



2018 Fishin' Fiesta BBQ Cook-Off Contest Rules

The Fishin' Fiesta BBQ Cook-Off contest is sponsored by the Freeport Host Lions Club Foundation.
The contest will be held at the Freeport Municipal Park on *July 6th & 7th*

Contest Rules are as follows:

This is an IBCA event: <http://ibcabbq.org/wp-content/uploads/2017-2018-IBCA-Rules.pdf>

1. Entries must be received by July 2, 2018. Please mail entries to:
Freeport Host Lions Foundation, P.O. Box 2434, Freeport, TX 77541 or email to:
fishinfiestabbq@gmail.com or drop off in person.
2. All sites must submit an original entry form with payment. Entry fees are not refundable and must accompany entry form. Entry fees are one hundred fifty dollars (**\$150.00**) per team.
3. Check in and set up will begin at 09:00 am on Thursday July 5th for reserved sites. The 59 teams that have been with us since 2012 will have first choice to retain their site. Unassigned teams may select sites after 10:00am on a first come first serve basis on Friday July 6. **No electricity is provided** so you need to have your own generator. We do have a couple of spots that you can get water.
4. **Each pit must be equipped with at least a 10lb. multipurpose and/or ABC fire extinguisher.**
5. The Chief Cook will be responsible for the conduct of his team and visitors. Absolutely no firearms or explosives will be allowed. Amplification equipment should be used in moderation and not to interfere with Life Entertainment. **ALL SUCH EQUIPMENT WILL BE TURNED OFF BY MIDNIGHT.** City Ordinance states that "NO GLASS CONTAINERS" (Except food containers within site assignment) are allowed within the park area. You will be allowed to bring in your own beer up to 6 pm Friday night. After that time beer shall be bought from the Freeport Lions at the Beer Garden at our cost.

Live Bands are not allowed in the BBQ area.

Abuse of the rules will result in disqualification and will be asked to leave the BBQ grounds.

6. The Freeport Host Lions Foundation will not be responsible for theft or damage to equipment, supplies or personal belongings while participating in this event.
7. **The decisions of the BBQ Cook-Off Chairperson and judges are final.**
8. Each team will be allowed 2 vehicles and one sleeping quarter within the assigned site. All other vehicles must be parked outside the assigned site. All spaces will be approximately 30' X 30". All teams must supply some form of grease catch pan with absorbent for each pit.
9. The steaks are provided by the Freeport Host Lions Club, each team will get 3 steaks with 2 to be turned in for judging.

10. Each team will be responsible for having their contest meat at the judging station, in provided containers at the designated time. Contest meat entries received after the designated time (determined by the Official Clock) will not be accepted for judging.
11. Contest Chairman reserves the right to amend or make additional regulations as situations may warrant

Judging Times

**Friday, July 6th: Cooks meeting 7:00pm at the small pavilion.
Steak 8 pm**

Saturday, July 7th:

12:00 Chicken Turn In (2 chicken halves complete w/wingtip)

1:30 Pork Spare Ribs (9 individual pork spare ribs)

3:00 Brisket (9 Full Slices)

(Standard Turn-In Times Apply Up To 75 Teams)

Trophies will be awarded for first through third place in each contest category beginning Saturday at approximately 5pm



2018 Fishin' Fiesta BBQ Cook Off

(Texas State Championship)

Cook-Off July 6th - July 7th

IBCA Sanctioned Event

Trophies will be awarded for first through third place in each contest category
Categories include: Jackpot Steak, Brisket, Pork Spare Ribs, and Chicken

Place	Brisket	Ribs	Chicken
1 st	\$400.00	\$400.00	\$400.00
2 nd	\$300.00	\$300.00	\$300.00
3 rd	\$200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00
4 th	\$150.00	\$150.00	\$150.00
5 th	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
6 th	\$100.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
7 th	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$75.00
8 th	\$75.00	\$75.00	\$75.00
9 th	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00
10 th	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00
GC	\$50.00		

Total Payout is \$5000.00 - Grand Champion will receive a Championship Chair

Entry Fee is \$150.00 Per Team

_____ \$20.00 Fee for Steak (Jackpot = 1st Place winner) Jackpot is based on \$10.00 from every entry. The Lions Club takes \$10.00 from every entry to go to our charities.

Trophies awarded for 2nd and 3rd Place Winners

The steaks are provided by the Freeport Host Lions Club

Each team will get 3 steaks with 2 to be turned in for judging.

Team Name : _____

Mailing Address: _____

Contact Numbers:

Home; _____

Cell: _____

Work: _____

Email: _____

Entry Fee \$150.00

Steak \$20.00 \$ _____.

Total Entry \$ _____

Entry Forms not completed or without signatures or payment will not be accepted.

Make Checks payable to: Freeport Host Lions Foundation
Mailing Address: Freeport Host Lions Foundation
PO Box 2434
Freeport, TX 77541
Or email Chris Motley at: fishinfestabbq@gmail.com

Applicants (Team Name) _____, shall and will indemnify and save harmless the city of Freeport, the Freeport Host Lions Foundation, it's agent's, officers and employee's from and against any and all liability claims, demands, manages, expenses, fees, fines, penalties, suits, proceedings, actions and causes of action of any and every kind and nature arising or growing out of or in any way connected with the Freeport Host Lions Foundation BBQ Cook-off 2018. We also hereby agree to allow the Freeport Host Lions to use any and all pictures, statements, videotapes or any other publicity related information or material for the future promotion of these similar related events or promotions.

Team Members:

PRINT NAME	SIGNATURE
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For Official Use Only:
Date Received: _____
Amount Remitted: _____
Check No.: _____
Cash Received: _____
By: _____
For # of sites: _____
Issued By: _____
BY: _____

BBQ Contact: Chris Motley Cell #: 979-236-4910