



# Low Country Boil Cook-Off

## Call for Teams

**Saturday, June 8, 2019**

Teams are now forming for the Guild's Sixth Annual Low Country Boil Cook-Off. LCB is a fun, lighthearted "Welcome to Summer" event for the entire family! Great food, beverages (beer, sangria, lemonade, and iced tea), yard games and live beach music all make for a wonderful family friendly evening on the Guild's lawn and Spigel Pavilion. Wear your summer attire such as Hawaiian shirts, shorts and flip-flops, get a team of friends together and come join the fun!

### Following are team guidelines:

- Have Fun!
- Prepare a Low Country Boil – "Boil" is any combination of meats, seafood/shellfish, vegetables, seasoning and other ingredients boiled, grilled, roasted or otherwise cooked. Innovative recipes are welcome.
- Ingredients may be pre-chopped, shelled, sliced, etc. before arriving at the Guild. All ingredients should be in bite sized pieces appropriate for tastings for the judges and about 200 guests.
- All cooking should occur at the Creative Arts Guild. **No prepared off-site or store-bought/caterer food allowed.** Teams are responsible for providing all of their own cooking utensils, etc. The Creative Arts Guild will provide tables for each team and large disposable aluminum pans for serving, if requested.
- Teams should designate at least two members to serve guests.
- **Award Tip** - Teams are strongly encouraged to decorate their cooking area as there is an award category for teams' theme/ambiance. For this reason, Team "attire" is also appreciated.
- Creative Arts Guild will provide bread, child friendly foods (mac & cheese, hot dogs), cold watermelon, dessert, beverages (sangria, beer, iced tea, lemonade) plates, and plastic ware for guests.
- Half the fun is during the pre-party time when teams are cooking and getting ready for the big event.
- Limited to the first 10 teams to commit. Reply to [leanne@creativeartsguild.org](mailto:leanne@creativeartsguild.org).

## How Much to Prepare

Teams should plan to prepare approximately 200 sample size servings. You should plan to serve each attendee a piece/bite of each ingredient you prepare – one shrimp, one bite sized piece of potato, a small piece of corn, etc. Set up may begin at 2:00 (or earlier if you choose – just let us know) on Saturday. Cooking should be complete by judging time at 6:00 pm. **Award tip** --- A “Culinary Artist Award” is given to the team with the best presentation of food and “artful” plating.

## Team Sponsors

To encourage team participation, the Guild will reimburse teams up to \$250 with receipts. This is possible through individual and business sponsorships. Teams also have the option of being a Low Country Boil Sponsor, with all sponsor benefits – and for teams this includes logo placement on team signage, if the team chooses to donate cost of ingredients.

## Awards

Awards will be granted to teams by our panel of judges for: best recipe, most creative recipe, décor, team spirit/trash talk, best theme/overall ambiance, and food presentation. Guests will choose the “People’s Choice” winning team, voting with dollars for the Creative Arts Guild. Winning team(s) will be awarded a one of a kind, collector’s wooden spoon trophy and all the prestige that comes with the award

## 2018 Winners

**“Creative Crustacean” Award** - For the most creative recipe and use of ingredients - Pot, **Stock and Boiler**

**“Cray Cray Good” Award** - For the recipe with the best flavor – Cinderella **Story**

**“Culinary Artist” Award** - For the best presentation of food and artful plating – Habeas **Crayfish**

**“Trash Talkin’ Bottom Feeders” Award** - For the most fun and competitive team spirit – **Craw and Order**

**“All the Feels” Award** - For the best decorations, theme and overall ambiance – **Supper Club**

**“Judges Choice” Award** – For the team with the highest number of all-around points from the judges – **Cinderella Story**

**“People’s Choice” Award – Cinderella Story**

## Time Line for Saturday, June 9

2:00 - Teams may begin set up of their space and cooking may begin

6:00 - Event begins. Guests arrive and judging occurs

7:00 - Sampling continues for guests and band begins playing until 9:00, Kick back, relax and dance the night away!!

Need more information or to confirm a team, contact Leanne Martin at [leanne@creativeartsguild.org](mailto:leanne@creativeartsguild.org) or 706.217.6677



## Creative Arts Guild's

# 6TH ANNUAL LOW COUNTRY BOIL COOK OFF

## TEAM INFORMATION

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Team Captain \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Team Sponsor (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Team Members and addresses (home and email please)

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