

22nd Annual TBA/LAF



NEW LOCATION  
FSU Alumni Center



# Tallahassee Bar Association & Legal Aid Foundation **Chili Cook Off 101**

*Tips to make your Chili Cook Off  
experience hot, hot, hot!*

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1. TBA will provide each team an 8' table (smaller teams may get a 6' table), table cloths, paper towels, napkins, bowls, spoons, crackers and cups for margaritas.
  2. **Bring at least 4 gallons of prepared chili in crock pots.** Chili must be warm when you arrive; you will not have time to get it hot before eaters arrive if you start with cold chili.
  3. **Bring a heavy-duty extension cord.** You are permitted to plug in only two electrical appliances at a time.
  4. **Determine a team name and submit to TBA by Thursday, January 12, 2018, in order to be included on the ballots.**
  5. Create a team theme; dress and decorate accordingly. **Signage may be displayed using self-standing signage, an easel or hung from your table. (Nothing can be hung on the walls).**
  6. Bring all margarita ingredients and blender if needed if participating in the margarita competition. (Teams do not have to make margaritas – it is a separate category.)
  7. Check in and begin set-up at 3:00 p.m. (Please have a representative from your team check in at the registration table.) Teams should be prepared to serve chili/optional margaritas by 5:30 p.m.
  8. Come prepared to compete in the following categories (or focus your efforts on just a couple of categories!)
    - Best Bedecked
    - Best Five Alarm
    - Most Unusual Chili
    - Peoples Choice
    - Most Magnificent Margarita

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