

The Colony Parks & Recreation Department presents the
2011 Liberty By The Lake

**SALSAS
SHOOTOUT**



July 2, 2011 @ 7:00pm, Stewart Creek Park

Does your salsa have Texas sized taste?

Come see how your salsa stacks up!

Competition is open to restaurants and individuals.

All entries are to be made from scratch. Store bought salsas are not permitted.

Each participant must submit one pint of salsa for judging.

Division: Restaurant or Individual

Flavor: Hot or Mild or Non-Traditional

Restaurant division entries are free. Individual division entries are \$10/entry.

NEW! Do you want to sample your salsa to festival attendees and be eligible to win the People's Choice award? Yes No **If yes, see instructions on back.**

Cook / Restaurant Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Name of Entry: _____

**Return your entry form and payment by July 1st to:
The Colony Recreation Center
5151 North Colony Blvd., The Colony, TX 75056**

For more information visit www.libertybythelake.com, or call (972)625-1106.

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Event Schedule:

- 5:30pm - 6:30pm : Salsa submission for all entries
- 5:45pm : Check-in deadline for those wishing to sample their salsa for the People's Choice award
- 6:00pm - 7:00pm : Salsa sampling for People's Choice award
- 7:00pm : Judging Begins
- 8:00pm (approx.) : Awards Ceremony

Rules and Entry Information:

1. Salsa is defined as any concoction containing peppers, tomatoes and other ingredients to be sampled with tortilla chips or utensils.
2. Salsa must be submitted no later than 6:30pm (30 minutes prior to judging). Late entries will not be accepted.
3. Each participant must submit one pint of salsa for judging. **If you plan to sample your salsa for the People's Choice award, you must bring additional salsa, and those instructions are below in red.**
4. The cost to participate for individuals is \$10. The entry fee is waived for restaurant entries.
5. Entry forms must be received by July 1st.

Judging:

1. **If you want to sample your salsa to festival attendees to be eligible for the People's Choice award, you must check in by 5:45pm. Salsa sampling will take place from 6:00pm - 7:00pm. You will be provided with one 6' table to do your salsa sampling from, and tortilla chips to sample with. You will need to provide your own chair and any table decorations that you desire, as well as your salsa and any needed utensils. We recommend that you bring at least 2 quarts of salsa for sampling. This is in addition to the pint of salsa that you must submit for judging by the judging panel.**
2. Salsa judging will begin promptly at 7:00pm. Each division of salsa will be judged by a panel of judges.
2. Salsa will be judged on 3 attributes: taste, texture and aroma.
3. Entrants will be provided a non-identifying container in which entries will be judged.
4. The decision of the judges is FINAL and left solely to the discretion of the assigned judges.

Awards:

1. Winners of categories will be announced at approximately 8:00pm.
2. First and second place winners will be named in each category except for People's Choice, which will have one first place award.
3. **Good luck!**