



2017 Benbrook BBQ Cook-Off

**Friday, October 20 &
Saturday, October 21**

SAME GREAT LOCATION

4952 Benbrook Hwy. Benbrook, TX 76116

Portion of proceeds to benefit Benbrook Firefighters Association

Official Texas State Championship & Sanctioned by the IBCA

(IBCA rules available at ibcabbq.org)



\$4000 GUARANTEED PRIZE MONEY

Cash prize money awarded in all meat categories places 1st - 10th

Chicken • Pork Spare Ribs • Brisket • Potluck Pinto Beans

Special Trophy for Winners of each category and Grand Champion

\$125 Entry Fee for one or all meat categories

Friday Night Potluck Salsa Contest

Indoor Judging/Turn-In Facility • Easy Accessibility for Large Rigs • Electric Hook-Ups
Convenient Access From I20 • Saturday Morning Breakfast Provided by *Chick-fil-A* • Cook Gift Bags Provided

The Wall of Beer (details on back)

Last weekend to qualify for National Championships



Local lodging for overnight accommodations:



Comfort Suites
8004 Winbrook Dr.
Benbrook, TX 76126
(844) 800-5293

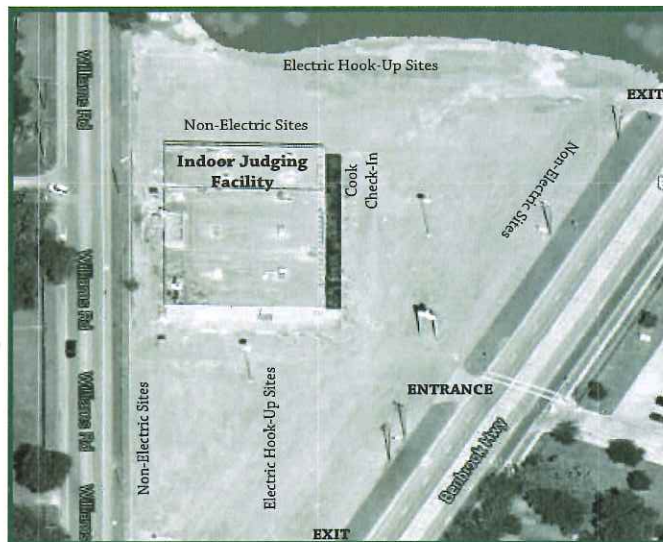
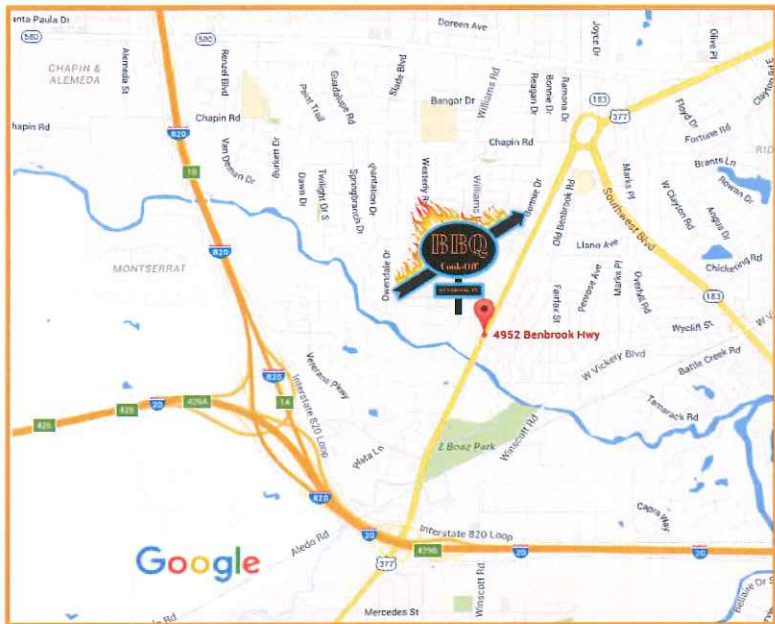


Days Inn
590 Winscott Rd.
Benbrook, TX 76126
(817) 249-0076



Motel 6
8601 Benbrook Blvd.
Benbrook, TX 76126
(817) 249-8885

Benbrook Inn & Suites
4844 Benbrook Hwy.
Benbrook, TX 76116
(817) 244-7711



Event Schedule

Friday, October 20

- 9:00 am Cook Team Arrival & Check-In
- 7:00 pm Potluck Salsa Judged
- 8:00 pm Cook Meeting & Salsa Winner Awarded

