



DIAMONDS AND DOLLARS
22nd Annual BBQ Cook Off & Kid's Que
October 22nd & 23rd, 2021

The Barbque Store · 850 Business US 290, Hempstead, Tx 77445

<http://diamondsanddollars.org/2021-bbq-cook-off.html>

ENTRY FEE \$175—OPEN \$20

Setup: Friday 10:00 AM—5:00 PM **Cooks Meeting:** Friday 6:00 PM

Turn In Times:

Friday - 7:00 PM Chef's Choice (must be cooked onsite)

Saturday - 12:00 Noon Chicken (one (1) fully jointed chicken half)
(to include breast, wing, thigh and drumstick)

1:30 PM Pork Spare Ribs (7 individual pork spare ribs)

3:00 PM Brisket (7 Full Slices)

JOY HARGRAVE 7TH ANNUAL KIDS QUE (CHILDREN 5—17 YEARS OF AGE) SATURDAY

Entry Fee: \$30 per child

Registration: 8:15 AM | Open Turn in 9:45 AM | Pork Chop Turn In 10:30 AM

AROUND THE PAVILION

Friday: Wreaths Across America 3 PM-8 PM

Saturday beginning at 11 AM: Wreaths Across America | Silent Auction

For more information contact: Cindy Niles @ 832.334.3986 or
bbq@diamondsanddollars.org



IBCA Contest Rules Apply— Contest rules available at the link below

<https://ibcabbq.org/organization-documents/>



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2021 Diamonds & Dollars BBQ Cook-Off

10/22/21 and 10/23/21

The Barbque Store, 850 Business US 290, Hempstead, TX 77445

COOK OFF ENTRY FORM

TEAM NAME: _____

HEAD COOK: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____ CITY _____ ST _____ ZIP _____

PRIMARY EMAIL: _____ PHONE/CELL: _____

CHIEF COOK, ASSISTANTS AND TEAM MEMBERS AGREE TO ABIDE BY ALL RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE DIAMONDS AND DOLLARS BBQ COOK-OFF. I have read and understand all the attached rules/regulations and entry form governing the event and hereby agree to those same rules and regulations.

HEAD COOK'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Categories and Turn in Times: Friday 7:00 PM Chef's Choice
Saturday -
12:00 Noon Chicken one (1) fully jointed chicken half
(to include breast, wing, thigh and drumstick)
1:30 PM Pork Spare Ribs (7 individual pork spare ribs)
3:00 PM Brisket (7 Full Slices)
(Standard Turn-In Times Apply Up To 100 Teams)

RV: YES _____ NO _____ SIZE _____

Early Arrival Thursday 10-21-21 (5pm – 8pm) YES _____ NO _____

Departing after awards – Saturday @ 6pm YES _____ NO _____



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RETURN ENTRY FORM WITH YOUR \$175.00 ENTRY FEE (3 MEATS) CHEF'S CHOICE ENTRY FEE \$20.00

**PLEASE SEND ORDER FORM, RELEASE OF LIABILITY & CHECK DIRECTLY TO:
DIAMONDS & DOLLARS
P.O. Box 2653
Bellaire, TX 77402**

Or register online at <http://diamondsanddollars.org/2021-bbq-cook-off.html>

E-MAIL BBQ CHAIRMAN Cindy Niles @ bbq@diamondsanddollars.org or call 832.334.3986

\$175.00 BBQ – Chicken, Ribs, and Brisket

\$20.00 Chef's Choice must be cooked onsite (no desserts) \ 1 entry per team \ 40/30/20 payback

