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# INDIANA STATE CHILI CHAMPIONSHIP

**SEPTEMBER 18, 2010**

Red Bridge Park, 697 W. Jackson St.,  
 Cicero, IN 46034

*PROCEEDS BENEFITING THE HUMANE  
 SOCIETY FOR HAMILTON COUNTY*

Admission is \$5 to taste chili – children under 10 are free. Each paid admission gets 5 voting tickets for the People's Choice Chili. Site opens to public and tasting begins at 12:00 noon.

**Categories:** (see reverse for more information)

- **CASI Chili – CHILI GRIND ONLY.**
- Showmanship
- Salsa
- Anything Goes
- Junior category
- **People's Choice** -You MUST MAKE AT LEAST 3 GALLONS OF CHILI to be eligible for this category

**Cook-off Schedule**

- 8:00 Site opens to cooks and staff
- 9:00 Cooks Meeting - Registration immediately following meeting
- 12:00 **Site Opens to Public and tasting begins. CASI Chili Turn In.**
- 12:30 Showmanship judging begins
- 12:30 **Salsa turn-in**
- 1:00 **Anything Goes chili turn-in Jr's chili turn-in**
- 2:30 **People's Choice voting bucket turn in AWARDS** following completion of judging

**CASI Chili Cooking Rules:**

[www.chili.org](http://www.chili.org)

➤ CASI Rules Apply ➤ Chili must be cooked on site from scratch. ➤ All meat must be USDA approved and no home-canned items may be used. ➤ No fillers: no beans, no pasta, etc. ➤ Only one chili per cook. ➤ Maintain sanitized cooking area ➤ Must be 18 years old to enter CASI ➤ Judging of chili is based on: Aroma, Consistency, Color, Taste, and Aftertaste

Make Checks payable to: **Humane Society for Hamilton County**  
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**Awards:**

Trophies to top 10 CASI chilis.  
 Trophies to top 3 in all other categories.

**Please Print**

Head Cook: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Other: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Detach & mail payment to:**

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Late entries accepted.

CASI Chili \$20 \_\_\_\_\_ Anything Goes \$20\* \_\_\_\_\_ Jr's (7-17yo) \$5 \_\_\_\_\_ Salsa \$5 \_\_\_\_\_

\*\$10 w/CASI entry

Showmanship (must cook CASI) \_\_\_\_\_

**CASI Rules Apply**

**Please make at least 3 gallons of chili for public tasting**

**All cooks:**

**Please make at least 3 gallons  
 of chili for public tasting**

# Cook-Off Information

All meat must be USDA approved and no home-canned items may be used.  
**ALL CHILI & SALSA MUST BE PREPARED & COOKED ON SITE!**

## CASI \*

The Chili Appreciation Society International (CASI) is the sanctioning entity for this category. By entering this category, your chili must meet CASI requirements. No Fillers in Chili (beans, pasta, corn, rice, etc.). Trophies awarded to top 10 places. For more information, visit the CASI website at [www.chili.org](http://www.chili.org).

## ANYTHING GOES \*

This category is open to anyone who wants to show off his/her culinary skills. This is an open-class that has no restrictions on ingredients.

## SALSA \*

This category is open to anyone that wants to enter. Cooks must be willing to taste their own salsa upon request. No home-canned items or store-bought salsa may be used.

## JR's DIVISION

Open only to participants 6-17 years of age. *No restrictions on ingredients.* Cooks must be willing to taste their own chili upon request. A parent must be present in the same cooking space. Parents may help only as needed for safety reasons (draining grease, lighting stove, etc). Children are to do their own cooking.

## SHOWMANSHIP

This is a chance to show off your imagination, personality, acting and decorating skills. Teams and booths are judged on theme, costume, actions and audience appeal. If you are cooking CASI, and you are competing in show, you must enter CASI show. CASI awards trophies to the top 3 places.

## PEOPLES CHOICE – CHILI

A minimum of 3 gallons of chili is required to be eligible for this category. This cook-off is open to the public and gives them an opportunity to taste the best chili in Indiana. Judging for this category will be by the public. Voting boxes will be provided.

\* must be at least 18 years of age

## Facilities / Misc

There are NO shelter areas available for cooking. Cook-offs are held rain or shine so be prepared.

<u>WE WILL PROVIDE FOR EACH COOK/TEAM...</u>	<u>ALL PARTICIPANTS ARE RESPONSIBLE TO BRING THEIR OWN...</u>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1-10'x10' space</li><li>• Judging cups/containers and labels*</li><li>• Sample cups &amp; spoons</li><li>• People's Choice voting boxes*</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Butane or Propane Stove (electric NOT available)</li><li>• Utensils, pots/pans, etc.</li><li>• Ingredients</li><li>• Cooler (to store ingredients)</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Canopy</li><li>• Weights and Tie Downs</li><li>• Tables &amp; Chair</li><li>• Decorations (if applicable)</li></ul>

\* *No other containers or labels may be used. The containers may not be tampered with or defaced in any way. Individuals who do so are subject to disqualification. No decorations or garnishes are permissible.*

Dump and grease buckets will be provided. **NO DUMPING ALLOWED ON THE GROUNDS.**

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