“BEST CHILI SIDEKICK” BREAD CONTEST
KICKAPOO VALLEY RESERVE WINTER FESTIVAL
JANUARY 12, 2019

Guidelines for entering the bread contest:

1) Notify the Kickapoo Valley Reserve (KVR) that you will be entering the contest by January 12, 2019. Please provide the following information by contacting the KVR at (608) 625-2960 or kickapoo.reserve@krm.state.wi.us:
   ▪ name of baker and, if applicable, business/organization you’re entering on behalf of;
   ▪ name of your bread(s) (i.e., cheesy jalapeno, whole grain bread, etc.). There are no bread categories; ALL BREADS WILL BE JUDGED ON THEIR CAPABILITY WITH CHILI.
   ▪ note any ingredients of particular interest (i.e., gluten free flour, etc.).

2) Entrant must make their own bread(s) from scratch (no mixes allowed).

3) The use of quality ingredients and sanitary conditions must be followed since samples will be provided for consumption by judges and the general public.

4) Provide at least two standard loaves or two 9x13 cake pans for judging purposes. Additional loaves can be provided for consumption by the general public for “Popular Vote” purposes.

5) Do not pre-cut entries. Samples will be labeled and served via toothpicks for voting purposes.

6) Do not provide sauces or spreads with samples.

7) Please put your name on the bottom of any container you would like returned.

8) Deliver bread(s) to the KVR Visitor Center no later than 9:30 AM on Saturday, January 12, 2019. Entries received after 9:30 AM will be eligible for the “Popular Vote” ONLY.

9) Two categories for judging:
   ▪ “Popular Vote” – One bread will be selected by the general public (one person, one vote) and recognized as the “Popular Vote”. Judging will be done in a blind taste test. The general public will pay a small fee at the door to taste all entries and vote.
   ▪ “Judges’ Choice” – One bread will be selected by a panel of three judges and recognized as the “Judges’ Choice”. Judging will be done in a blind taste test. The “Judges’ Choice” bread selection will be based on CHILI COMPATIBILITY, as well as, flavor, texture, crumb, mouth feel, etc.

10) Winners will be announced between 2:00 – 3:00 PM in KVR Visitor Center lobby.

11) The overall “Judges’ Choice” and the “Popular Vote” winners’ names will be placed on the commemorative plaque, which is proudly displayed in the KVR Visitor Center.

Call or e-mail with any questions: (608) 625-2960 or kickapoo.reserve@krm.state.wi.us

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