

*Red River's 8750' Festival*  
*CASI Chili Cookoff*  
*Festival Dates: August 12-16\*, 2026*

*\*Cookoff: August 14-15*

**CASI Red Chili &**  
**NM State Green Chile Championship**



\*CASI Chili and Green Chile entries must be cooked on site\*  
For more information about the CASI category,  
log on to [www.chili.org](http://www.chili.org) or contact Lyman Wilkinson at (970) 310-9843

**Friday 8/14**

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| Cooks Check-In and Set up | 8:00 am            | Brandenburg Park |
| Park Gates Open           | 10:00 am           | Brandenburg Park |
| Music in the park         | 11:30 am – 6:00 pm | Brandenburg Park |

**Saturday 8/15**

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| Set up                               | 8:00 am  | Brandenburg Park  |
| Park Gates Open / CASI Cooks Meeting | 9:00 am  | Brandenburg Park  |
| CASI Chili Turn In                   | 2:00 pm  | Conference Center |
| People's Choice Ballots Counted      | 2:00 pm  | Conference Center |
| Green Chile Turn In                  | 3:00 pm  | Conference Center |
| Awards                               | 6:00 pm* | Conference Center |

\*All times subject to change. Final schedule to be posted at park check-in.

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| CASI Chili Information                 | Lyman Wilkinson        | (970) 310-9843 |
| General Festival Information           | Red River Events       | (575) 414-8887 |
| Local chili cookoff contact            | Steve Cherry           | (575) 770-5679 |
| Lodging, Vendor, & Visitor Information | Red River Conf. Center | (877) 885-3885 |

Head Cook: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Cooks on Team (not to exceed 4): \_\_\_\_\_ Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**CASI Red and/or New Mexico Green Chile Championship: \$70 entry; you may enter one or both categories**

**I am entering in the following categories (please include name of chili/chile):**

**CASI Red** \_\_\_\_\_

**Green Chile** \_\_\_\_\_

**Showmanship (must be entered in CASI Red, must have spot in the park)** \_\_\_\_\_

FREE RV parking available on-site during the cook-off, \$25 to stay overnight on festival grounds (no hook-ups); Overnight RV parking is extremely limited. You must contact Town of Red River at 575-754-1708 to secure your spot.

Upgrade to 3-Day Passes at a discount! Contact us at [hello@redriverevents.org](mailto:hello@redriverevents.org) to receive a coupon code.

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Red River Events Inc (MEMO: 8750' CCO)**

**MAIL CHECKS TO:**  
**Red River Events Inc**  
**c/o 8750' Festival**  
**PO Box 189**  
**Red River, NM 87558**