Chili cookoff

Broker is champ

By Mary Lou Callaway special writer

An Illinois stock broker took stock of his stock and walked off with the 1981 e Michigan Championship Chili Cookoff in West Bloomfield Sunday.

Randy Davis of Springfield will represent Michigan at this year's world championship Nov. In California.

Davis was awarded a copper kettle prize when about 450 people heard Chief Chili Judge Bob Talbert. Free Press columnist, announce the winners at the Lark restaurant on Farmington Road at Maple in West Bloomfield. Head Chili Jim Lark was the bast of the tithrd annual Michigan cookoff.

Davis placed third in the 1940 world chili cookoff last year. His cooking pattern Bill Gaper is vice president of CR. Davis brokerage.

Phyllic Loss at transplanted Texan now living in Windsor, took second places and Bob Castor of Rochester was third.

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Media celebrity judges tasted and retasted 24 entries on appearance, aroma and flavor.
Former winners Jim Adamski of Redford (1979) and Peter Dwigalski of Brighton (1980) didn't place this year.
Other area chefs who competed were Scott Flormen. Mike Flynn, Janet Gwynn and Sheldon Scott of Birmingham, Bob Osborne of Rochester. Dave Richey and Les Ward of Troy; and Tom Thomas of West Bloomfield.

"Two bowls of this and you'll wish your father never met your mother," bragged one cook.
"This one will melt the wax in your ears," declared Talbert as sequestered judges called for ice water between tastings.

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Other judges included Andrea Wojak, Detroit News; Len Barnes, AAA Michagan Living; Ronnie Clemmer and Kay Richards, TV2 "PM Magazine," Mary Lou Callaway, Observer & Eccentric, Eddie Jonna, Merchant of Vinc, Sybil Little, Oakland Press; David Lum, Richshaw Inn; and Nancy Kennedy, Ford Times.

"All chill cooks are liars," grinned winner Davis, confiding one of his secret ingredients is gin. He advises using the very best beef.

Gasper says experimenting with spices and amounts will bring the best results.

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The winning Davis recipe minus any secret ingredients is:

I lb. ground beef
I lb. chopped sirloin
I lg. onion, chopped fine
bt. gartie salt
W. T. vinegar
I can 4 oz. tomato sauce
I T. chili powder
W. T. red pepper flakes
I dash Worchestershie st
salt and pepper to taste
2% bay leaves
I saltspice whole

PROCEEDS FROM the \$15 tickets go to Father Tom Lumpkin's Day close and Soup Ritchen in Detroit, a homeless family shelter.

Guests were entertained was as they sampled chilis, some written houses with michely and country blorer as which headded such that the sampled chilis, some written headed was call, pepper and water, such unlikely ingordients as champagne, chicken, whiskey and potato buds.



Grand opening celebration

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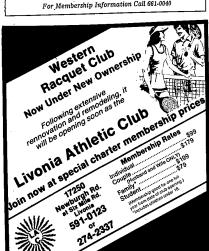
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