



Freeburg Chamber of Commerce

Saturday, October 10, 2015 Fall Fest

Chili Cook-Off, Jam, Jelly & Salsa Entry Form

Group Name: _____

Captains Name: _____

Email: _____ Number of Team Members: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____ Cell: _____

Address:

Street State Zip

Your information will not be shared with anyone outside the Fall Festival Committee and will be used only for use with the Chili Cook-Off.

Name of Chili	Electricity \$35	Non- Electricity \$30	Total
Salsa, Jam or Jelly	Type	\$5 per entry	Total

Total Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Liability Statement

In consideration of your acceptance of my entry, I agree to be legally bound for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive and release the Freeburg Chamber of Commerce, its agents, officers, employees and any sponsors, their agents, representatives, committees and members from any and all claims of rights to damages for injuries suffered by me directly or indirectly in traveling to and from or competing in the 2015 Freeburg Fall Fest Chili Cook-Off. I will accept the ruling of the contest judges and I understand their decision and count will be final. In accordance with the American with Disability Act, any attendee with reasonable accommodations should notify us of their needs.

By signing this form you are acknowledging that you have read and understand the rules and regulations of the event as outlined in the Fall Fest Chili Cook-Off Rules and Regulations document included in this packet.

Team Captain Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please return this application along with the entry fee to 618 Meadow Lake Drive, Freeburg, IL, 62243. All checks should be made payable to Freeburg Chamber of Commerce.



Fall Fest Chili Information and Rules

Please read the following for important information and rules regarding your participation in the Freeburg Chamber of Commerce Fall Fest Chili Cook-Off, Salsa, Jam and Jelly Contests

Fall Fest Chili Cook-Off:

1. Entry fee per team is \$35 for teams needing electricity and \$30 for any team not needing electricity.
2. Booth set up can begin at 7:00am. You will be provided a 12ftx12ft space. You will need to provide everything for that space (tent, etc). If you will need electricity you are encouraged to bring up to 100ft of extension cord.
3. You can begin cooking at 8:00am. Your vegetables can be pre-cut but nothing can be pre-cooked.
4. A mandatory meeting by all Team Captains will take place at 8:30am at the check-in table area.
5. Chili must be ready to serve at 11am which is the official start time for the event.
6. No other food items are allowed to be sold by chili contestants.
7. Contestants shall supply all cooking ingredients, cooking devices, utensils, table, bowls, spoons, etc. You are encouraged to decorate your booth for the best decorated booth plaque.
8. Each contestant is expected to cook at least 1 gallon of chili and allow sampling by the crowd. Those with bracelets will be provided free samples. Sample containers (3oz.) and sample spoons will be provided to you by the Fall Fest Committee. You are encouraged to cook more as you will be able to sell your chili for \$3.00 per bowl. The money from the bowls of chili will be yours to keep.
9. Judging will be 100% public opinion. Attendees will be given tokens to put in their favorite booth's collection containers. These collection containers will be provided to you by the Fall Festival Committee.
10. The Committee will collect voting tokens throughout the day with final pick up at 6:00pm for counting. The winners will be announced at 6:30pm
11. There will be a 1st place trophy for the overall chili winner as well as the winner of the Guns & Hoses (police v. fire fighters). A plaque will be presented to the best decorated booth.
12. Prize money will not exceed \$300 for 1st, \$200 for 2nd and \$100 for 3rd
13. Do not tear down your stand before the winners are announced. Failure to comply will result in your team's disqualification.
14. No alcoholic beverages shall be brought into the event area (this includes the park and surrounding streets). Violation of this rule will result in your team's disqualification.
15. Each team will be provided with one parking space near their booth. No loitering behind the vehicles will be permitted. Failure to comply will result in your team's disqualification.

Fall Fest Salsa, Jam and Jelly Contests:

1. Entry fee per item is \$5.
2. You can enter as many salsa's, jams, and jellies as you would like.
3. Salsas must be brought in a sealed container of at least 8oz in size.
4. Jams and Jellies must be brought in a sealed container of at least 4oz. in size.
5. Salsas, jams and jellies must be turned into the Check-In Table between 8am and 11am.
6. Chips, plates, etc. will be provided to the judges by the Fall Fest Committee.
7. A list of ingredients must be provided with each sample for food allergy purposes.
8. Containers can be picked up at the Check-In Booth between 6pm-7pm unless other arrangements have been made with the Fall Fest Committee.
9. Ribbons will be placed at 1pm and the winners will be announced and given prize money at the announcement ceremony taking place at 6:30pm.