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Chamber staff brings Chill-E Cookoff to Senior Center

Attend Blizzard Breakfast same day at Genitti's

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Formerly the Fire & Ice Festival, the Northville Chamber of Commerce event has been renamed the Chill-E Cookoff this year.

The fun begins at noon and lasts until 4 p.m. on Jan. 30 at the Northville Senior Community Center at 303 W. Main St.

Local fire department cooks and chefs from local restaurants will vie for first-place honors at the chili contest. Participants can purchase a taste from as many entries as they wish for a nominal charge for each one.

Cost is \$1 admission for all ages; \$1 each for chili or salsa sample cup; \$2 for a large cup of chili; and \$2 per beverage, which will include soft drinks and water. Chips are provided with the salsa.

The Northville Township and city of Northville fire department cooks will compete in the Firehouse Chili Challenge, with restaurant chefs going for the Top Chili prize.

Restaurants competing in the event will include Edwards Cafe & Caterers, Independence Village of Plymouth, Poole's Tavern, George's Senate Coney Island, Lake Street Tavern, Rocky's of Northville, Scottie's Kitchen, Hotz Catering, Northville Sports Den and the Rusty Buckey.

Salsa music will be provided by the band Saoco from noon-2:30 p.m.

The afternoon will also feature children's crafts and an ice carving demonstration.

Sponsors include Medical Network One/Michigan Institute for Health Enhancement, Varsity Lincoln-Mercury, the Northville Record, Everdry Waterproofing and First Choice Chiropractic. For more information, call the Chamber of Commerce office at (248) 349-7640.

START THE DAY AT GENITTI'S

Breakfast is the most important meal of the day. So, before heading for lunch at the Chill-E Cookoff, start the morning off right by attending the Blizzard Breakfast at Genitti's Hole-in-the Wall at 108 E. Main St.

The buffet will include scrambled eggs, Genitti's own Italian sausage, ham, home-style potatoes, pancakes, muffins, a selection of Danish, bagels and fresh fruit.

Proceeds from this annual Northville Parks and Recreation event from 8:30-11 a.m. will go toward the purchase of outdoor movie equipment. The equipment will be used by the communities of Northville, Northville Township, Novi, South Lyon and Wixom. Cost for the breakfast buffet is \$10 in advance

and \$15 at the door for ages 11 and up; \$5 in advance and \$10 at the door for ages 4-10. For more information, call the Parks and Recreation Department at (248) 349-0203.

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