



2017 TAILGATE SCHEDULE

September 9th – KICKOFF CLASSIC

- 1-6pm Tailgate Party Pit
Free Food and Drinks - Hot Dogs & Chips
Cool Penguin Shaved Ice Truck
Live DJ
Musical Chair Swings
Twin Spin
Spaceball
Code Blue "Living Room" & TV's
- 2-5pm Cook-off Challenge -Theme: "Show Us Your Dawg" (Hot Dog)
- 5-6pm The Pride of the Great Southwest Marching Band

September 30th – PARENTS DAY

- 1-6pm Tailgate Party Pit
Free Food and Drinks- Jiggs BBQ
Live Music - Aaron Woods Band
Rockwall & Inflatable Games
Code Blue "Living Room" & TV's
- 2-5pm Cook-off Challenge -Theme: BBQ
- 5-6pm The Pride of the Great Southwest Marching Band

October 14th – SWOSU SATURDAY

- 9-2pm Tailgate Party Pit
Free Breakfast & Drinks - Pancakes and Sausage
Live DJ
Bungie Trampoline & Mechanical Bull
Code Blue "Living Room" & TV's
- 10-1pm Cook-off Challenge - Theme: Exotic / Game
- 1-2pm The Pride of the Great Southwest Marching Band

November 4th – HOMECOMING

- 12-5:30pm Tailgate Party Pit
Food Truck Alley Rally
Live Music - The Weathermen
Redneck Games Inflatable
Code Blue "Living Room" & TV's
- 1-4:30pm Cook-off Challenge -Theme: Burger
- 5-5:30pm The Pride of the Great Southwest Marching Band
Mass Band / Senior Acknowledgement / Ceremonies



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CODE BLUE PARTY PIT

TAILGATING



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CODE BLUE TAILGATE PARTY PIT

Tailgating is available for anyone and everyone! We have designated the entire parking lot on the West side of the Milam Stadium for nothing but great tailgating fun and excitement. For the best selection on tailgate location, plan to arrive early. Space is limited and is first come, first serve.

The event schedule, located on the backside of this brochure, outlines the events and entertainment, as well as when the Party Pit will open up for each tailgate.



For those who would like to participate, there are two tailgate areas to choose from: General Tailgating (for those who like to do their own thing) and the Cook-off Challenge Tailgating (for those who would like to join the Cook-off Challenge, and enjoy the perks of a shade tent & table). Both areas are partially separated from the other, but still located in the same parking lot. Keep reading to learn about registering for the Cook-off Challenge.

A limited number of vehicles will be permitted inside the tailgate area to allow for more tents, trailers, grills, and lawn chairs. Remember to arrive when the Tailgate Party Pit opens for best location selection. There will be plenty of fun, so make this area your own and enjoy the atmosphere!!



COOK-OFF CHALLENGE

Any team, business, organization, or individual may enter the Cook-off Challenge and show off their culinary skills and creations while supporting the SWOSU Bulldogs.

The Cook-off Challenge is completely FREE to enter! Better yet, registrants get an awesome t-shirt AND a chance to win their share of \$800 in prize money awarded during each contest: \$500 for 1st, \$200 for 2nd, and \$100 for 3rd

Contestants participating in the Cook-off Challenge may do their cooking in the reserved Challenge location or in the General Tailgate area; however, those located in the General Tailgate area will not be provided the 10'x10' shade tent or table.



Cook-off Challenge Rules

Sign up for the Cook-off Challenge by calling 580-774-3024 or visit the SWOSU Residence Life office at 221 West College Ave .

Teams cooking in the reserved area will be provided a cooking space that includes a 10'x10' shade canopy and table.

Teams may begin cooking on-site as early as 4 hours prior to game kickoff. One member from each team must attend the cooks meeting, which is held 3 hours prior to game kickoff. Judging of food entries will begin 1 hour prior to kickoff.

Teams are responsible for providing their own grill. Grills must be propane/wood/charcoal burning only, no electric. Teams must also provide all food and ingredients. Prepare to provide 6-8 ounces of food for each of the 3 guest judges.

Teams will be tasked with cooking a single entrée and side for judging. Food items must be placed side-by-side in the provided containers. Only lettuce or parsley may accompany the prepared items for presentation purposes.

Ingredients may be seasoned prior to arrival, but all cooking must be done on-site with the use of a grill.

Teams must submit all entries to the judging table no later than 1 hour prior to game kickoff, at which time entries will be assigned a random number for blind judging. Food will be scored in the following five categories: theme, appearance, execution, taste, and how paired items complement each other. Points will be deducted for late entries and rule infractions.



Free Shirt With
Registration While
Supplies Last