

2024 Sehwestew Highlights

Brothers, our 11th annual Brunswick Stew Fundraiser (2024) was a huge success. We produced 473 quarts of stew in 3 pots and raised money that will help support our various Chapter events.

We had tremendous help again this year. We cooked our own BBQ all day Thursday and cooked our first pot Friday during the day. We pulled apart chicken, peeled and chopped onions, and peeled and diced potatoes during our prep party. We had some pulled pork, chips, pickles and cookies for dinner. Then we cooked the 2 pots of stew Friday evening into Saturday morning and were done with packaging those pots by 3:00am.

We would like to recognize a few who stood out with their efforts:

- Greg Allsbury, Thomas Caprariello, Mark & Len Chapman, Bob Coughlin, Richard Garner, Darren Seigler, Jon Sielsky, and Ben Yarborough for cooking, pulling and chopping the pulled pork for 18 hours starting Thursday morning at 8am and finishing up at 2am Friday morning.
- Joe Craddock and Bob and Jolie Coughlin as our top sellers
- Sajan Patel for serving as our youth chair for the Brunswick Stew event
- The following individuals who stayed up all night stirring the 2 pots of Stew and had a great night of fellowship working together, and playing some games):
- Scouts (15)
 - Ship 19 – Ben Bruh
 - Troop 19 – Brayden Kaminski, Wyatt Krone, John & Leah Seigler, Hunter Welch
 - Troop 42 - Joey Kirincic, Reed Hinson
 - Troop 51 – Ray Whitson
 - Boys Troop 58 – Sajan Patel
 - Girls Troop 58 – Jolie Coughlin, Gwen Gomez
 - Troop 97 – Alex Knesel
 - Troop 323 – Colby Thompson, Ethan Tyrell, Luke Tyrell
- Adults (9)
 - Troop 19 – Mark Chapman, Darren Seigler
 - Troop 42 – Tracy Lane
 - Boys Troop 58 – Ben Yarborough
 - Girls Troop 58 – Randi Gomez
 - Troop 97 – Thomas Caprariello, Eric Knesel
 - Troop 186 – Greg Allsbury
 - Troop 323 - Bob Coughlin
 - District at Large - Joe Craddock

Another huge thanks to Joe Craddock for his continued efforts as our Stewmaster and Bob Coughlin for his time managing Stew sales, money collection and several weeks of prep leading up to the event with multiple trips to stores to purchase food. An additional special thanks to Mark Chapman for his efforts in buying crushed tomatoes and Boston Butts on multiple trips and Thomas Caprariello for all of his help in the weeks leading up to the event. You guys are AMAZING!

Thank you to all who sold tickets or helped in any way with the event.
Mark February 7-8, 2025 on your calendar for our 12th annual Sehwestew.

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