

# Cordell Christian Home's Resident's RDigest

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Last Friday was the Cordell Christian Home's 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Chili Cook-Off and it was a huge success! We had 9 chili entries and all of them were delectable! Residents and staff couldn't stop eating the chilies and all the crock pots were empty in a matter of a few hours.

Staff members who entered chilies in the cook-off were Ronda Allen, Patricia Cole, Linda Duerksen, Margie Ediger, Bonnie Kliewer, Sheryl McComas, Judy Tome, Jerry Varney, and Al White. The winner of the chili competition was the maker of the famous Al Burgers, Al White, and coming in 2<sup>nd</sup> with her eye watering fire chili was Patricia Cole. The competition was so close that we also had a tie for 3<sup>rd</sup>! Margie Ediger and Jerry Varney took the bronze with their original chili recipes.

Friday showed just how competitive our CCH residents and staff could be and this Friday they will get to show off their competitive sides again during our Halloween Costume Competition! The Cordell Christian Home has had residents and staff in the past dress up as ketchup and mustard bottles, animals, super heroes, celebrities, hillbillies, ballerinas, and even McDonald's fries! The sky is the limit when it comes to the imagination of our residents and staff and the creator of the most creative costume will hold the title of this year's Halloween Costume Contest Winner on Friday!

Activities also taking place on Halloween Day are Cordell Elementary Kid's Musical Entertainment at 9:00, Scary Halloween Bingo at 10:00, judging of the Halloween Costumes at 1:30, and the October Birthday Celebration at 2:30. Friday is going to be a day filled with non-stop Halloween fun!

The last couple of weeks in October are always eventful and we would love for you to join us in our last extravaganza of the month on Halloween! So please feel free to come on down to the Cordell Christian Home and help us say goodbye to October fun and hello to the November festivities to come!