

# 4<sup>th</sup> Annual CPL Mark R. Goyet Memorial BBQ Cook-Off VFW Post 12160

June 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**IBCA SANCTIONED EVENT**

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**\$5,000 Total Payout\***

\*Payouts subject to increase based on number of entries and sponsors

Categories: Brisket, Pork Spare Ribs, Chicken

Payouts per Category:

**1<sup>st</sup> Place: \$400 + Trophy**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place: \$325 + Trophy**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place: \$200 + Trophy**

**4<sup>th</sup> Place: \$175 + Certificate**

**5<sup>th</sup> Place: \$100 + Certificate**

**Grand Champion: \$750 + Trophy**

**Reserve Grand: \$500 + Trophy**

**Entry Fee is \$150 per team**

Cook-Off Location:

San Patricio County Fairgrounds

219 W. 5<sup>th</sup> Street

Sinton, Texas 78387

Questions regarding the cook-off can be directed to:

Michael Gillitzer

361-222-1070

[mgillitzer@yahoo.com](mailto:mgillitzer@yahoo.com)



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## Official Entry Form

Check all items you will be entering	Amount	Quantity	Amount Due
Brisket, Pork Spare Ribs, Chicken	\$150		
Electrical Hook Up (Limited)	\$50		
Jackpot Chef's Choice*	\$25		
Jackpot Beans*	\$25		

*\*Does not count towards Grand Champion, Payout is determined by number of entries.*

Mail entries with check or money order to:  
 VFW Post 12160  
 P.O. Box 694  
 Sinton, TX 78387-0694

Questions regarding the cook-off can be directed to Michael Gillitzer.  
 361-222-1070  
 mgillitzer@yahoo.com

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If electrical hook-ups are needed, please let Michael Gillitzer, (361) 222-1070, know ASAP as there are limited number of 50a plugs available. ©

*I have carefully read the rules and guidelines, understand the contents, and agree to abide by all rules stated in this packet.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Head Cook Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Head Cook Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Team Name

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## Rules & Guidelines

1. A contestant or team consists of one chief cook and no more than four assistants. Contestants may check into the barbeque cook-off grounds beginning Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup>, at 10:00am until 8:00pm and they must be in place by 8:00am on Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup>. Overnight camping is only allowed on Friday and Saturday nights. Teams must be out of the fairgrounds by 10:00am Sunday morning.
2. Entry fees are \$150. Entry fee covers all meat categories. \$150 entry fee does NOT cover jackpot chef's choice or jackpot bean entries.
3. Categories for the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual CPL Mark R. Goyet Memorial BBQ Cook-off are:
  - a. Beef Brisket – Turn in approximately 9 slices.
  - b. Chicken (No Cornish Game Hens) – Turn in two halves of a fully jointed chicken (half must include leg, thigh, wing, and breast portion).
  - c. Pork Spare Ribs (SLAB) (No Country style, baby back, or loin back) – Turn in approximately seven full ribs, cut apart.
  - d. Quantities for above entries may change based on number of teams.
4. Cooked on site: All meat will be brought to the site **RAW**.
5. Sauce: You may **COOK** with sauce but **DO NOT** add sauce, marinade, sop, or juice to the meat or container once the meat is prepared for turn-in. A box will be provided when the cook signs in. **NO** garnishing, markers, or sauce allowed.
6. Cooks are to prepare and cook barbeque in as sanitary a manner as possible. Cooking conditions are subject to inspection by the Committee. Conditions found to be unsanitary will be grounds for disqualification from the cook-off. Fire must be wood or wood substance. **NO** gas or electric fires are allowed. No holes, open fires, or dug pits will be allowed. However, a burn-down barrel will be allowed but **MUST** have some type of safety barrier placed across the top and around the sides of the barrel. Precautions **MUST** be made to prevent fire threat.

