

50 FELLAS FOODFEST

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Chef Information Packet

Schedule of Events

Friday Oct 27st: 5pm To 7pm Only – You may drop off cookers or smokers at the designated area. ***Please note you MUST use TERMINAL DR. ONLY to get to the GTU Hanger.*** This is a working business and we want to be respectful of our wonderful hosts.

Saturday Oct. 28th

Gates open at **7am**

Cooks tailgate will be open with college football games on along with other tailgating games and tournaments.

Please note that we are limiting the area for **CHEFS ONLY** on Saturday until the gates open for general public at 6pm.

Feel Free to come and go on Saturday, for example if you are cooking at home please come up to the tailgate, hang out and then go back and finish your dish.

What you get from us:

6 foot table set up in the hanger to serve your food.

Gloves and serving dishes to present your bites in.

2 chef only aprons per team to be proudly worn so everyone knows you are the chef!

A container to be used to collect your votes

4 Free Tickets per team to hand out (2 chefs do not need a ticket). Please send me the names of people that will attend and we will put them on the list! Remember this is a popular vote so bring people that will vote for you! Also if you have more than 2 chefs on your team they will count towards your ticket. Example: a team of 3 chefs: 2 chefs are free with the 3rd needing to use one of the 4 tickets. **Please send me the names of people using your tickets so we can have them ready for check in**



What you are responsible for:

250 Bite size samples of whatever dish you have decided to cook. It must be ready to be served at 5:30 pm

Whatever items you need to prepare, cook, warm, cool, or serve your food

Table decorations: Feel free to display your team, business or school name to attract people to vote for you.

A team picture: We are trying to run a newspaper article about the 50 Fellas and would like to share some of the Teams so please email us or post a team picture on facebook.

Time Schedule

5:00 pm. Chef Picture and Final Instructions

5:20 p.m. Chef Dinner – Please have some things ready for your fellow Chefs to try and take this time to eat yourself

5:30 p.m. VIP opens – We are allowing our top tier sponsors and their guests access early this year.

5:45 p.m. Start serving the VIP's

6:00 p.m. Doors open for general public

8:00 p.m. Silent Auction Closes

8:15 p.m. Award Ceremony

8:30 p.m. Event Ends

After the Event:

All cookers must be picked up by 10 am on Sunday Morning!

Please note that if you plan on taking them home on Saturday night we are going to have to wait until everyone is gone before we can get trucks back there to pick them up.

FAQ's

Can I compete in more than one category?

Yes, but it will be difficult as we are separating the chefs by category, but feel free to serve two items at your table. Or find another teammate and get two teams.

Can I have electricity?

Yes, we ask that you bring your own extension cord and tape to secure it to the floor.

Can I bring my kids up there?

No, this is an adult only event and the tailgate is for COOKS only. That means if they are not cooking they can't come to the Tailgate.

What are the categories?

We are awarding prizes in the Appetizer, Entrée, and Dessert categories along with a new Peoples' Choice Award this year.

What is the Peoples' Choice Award?

This is the category that people **buy** green chips to vote for you. The winner of this award will be the team that convinces the most people to buy chips to support them. The rest of the categories will be decided by the chips that people get when they enter the event.

What about food during the day?

We have arranged for a smoker to be going all day and Bryan Hallmark and Kirby Campbell are going to be cooking up food for the Chefs throughout the day!

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