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**Chili Cook Off At
Consumers National Bank's Carrollton Office
Raises Big Funds For Big Brothers Big Sisters**

Carrollton, Ohio—The Carrollton branch staff of Consumers National Bank held its fifth annual Chili Cook Off on Friday, February 1, and raised more than \$600 for Big Brothers Big Sisters.

Branch manager Bev Newell and her staff each cooked their own personal chili recipe and invited customers and neighbors to vote for their favorite chili recipe by placing a small donation in cans marked for each pot of chili. The winning chili cooked by Natalie Witts received \$76 in votes. Second place was captured by Bev Newell whose chili received \$61.51 in votes. Michele Catlett received the Chairman's Award selected by Consumers National Bank director Mike Schmuck. The coveted President's Award was also presented to Michele Catlett by Consumers National Bank president Ralph J. Lober, II.

“We look forward to our Chili Cook Off fundraiser each year,” said Newell. “Through donations given as votes for their favorite chili, customers help us raise much needed funds for Big Brothers Big Sisters. We had some great chili recipes to choose from and it was a lot of fun for us and the community,” said Newell.

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