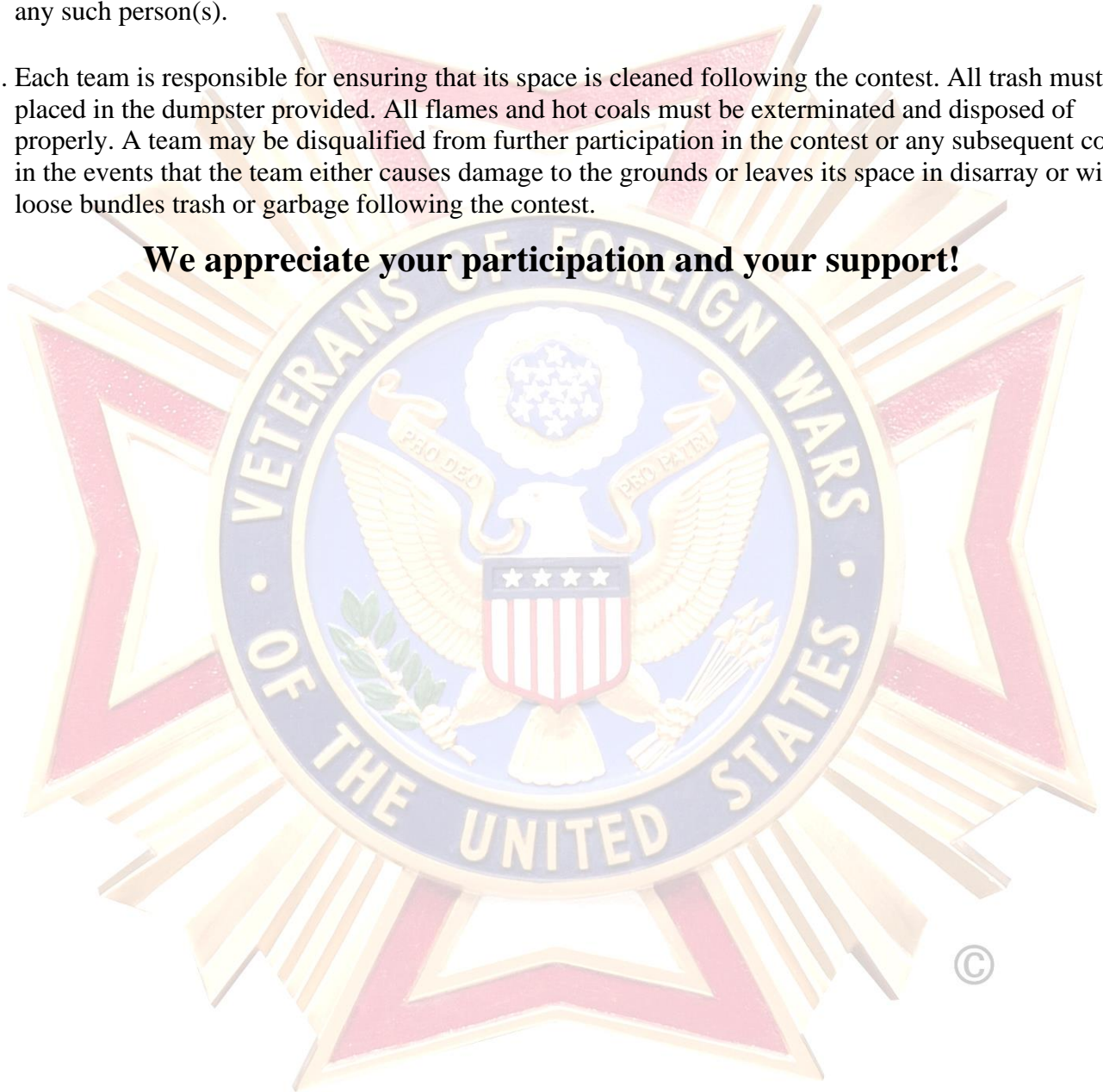
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7. Judging: Contest meats will be judged on Saturday. Contest meats must be delivered to the designated turn-in point located in the judges' area. Turn in times will be given by the Head Judge as the event approaches. **Times are NOT final until announced at the Cook's meeting by the head judge!**
8. The official time will be kept by the Official Committee.
9. Winners will be announced after judging in the BBQ judging area.
10. Double Blind Judging: You will be provided turn-in trays at the Cook's meeting. Each of these trays will have a double matched theater ticket which has been affixed to the tray with making tape. The Head Cook only will sign the back of the ticket on each tray. The Head Cook is responsible for removing and keeping the signed ticket in a safe place. You **MUST** present this signed ticket to claim any prize when the winning tickets are announced at the award ceremony.
11. The Head Cook for each team will be responsible for the conduct of his team, guests, or invitees. As well, the Head Cook will be responsible for his team's compliance with the rules and regulations herein set forth. **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 barbecue for **SALE**. Any offensive conduct will be grounds for disqualification from the Cook-off and expulsion from the Barbecue Cook-off Grounds.
12. Any nudity, lewdness, or any form of vulgarity will **NOT** be allowed. No pyrotechnics or explosives are allowed. Any intentional use of the above by the team will result in disqualification, and removal from the grounds.
13. ***Music within your team area is allowed. HOWEVER, NO excessive loud music and/or sounds which interfere with announcements, schedules, live bands, and entertainment on stage, or which intrude upon or interfere with the comfort of fellow contestants. This will NOT BE ALLOWED OR TOLERATED. Offenders will receive ONE warning from either the Barbeque Chairman, Vice-Chairman, or Security Vice-Chairman, and non-compliance will be grounds for disqualification from the Cook-off and expulsion from the grounds.***
14. Decisions of the CPL Mark R. Goyet Memorial BBQ Cook-off Committee and Judges of the contest are final.
15. Cook-off Chairman and CPL Mark R. Goyet Memorial BBQ Cook-off Committee are able to make additional rules and regulations as the situations warrant. All decisions of the Cook-off Chairman and Committee are final.
16. Animal(s) of any kind **WILL NOT BE PERMITTED** in any contestant's contest space, nor will any animal(s) be permitted on the Barbeque Cook-off Grounds, **EXCEPT** for animals covered under the Americans with Disabilities Act.

