

**Department V2B - Family Look-A-Like Picture Contest**

Superintendent: Rhonda Reynolds (309) 826-2634

Total Premiums \$100		Entry Fee \$3
1st	2nd	3rd
\$15	\$10	\$5

1. Pictures must be received by July 14, 2018. Please include the \$3 entry fee and completed entry form.
2. SEND TO: Farmer City/DeWitt County Fair | Family Look-a-likes Contest | 12193 Maple Hill Drive | Farmer City, IL 61842.
3. Photographs may be 8" x 10" or 5" x 7", color or black and white . Attach side by side on one piece of white poster board with a 2" border surrounding, based on the largest picture with a 1" border in between pictures. No pictures with both individuals in it.
4. The following information MUST be recorded ON THE BACK of the poster board: Entrant’s name, address and telephone number and who the pictures are of.
5. Judging will be based on likeness of the contestants, not the perfection of the photography. Entries may be two individual pictures of look-a-likes or one picture with both look-a-likes. There is NO age limit.
6. All pictures will be displayed in Floral Hall during Fair week and MUST remain until Sunday, July 22. You may pick up your picture between Noon and 2PM on Sunday, July 22 or provide a self-addressed STAMPED ENVELOPE with entry form.
7. Farmer City Fair Association is not responsible for lost or damaged pictures.
8. Maximum of two entries per family.
9. Premium checks will be mailed to exhibitors upon the conclusion of the fair.

**Class 1**

1871. Family Look-a-likes/Present Day or Baby Photographs

**Department V3 - 27th Annual Cook-Off & 12th Annual Chili Cook-Off!**

Ribs, Chicken, & Chili "Cook-Off" Contest

Saturday, July 21, 2018

6AM - 1PM

Superintendents:

Terry Emmerson (309) 261-1009

Class 1	
1901 - Ribs	1902 - Chicken
1904 - Chili	

1. Trophies will be awarded to top three entries in each class.
2. Any resident of the State of Illinois age 18 or over is eligible for this contest.
3. Due to limited space, entries will be limited to 15 entrants in each class (or a total of 45). Accepted entries will be determined by the order in which paid entries are received. Contestant is allowed 1 entry per class.
4. A \$25 per class entry fee must accompany each entry. Entry for this competition will close at noon on Tuesday, July 17th. Entries may be made by telephone by contacting superintendents at the phone numbers listed above, or by mailing the entry forms to Farmer City/DeWitt County Fair | Cook-off Contest | PO Box 17 | Farmer City, IL 61842. Late entries may be accepted at the superintendent’s discretion; however, entry fee for late entries is \$40.
5. All ingredients used in the recipe should be readily available in most retail stores.
6. Each contestant should be prepared to hand out samples of the entry.
7. Setup will be allowed at 6AM Saturday, July 21st.
8. Selection of the cook-off winner will be made considering the following factors (same judging guidelines used by the State Cook-off Competition): Cut Selection - 15% | Excellence of Preparation - 45% | Appearance & Presentation - 20% | Overall Appeal - 20%.
9. Tie scores will be decided by using the highest scores in the highest criteria area (i.e. for beef, taste; for pork, excellence of pork preparation; for open, taste). If scores remain tied, then next highest criteria

area will be considered.

10. Professional chefs and cooks are prohibited from competing or assisting.
11. Competition will be held rain or shine.
12. Please refer to General Rules & Regulations.
13. Turn in times: Chicken 12:30 | Ribs 1:30

### **Chili Cook-off Rules**

1. Chili is defined as any kind of meat, or combination of meats, cooked with chili peppers, various other spices, and other ingredients. Beans or pasta are allowed.
2. No ingredients may be pre-cooked or treated in any way prior to the preparation period which will begin one hour prior to the commencement of the official cook-off. The only exceptions are canned or bottled tomatoes, tomato sauce, pepper sauce, beverages, broth, and grinding and/or mixing of spices. Meat may be pre-cut or ground, but not treated in any way. All other ingredients must be chopped or prepared during preparation period.
3. The hours of the cook-off is 6AM - 1PM, judging at 2PM.
4. Contestants are permitted one assistant in the cooking area.
5. All contestants are required to bring their own ingredients, tables, cooking source, and supplies. Electricity will not be provided by the fair.
6. Contestants are permitted to set up their equipment. Decorations and other facilities anytime after 6AM on the day of the cook-off.
7. Each contestant must prepare a minimum of one gallon of chili for public tasting plus one quart for judging.
8. Chili will be prepared out in the open. All ingredients, which need to be kept cool, must arrive at the contest in a cooler and be kept cool until needed.
9. Cooks are to prepare and cook in as sanitary a manner as possible.
10. All cooks may be required to eat a spoonful of their own chili before turning it in for judging.
11. Judging will be based on: Taste - 40% | Appearance - 30% | Aroma - 20% | Aftertaste - 10%
12. The decision of the judges shall be final.
13. The entry fee is \$25 per entry. Contestant may enter two entries per class. Entries will close at Noon on Tuesday, July 17th. Late entries may be accepted at superintendent's discretion; however, entry fee for late entries is \$40. Entries may be made by telephone by contacting superintendents at the phone number listed on the reverse side, or by mailing entry forms to: Farmer City/DeWitt County Fair | Cook-Off Contest | PO Box 17 | Farmer City, IL 61842.
14. Anyone 18 years or over is eligible for this contest.
15. Trophies will be awarded for top three entries.
16. Tie scores will be decided by using the highest scores in the highest criteria area (i.e. taste). If scores remain tied, then next highest criteria area will be considered.
17. Competition will be held rain or shine.