PAID AMOUNT \$ _____ PAYPAL ZELLE CASH CHECK CK# _____

If paying by Zelle, send payment to Treasurer@diamondsanddollars.org

***PayPal - \$3.00 service fee will apply. Please indicate email you would like PayPal invoice sent to:**

E-Mail Address: _____

DATE PAYMENT RECEIVED: _____

RECEIVED BY _____

RELEASE OF LIABILITY

In consideration for being allowed entry into and participation in activities (the "Activities") associated with Diamonds & Dollars ("D&D") 21st Annual BBQ Cook-Off on October 22-23, 2021 (including October 21st set-up and October 24th tear-down), the undersigned "Head-Cook" as authorized representative of _____, COOK TEAM (includes all team members and cook participants) hereby releases and discharges D&D; their insurance carriers; their legal representatives; their present and former corporate parents, subsidiaries, affiliations, predecessors, and successors' and assigns of any of the employees, agents, and representatives; and the respective heirs, administrators, executors, successors, and assigns of any of the foregoing (collectively, the D&D "Parties") from any and all claims, causes of action, suits of demands for personal injury, death or property damage, accrued, or to accrue to the future, known or unknown, relating to or arising out of any acts on the part of the undersigned and/or COOK TEAM in connection with COOK TEAM's entry into and participation in the Activities. The undersigned further agrees, on behalf of himself/herself and on behalf of any of his/her COOK TEAM members, their heirs, successors, and assigns, to DEFEND, INDEMNIFY, and hold harmless THE D&D Parties from and against all claims, demands, or causes of action for personal injury, death or property damage, including, without limitation, all costs, expenses and legal fees incurred defending the same, made by or through the undersigned, or on his/her behalf, relating to or arising out of any negligent, grossly negligent and for the intentional acts on the part of the undersigned in connection with the undersigned's entry into and participation in the Activities. I further agree to venue in Harris County, Texas, for all purposes. By signing below, I certify that I am 21 years of age or older and agree to abide by all D&D rules and policies as stated on this

Head Cook Signature

Date: _____

Head Cook Printed Name

Cook Team Name _____



Diamonds & Dollars

Joy Hargrave Memorial Kid's Que

Rules and Important Information for Parent and Child

October 23rd, 2021

The Barbecue Store, 850 Business US 290, Hempstead, Tx 77445

Anyone between the ages of 5 and 17 years of age may participate! Each contestant will be provided with an Old Smokey Pit, charcoal, two pork chops, and a variety of seasonings. No one under the age of 5 or over the age of 17 by October 23rd, 2021 may participate. The judging age groups are Junior's 5 – 10 and Senior's 11 – 17.

A completed entry form and **\$30 entry fee is required to participate**. We ask that you please try to send in your entry form prior to BBQ. The first **30** entries registered will participate in Kid's Q. **Each child cooking must have adult supervision with them at all times. (NO MORE THAN 1 ADULT PER CHILD)**

We will also have a Cook's Choice competition. You can cook a hot dog, hamburger patty, a chicken leg, wing, breast or thigh, a steak or any type of meat, other than a pork chop, to turn in for the Cook's Choice. ***Cook's Choice competition is voluntary***, so you do not have to participate. You are required to provide your own meat and required to cook your Cook's Choice item on the same pit as the competition meat. For safety purposes, any cutting/chopping required may be done prior to the event. You **MAY NOT** season or marinate your Cook's Choice meat until you are checked in at the Kid's Que on Saturday morning. ***All Cook's Choice entries will be inspected at the registration table and must be prepared and cooked on the grounds.***

Check in will begin at 8:15 am on Saturday, October 23rd; first turn in will be at 9:45 am. Once the announcements are completed, parents will be allowed to help start the fire, and they can help you turn the chops if you aren't tall enough to do so without burning yourself. The same rule applies to the Cook's Choice competition.

Each contestant will cook on the same type of pit and use the same type of charcoal. The competition meat (Pork Chop) will be provided by Diamonds & Dollars and the child will receive two (2) 1-1/4" inch pork chops. No garnish is allowed in the competition meat turn in box. These chops may be seasoned in any way using the seasonings provided OR you may bring your own seasoning. Competition meat, which is the Pork Chop that each contestant will cook, will be turned in at 10:30 am.

Every contestant will get to keep their Old Smokey pit. The 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners in each category will win a Trophy. All contestants will earn an Award of Participation in each category; and each child will receive a ticket for a chance to win a door prize.

Cook Check In at 8:15 am

Cook's Choice Turn in at 9:45 am

Pork Chop Turn in at 10:30 am

Kid's Que Awards will be announced directly afterwards

For Kid's Que Information: kidsque@diamondsanddollars.org



2021 Diamonds & Dollars BBQ COOK-OFF

The Barbecue Store
850 Hwy 290 N, Hempstead, TX 77445

KID'S QUE ENTRY FORM

SATURDAY, 10/23/2021

CHILD'S NAME: _____ Age as of 10/23/21 _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

\$30 Entry Fee Enclosed: _____ Chef's Choice: _____ Pork Chop

*By entering this contest and signing below I agree to follow all rules listed above. Cook off promoters and/or sponsors are not liable for accidents and injuries. **An adult must be with child at all times or child will be disqualified. (No more than 1 adult per child)***

