

MAY 7, Bastrop, TX—Ronnie's One Oak Chili & Bar-B-Q Cook-off. TOLBERT. Location Ronnie's One Oak, 816 FM 1441. Overnight camping, no hook-ups. Info: 512-321-0016 or Facebook: Ronnie's One Oak. Silent auction, donations appreciated and 50/50 drawing. Awards in all categories. Turn in: Open Drink-10, Salsa-11, Chicken (1/2)-Noon, Open Beans-1, Chili-2, Ribs-3, Brisket-4. Entry fee: Chili, Chicken, Ribs & Brisket-\$20 each, Beans-\$10 each, Open Drink & Salsa-\$5 each. Info: Bubba Thorp 512-304-8630 or bubba.thorp@yahoo.com or Bar at 512- 321-0016.

MAY 6-7, Mineral Wells, TX—VFW Post 2399 Annual Cook Off. TOLBERT. Benefits: Homeless Vets Program. Location: 1400 Veterans of Foreign Wars. Camping no hookups on East side of parking lot, with extra parking on west side if needed. Friday night Hors Devours Jackpot contest. Entry fee \$20, winner takes the pot. Cooks social Friday at 9 pm. Saturday Cooks Meeting & Registration: 9. Turn in: Salsa-10:30, Beans & Dutch Oven Dessert-11 Bloody Mary's & Margaritas-11:30, Chicken-Noon, Ribs-1, Pork Butt-2, Brisket-3, Chili-4. Entry fees: Drinks, Salsa & Dutch Oven Dessert-\$5 each, Beans-\$10, Meat Categories & Chili-\$15 each. Best Pit & Showmanship 10:30 to 12:30. Trophies for the top 3 in each category, recognition for 4th & 5th in all categories and 6th thru 10th for chili. Info: Jim Bransom 682-239-8544 or Facebook page VFW Post 2399

MAY 14, Ennis TX – Al Hopkins Memorial 31st Tolbert Texas State Chili Championship. TOLBERT. Benefits: KJT youth charities. Location: KJT Hall, 1216 S Paris St. dry camping, gates open at 10am on May 1. Dry camping. Top 3 Texas Chili residents and 1st place Texas resident Show Team automatically qualified for the Terlingua Championship 2022. Also Sunday cookoff. Turn in: Pinto Beans-Noon, Chicken-1, Tolbert & Junior Chili-2, Ribs & Verde-3, Brisket-4. Entry fees: Beans-\$10, Junior & Tolbert Chili-\$25 each, Verde-\$20, BBQ \$100 for all categories (Chicken, Ribs, Brisket) payout based on # of entries. Contact: Gary Brignon 469-628-3796 ; gary@mildbillsspices.com

MAY 15, Ennis TX – Day After Tolbert Texas State Chili Championship. TOLBERT. Benefits: KJT youth charities. Location: KJT Hall, 1216 S Paris St. Dry Camping. Turn in: Noon. Entry fee: \$25. Contact: Gary Brignon 469-628-3796 ; gary@mildbillsspices.com

MAY 21, Manchaca, TX - 17th Annual I.P. "Sarge" Bell VFW Memorial Post 3377 Cookoff. TOLBERT. Benefits: VFW Youth Scholarship Fund. Location: 12921 Lowden Ln. Camping, no hookups. Cooks Meeting 10 am. Turn in: Bloody Mary's-Noon, Beans-1, Chili-2, Margarita-3. Entry fee: Chili -\$20, Beans-\$10, Drinks-\$5 each. Info: VFW 512-282-5664 or Dwight Hamilton 512-507-4948 or dwighthamilton188@hotmail.com

JUN 10-11, Lockhart, TX Chisholm Trail Roundup Cookoff. TOLBERT. Benefits: Lockhart Chamber of Commerce activities. Location: Lockhart City Park, 504 East City Park Rd. Camping, no hookups. Due to limited space BBQ cooks and Campers MUST Pre-register to get a site. Registration open April 18. Day cooks can register Saturday morning. Lone Star Barbecue Society sanctioned. Cooks meeting Saturday at 10 am. Turn in: Chicken-11, Pinto Beans-Noon, Ribs-1, Chili-2, Brisket-3. Best Pit judging: 1 to 2, Info: www.chisholmtrailroundup.com for entry form & rules, Chamber of Commerce 512-398-2818 Info: <https://www.lockhartchamber.com/chisholm-trail-roundup/>

JUN 18, Hewitt, TX – Hewitt VFW Post 6008 Father's Day Chili and Bean Cookoff. Benefits: Veterans and Veteran Programs. Location: 725 Sun Valley Blvd. Limited camping, no hookups, call ahead to reserve a spot. Also Sunday cookoff. (Please, NO Alcohol on the Premises.) Full service Canteen for refreshments and snacks. Parking opens Jun 17 at: 5 PM. Cooks meeting Saturday 9 AM. Goodie Bags for 1st 30 entries. 50/50 drawing. Raffle prizes, Drink Specials. Corn Hole Tournament on Saturday. Turn in: Jackpot Pinto Beans (100% 1st-3rd)-1, Chili-2. Entry fees: Chili-\$20, Beans-\$10. Info: VFW 254-666-6008 or Facebook page: VFW Post 6008

