

# PEOPLES CHOICE CHILI AND MENUDO APPLICATION

**ICS CHILI requires a separate application**

**FLORESVILLE PEANUT FESTIVAL  
FLORESVILLE EVENT CENTER  
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9<sup>TH</sup>, 2011**

**Early Entry  
By Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011**

**MAIL TO: Floresville Peanut Festival  
Cook-off applications  
P.O. Box 81  
Floresville, TX 78114**

**Late Entry accepted on Sunday October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2011 between  
8:00am-8:30am at the Event Center Grounds for additional  
\$10 fee. Please bring this application completed if  
registering late.**

## **Payment examples:**

**If entering all 3 categories: \$50 ICS membership (payable to ICS)  
\$50 Entry Fees ICS Chili, Peoples choice  
Chili, Peoples Choice Menudo  
(payable to Peanut Festival)  
\$100 Total  
-\$10 discount if entered all 3 categories  
-\$10 if entered all 3 categories by Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>  
\$80 Total  
\$90 for all 3 if after Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>**

## **Individual entries:**

**ICS chili by Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>- \$60 (\$50 ICS, \$10 Peanut Festival)  
ICS chili after Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>- \$70 (\$50 ICS, \$20 Peanut Festival)  
Peoples choice chili - \$20 by Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> (payable Peanut Festival)  
\$30 after Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> (payable Peanut Festival)  
Peoples choice menudo - \$20 by Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> (payable Peanut Festival)  
\$30 after Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> (payable Peanut Festival)**

Floresville Peanut Festival Peoples Choice Chili/Menudo Application  
**This is not the application for the ICS chili category**

Category entered:  Menudo  Peoples Choice Chili Amt Pd: \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Fees: **Menudo-** \$20 and 2 gallons of Menudo for public sample voting  
**Peoples Choice Chili-** \$20 and 2 gallons of Chili for public sample  
**Enter all 3 categories, includes purchase of ICS membership=\$80**

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Head Cook Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Members:

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All information on this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I agree to abide by all rules and regulations promulgated by the Floresville Peanut Festival Association which are provided to you at or before the time of your initial booth setup as identified above. The Floresville Peanut Festival Association, are not responsible for the safety, health, or welfare of your owners, employees, family members, or other participants, nor are we responsible for the safety of your vehicles, booths, equipment, supplies, or property. Further, You agree to indemnify and hold The Association harmless from any and all claims, damages, or assertions of liability by any person or persons whatsoever arising out of or in any way related to any of your activities at the Floresville Peanut Festival.

<u>Prizes:</u>	<u>Menudo</u>	<u>Peoples Choice Chili</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> -	\$200 & Trophy	\$200 & Trophy
2 <sup>nd</sup> -	\$100 & Trophy	\$100 & Trophy
3 <sup>rd</sup> -	\$75 & Trophy	\$75 & Trophy

Head Cook Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Peanut Festival representative

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## **Floresville Peanut Festival Peoples Choice Menudo contest Rules** **STARTING TIME 9:30 A.M.**

1. All cook-off applications must be signed and the appropriate entry fee paid by no later than Monday October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011. Applications will be accepted up to Sunday October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2011 10:00am **for an additional fee of \$10.**
2. Each site/team will have one head cook. The head cook is the official entrant to the cook-off and is responsible for any person at their site.
3. Teams may be sponsored and display company logos and/or artwork. Logos or artwork for any beer company, television station, or radio station is prohibited without prior approval from the Head Judge. Violating this section will result in disqualification and removal from grounds.
4. Head cooks agree to be in compliance with any required membership, permit and/or safety equipment needed to compete.
5. Teams must provide their own cleaning area for wash, rinse and sanitization.
6. Peoples choice menudo may be pre prepared or cooked on site. All health regulations must be followed.
7. All ingredients and prepared menudo will be inspected at the cook site prior to starting time.
8. There is no turn-in. Gates open to the public at 11:00am and judging is conducted by the crowd. Spectators are given a bowl, and voting slip upon entry. Spectators turn in their Peoples choice ballot at the designated voting box. The winners are determined by the most votes, so, the more samples given to the public, the better your chance to win. Two gallons for crowd samples/voting is average, more is recommended.
9. Peoples Choice chili samples can be served starting at **11:30am**. Voting ends at **3:30pm**.
10. No open wood/charcoal fires or ground fires are allowed. Propane burner type equipment/stoves only.
11. Contestants ARE NOT allowed to sell any food or drink items of any type. Samples of Chili or Menudo **ONLY** are allowed and encouraged.
12. Contestants agree to all contest rules, regulations, and safety rules imposed by the Floresville Peanut Festival Association for the Peoples Choice Menudo cook-off upon entry.
13. Contestants agree all decisions, disputes, and/or interpretation of any rule or regulation resides with the Chairman of the Menudo category and agrees his/her decision is final and not disputed. Any decision or ruling made by the Chairman is not disputed or argued. Violations of this section will result in disqualification and/or removal from the grounds without refund.
14. Teams will only cook in their paid entry space. Extending the cooking/team area, regardless if it is in another entry space is forbidden. Extending cooking/team areas will result in additional space fee of \$50 per 400 square feet.
15. All contestants will enter through the west gate. Vehicles will be allowed to enter for unloading only. For safety reasons, all vehicles **MUST** be removed outside the fenced ground area by no later than **9:30am**. Any vehicle remaining at a cook site after **9:30am** will be towed at the owners expense.
16. No vehicles will be allowed to re-enter the grounds for site/booth removal until **after 6:00pm. NO EXCEPTIONS**
17. Head cooks must attend a **mandatory** meeting prior to cooking. There will be a meeting for all head cooks on Sunday morning starting at **8:30am**.
18. In accordance with TABC law, no outside beer or alcohol is allowed to be brought into the grounds. Any cook violating this section is subject to arrest and disqualification.
19. Any booth or items remaining on the grounds after 12:00am Monday October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2011 will be thrown away or donated to charity.

