1st Annual Chili Cook-off (2016)

The SCA will be hosting a Chili Cook-off on January 15 from 4:00-5:15pm in the main commons (sophomore/junior) and cafeteria.

There will be two separate contests: one for a traditional meat chili and one for a vegetarian chili. The winners will be decided by a judge's panel on appearance, originality, smell, and taste, of course, and announced by 5pm. (The judges will not know which chilis belong to which clubs in order to avoid bias.) The winnings (to be determined by entry fees and total sales) will divided as follows:

- 25% to the meat chili winner
- 25% to a community organization that the meat chili winner selects
- 25% to the vegetarian winner
- 25% to a community organization that the vegetarian chili winner selects

How to Enter

Any school-sponsored club or organization can enter either or both a meat and vegetarian chili:

- Commit to making 1 or 2 chilis using the Annual Chili Cook-off form
- Pay a \$5 entry fee per chili using the transfer voucher
- Make the chili
- Bring/Keep that chili to school in a crockpot so that it can be left unattended safely and cook/stay warm
 - *Remember that the 3rd floor kitchen is designated as a "warming kitchen"
- Bring a ladle or serving spoon and a spoon rest/plate
- Write or type up the ingredient list it will need to be available at the cook-off so that guests can avoid allergens
- Be sure to have club members volunteer to serve chili and clean up by 5:15pm
- Submissions due by Wednesday, January 13

Role of the SCA

The SCA will be the only organization "selling" chili during the cook-off. (No club should collect any money during the cook-off.) The SCA will sell small cups for **one-time use** and provide spoons & napkins free of charge. Guests will bring those cups to clubs to taste the chili of their choice. The serving cups will be smaller rather than larger so guests can taste a variety of chilis. Be sure not to serve guests in cups that have already been used - that would be unsanitary plus this is a fundraiser.