## JOIN THE RESCYOU GROUP FOR AN



At The Research Fest November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 Blackham Coliseum

\$100 TO ENTER

8:00AM Start Time 12:00PM Serve Time

All proceeds go directly to serving families across Acadiana by providing financial aid for end-of-life expenses, grief counseling, sibling support through our child counseling services, and peer-to-peer comfort care support.





TO REGISTER

## Gook-off Rules and Logistics

## Rules

- Team entry fee is \$100. This includes 2 complementary tickets to the event. Any additional team members must pay the event admission fee of \$15
- Teams may begin setting up at 7am but may not begin cooking until 8am
- All food must be ready by 12:00pm, winner will be announced by 2:30pm
- Prepare to serve 150 4oz. servings
- Dish must be served over rice
- Meat must be raw at check-in, but it can be pre-seasoned
- We will supply serving bowls, utensils, and napkins
- You must provide your own ingredients, rice (may be pre-cooked), cooking utensils, tables, portable burners for cooking, etc.
- Electricity will not be provided
- Only small, quiet generators are allowed
- Cooking spots will be 12ftX12ft, tables and tents are welcomed (you will be outside)
- Teams must keep areas clean during the event and are responsible for cleaning their own cooking areas at the end of the event
- We will have trash cans placed throughout the event, but feel free to bring your own as well.
- If you plan to sell any additional food, drinks, products, or merchandise at your booth, you must contact us for approval beforehand, as a portion of sales will be shared with the event.

## **Awards**

- Judges Choice- We will have a panel of judges that will rate each dish on a scale of 1-10. We will be giving out a 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prize for this category.
- Fan Favorite Award- Every guest will be given one fan favorite ticket upon entry and will also have the opportunity to buy more for \$1 at the event ticket booth. They will be asked to put these tickets into the jar of their favorite dish's table (Jars will be provided). One award will be given for this category.