



Hopkins County takes great pride in the Dairy Industry, which is the reason the Dairy Festival began 59 years ago! With a full week of activities, beginning with the Balloon Rally on Friday night, thousands of people participate in the many activities throughout the weekend.

One of the major highlights of the weekend is the Texas State Champion Homemade Ice Cream Freeze-Off, presented by the Hopkins County Chamber of Commerce. On June 9<sup>th</sup>, we will once again have contestants vying for top honors with their favorite homemade ice cream recipes.

As a sponsor of this event, you will help continue the tradition of celebrating the importance of the Dairy Industry in Hopkins County.

We are happy to offer 3 different sponsorship levels:

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| <b>Triple Dip</b> – Logo on 8 ft. Wooden Ice Cream Cone<br>Your Banner displayed at Ice Cream Freeze-off<br>Company name on Thank You signs<br>Verbal recognition throughout event<br>10 ice cream tickets | \$500.00 |
| <b>Double Dip</b> – Your Banner displayed at Ice Cream Freeze-off<br>Company name on Thank You signs<br>Verbal recognition throughout event<br>5 ice cream tickets   | \$250.00 |
| <b>Single Dip</b> – Company name on Thank You signs<br>Verbal recognition throughout event<br>2 ice cream tickets  | \$150.00 |

Please fill out the attached sponsor sign-up sheet and return it to the Chamber of Commerce by May 25<sup>th</sup>. Also, if someone in your office would like to enter a freezer of ice cream for the contest, just have them fill out the attached entry form... it's FREE!!!

Thank you for your continued support of the Chamber of Commerce.

Sincerely,

Lezley Brown  
President/CEO

Ice Cream Freeze-Off  
**Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup>**  
5:30 pm  
Shannon Oaks Church  
Tickets: \$3.00 all-you-can-eat!

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17th Annual  
Texas State Champion Homemade  
Ice Cream Freeze-Off

**Saturday, June 9, 2018**

Judging at 5:30 p.m.  
Shannon Oaks Church

Presented by the  
Hopkins County Chamber of Commerce

**Contest Rules**

1. This contest is open to the public. Entries become the property of the Chamber of Commerce
2. Four Divisions:  
“**First Timers**” 13 & over, 1<sup>st</sup> time to participate in contest  
“**Little Dips**” for ages 6 thru 12  
“**Big Dips**” for ages 13 and over  
“**Super Scoops**” for previous first place winners
3. Prizes  
**Super Scoops:** First (\$100) & Second (\$50); All categories combined for Super Scoops.  
**Big Dips:** First (\$75) Second (\$50) & Third (\$25)  
**Classic**—Chocolate and Vanilla  
**Fruit**—Single or multiple fruits, but only fruit  
**Novelty**--Mixed ingredients  
**First Timers:** First (\$75) Second (\$50) & Third (\$25)  
All categories combined for first-time participants.  
**Little Dips:** First (\$25 & medal) Second (\$15 & medal) & Third (\$10 & medal); All categories combined for Little Dips.
4. All dashers and cranks or motors must have been removed and ice cream must be kept in original freezer container. It is suggested that ice cream be packed for a minimum of 3 hours prior to judging.
5. Only “real dairy products” of milk, cream, butter, non-fat dry milk, sweetened condensed milk, evaporated milk, buttermilk, natural milk, etc. may be utilized to meet the dairy ingredient requirements. Non-dairy and imitation dairy products such as imitation spreads and refrigerated whipped toppings are not allowed and will disqualify the entry. **Eggs must be fully cooked.**
6. Categories will be judged according to Flavor, Texture, Body, Color, Melting Quality and Uniqueness of Recipe.
7. Entries must be DELIVERED by the contestant to the judges’ tent before 5:30 p.m. Judging begins at 5:30 p.m.
8. Adults and children in the same household may not submit the same recipe.
9. No entry fee required. Contestants and their families will be required to purchase a \$3.00 bowl to sample the ice cream.

Early registration prize  
drawings for entries received  
By June 1, 2018

Hopkins County Chamber of Commerce  
300 Connally Street  
Sulphur Springs, TX 75482

Category: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Classic, fruit, novelty)

Division: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State & Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

I hereby state that the dairy products used in this ice cream have been pasteurized. If my recipe includes eggs, the egg mixture was thoroughly cooked. I understand that my entry will not be judged without a complete recipe below or on an attached sheet.

Initials \_\_\_\_\_

I will \_\_\_\_\_ I will not \_\_\_\_\_ allow my recipe to be published.

**Recipe:**

**This recipe is required to qualify for judging.**