



THE GREAT WASHINGTONIAN SMOKE OFF REGISTRATION & RULES FORM

Categories:	Chicken	Pork Ribs	Pulled Pork	People's Choice
Turn in Times:	11:00 am	11:00 am	11:00 am	11-12:30
Division:	18+ Welcome			

Grill or Team Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Address: _____

Size of space given: 15ft X 20ft and preassigned.

List names of each Team Member:

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Competition Details

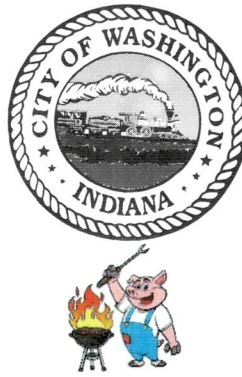
Entry donation to Washington Parks Dept.: \$50.00

Entries limited to the first 15 competitors.

Awards: Plaques will be given to 1st place in each category and \$150 (Ribs, Chicken, Pulled Pork), People's Choice (Pulled Pork) will be \$250 plus Plaque. Overall Grand Champion will be chosen from the combination of scores from Ribs, Chicken & Pulled Pork and will receive Championship Trophy and \$1,000. Overall award will be decided by the total points over the three categories. Awards presentation will take place at 1:00pm

Registration: Competitors can check in & set up on Friday April 8th from 8p-10p. Team captain meeting at 10:00pm.

Judging: Judging will begin on Saturday April 9th at 11am. Except for People's Choice that will run from 11a to 12:30 or until meat is gone. Each competitor must submit a sample in the unidentified containers given to them at 10:00am. JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL.



- Each contestant should submit enough meat (5 pieces of each entry) so that each judge will have at least one piece of meat to taste themselves. Leftover meat will be for People's Choice (cups will be provided).
 - Blind Judging is based on a numbering system, which each cook will be provided numbers for judges prior to turn in.
 - There should be no tags or markings on meat or on turn in containers. Any cook caught trying to tag or mark their entry will be DISQUALIFIED!
 - If there is a tie, the overall Rib score will be used as the tiebreaker. If there is still a tie the overall Chicken score will be used as the tiebreaker.
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Competition Rules

1. This is an amateur cooking contest, and it is intended there be no further distinctions regarding entry classifications. Cooks will prepare Chicken, Pulled Pork and Baby Back Ribs for competition.
2. Cooks will be provided the meat to be smoked the day of the competition. Trimming and seasoning of the meat will start at 11p on April 8th. Once meat is distributed it must remain in competition area.
3. All applicable local health department rules and regulations must be followed.
4. Fires are not to be built on the ground. Any flame must be contained by your smoking device or in a fire pit. All fires must be started on premises.

Cook/Team Responsibilities

1. Each team is responsible for the maintenance and cleanup of its cooking area. The head cook will be responsible for the conduct and behavior of the team members and guest. Trash cans will be provided. All fires must be extinguished prior to a team leaving their cooking area after competition.
2. Each cooking team will designate 1 person as head cook. Head cook will be responsible for attending cook meeting prior to cook-off and will be responsible for all team members following cooking rules of this cook-off.
3. Competing cooks are not allowed to judge and judges are not allowed to cook.
4. Food cannot be sold to public. Leftover food will be the property of the City Parks Dept.
5. Water and electricity will be provided.

These rules are intended to be fair and equitable to each and every contestant. Our intention is to run a fun and fair cook-off that you will want to attend in the future. If you have any helpful suggestions for our group, please don't hesitate to contact one of the event coordinators. Judges or coordinators cannot be held responsible for accidents or damages.

Registration deadline is March 25th, 2022. Donation must be paid when registration form is submitted. Check made payable to: Washington Parks Dept. donation fund.



Waiver of Liability

The City of Washington, including its officials, officers, sponsors, and/or the associates and the contestants, and/or legal representatives, agree that the City of Washington BBQ Cookoff will in no case be responsible for any loss, damage, or injury regardless of how much loss, damage, or injury is occasioned, and indemnify and save harmless the City of Washington from any and all claims, suits, and/or judgements including the cost for defense of and such claim and/or suit by the City of Washington brought by anyone as a result of any loss, damage, or injury or any person or property, occasioned by any action or inaction of contestant, either solely or in conjunction with the City of Washington. Further, I hereby grant full permission to The City of Washington and/or agents authorized by them, to use any photographs, videos, recordings, or any other record of the event for any legitimate purpose.

No refunds. I have read and agree to abide by the rules governing the BBQ Cook-off.

By signing this document, the competitor agrees to abide by all rules and regulations set forth or established by Washington Parks & Recreation Department.

Head Cook Signature: _____ Date: _____