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Chili Cook-Off Restaurant Competition Winner Announced

The 15th Annual Mobile Meals Chili Cook-Off was held at the Stranahan Great Hall on Saturday, March 31, 2007 from Noon-5PM. It was a great time for everyone who participated as well as attended. This year was Burger King's first year to enter the competition. They took first place in the People's Choice Awards for the Restaurant Division and also took 1st Place in the Judge's Choice Award in the Restaurant Division.

Bennett Management Corp., who locally owns and operates the Toledo area Burger King Restaurants, entered a team they called "THE CHILI KINGS." The team co-captains were Barbie Zachrich, Marketing Manager and Angie Cunningham, restaurant manager, at the 1940 S. Byrne Road, Toledo, Ohio restaurant. To complete their team, they had assistance from THE KING, Vice President of Marketing and Administration Beverly Benner, and crewmembers also from Byrne Road Burger King, Ashley Michael, Julia Randolph, and Katrina Hughes.

The team also raffled off a Dr. Pepper Mountain Bike and Burger King Gift Card to raise additional funds for Mobile Meals of Toledo.

After the event, there was plenty of Chili left over and to continue supporting the Toledo community, Burger King donated the Chili to the Sparrows Nest Shelter for battered and abused women.