



7th Annual Guns & Hoses Chili Cook-Off

2025 PARTICIPANT APPLICATION

28246 Lilac Road, Valley Center | Friday, May 30 5:00pm-7:00pm

The Details:

- The 2025 Valley Center Western Days Guns & Hoses Chili Cook-Off will take place at the Valley Center Western Days Festival located at 28246 Lilac Road, Valley Center. The event starts at 5pm, contestants please arrive no later than 4:00 p.m. to get set up. The judging will start promptly at 5:00 p.m. when the public joins in.
- This event is a fundraiser for the Valley Center Fire Explorer Program. The public will be asked for a donation upon entry. While the theme is Fire vs. Cops, all organizations and individuals are WELCOME to participate! The more the merrier!
- Bring 2-3 LARGE crock pots of prepared chili and serving utensils. Event organizers will provide tables, bowls and spoons. Please bring electric extension cords and a power strip to plug in your chili pots.
- Since it's Western Days, decorate your table in a western theme. Bring a sign announcing your department/district, station, club, business, organization, name, etc. This is a great networking venue to promote, so bring flyers and advertising materials to pass out if you want. For signs/banners behind your table, use painters tape on walls so it does not mar the finish.
- Western Days is celebrating its 75th anniversary this year.

NAME: _____

ORG/ENTRY NAME: _____

MAILING: _____

PHONE: _____

CELL: _____

EMAIL: _____

NAME YOUR CHILI: _____

PARTICIPANT ENTRY FEE: \$25 *Proceeds from this event benefit the Valley Center Fire Explorers Post 1600.*

Submit the entry form to: VALLEY CENTER WESTERN DAYS, PO BOX 1781, Valley Center, CA 92082 or drop off at Valley Center Fire Station 1, 28234 Lilac Road. Any payments/donations please make payable to VALLEY CENTER WESTERN DAYS.