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## BANDERA, TEXAS

Friday, May 27th & Saturday, May 28th  
2016

### CONTESTANT INFORMATION, RULES & REGISTRATION

#### “GET YOUR COOK-ON” BBQ COOK-OFF

#### LSBS SANCTIONED TEXAS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

And Is A Qualifier For The American Royal And Great American Cook-Offs In Kansas City. Grand Champion Will Be Entered Into A Lottery Drawing For The Jack Daniels Cook-Off In Lynchburg, Tn.

#### Registration

- ★ Registration entry fee is \$150.00 per team for 4 meats and is due before time of registration.
- ★ Team name and conduct must be appropriate for a family audience. The first contestant to register a team name will be able to use that name during the contest.
- ★ A \$35.00 fee will apply to all declined or NSF payments.
- ★ No checks will be accepted after May 18<sup>th</sup>, 2015.

#### Team Spaces (Two areas are available in Mansfield RV Park)

##### 1. Designated Cook-Off Area - Open Spaces

- ★ All spaces of the designated cook-off area are open; please occupy only a 40' X 40' space.
- ★ All open spaces are on a “first-come, first-taken” basis. No reservations are taken.
- ★ No electricity/water is available in the open spaces. Generators are permitted.
- ★ All open spaces are free to cook-off teams.
- ★ There is limited shade in this area.

##### 2. Reserved RV Spaces

- ★ Limited RV hookups are available w/water & electricity.
- ★ RV hookups are available and may be indicated on your entry form how many nights a RV site is needed. **Cost is \$35 per night.** Please include RV site fees with entry fees.
- ★ You may request a particular RV space. There will be no guaranty that you will receive that site, but we will make every effort to insure you receive your request. Preferential parking for large motor homes or RVs will be taken into consideration.
- ★ Vehicles and equipment must be parked in the RV space reserved. No parking in the grass area of the RV Park will be allowed by county park manager.

PLEASE NOTE:

- ★ Each team is responsible for temporary toilets, water, trash containers, etc, in their space. Portable toilet rentals are available thru **Buddy's at 830-796-3878**. Public restroom w/showers are available.
- ★ Team is responsible for the cleanup of their space or spaces by Sunday, May 25 at 3:00 PM. (Exception is made if team is staying thru Monday.)
- ★ Trash must be placed in dumpsters; grease and coals must be disposed of in designated area.
- ★ No ground fires or holes are permitted.

**Team Load-In**

- ★ Team and equipment load-in begins on Thursday, May 21 @ Noon.
- ★ **Vehicles must follow speed limit signs posted in Mansfield Park.**
- ★ Violators may face disqualification from the contest and participation in any future contest.
- ★ Any alcoholic beverage must be in a can. **NO BOTTLES ALLOWED.**

**Non Sanctioned Item Rules (Friday)**

- ★ The non-sanctioned items pay the same as the Sanctioned Items.
- ★ Non sanctioned entries must be purchased at the time of registration.
- ★ **“Cowboy Steak Night”** Meat category is an open meat category that is for any type of beef steak.
- ★ **“Roundup BBQ Sauce”** contest is an open contest.
- ★ **“Buckin’ Bloody Mary”** category is an open Bloody Mary contest that includes any type of alcohol and/or spices.
- ★ **“Cowgirl Margarita”** category is an open Margarita contest that includes any type of alcohol and/or mixes.

**BBQ Contest Rules (Saturday)**

- ★ **A mandatory Chief Cook’s meeting will be held at 8:00 AM Saturday** at the Pavilion located in the RV Park.
- ★ **Friday – from 4 pm to 6 pm** Trays will be distributed
- ★ Each team must have its own pit and chief cook.
- ★ **Meat inspections will be conducted on Friday from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM**
- ★ **Any contest meat found pre-marinated or pre-seasoned will be confiscated.**
- ★ Three places will be awarded in each meat category. (Beef Brisket, Pork Spare Ribs, Pork Butts, & Chicken). Grand and Reserve Grand Champion will be decided based solely on meat categories.
- ★ **“Best In The West”** Beans category is a sanctioned pinto bean contest.
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**Turn in Times**

*COOKS WILL TURN IN THEIR ENTRIES AT THE PAVILION  
GOLF CARTS ARE ALLOWED AT THE COOK-OFF.*

Turn in times are as follows for Friday:

- ★ Roundup BBQ Sauce           6:30 pm
- ★ Cowboy Steak                 7:00 pm
- ★ Cowgirl Margarita’s         7:30 pm

TIMES MAY CHANGE WITH NUMBER OF ENTRIES.

## Turn in Times

Turn in times are as follows for Saturday:

Buckin Bloody Mary	10:00 am
Best in the West Beans	11:00 am
Chicken	1:00 pm (noon)
Ribs	2:00 pm
Pork Butt	3:00 pm
Brisket	4:00 pm

TIMES MAY CHANGE WITH NUMBER OF ENTRIES

## Awards (Saturday)

- ★ The awards ceremony will be held at the judging area in Pavilion on Saturday at 5:30 PM:

### **Grand Champion** (Most Combined Points from Meat Categories)

Championship Award, Free Spot For 2016 & Cash Prize

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### **Reserve Grand Champion**

Reserve Champion Award, Free Spot for 2016 & Cash Prize

### **1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Meat Categories**

75% Cash Payout & Award

**1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Non Sanctioned** (Buckin' Bloody Mary, Cowgirl Margaritas, Cowboy Steak and Round UP BBQ Sauce)

75% Cash Payout & Award

**For every 10 teams over 30 an additional place will be added for payout.**

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- ★ Each Head Cook will be given four complimentary PRCA rodeo tickets good for any night of the rodeo. Cook-off team members may purchase additional rodeo tickets for half-price. These extra tickets may be purchased on Friday only from 2 pm to 6 pm.

The 9<sup>th</sup> Annual “Get Your Cook-On” BBQ Cook-Off is a fundraiser for the Bandera Pro Rodeo Association Youth College Scholarship Fund and is sanctioned by Lone Star Barbecue Society.

Film, video, audio, or other recording of the event for commercial purposes is not permitted without the prior written consent of the BPRA.

THE BPRA AND THE LONE STAR BARBECUE SOCIETY RETAIN THE RIGHT TO EXPAND THESE RULE AND REGULATIONS AS WE SEE FIT.