



Bexar County Junior Livestock Show  
*Build a Barn - Raise a Child*



# BBQ Cook-Off

IBCA Sanctioned Event

**April 24-25, 2015**

@ 7701 FM 1346, San Antonio, Texas 78220 (BCJLS Property)

**Categories:** Brisket, Pork Spare Ribs, 1/2 Chicken  
(\$150 entry for all) 50% Payout

**Cash & Awards:** Cash 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> per category  
Cash & Awards for Grand and Reserve Grand Champion  
Awards 4<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup>

Award and prize for Showmanship 1<sup>st</sup> Place

**Jackpot:** Beans, Dessert (Dutch Oven), Chef's Choice  
(\$20 Entry per) 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> 100% payout

**Youth Cook:** Pork Chops (Donated) (Entry: \$10)

\*\*All proceeds benefit BCJLS Build a Barn and Scholarship Fund\*\*



Live Music



Youth Cook

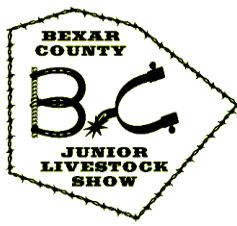
Car Show



Auctions

Arts & Crafts

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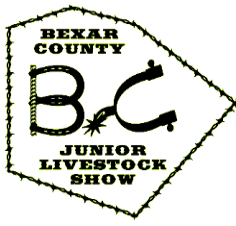


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The Bexar County Junior Livestock Show is a non-profit organization dedicated to the success of educating and cultivating the minds of today's youth. The show is more to our youth and volunteers than just a livestock show. It is an expression of life long opportunities and discovery of youthful spirits. We encourage such events as Agriculture Mechanics, Presentation of Market and Breeding animals, Livestock Judging, Foods and Nutrition projects, and Arts and Crafts. Keeping in mind the remarkable sense of pride we encourage in everyday life for the future strength and development of our youth.

The Bexar County Junior Livestock Show has a record for success and this shows in the presentation of Scholarships awarded to outstanding youth for their successes. With fund raisers hosted by Bexar County Livestock Show, these funds allow us to award scholarships and give an encore performance every year in January. It is with this, that we can say with pride, that we will "make the best better" and continue to support 4H and the Future Farmers of America.





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### *BBQ Cook-off Entry Form*

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Head Cook \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Member names: \_\_\_\_\_

**IBCA Competition Categories** - Entry Fee is \$150 for 1, 2 or all 3 categories (Please Check one or more boxes)

- ½ Chicken
- Pork Spare Ribs
- Brisket

**Jackpot:** Entry fee is \$20 per category. (Please check one or more boxes)

- Beans
- Dessert (Dutch Oven Cooked on premise)
- Chef's Choice

The Bexar County Junior Livestock Show is asking for a brisket donation. Please check the box if you would like to donate a cooked brisket to our organization. Thank You for your consideration!

**Please mail this form and total payment to:**

**BCJLS**

**Attn: BBQ Cook-off**

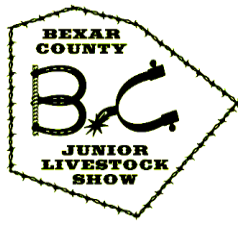
**P. O. Box 121**

**Atascosa, Texas 78002**

One T-shirt will be provided per team. Additional T-shirts can be purchased for \$15

T Shirt Size:  Small  Med  Large  X-Large  2X  3X

(Put the number of shirts you want in the check box. First shirt is on us)



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*Youth Cook-off Entry Form*

Cook's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cook's Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Kid's Cook-off will be conducted on Friday at 5:30 p.m. Please check in at 5:00 p.m. A designated area for kids to cook will be arranged. Pork Chops will be provided, but contestant must provide BBQ grill and charcoal/wood. The cook-off will be split into two age groups: 6 – 12 and 13 – 18. Prizes will be awarded to 1<sup>st</sup>- 3<sup>rd</sup> place. Turn in time will be at 11:00 am on Saturday.**

T Shirt Size :  Small  Med  Large  X-Large  2X  3X

Entry fee is \$10 per contestant.

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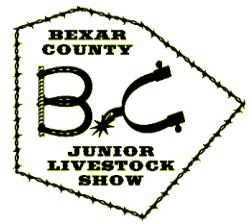
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### Ground rules and information

- Teams will consist of Head Cook and up to 4 Team Members
- All fires must be contained and no holes are to be dug.
- Dumpsters will be available onsite. The Chief cook is responsible for cleanup of the team area and conduct of his team and invited guests.
- Under NO circumstances will alcoholic beverages be distributed to minors even in the presence of a legal guardian. Teams are welcome to bring their own alcohol, however glass bottles are prohibited.
- Contestants must furnish all needed equipment and supplies. Props, trailers, motor home vehicles, tents and other equipment must be contained within the allotted space provided (40X40).
- Golf carts, motorcycles, or motorized vehicles are not allowed for safety precautions.
- Cooking teams are encouraged to decorate their team area with props. Teams will be judged and awarded on Showmanship.
- Fire extinguishers must be provided by each team and readily accessible the entire time.
- All teams must have clean water for washing and rinsing dishes and hands. Limited water on premises
- Generators are allowed as there is no electricity available for cook-off spaces
- Ice will be available for purchase on the grounds
- Turn in time will be confirmed at the Head Cook's meeting.
- Teams are not allowed to sell BBQ to the public, however they are encouraged to provide sample portions only .
- The Bexar County Junior Livestock Show is not responsible for any theft or damage to contestant participant property.