17. Damages/Security/Safety: Teams participating in the contest must not damage in any way the premises on which the contest is being conducted. **UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES** are there to be any stakes driven into the asphalt/concrete or any open fires on the grounds. ***All fires must be contained in a fireproof container. All drippings from BBQ pit must be contained.*** Please be sure to bag and dispose of trash properly. Security and safety are the sole responsibility of each team/contestant. The CPL Mark R. Goyet Memorial BBQ Cook-off Committee is not responsible for theft or damage to the property of a contestant, it's members, or its guests. Furthermore, the Committee is not responsible for any injury to any such person(s).
18. Each team is responsible for ensuring that its space is cleaned following the contest. All trash must be placed in the dumpster provided. All flames and hot coals must be exterminated and disposed of properly. A team may be disqualified from further participation in the contest or any subsequent contest in the events that the team either causes damage to the grounds or leaves its space in disarray or with loose bundles trash or garbage following the contest.

**We appreciate your participation and your support!**



## **ASSUMPTION OF RISK**

I/We will participate in Events associated with the CPL Mark R. Goyet Memorial BBQ Cook-Off to be held on June 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020. In consideration for the opportunity to participate, I/we voluntarily agree to assume all risks to myself of others involved in my participation, or traveling to and from it. I understand that if I participate, I expose myself or others to risk of personal injury and/or death and property damage and loss, and I recognize that there are both foreseeable and unforeseeable risk of injury or death that cannot be specifically anticipated and listed in this document.

## **PHOTOGRAPHY AND MEDIA RELEASE**

I/we hereby release, assign, and grant all rights to the CPL Mark R. Goyet Memorial BBQ Cook-Off to use my images, likeness, as well as anyone in which my image or likeness appears, in all photography, video, and sound recordings, and all available media recording formats of any kind, in any printed, computer-rendered, or other forms and formats, for use in advertising, promotion, marketing, display, or public media, in both public or private usage, without any notice, consent, or compensation thereof.

## **RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

I/We release San Patricio County Fairgrounds and the CPL Mark R. Goyet Memorial BBQ Cook-Off, its officers, employees, and agents from any and all liability, claims, costs, expenses, injuries, and/or losses that I/We may sustain as a result of my participation in the above event. My participation includes, but is not limited to, travel to and from the event in a private or public vehicle and any activity connected with the event itself, and while using my own equipment or facilities or equipment and facilities provided by the organization sponsoring the event. I/we further agree that we shall indemnify, hold harmless, and protect and defend those entities named above in the event that any participant signing this form makes a claim against any one or more of the same for any personal injury or for any property damage. I/we further agree that in the event that any dispute or claim of any nature, including but not limited to a contractual or tort claim for personal injury or property damage, arises from this agreement or from participation including merely attending some portion of the event that all such disputes shall be resolved through binding arbitration.

I have carefully read this document, understand its contents, and am fully informed about this event and circumstances and I am satisfied that I can safely participate in this event and can participate in this event while taking all reasonable measures to ensure safety and property of others. I am aware that this document is a contract with the CPL Mark R. Goyet Memorial BBQ Cook-Off. I am over the age of eighteen, and I sign it freely and voluntarily. Please note that the Head Cook must sign this form.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Head Cook Signature

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Date