits entrants from serving chili to the general public unless it is prepared in a commercial kitchen. If you will be preparing your chili in a commercial kitchen, you may be interested in entering the "professional" category – which is judged by the general public.

Prizes!!

Cash prizes will be awarded to 1st and 2nd place winners:
1st place – \$250.00, customized apron and ultimate bragging rights.
2nd place – \$100.00 and some bragging rights

Entry Fees, Application and Deadlines:

Contestant Entry Fee: \$25.00.

Submit your Entry Form and entry fee by **January 25, 2019**. Any cancellations must be received no later than January 28, 2019. After that date, your \$25 entry fee will be forfeited.

Schedule on Day-of-Event:

- 1.) You may begin setting up at 9AM. You **MUST** be set up and ready to serve at 11AM.
- 2.) Parking: You may unload on the street in front of the community center, then please move your car to the gravel parking lot or another street – to reserve the closest spots for attendees.
- 3.) Judging Time: 12NOON

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