

**CZHILISPIEL 37**  
**October 23-25, 2009**

**CZHILI COOK-OFF**  
**OCT. 24, 2009**

**P.O. BOX 610 \* FLATONIA, TEXAS 78941**  
**Phone: 361- 865-3920 \* Fax: 361-865-2451**

**Czhilispiel Czhili Cook-off Rules & Regulations**  
**CASI SANCTIONED COOK-OFF**

1. **There is NO selling of any merchandise, of any kind, allowed at any Czhili spots.** You may not print Czhilispiel on any Shirts, Koozies, etc....Czhilispiel is a registered trademark.
2. Czhili will be judged on taste, red color, aroma, consistency, and aftertaste. Turn in time is 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 24. Judging cups should be 3/4 full and turned in behind the Main Stage. 32 ounce cups will be used. You can begin cooking at any time. The top 10 Czhilis will receive awards and points to Terlingua next year. The top 5 showmanship teams will receive awards with the top 3 getting Terlingua points.
3. We request that all cooking spots be cleaned up by 10:00 p.m. on Sunday. Do not bring anything that you plan to leave behind, such as: hay, sand, lumber, etc... Everything must be removed.
4. Check in time is Saturday morning from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. All Czhili Cookers are asked to enter the gate at the West Fence of Czhilispiel on Hwy. 90. Please check in to get your spot number. If you would like to have a special spot, please advise us on your entry form. We **DO NOT** guarantee a specific spot....we try our best to accommodate your requests. Please get your entry in early to help us meet your special needs. The Czhili cookers will be up front, the teams entering Czhili & BBQ will be in the middle, **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
5. Each team will receive two 1 day passes, for Saturday's events only. Additional passes may be purchased with your entry form. **NO PASSES WILL BE SOLD THE DAY OF THE COOKOFF.** One-Day Passes are \$5.00 each. Passes are required for each member of your team 12 years or older. No Exceptions. Please specify on your entry form. There are **NO REFUNDS!**
6. **Early entry fee is \$20.00 IF RECEIVED BEFORE OCT. 13, 2009.** Entry forms received after the early deadline will be \$25.00 PER SPOT / TEAM.
7. Cooking spots are located on the highway, as previously, and are approximately 10 x 15. Camping sites are one block south of the cooking area. No hookups are available. Additional parking is located at the City Park, east on Hwy. 90. **Due to our limited site, RV's and Vehicles are no longer allowed in the cooking area during the event.** Vehicles can enter once to load or unload. Please remember you are allowed to have coolers at your site only, which are brought in by truck when unloading. Campfires are allowed at campsites only. **NO PETS ARE ALLOWED ON CZHILISPIEL GROUNDS!**
8. Cooking must be done outside and be made from scratch. You must furnish your own ingredients and equipment. No fillers, such as: beans, rice, pasta, etc...can be used.
9. **CASI RULES ARE THE LAW.** A copy of the rules can be obtained on the CASI Website, [www.chili.org](http://www.chili.org) or by calling the Flatonia Chamber of Commerce at 361.865.3920.
10. Showmanship teams will be judged on theme, costume, booth set-up, actions and audience participation. No electricity may be used during showmanship judging. Showmanship teams will be disqualified for discharging firearms and for interfering with other showmanship teams.  
**Showmanship judging will be from 11:00am-1:00 p.m. LOW TO MODERATE MUSIC IS ALLOWED AFTER SHOWMANSHIP. NO LIVE BANDS, KAROKE ETC...**
11. Czhilispiel is a Family event. Lewdness and nudity will be grounds for disqualification. No alcohol shall be served from Czhili Booths. It is illegal as of 1994 CASI Rules. **NO KEGS OR GLASS CONTAINERS ALLOWED ON THE COOKOFF GROUNDS!**
12. We ask that a cook from each team be a judge. Please list your choice on the entry form. Please keep your cooking area clean. If you have, any questions call us at 361-865-3920. If you wish to participate in the Bar B Que Cook-off on Saturday, please mark the appropriate box on your entry form.
13. If you enter the Czhili Cook-off and the Bar B Que Cookoff, your team will be set up in the middle of the Czhili Cookers and the BBQ Cookers.
14. Cookers may stay until Sunday. All cooking grounds must be cleared by 10 a.m. on Sunday morning. **NO LOADING AFTER COOK-OFF UNTIL JUDGING IS COMPLETED. TO LOAD, PLEASE ENTER AT WEST GATES ON HIGHWAY 90. NO EXCEPTIONS.**

**SORRY NO REFUNDS!**

**TWO WARNINGS WILL BE ALLOWED BEFORE DISSMISSALS AND DISQUALIFICATIONS**

**CZHILISPIEL 37 CZHILI COOK-OFF ENTRY FORM**

**(Please PRINT clearly)**

Head Cook \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Czhili Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Location Requested \_\_\_\_\_ Years at Czhilispiel \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer Judge \_\_\_\_\_ Check Amt. \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan to compete for Showmanship? \_\_\_\_\_ Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Passes @ \$5.00/1 day pass \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ My entry form and fee is enclosed to participate in the BBQ Cook-off.

Entry fee received before, Oct.13th- \$20.00    Entry fee received after Oct.13th- \$25.00

Make check payable to: Czhilispiel    Mail to: Czhilispiel, P.O. Box 610, Flatonia, Texas 78941

**See you at Czhilispiel !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**

**[www.flatoniachamber.org](http://www.flatoniachamber.org)**

**I THE UNDERSIGNED UNDERSTAND AND AGREE WITH THE RULES AND REALIZE AFTER TWO WARNING ARE GROUNDS FOR DISSMISSAL AND DISQUALIFICATION.**

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