



Oktoberfest Cook-Off Entry Form

Saturday, October 3rd, 2009
Main Street, Freeport, MN

Application must be received no later than **SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2009.**

Team Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Team contact person _____

Team contact phone number () _____

E-mail address: _____

I hereby certify all food will be properly handled and treated, and is healthy for consumption to the public. I also have read the rules and guidelines and agree to abide by them.

Team Representative _____ Date _____

Mail entry form to:

City of Freeport
Attn: Abby
PO Box 301
Freeport, MN 56331



Oktoberfest Cook-Off Regulations

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Cooking Rules

1. All entries must be homemade. No box mix allowed.
2. Entries are to be stew or soup based. No casseroles, fried or baked dishes will be allowed.
3. All cooking supplies and ingredients are to be supplied by each cooking team.
4. Basic health codes for event cooking shall be followed during preparation and distribution of samples. It will be the responsibility of each team captain to maintain as healthy food-safe environment as possible throughout the event.
5. Each team is to make a minimum of 8 qts. (2 gal.) of their entree.
6. The recipe (typed out) must be present at your booth.
7. You must be set up and ready to serve by 4:30.
8. Serving time is from 5pm-7pm for public sampling or until gone.
9. Cooking area must be in open view but covered by a top or canopy preferred and tidy at all times.

Team Guidelines

1. Teams must pre-register in order to enter the contest, the entry form must be received no later than **September 25th, 2009**. Space is limited, so register early.
2. Each team is to have a team name.
3. Each team is to have a team captain.
4. Contestants are responsible for supplying all of their own cooking utensils, etc.
5. Each team is to supply their own drinking water for cleaning and cooking.
6. Means of cooking shall be a Coleman type cook stove or propane cook top or grill. No charcoal or wood burning grills.
7. Electrical power can be supplied to a limited number of teams, first come basis.

8. Team is to decorate their booth with an Oktoberfest theme.
9. Teams will be permitted to set up their equipment, decorations and cooking areas anytime after noon on Sat. Oct. 3 rd. Loading and unloading will only be allowed in designated area.
10. Oktoberfest will not furnish any tables, chairs, or other supplies. All supplies are the responsibility of the contestants.
11. No team shall sell any samples or any other items direct to the public. Sampling bowls will be sold by Oktoberfest staff only.
12. No vehicles, trailers or pull behind cookers will be allowed to travel into or be staged as part of any teams cooking area.
13. Each team will have a 10x10 cooking area.
14. It will be the responsibility of each team to clean up their cooking site at the end of the evening. Trash receptacles will be provided by Oktoberfest.
15. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES – No team will be allowed to bring alcohol onto Oktoberfest grounds.

Oktoberfest Judging

1. Judging will be based on taste, appearance, texture, service and booth decorations.
2. Each person purchasing a bowl will receive a form for them to judge your entree.
3. At the end of the evening (approx. 7:10pm) all form will be collected. Winning teams will be announced immediately following the 7:30 Mass.
4. The team with the highest score will receive \$100 in Freeport Chamber Bucks, second place \$50.00 in Freeport Chamber Bucks and third place \$25.00 in Freeport Chamber Bucks.

This event is to be FUN and ENJOYABLE.
Thanks for participating.