



2011 National DOG Youth Cook-off Rules



- The cook-off will begin at 9:00a.m. All entries must be turned in to the judges table by 11:00a.m.
- Any youth under the age of 18 may enter. No adult may help with the actual food prep, cooking or coal preparation in any way. Please observe only and enjoy watching what the kids can do!
- Entries may be individuals or teams of up to 3 youths.
- You may enter a main dish or a dessert or both.
- A legible copy of each recipe with preparation instructions and techniques **must** be provided when the entries are turned in for judging.
- Contestants are responsible for providing all ingredients, cooking utensils and equipment needed to prepare the entry.
- All foods must be totally prepared and cooked on site, using Dutch ovens as the primary cooking utensil.
- Food must be presented in the oven or on the lid that it was prepared on.
- All cooking must be done with charcoal briquettes. Cooking tables or pans on raised blocks must be used. No ground cooking.
- If **any** form of road kill is used, please make sure that it is:
 - Really dead
 - Completely skinned and gutted – we don't need any surprises...
 - Not overly ripe....'nuff said
- Please use safe food practices for both hot and cold foods. We don't need any bad publicity from sick judges.
- There will be prizes awarded to the top three (3) entries in each category. (Main dish, Dessert)
- **HAVE FUN!!!**
- All decisions of the judges are FINAL.