

## Game, Seafood & BBQ Cook-Off

## COOK TEAM MEETING 8:30 am Saturday September 28

- Teams will be allowed to set up at Old Town Slidell beginning at 4:00AM, Saturday, September 28. (Large teams may set up as early as 1:00 PM Friday, Sept. 27 with permission).
- Each Team will send at least one representative to the Cook's Meeting at 8:30 AM Saturday.
- Side and garnish items (i.e. rice, veggies, etc.) may be prepared ahead of time. ALL MAIN DISH ENTRIES MUST BE COOKED ON SITE (DESSERTS EXCEPTED).
- Cooking Teams must furnish a covering to put under cookers to prevent spills from staining the street.
- Judging is a blind system. You will be given a team letter to put on all your entries.
- Entries are judged in the following three categories:
  - $\circ$  Appearance represents 14% of the final score.
  - Taste represents 57.43% of the final score.
  - Tenderness/texture represents 28.57% of the final score.
- Plates and bowls will be given out at the end of the cookers meeting. Make sure your team letter is on EVERY entry – on top of box and on the rim of every plate and bowl.

• Garnish (parsley, lettuce, etc.) is recommended, but not necessary, for judging in the appearance category.

**Turn In Times** BEEF 11:00 am PORK 11:30 am SEAFOOD 12:00 noon FOWL 12:30 pm WILD GAME 1:00 pm DESSERT 1:30 pm

There is a 10-minute window to turn in your entry: 5 minutes **before** the turn in time and 5minutes **after** the turn in time

Foods that are liquid should be brought in bowls with the **team Letter** on each bowl.

Foods that are solid should be brought in plates with the **team letter** on each plate.

6 servings minimum – more if possible so that the table captains and other volunteers can have a taste.

Only 1 item can be turned in for each category.

## Good Luck to All!!