Contact Roger Pena at [beefmaster1@gmail.com](mailto:beefmaster1@gmail.com) or call 210-570-8599 for more information.  
Visit [www.bcjls.com](http://www.bcjls.com) for information on the Bexar County Junior Livestock Show organization.

# Cooking Rules

## This competition follows IBCA Rules and Regulations

1. **COOKED ON SITE** – All meats will be cooked on-site. The preparation and completion (excluding pre-trimming) of any and all meats in competition is within the confines of the cook-off site and during the time limits designated by the promoter.
2. **SANITATION** – Cooks are to prepare and cook in as sanitary manner as is possible.
3. **ENTRIES PER PIT** – IBCA recognizes only one entry (one chief cook) will cook on a given pit Notwithstanding, multiple entries in the same category by the same cook or from the same pit, or multiple entries from the same piece of meat shall not be allowed. Pit should be of a permanent design that contains separate individual cooking chambers and heat sources. (no sharing of heat sources) With the exception of Junior or Kid's Cook-offs, contestants must be 18 years of age to participate for cash prizes.
4. **BBQ PITS –PIT** – Any commercial or homemade, trailered or untrailered, pit or smoker normally used for competitive barbeque. A BBQ Pit may include gas or electricity for starting the combustion of wood or wood products but NOT to complete cooking. Pit should be of a permanent design that contains separate individual cooking chambers and heat sources. (no sharing of heat sources) **BYC (Backyard Cooker)** – any cooking device by design or nature that is inherently portable and by design is intended for recreational cooking.
5. **OPEN FIRES** – IBCA further recognizes that open fire, ground pits, are used in some areas. It is in the interest of safety, a barrier shall be placed around said open fire pit. A fire extinguisher shall be readily available.
6. **DOUBLE NUMBER SYSTEM** – IBCA requires that the secret, double number system be used. This system assures a fair competition and is a fundamental tenet of the IBCA. IBCA requires that two tickets bearing the same number be utilized, one firmly attached to the top of the judging tray in a manner which hides the number and the other ticket easily removed by the Head Cook for retention after signing the Head Cook's name in front of an IBCA representative. Winning numbers will not be revealed until time to announce each place in each category. At that time the secret numbers attached to the tray/cup will be removed and announced. After the ticket is pulled, the tray and its contents will immediately be discarded. Cooks are responsible for insuring that the containers they receive remain clean and undamaged.
7. **JUDGING TRAY CONTENTS** –The Head Judge or designated representative will inspect all trays at the time of turn-in in order to assure compliance with the turn-in criteria. All garnishes and condiments are prohibited, as they do not reflect the true quality of the cooked meat. Meats may be cooked with sauces and/or other liquids, but once the cooking is complete, sauces and/or liquids may not be added once put into tray. **NO PUDDLING IN BOTTOM OF TRAY.**  
**Brisket** seven (7) full slices, approximately 1/4" to 3/8" thick All blocking must be done before cooking. The fat cap may be trimmed or cut away before the slices are placed into the tray.  
**Pork Spare Ribs** seven (7) individual cut ribs (bone in) (St. Louis Cut acceptable) Ribs must be placed in the tray TOP side up lying parallel  
**Chicken** 1/2 fully jointed chicken (to include breast, wing with tip (visible not tucked under), thigh and drumstick. **SKIN ON** (No Cornish Game Hens)  
If the event has 50+ teams, turn-in quantities shall be two (2) 1/2 chickens, 9 pork spare ribs, and 9 slices of brisket shall be submitted for judging or at the Head Judge's discretion.
8. **TURN-IN TIMES** – Once this time is set and/or announced at the Head Cooks meeting no change will be made. A turn-in window of ten (10) minutes before and after the set turn-in time will be recognized. Judging trays received after that time will not be accepted for judging. Ten minutes and one second is considered after the set turn-in time.
9. **TERMS FOR DISQUALIFICATION** – After the tray has been turned in, any tray found to be in violation of the IBCA rules will be disqualified at the discretion of the Head Judge. Disqualified tray numbers will be called out immediately following the category announcements.
10. **PRIZES** –Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion will be named. In the event of a tie for Grand Champion, brisket will be the first tie breaker, followed by ribs, and chicken.

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### Schedule

#### **Friday April 24<sup>th</sup>**

12:00 pm – 5:00 pm check-in. Meat may be inspected during check-in or until 10:00 pm

5:00 pm – Youth Check in

5:30 pm - Youth Cook Starts

**6:30 pm – Youth Cook Turn in**

7:00 pm - Head Cooks meetings

7:30 pm - Youth Awards Announcement

**8:00 pm - Chef's Choice and Dessert turn-in**

#### **Saturday April 25<sup>th</sup>**

11:00 am – Jackpot Beans turn-in

**12:00 pm – Chicken turn-in**

**1:30 pm – Pork Spare Ribs turn-in**

**3:00 pm – Brisket turn-in**

6:00 pm - Awards Announcements

#### **Sunday April 26<sup>th</sup>**

12:00 pm – Teams must depart by this time.