**Floresville Peanut Festival Peoples Choice Chili contest Rules**  
**STARTING TIME 9:30 A.M.**

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2. Each site/team will have one head cook. The head cook is the official entrant to the cook-off and is responsible for any person at their site.
3. Teams may be sponsored and display company logos and/or artwork. Logos or artwork for any beer company, television station, or radio station is prohibited without prior approval from the Head Judge. Violating this section will result in disqualification and removal from grounds.
4. Head cooks agree to be in compliance with any required membership, permit and/or safety equipment needed to compete.
5. Teams must provide their own cleaning area for wash, rinse and sanitization.
6. **ICS competition chili may not be used in the Peoples Choice category.** Peoples choice chili may be pre prepared or cooked on site. All health regulations must be followed.
7. All ingredients and prepared chili will be inspected at the cook site prior to starting time.
8. Contestants Peoples Choice chili **MUST** contain beans. There is no turn-in. Gates open to the public at 11:00am and judging is conducted by the crowd. Spectators are given a bowl and voting slip upon entry. Spectators turn in their Peoples choice ballot at the designated voting box. The winners are determined by the most votes, so, the more samples given to the public, the better your chance to win. Two gallons for crowd samples/voting is average, more is recommended.
9. Peoples Choice chili samples can be served starting at **11:30am**. Voting ends at **3:30pm**.
10. No open wood/charcoal fires or ground fires are allowed. Propane burner type equipment/stoves only
11. Contestants ARE NOT allowed to sell any food or drink items of any type. Samples of Chili or Menudo **ONLY** are allowed and encouraged.
12. Contestants agree to all contest rules, regulations, and safety rules imposed by the Floresville Peanut Festival Association for the Peoples Choice chili cook-off upon entry.
13. Contestants agree all decisions, disputes, and/or interpretation of any rule or regulation resides with the Chairman of the Peoples Choice category and agrees his/her decision is final and not disputed. Any decision or ruling made by the Chairman is not disputed or argued. Violations of this section will result in disqualification and/or removal from the grounds without refund.
14. Teams will only cook in their paid entry space. Extending the cooking/team area, regardless if it is in another entry space is forbidden. Extending cooking/team areas will result in additional space fee of \$50 per 400 square feet.
15. All contestants will enter through the west gate. Vehicles will be allowed to enter for unloading only. For safety reasons, all vehicles **MUST** be removed outside the fenced ground area by no later than **9:30am**. Any vehicle remaining at a cook site after **9:30am** will be towed at the owners expense.
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17. Head cooks must attend a **mandatory** meeting prior to cooking. There will be a meeting for all head cooks on Sunday morning starting at **8:45am**.
18. In accordance with TABC law, no outside beer or alcohol is allowed to be brought into the grounds. Any cook violating this section is subject to arrest and disqualification.
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## **Sunday Cook's Timeline**

- 7:00am- Direct cooks to setup**
- 8:00am- Late registration begins**
- 9:00am- Late registration ends**
- 9:00am- Menudo Mandatory Head Cook meeting**
- 9:15am- Peoples Choice chili Mandatory Head Cook Meeting**
- 9:30am- ICS Chili Mandatory Head Cook Meeting**
- 9:30am- Vehicle traffic ends in grounds**
- 10:00am- Menudo cooking starts**
- 10:00am- Peoples Choice cooking starts**
- 10:30am- ICS chili cooking starts**
- 11:00am- Grounds open to public**
- 11:30am- Peoples choice chili/Menudo samples may begin**
- 1:00pm- Menudo Judges Meeting**
- 1:30pm- ICS Chili Judges Meeting**
- 2:30pm- Menudo Turn in and Judging Begins**
- 3:00pm- ICS Chili Turn in and Judging Begins**
- 3:30pm- Peoples Choice Chili voting ends**
- 4:30pm- Winners announced and ceremony**
- 6:00pm- Grounds close for booth removal**