

2nd Annual Snowflake Festival
“Chowdah Fest”
Rules for Contestants

1. No store bought pre-mixes or canned chowders are allowed. ***Only homemade chowders please.***
2. Participants need to make a minimum of **2 gallons** of chowder.
3. A list of ingredients must be visible with your chowder in case of allergies. **Also, warn people if your chowder is really spicy!!!!**
4. Each chowder must have a name and be labeled.
5. The chowder must be ready to serve or reheat upon arrival at the Outing Club. Bring a crock pot or heating plate (no propane or gasoline stoves inside!). Also bring an extension cord.
6. All chowder chefs must have their serving station set up and decorated (if desired) by 3:45 pm on the day of the event. The Outing Club will be open for skiing that day so there will be a tight turn around time for skiers leaving and contestants arriving.
7. Please bring a table cloth.
8. Chefs need to bring ladles for their chowder. Serving cups, bowls, spoons, napkins and crackers will be provided by the Outing Club.
9. Entries will be judged by a point system on the following criteria: taste, aroma, consistency, and appearance. First place prize is \$75, Second Place prize is \$50 and there will be a People’s Choice Award of \$25. The decision of the judges will be final.
10. Chowder tasters will be able to sample all the chowders for \$5. They can then vote for their favorite chowder. Proceeds will benefit the Lyndon Outing Club.
11. Please abide by the Outing Club’s normal procedures- **Smoking and Alcoholic Beverages are prohibited.**
12. Good sportsmanship is expected by all participants. Contestants are responsible for cleaning their own areas at the end of the event.