



# Cleveland VFW Post 1839

## BBQ Cook-off

September 16-17, 2016



Chicken \* Pork Spare Ribs \* Brisket \$150.00 (75% Pay Back)

Electric and Water included in Entry Fee

Jack Pot – Pinto Beans \$ 10.00 (100% Pay Back)

# Raffles

# Booze/Beer Walks

# Auction

D.J. Friday Night – Live Band  
Saturday Night....

50/50 Drawings



Contact Information:

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# Rules & Regulations

1. This is an International BBQ Cooker Assoc., sanctioned Bar-B-Que cook-off. All IBCA rules will apply.
2. Contestants may begin checking in Friday September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at 8:00am.  
Deadline for entry is 5:00pm on September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2016.
3. Each team must cook on their own pit. One (1) team – One (1) pit.
4. All fires used to prepare meat in this contest must be of wood/wood products, or charcoal. No gas or electric cooking equipment will be allowed for contest meats. You may use propane to start your fire. No fires on the ground and/or dug pits permitted. Please provide ash can.

**EACH TEAM MUST BRING/PROVIDE AN UP TO DATE TAGGED FIRE EXTINGUISHER**

5. No pre-seasoning or pre-cooking of the meat is allowed until it has been inspected and approved.  
**Once the meat has been inspected and approved it must not leave the cook-off site.**
6. No garnishes may be added to judging container.
7. Chief Cook will be responsible for the conduct of his/her team & guests. The excessive use of alcoholic beverages shall be grounds for disqualification. Under no circumstances are alcoholic beverages to be sold, or offered in any form to A MINOR, or the General Public. No public display of alcohol will be allowed. No alcohol is to leave the cook-off area. Contestants will not sell any Bar-B-Que to the Public.
8. It is the responsibility of the Bar-B-Que team to see that the contest area is kept clean, and the area is clean following the contest. (PLEASE) There will be a dumpster provided to dispose of the trash. If you leave your area trashed you will not be invited back.
9. **QUITE TIME IS 11:00pm ....PLEASE**
10. If you have a DJ or a Band, respect your neighbors. This is not a battle of the speakers. If you have large amps or speakers keep them turned in toward your spot.
11. Spaces will be first come first serve. Pop-ups, Trailers, and Motor homes are allowed. Vehicles and other equipment may not exceed the boundary of the contestant's assigned space. Electric/water included in the entry fee, for the first 25+ teams paid.
12. Cooks Meeting is at 9:00am on Saturday September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016. Containers will be given out at this time.  
**THIS IS A MANDATORY MEETING. ALL CHIEF COOKS MUST ATTEND.**

**TURN IN INFORMATION:**

Jack Pot – Pinto Beans 11:00 AM  
Chicken –2- fully jointed halves (wing tips & all) 12:00 PM.  
Ribs – Nine (9) Pork Spare Ribs – No Baby Backs or Country Style 1:30 p.m.  
Brisket – Nine (9) full slices ¼-3/8” thick 3:00 p.m.

Cleveland VFW Post 1839, or anyone associated with the cook-off will not be responsible for theft or damage to equipment, or bodily injury of any kind. Decision of committee chairperson and judges are final. By entering this contest you agree to abide by all the rules. If not the Cleveland VFW Post 1839 has the right to ask you and your team to leave this cook-off.

Thank you in advance for participating in our cook-off at the Cleveland VFW Post 1839, and our Veterans.

Commander Edgar Burwick

**Cleveland VFW # 1839  
BBQ Entry Form**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City-State-Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team  
Members:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**FEE \$150.00** \_\_\_\_\_ **(Any or All)**

**Brisket** \_\_\_\_ **Pork Spare Ribs** \_\_\_\_ **Chicken** \_\_\_\_

**Jack-Pot Pinto Beans \$10.00** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Amount Paid:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you have an RV? Yes** \_\_ **No** \_\_ **If yes what size is it** \_\_\_\_\_ **Ft.**

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**THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR COOKING THIS COOKOFF AND SUPPORTING  
Cleveland VFW Post 1839**

**SIGNATURE OF HEAD COOK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Checks Payable to: Cleveland VFW # 1839**

**Mail to: Cleveland VFW 1839  
BBQ Committee  
18 CR 396  
Cleveland, TX 77328**