

# 2016 SUGARBEET FESTIVAL BLACK POT/DUTCH OVEN COOK- OFF

## Saturday, SEPTEMBER 24th, 2016

IF YOU ENJOY COOKING IN THE OUTDOORS AND WOULD LIKE TO SHARE YOUR SKILLS,  
HERE IS THE EVENT FOR YOU!

**Entry Fee:** Cost of your ingredients

**Date & Schedule:** The CookT Off will be held on Saturday, September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2016  
Check in and set up time: 9 a.m. Cooking time starts at 10:15 Taste Testing Starts at 12:30pm  
Awards Presentation approximately about 1:30

**Location:** The CookT Off will take place in front of the Chinook Assembly of God Church - 4th Street - Chinook.

**Categories:** Main dish, side dish or desert.

**Contestants Will Provide:** Dutch Ovens, cooking tables, culinary water, lighter fluid, charcoal starters, cooking utensils, table covers, items for clean-up, additional tables needed for prep, presentation dishes, all food and other essential items necessary to prepare their recipes.

**Teams:** Teams are welcome as well as individuals. Contestant teams may consist of two or three persons. At least one team member must be over the age of 18 and the other over the age of 12. Spectators are welcome but only team members will be allowed inside the Cook-Off area.

**Judging:** Entries will be judged on aroma, appearance, taste, quality of entry, cooking technique, and presentation. All entrants will prepare their contest recipe(s) during the Cook-Off. Teams who prepare any portion of an entry prior to the contest will be disqualified. A judging criteria sheet will be given to all entrants.

**Recipes:** All recipes may be included (in a format suitable to be reproduced) with your Entry Form.

**Health & Safety:** Contestants are solely responsible for the proper selection, storage and refrigeration (if necessary) of all ingredients, the sanitation of their cooking area and the preparation of foods that are safe for human consumption. Aside from a simple barrier separating cooking and spectator areas, responsibility for safety of contestants and spectators rests solely with the contestants. Safe use of fires, other heat sources and cooking equipment is the responsibility of the individual contestants.

**Food Sample Distribution:** In so much as there are strict laws governing the distribution of food to the general public, the Chinook Chamber of Commerce does not sanction, endorse, or encourage the distribution of "samples" of any food to the general public. Contestants who wish to give samples must provide their own serving utensils and sample cup containers and do so at their own discretion and expense.

**DISCLAIMER:** Judges' decisions on contestant rules and the Cook-Off Committee's decision on policies and procedures are final. Complete contestants rules will be distributed to all Cook-Off teams at the Cook-Off and are available upon request.

**Awards:** Prizes will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place.

**Please return this Signed Page to:  
Black Pot/Dutch Oven Cook-Off  
PO Box 744  
Chinook, MT 59523**

**Entry Form – Black Pot/Dutch Oven Cook-Off**

Individual/Team Members Names

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

Individual/Team Member contact information

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Release of Liability: (Note, you must sign this release of liability to participate)**

For valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which hereby are acknowledged, the undersigned "Releasor" does hereby, for Releasor and Releasor's heirs, executors, administrators, officers, director, employees, agents, members, owners, lessees of any property and/or personal representatives, from all actions, any and all manner of claims, demands, causes of action or suits, including but not limited to claims and suits of bodily injuries that Releasor caused, might now have or that might subsequently accrue to Releasor by reason or, or in any way directly or indirectly connected with, or arising out of any accident of any riders on the Releasor's equipment during the dates of SEPTEMBER 23-24, 2016 IN CHINOOK MONTANA.

For the same consideration, the Releasor further agrees not to make any claims or undertake any proceedings against the Releasee or any other person or entity which may claim contribution or indemnity under the provisions of any statute or otherwise. The Releasor further understands and voluntarily requests the right to participate in the activities offered and understand and appreciate the risk of the activities in which the Releasor desires to participate in. The Releasor acknowledges the risks of injury to every person involved, and are actively participating of their own will in the vents of the Chinook Area Chamber of Commerce.

The Releasor agrees to release all Liability of the Chinook Area Chamber of Commerce in any accident, legal claims, demands, actions, losses, and/or legal liability of any kind that may occur on the dates shown above as a result of any such activities and hold all said parties harmless.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_