# JACKPOT PATRON MARGARITA CONTEST

**12pm Saengerfest Park 23rd & Strand**

**AWARDS**
1st Cash Jackpot, Trophy, Tsunami Drink Menu
2nd & 3rd Medals

**REGISTRATION FEE**
$20.00 Registration Received on or before December 31, 2017
$25.00 Registration Received after January 1, 2018

## RULES

- Participants must be at least 21 and must have proper identification available at check in.
- Participants must be entered in the Chili Quest Cook Off in order to participate in this event.
- **Teams are REQUIRED to use Patron Silver Tequila only**
    - **(2 – 1.5 ounces will be provided by Yaga's Entertainment)**
- Any other ingredients may be used including juices, liqueurs and garnish
- Teams will receive a 3-foot space to prepare and present their margarita.
- A ticket will be assigned to each space for judging purposes.
- Check In is at 11:30 Saturday January 20th, 2018 in Saengerfest Park by the stage
- Ingredients may not be pre-mixed. Store bought juices are allowed.
- All ingredients will be inspected by the committee prior to competition.
- Only 2 members of the team are allowed on stage.
- All recipes must be original
- Costumes and themes are encouraged but not required
- Fire is absolutely not allowed as a special effect during performance
- Any type of glassware is allowed for final presentation, but no logos or distinguishable markings are permitted.
- Frozen margaritas are permitted. Power will be available, but contestant must provide extension cord & blender.
- Contest begins promptly at 12:00. No entries will be accepted once the contest begins
- Contestants are allowed 2 ½ minutes of preparation time. This ONLY includes set up of equipment and materials. NO juicing, cutting or slicing!
- Contestants are then allowed 5 minutes to prep, make and complete the margarita.
- Contestants are required to make 2 of the same margarita. 1 for tasting and 1 for presentation.
- Garbage receptacles will be provided and it is the participant's responsibility to clean and dispose of their area after judging has ended.

## JUDGING CRITERIA

(VOTING 1-5 SCALE)

**Taste** Strength of margarita, not too strong not too weak, Level of acidity, Smoothness factor

**Showmanship/Technique** Bartending skills & flare displayed while mixing margarita, creativity of theme/costume

**Final Presentation** Appearance of drink, appropriate glassware for drink prepared, Garnish