

ALABAMA STATE BBQ CHAMPIONSHIP CHRISTMAS on the RIVER DEMOPOLIS ALABAMA

GENERAL INFORMATION, RULES, & RESTRICTIONS

1. The first 48 paid teams will be accepted.
2. We have a limited number of reserved motor home spaces at \$50 each. All motor homes must be self-contained. The first 10 entries requesting a reserved space will be granted.
3. There is limited water and electrical hookups outside the fence.
4. Each cooking site is 30' X 30'. The cooking unit cannot exceed this space.
5. After 3pm on Friday, Dec 1, no vehicles will be allowed in the cooking area until after 3pm on Saturday, Dec 2.
6. Each team will receive five armbands for Friday night. Additional armbands may be purchased for \$5 each.
7. No entry fees will be refunded after November 1, 2023.
8. Each team is required to have a fire extinguisher and a bag of sand on site.
9. All teams are responsible for damage done to their site. If your site is damaged before the competition, please inform one of our organizers.
10. Please, no in and out traffic during the event's open hours. Organizers will try to assist you with any special needs. Also, all pre-payments are non-refundable, as space for these events are limited, and will be capped at 50 contestants. All Reservations should be received no later than November 1, 2023.

BBQ CONTEST PRIZE MONEY & TROPHIES

Total prize money to be paid out by category for KCBS BBQ Contest

GRAND CHAMPION	\$1000
RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION	\$500
BACKYARD GRAND CHAMPION	\$300
BACKYARD RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION	\$150

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	CHICKEN	PORK	PORK RIBS	BEEF BRISKET
1st Place	\$450	\$450	\$450	\$450
2nd Place	\$325	\$325	\$325	\$325
3rd Place	\$225	\$225	\$225	\$225
4th Place	\$125	\$125	\$125	\$125
5th Place	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$50

Dessert - Awesome Prizel!

Final payout to reflect total teams.

Trophies will be provided, in addition to cash prizes, for:
 Grand Champion KCBS Cooker
 Reserve Grand Champion KCBS Cooker
 1st-5th in each KCBS category - chicken, ribs, pork, beef
 BBQ Sauce Champion
 People's Choice

ALABAMA STATE COOKOFF A KCBS EVENT!

LOCATION GEORGE FRANKS FIELD
across from Demopolis City Landing

SETUP TIMES Thursday, Nov 30, 9am-8pm
Friday, Dec 1, 9am -
please call if a different setup time is needed, we will try to accommodate all requests

FESTIVAL TIMES Friday, Dec 1, 5pm-1am
Saturday, Dec 2

FRIDAY NIGHT, DECEMBER 1, 2023

5:00pm gates open
PEOPLE'S CHOICE
 This competition is to allow teams to enter any dish of their choosing. Visitors to the festival will choose the winner. This is a charity event, all proceeds will be donated to this year's charity.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2023

All times will be announced closer to time.

JUDGING TIMES see current KCBS rules for details

11:00am SAUCE
 11:30am CHICKEN
 12:00pm PORK RIBS
 12:30pm PORK
 1pm BEEF BRISKET
 2:30pm AWARDS

QUESTIONS 334.654.4780 - J.B. Warren (cell)
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DECEMBER 1 & 2 2023



CHRISTMAS on the RIVER BBQ CHAMPIONSHIP PEOPLE'S CHOICE

This competition is to allow contestants to enter any dish in an event where visitors to the BBQ Festival choose the winner. This is ideal for cook teams who wish to enter to compete for bragging rights, while helping us raise money for a local charity.

PEOPLE'S CHOICE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2023

5pm-9pm

RULES

This is a separate competition from the The Alabama State BBQ Championship. The public may only sample contestants participating in the People's Choice.

Public sampling will be 5:00pm- 9:00pm, Friday, December 1.

Tip Jars will be collected by event organizers at a designated area on the competition grounds. The team with the most tips turned in will be named "People's Choice" winner of the competition.

All teams are strongly encouraged to participate in this area; however, it is not a requirement. Teams will be asked to offer BBQ "samples" to attendees who have purchased an armband from event organizers.



BBQ CONTEST CONTRACT complete and return with payment

Team Name _____

Head Cook's Name _____

Phone # _____ Cell Phone # _____

Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____

KCBS# (if you have one) _____

PLEASE CHECK ALL THAT APPLY

____ I or my team has a motor home/cooking rig - **\$50**

____ I or my team request(s) a portable toilet at my cook site - **\$120**

____ I or my team will compete in the backyard division - **\$200**

____ I or my team will compete in the KCBS Pro division - **\$275**

____ I or my team will compete in the dessert competition (no entry fee)

____ I or my team will compete in the People's Choice Friday night (no entry fee)

TOTAL \$ _____

I attest that I have read and accept the restrictions and rules for this event and that I would like to participate. I understand that all pre-payments are non-refundable, as space for these events are limited. I also agree to allow the use of any and all photos and videos taken at this event by the promoter for use in promoting future events. Furthermore, I agree to abide by all contest rules and applicable health codes and laws.

Head Cook's Signature

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DISCLAIMER

I understand all activities I participate in during this event are done at my own risk and I accept all responsibility. By participating, I relinquish any responsibility of the Demopolis Area Chamber of Commerce and the Christmas on the River BBQ Cook-off as an organization, including its officers, for all liabilities resulting in the participation of this event. Any individual not following the rules as listed, will be subjected to immediate removal from the event.

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