Saturday, October 21

- 11:00 am Beans Judged
- 12:00 pm Chicken Judged
- Kids Kook-Off
- Ribs Judged
- 2:00 pm Brisket Judged
- 3:00 pm Awards Ceremony



Head Cook: _____ Team Name: _____
 Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____
 Zip Code: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

- _____ Entry Fee - \$125/One or All Meat Categories
- _____ Jackpot Pinto Beans - \$10
- _____ Friday Night Jackpot Salsa \$10
- _____ Electrical Hook-Up - \$30 Flat Fee, 20 AMP Hook-Up, Friday through 4:00 pm Saturday (No Water Hook-Ups)
- _____ Total

Cash Check # _____ Credit Card
 Credit Card #: _____ Expiration Date: _____
 Name on Card: _____ Security Code: _____
 Billing Address: _____

Submit to the Benbrook Area Chamber of Commerce: PO Box 26745, Benbrook, TX 76126 • Make Checks Payable to: BACC
 For more information, contact Jamie Presley Barter at (817) 249-4451 • jamie.presley@benbrookchamber.org.

RULES AND GUIDELINES FOR THE 2017 BENBROOK BBQ COOK-OFF

- This event is sanctioned by the International Barbeque Cookers Association (IBCA) and the State of Texas with all rules for judging followed as written by the IBCA, which may be found at www.ibcabbq.org.
- Cook teams may check into the event grounds beginning at 9:00 am, Friday, October 20, 2017, and must be in place and registered to attend the 8:00 pm required judges meeting.
- Categories for the 2017 Benbrook BBQ Cook-Off are as follows:
 - Potluck Salsa Contest (Friday Night)
 - Potluck Pinto Beans
 - Chicken (All chickens MUST have a wing tip)
 - Pork Spare Ribs
 - Beef Brisket
- All meats and beans will be brought to the site RAW...No pre-marinating or pre-spicing prior to official start time, which is after you have registered and paid at check-in. Meat may not be removed from the cook site after check-in.
- After check-in, you will receive an official IBCA tray pick-up receipt which you will bring to the cooks meeting in the judging facility where you will receive and sign for your trays and foil.
- Cooks meeting must be attended on Friday, October 20, 2017 beginning at 8:00 pm in the judging facility with IBCA Head Judge, Walker Keeney, for an explanation of rules, any additional instructions and confirmation of times.
- Cooks are to prepare and cook barbeque in as sanitary a manner as possible. Precautions must be made to prevent any fire threat.
- Judging will begin on Saturday, October 21, 2017. Contest meats/beans must be delivered to the designated turn-in point located in the judging facility. Turn-in times are as follows:
 - Potluck Pinto Beans: 11:00 am
 - Chicken: 12:00 pm
 - Pork Spare Ribs: 1:00 pm
 - Beef Brisket: 2:00 pm
- Double Blind Judging. You will receive 3 foam trays (plus one for beans if entered) with lids. Each of these trays will have a double matched theatre ticket which has been affixed to the tray with masking tape. The Head Cook only will sign the back of the ticket on each tray. The Head Cook is responsible for removing the signed ticket and putting it in a safe place. You must present this signed ticket to claim any prize when the winning tickets are announced at the award ceremony.
- Any nudity, lewdness, or any form of vulgarity will not be allowed.
- The Head Cook for each team will be responsible for the conduct of the team, guests or invitees. As well, the Head Cook will be responsible for the team's compliance with the rules and grounds regulations. Excessive use of alcoholic beverages will be grounds for disqualification. Contestants must not give, offer, sell or donate alcoholic beverages to the general public. Teams will not offer barbeque for sale. Any offensive conduct will be grounds for disqualification from the cook-off and expulsion from the event grounds.
- The Benbrook Area Chamber of Commerce and its Directors will not be held responsible for theft or damage to equipment or bodily injury of any kind.
- No motor vehicles will be allowed to enter or exit the event grounds after 10:00 pm, Friday, October 20, 2017.
- Electric hook-ups will be available for a fee of \$30 through 4:00 pm, Saturday, October 21, 2017 – 20 AMP Hook-Ups. Water hook-ups will not be available.