Parent Accompanying Child _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____

PLEASE SEND ORDER FORM AND CHECK DIRECTLY TO DIAMONDS & DOLLARS

DIAMONDS & DOLLARS
P. O. Box 2653
Bellaire, TX 77402

METHOD OF PAYMENT

**PayPal - \$3.00 service fee will apply. Please indicate email you would like PayPal Invoice sent to.*

New Payment method: If using Zelle, send payment to Treasurer@diamondsanddollars.org

Date _____

Entry Fee _____

CHECK # _____

PAYPAL _____

ZELLE _____

CASH _____

Email Address for Pay Pal: _____

RECEIVED BY _____



Diamonds & Dollars
22nd ANNUAL BBQ Cook Off
October 22nd & 23rd, 2021
Rules & Regulations

GENERAL

1. **All entry fees must accompany the application; the fee is \$175 per space. Chef's Choice entry fee is \$20. Your entry form and payment must be received by October 18th.**
2. ***If payment made day of BBQ, cash is required.***
3. **CHEF'S CHOICE ENTRY MUST BE COOKED ONSITE.**
4. There will be NO ELECTRICITY available for teams. Pop-ups, trailers, and motorhomes are allowed but you must provide your own generator. Vehicles and other equipment may not exceed the boundary of the assigned space. Water is available in the general cook-off area. Generators must be quiet or muffled. **Port-a-cans will be available for RENT prior to BBQ for team use and PUBLIC Port-a-cans will be available on site and for public use. There will be no rental of port-a-cans day of check in.**
5. There will be NO ELECTRICITY OR WATER available for teams. Pop-ups, trailers, and motorhomes are allowed but you must provide your own generator and water.
6. It is the responsibility of the BBQ cooking teams to keep their area clean and assist in garbage disposal. All teams must provide garbage can(s) and trash bags for their own use and to be removed by 11:00 am on Sunday, October 24th. Each team is responsible for bagging and disposing of their trash into the dumpster provided. **PLEASE DO NOT DUMP ASHES ON THE GROUND. EXTINGUISH ALL ASHES BEFORE DEPARTING THE COOK-OFF.**
7. Check In will begin at **10:00 am Friday, October 22nd**. All teams must be checked in and set-up by 5:00 pm on Friday. On Friday, all vehicles must be removed from the BBQ area no later than 5:00 pm. **Should you desire to move in on Thursday evening (after 5:00 pm), you must make arrangements in advance with the Chairman, Cindy Niles @ 832-334-3986. A BBQ Committee representative must be on the premises to assist with placement of the team at drop off – no exceptions.**
8. Each cooking team must provide all supplies and equipment as needed.
9. Holes, dug pits or open flames in boxes or other containers resting on or less than two feet above the ground are not permitted. No open flames of any kind are permitted (i.e. camp fires, fire pits, etc.)
10. Each cooking team will be required to have at least one 2A10BC type fire extinguisher in full view at all times.
11. No pets of any kind (except Seeing Eye dogs) will be allowed in the contest area.
12. For safety reasons, we will not allow the use of golf carts, bicycles', motorcycles, scooters, water balloons, sling shots, firearms, etc. in the contest area.

13. Each chief cook will be responsible for the conduct of his/her team members and all guests. Under no circumstances are alcoholic beverages to be distributed to the general public by contestants. Each team must keep their alcohol supply out of sight. No open display of large quantities will be allowed. Please be as discreet as possible. **All alcoholic beverages must be consumed within the perimeters of the Cook-off area only.**

NOTE: STATE LAW REQUIRES THAT YOU BE 21 YEARS OF AGE TO CONSUME ALCOHOL. ANYONE VIOLATING THE LAW WILL BE HELD ACCOUNTABLE FOR THE CONSEQUENCES.

QUITE TIME IS 11:30 PM...PLEASE!!!! This will be a BBQ cook off, not a battle of the amps! ALL music will be kept to a responsible roar and must be turned off by 11:30 pm. It is the chief cook's responsibility to enforce. **Please remember this is a family event when making your music selections.

