

**GCF Brenham**  
**Men's Chili Cook-Off**  
**Sunday, January 24, 2021**

OFFICIAL RULES

1. This event is for men/young men only (age Youth Group and up).
2. Teams must sign up online by **Sunday, January 17<sup>th</sup>** to reserve a spot.
3. The cook-off site will open at **2:00 PM** for setup, cooking, and/or reheating of chili. Judging will begin at **4:30 PM**. Eating will commence at **5:00 PM**.
4. The name of your chili, as well as its degree of heat (i.e. mild, medium, hot, super hot) must be written on a notecard.
5. All teams must consist of **three men**.
6. Each team is responsible for their own cooking utensils, tables, chairs, cooking ingredients, set up, and clean up.
7. Teams must supply all cooking equipment: propane camp stove, grills, etc.
8. Chili **can be** pre-cooked and prepared in advance. The chili must be homemade, and not purchased from a store, or come from a can.
9. The chili must be made by the team members, and not their wives, girlfriends, or anyone other than one of the three team members. You will be asked prior to judging if only team members made the chili.
10. Teams are encouraged (but not required) to decorate their area, and/or have team shirts.
11. Each team will be assigned a contestant number by the chief scorekeeper and given a styrofoam cup with a lid for their chili. An official of the cook-off will deliver the chili entries to the judges for a blind taste-test.
12. The chief scorekeeper will announce the winner during halftime.
13. Each team will donate its chili for consumption. Bowls, spoons, napkins, and sides will be provided by GCF Brenham.
14. Each team is asked to make a minimum of **two** gallons of chili.