



WHEELS & GRILLS 8th ANNUAL BARBEQUE/STEAK COOK-OFF

September 16-17, 2022

Nocona, Texas

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**\$2000.00 PRIZE FOR
HIGH POINT COOKER**

OFFICIAL RULES

CONTESTANT:

Contestants may check into the cook-off grounds at 2:00 pm Thursday, September 15th, 2022. All cook sites will be available on a first come, first serve basis. We will show the available cook sites.

All times listed below are definitely subject to change!

If rained out, the cook-off will be held September 22-23, 2022

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 16, 2022

3:00 PM (or whenever cooks get here on Friday). Meat inspection on all meat categories except for the steak cook-off

All entries will be paid for at this time

All cooking teams will pay \$20.00 to enter in the Cook-Off plus the item you will be cooking. Each team will receive a cook-off bag and T-shirt.

7:00 PM STEAK COOK-OFF ONLY

Entry in the Steak Cook-Off will cost \$50.00 per cooking team and we will furnish the steaks that will be cooked. Everyone who enters the steak challenge will get one (1) steak per cooking team to cook. You will turn in the one (1) steak to be judged. Then the Top five (5) places will come back and get one (1) more steak to cook to be judged to determine winner

CATEGORIES:	PRIZE MONEY	AWARDS	ENTRY FEES	TURN-IN TIME
Salsa	\$100 1 st place	Plaque 1 st	\$15	5:00 PM
Stuffed jalapeno	\$100 1 st place	Plaque 1 st	\$15	6:00 PM (7 jalapeno's - give us your best shot)
Steak	\$300 1 st place \$200 2 nd place \$100 3 rd place	Plaque 1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	\$50	7:00 PM 1 st steak 7:30 PM announce top 5 places
Final Steak round				8:00 PM

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 17, 2022

COOKS MEETING: Attend the Cooks Meeting at 9:00 am Saturday, September 17, 2022 at the Auction Building on Walnut Street for an explanation of the rules, instructions, turn-in times. We will supply containers and trays for all categories you enter. Cups will be provided for Margarita's and Bloody Mary's (no garnishing drinks).

CATEGORIES	PRIZE MONEY	AWARDS	ENTRY FEES	TURN-IN TIME
Bloody Mary	\$100 1 st place	Plaque 1 st	\$15	10:00 AM (cup will be provided)
Beans	\$100 1 st place	Plaque 1 st - 3 rd place	\$15	11:00 AM (Just Bean & Sauce)
Chicken	\$200 1 st place	Plaque 1 st - 3 rd place	\$20	12:00 AM (6 thighs)
Margarita	\$100 1 st place	Plaque 1 st	\$15	1:00 PM (cup will be provided)
Babyback Ribs	\$200 1 st place	Plaque 1 st - 3 rd place	\$20	2:00 PM (7 ribs cut apart)
Beef Brisket	\$300 1 st place	Plaque 1 st - 3 rd place	\$20	3:30 PM (6 slices cut approx. 1/2" width & 6 burnt end bitsize)
Chili	\$200 1 st place	Plaque 1 st - 3 rd	\$20	5:00 PM (cup will be provided)

HIGH POINT COOKER:

The **COOKER**, not the team, who receives the highest points from the awards that he/she has won will win **\$2000.00** and a Plaque. To qualify for highpoint cooker you must enter all categories.

Points will be tabulated as follows on all categories entered:

Places	Points
1 st	5
2 nd	4
3 rd	3
4 th	2
5 th	1

If there is a tie, the money will be split between the high point winners.

Your theme or “Showmanship” will also be judged on Friday night and during the day on Saturday. Winners will be announced at the award ceremony Saturday evening. Just remember this is a “Spirit” award, so go heavy on the spirit(s)!

AWARD CEREMONY will be on Saturday, September 17, 2022 around 6:30 pm (but subject to change).

COOKING RULES:

COOKED ON SITE: All categories must be cooked and prepped on cooking site. All raw meat will be brought to the site. All contest meat will be inspected on Friday, September 16, 2022 as you check in or when you are taken to your site. Promoters have established an official **COOK START TIME** as **Friday September 16, 2022 at 5:00 pm**. **Meat may not be removed** from the cook site after it has been inspected.

SAFETY REQUIREMENT: Cooks are to prepare and cook barbeque in as sanitary a manner as possible. **NO** dug pits will be allowed. Precautions **MUST** be made to prevent fire threat. Beans, mac and cheese, and salsa may be cooked with gas or electric appliance.

SAUCE/GARNISHING: MEAT ENTRIES – You may **COOK** with sauce but **DO NOT** add sauce, marinade, sop or juice to meat or container once the meat is prepared for turn-in. **NO GARNISHING OF ANY KIND WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE MEAT TRAYS.** **BEAN ENTRY** – Nothing bigger than a bean and sauce will be allowed. **DRINK ENTRIES** – All drink entries must fit in provided Styrofoam cup with lid. **SALSA** – **NO** Pico De Gallo! **Mac and Cheese** – homemade only.

CONTEST FOOD/DRINK CATEGORIES: Contest categories will be judged on Friday and Saturday. Contest categories must be delivered to the designated turn-in point located in the cook off area. You will receive Styrofoam containers for all entries. Aluminum foil will be provided when cook signs in for his/her tray. Use this foil **ONLY**. Meat is to be placed on the foil for turn-in. **DO NOT** fold foil over meat or mark the foil in any manner. Styrofoam cups will be provided for beans, salsa and drinks. Each cook presenting an entry must sign the back of the ticket on each container. **The Cook is responsible for their signed ticket and keeping it in a safe place. You MUST present this signed ticket to claim any prize when winning tickets are announced at the award ceremony.**

GET READY TO START YOUR GRILLS!