JUN 19, Hewitt, TX – Next Day Hewitt VFW Post 6008 Cookoff. Benefits: Veterans and Veteran Programs. Location: 725 Sun Valley Blvd. Limited camping, no hookups, call ahead to reserve a spot. Also Saturday cookoff. (Please, NO Alcohol on the Premises.) Full service Canteen for refreshments and snacks. Turn in: Chili-Noon. Entry fees: Chili-\$20. Info: VFW 254-666-6008 or Facebook page: VFW Post 600

JUL 29-30, Benbrook, TX—Benbrook VFW 10429 Chili & BBQ Cookoff. TOLBERT. Benefits: TBA. Location: 1000 Stevens Dr. Details to follow. Info: Lynn Toomer 817-719-6648 or Facebook page: VFW Post 10429 Benbrook.

AUG 19-20, Granbury, TX—Shoot for the Cure VFW Post 7835. TOLBERT. Benefits: Cancer research & local cancer patients in Hood, Johnson, Parker & Tarrant Counties. Location: True Grit Ranch, 6810 Old Granbury Rd. Details to follow. Info: Lynn Toomer 817-719-6648.

AUG 20 – Lockhart, TX - Back to School Bash & Cookoff. TOLBERT. Benefits: Lockhart ISD Teachers & School Supply Drive in August. Location: El Rey Bar/Nightclub, 1721 S.Commerce St. (formerly Cedar Hall for the long time cooks.) Live entertainment with T Matt Castillo the headliner. Auction and raffle. Chili, Beans, Drinks, BBQ, details to follow. Info: Terry Wright: (512) 738-2273-cell

SEPT 9-10, Weatherford, TX – Smokin Guns Chili/BBQ Cook Off. TOLBERT. Benefits: TBA. Location VFW Post, 224 Zion Hill Rd. Camping area & limited hookups, \$10 per day. Details to follow. Info: Aimee Johnson 817-304-0743

SEPT 17, BLANCO, TX - Ladies State Chili Championship. TOLBERT. Benefits: The Smile Never Fades <http://thesmileneverfades.com>. Location: Yett Memorial Park, 1813 US-281. Also Sunday chili only cookoff. Info: Kim Eckert 512-743-5039 or ladiesstatechili@gmail.com or Facebook page: Ladies State Chili Championship of Texas or web site www.ladiesstatechili.org

SEPT 18, BLANCO, TX - Just Another Cookoff (JAC). TOLBERT. Benefits: The Smile Never Fades <http://thesmileneverfades.com>. Location: Yett Memorial Park, 1813 US-281. Also Saturday cookoff for more details. Info: Info: Kim Eckert 512-743-5039 or ladiesstatechili@gmail.com

SSPT 24, Rockne, TX – Last Chance at Leon’s. TOLBERT. Benefits: TBD. Location: Leon’s Country Store, 4033 FM 535. TOLBERT. Details to follow. Info: Tom Stephens 512-554-5389 text or leave a message.

NOV 3, TERLINGUA, TX – 6th Annual Tolbert / Mild Bill's International Verde Cookoff. Benefits: ALS. Location: OTICC site, 23101 FM 170, Behind the Whites' Store, just East of Downtown Terlingua. Details when closer to event. Info: gary@mildbillsspices.com

NOV 3, TERLINGUA, TX - World's Championship Margarita Mix-Off. Location: OTICC site, 23101 FM 170, Behind the Whites' Store, just East of Downtown Terlingua. Details when closer to event. Info: gary@mildbillsspices.com

NOV 4, TERLINGUA, TX - Very Last Chance for 2022 Championship. TOLBERT. Location: OTICC site, 23101 FM 170, Behind the Whites' Store, just East of Downtown Terlingua. Cooks cannot be qualified for the 2022 OTICCC Championship. Details when closer to event. The top 10 winners qualified to compete in the Saturday Championship. Chairman: Patrick Ryan. Info: Debbie Eiland Turner 972-935-2402 or goatgagazette@sbcglobal.net

NOV 4, TERLINGUA, TX – 34th Annual Bob Roberts Memorial BBQ Cookoff, 40th Annual Hal John Wimberly - Frank X Tolbert. Memorial World Championship B.E.An. & 30th Annual. Clay Henry

Memorial World Championship P.E.A.-Off & 11th Annual Jimmy Doherty Memorial Salsa Contest.
Location: OTICC site, 23101 FM 170, Behind the Whites' Store, just East of Downtown Terlingua.
Details when closer to event. Info/Registration & Rules: Jimmy Smith BBQ Event Director 254-698-1081
leave a message or jsmith290@hotmail.com

NOV 5, TERLINGUA, TX – 55th Annual Original Terlingua International Frank X. Tolbert - Wick
Fowler Memorial Championship. Chili Cookoff. Location: OTICC site, 23101 FM 170, Behind the
Whites' Store, just East of Downtown Terlingua. Must be qualified to cook or show to compete. Details
when closer to event. Chili & Showmanship Qualification Info: Mona Schlieper 361-524-0131 or
monaschlieper@yahoo.com. Cookoff Info: Kathleen Tolbert Ryan 817-653-0988 or
ktryan97@gmail.com or www.abowlofred.com