## Glendora After Stroke Center



## 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY CHILI COOK-OFF

Howdy Partners and Friends of Glendora After Stroke Center,

## Save the date! Our 50th Anniversary Chili Cook-Off is coming!

Join us on **Saturday, September 30, 2023 from 12 noon to 4 pm** at the Sage Room of the La Fetra Senior Center in Glendora to celebrate ... western style! Get ready to kick up your spurs and go country. It's a casual do, so come as you are, all are welcome. And come hungry, 'cause we're having a real old-fashioned **Chili Cook-Off**, complete with contestants, judges, and prizes! Add in the prestidigitation of **Doc Magic** and it'll be an afternoon of fun, food, and festivities. Yee-haw!

Thanks to the support of our community and generous donors, this group has been around as a resource for stroke survivors and caregivers for 50 years. We're grateful to have made it through some tough times. Now we need your support again to make this year's event a rip-roarin' success!

The 50th Anniversary Committee and I are pleased as punch to invite you to take advantage of a variety of opportunities to get involved. You can purchase event tickets, donate a raffle prize or an item for the Country Store, sponsor some of the funding, or even show off your skills as a chili cook-off contestant. Maybe you'd like to **volunteer** to help us staff the event. And if you are not able to attend in person, consider donating the ticket price to help sponsor one of our After Strokers.

Every entry ticket and chili contestant sign-up includes a hearty chili meal with all the fixins, salad, drinks to wet your whistle, and desserts. Then there'll be plenty of fun and games, performances by Magic Castle Magician Doc Magic, and live entertainment throughout the afternoon. Tickets are available now, so call 909-241-0445 or visit <u>AfterStrokers.org</u> to place your order. Additionally, be sure to purchase raffle tickets at the event for a chance to win some exciting prizes. You'll also be able to buy a "Team After Strokers" t-shirt, shop the unique vintage items at our Country Store, and try your hand at some cornhole beanbag throwin'. Woo doggies, that's a good time right there!

Another great way to support our 50th Anniversary is by **donating items, experiences, or services to our raffle**. We'll be happy to help with raffle ideas, and our friendly volunteers will help decorate your raffle entry if you like to make it look real purty! All donations are gratefully accepted and will be credited to you, your family, and/or company.

You have our gratitude and enormous thanks for supporting our group and its members. Please don't hesitate to contact me about how to get involved with this special event. Now jump on the bandwagon, **giddy up**, and join us in celebrating 50 wonderful years of Glendora After Stroke Center by purchasing your tickets today!

Warm regards, Julie John, Director and Trail Boss On behalf of the 50th Anniversary Chili Cook-Off Committee