

Fayette County "Go Texan" Committee
Open Jackpot
BAR-B-QUE COOKOFF RULES
August 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, 2008

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Wolters Park, Schulenburg, Texas

1. Contestants must cook a minimum of 1 brisket and 1 slab of pork ribs--- Maximum of 3 briskets and 3 slabs of pork
2. The category to be judged is Beef Brisket and Pork Ribs.
3. Contestants may check in beginning at 4:00 p.m. till 11:00 p.m. Friday, August 1st and 7:00 a.m. to 8:00a.m. August 2nd. At check-in meat must be raw, thawed, and unseasoned. Cooking CANNOT begin until the meat has been tagged. It is the responsibility of the Head Cook to make sure the meat is inspected and tagged at the Tagging Station that is provided. Any untagged meat will be disqualified.
4. Entries are due at check-in.
5. All cooking teams must be in place by 9:00 a.m. Saturday, August 2nd.
6. A team consists of a Chief Cook and three assistants. To qualify for In County Beef Team, the chief cook must be from Fayette County.
7. Chiefs Cooks Meeting will be at 8:30 a.m. Saturday.
8. A 20x40 foot area will be available for each team.
9. Contestants must supply all needed equipment and supplies. **Contestants may NOT share cooking equipment. Each space with an entry must have a separate pit and chief cook. Under NO circumstances will one person be allowed to monitor the cooking on several pits. Violations will result in disqualification.**
10. The Fayette County Go Texan Committee WILL NOT be responsible for theft or damage to equipment.
11. Fires must be wood or wood substance. No electric or gas fires will be allowed. Holes or dug pits are NOT permitted.
12. The Chief Cook will be held responsible for the conduct of his guests. Excessive use of alcoholic beverages will be grounds for disqualification.
13. Beef and Pork entry fees are \$30.00 PER TEAM ENTRY. Electrical fee \$25.00 (only if using).
14. Trophies will be awarded to the 1st and 2nd Place Fayette County Team and Out of County in Beef Division. Also, plaques will be awarded to the First and Second place Pork winners. Also, trophies will be awarded to the 1st and 2nd place in pork division. A showmanship trophy will be awarded and also an Overall Beef trophy will be awarded.
15. The highest scoring Fayette County Team will represent Fayette County in the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo World's Championship Barbecue Contest. Insurance and Entry fee will be paid for by the Fayette County Go Texan Committee.
16. Prize money will be 50% of Pork and Beef Entries. Divisions: In County Beef Brisket, Out of County Beef Brisket, Pork Ribs.

1 to 10 teams	1 Place	50% of entry fees
11 to 20 teams	2 Places	30% and 20% of entry fees
21 teams and up	3 Places	25%, 15%, and 10% of entry fees
17. Contest committeemen reserve the right to make additional regulations as situations warrant. Decisions of the committee chairmen and judges are final.
18. No Garnishes or sauces will be allowed.

Pork Ribs Judging – Saturday
Turn-In Times – 2:00 pm to 2:20 pm
Judging begins at 2:30 pm

Brisket Judging – Saturday
Turn-In Times – 4:00 pm to 4:20 pm
Judging begins at 4:30 pm

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BAR-B-QUE COOKOFF ENTRY FORM

TEAM NAME: _____

NAME OF CHIEF COOK: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ **STATE:** _____ **ZIP:** _____

TEAM MEMBERS:

1. _____

2: _____ 3: _____

_____ **BEEF BRISKET ENTRY FEE: \$30.00**

IN COUNTY: _____ **OUT OF COUNTY:** _____

_____ **PORK RIBS ENTRY FEE \$30.00**

_____ **ELECTRICAL HOOKUP \$25.00**

_____ **TOTAL PAID**

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