COOKING & JUDGING

1. **IBCA Contest Rules Apply – Contest Rules Available at the Link Below:**

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2. **Turn in times are as follows:**

Categories

Open (must be cooked onsite – no desserts)
Chicken – one (1) fully jointed chicken halves
(to include breast, wing, thigh and drumstick)
Pork Spare Ribs (7 individual pork spare ribs)
Brisket (7 Full Slices)

AWARDS

(Standard turn-in times apply up to 100 teams)

Turn-In Times

Friday 7:00 pm
Saturday 12:00 pm (Noon)

Saturday 1:30 pm
Saturday 3:00 pm
Saturday, approx. 5:00 pm

KID'S QUE CATEGORIES

Kid's Check In
Kid's Q Cook's Choice
Kid's Q Pork Chop

Kid's Awards

Turn-In Times

Saturday 8:15 am
Saturday 9:45 am
Saturday 10:30 am

To Follow

3. Awards and Payouts

1 st Place Chicken	\$400 and trophy
2 nd Place Chicken	\$300 and trophy
3 rd Place Chicken	\$200 and trophy
4 th Place Chicken	\$100 and trophy
5 th Place Chicken	\$50 and trophy
6 th – 10 th Place Chicken	Award

1 st Place Ribs	\$400 and trophy
2 nd Place Ribs	\$300 and trophy
3 rd Place Ribs	\$200 and trophy
4 th Place Ribs	\$100 and trophy
5 th Place Ribs	\$50 and trophy
6 th - 10 th Place Ribs	Award

1 st Place Brisket	\$400 and trophy
2 nd Place Brisket	\$300 and trophy
3 rd Place Brisket	\$200 and trophy
4 th Place Brisket	\$100 and trophy
5 th Place Brisket	\$50 and trophy
6 th – 10 th Place Brisket	Award

Chefs Choice 40/30/20

Grand Champion - Free Entry to 2022 D & D BBQ & Award Reserve Grand Champion - Reserve Award

Most Colorful	Award
Most Congenial	Award
Cleanest Area	Award

ADMINISTRATION

1. Diamonds & Dollars (D&D) reserves the right to modify or expand the rules and regulations as warranted. Decisions of the Chairperson and Judges will be final.

DISCLAIMER

Security and safety are the sole responsibility of each contestant. D&D and The Barbque Store are not responsible for theft of or damage to the property of a contestant, its members or guests. Further, D&D and Barbque Store are not responsible for any injury to any such person. It is the contestant's responsibility to protect machinery, perishables, and exhibits so no injury will result to the public visitors, guests, persons or property. If property does not appear to be properly maintained it will be promptly withdrawn from the cook off site. All property of the contestant including food stuffs and other perishables is understood to remain in the contestant's care, custody and control in transit to, from or within the confines of the cook off area and are subject to the rules and regulations expressed within. The contestants upon signing the application, expressly release, hold, keep, save harmless and indemnify the persons and entities, named organizations and committees, and individuals from all claims for such loss, damage or injury.

Friends of Diamonds & Dollars



This is the **22ND year for the D&D BBQ Cook-Off and our 8TH year for the Joy Hargrave Memorial Kid's Que.** The event will be held October 22nd and 23rd, 2021 and will take place at The Barbecue Store; 850 Business US 290, Hempstead, TX 77445.

Diamonds & Dollars was formed in 1999 by 12 women with a common goal of supporting youth, education and family issues in Harris and surrounding counties. Since then, our organization has grown to more than fifty (50) members who participate year-round through community events and volunteer hours.

One of our largest contributions to the community comes through our scholarship program with San Jacinto College. We offer scholarships not only to high school graduates but to anyone that has the interest and desire to further their education and need financial assistance. Additionally, we support area schools by providing funds to help students and families in need, through our annual school supply drive and our caps and gowns program for seniors, who would not have the opportunity to participate in their graduation ceremony without our assistance.

Our cook-off includes a **KID's Que on Saturday morning** for children ages range from 5 – 17 years old. Each child is provided with an Old Smoky pit, charcoal, a pork chop & seasonings all which they get to take home. Awards will be given to the winners in each category / age group, as well as participant recognition.

Sponsorship / Donor Information

We offer sponsorships for both the BBQ Cook-off and/or the Kid's Que. Sponsors will be listed, by level, on our **BBQ Sponsorship Board**, with recognition both during the cook-off and on social media. Please take a moment and look over the Sponsor/Donor information. Make your selection and return to us at the address provided. We do appreciate your time and thank you for helping us to have a successful and enjoyable Fundraising event. Please feel free to share this form with friends and family.

Looking forward to seeing you at our Cook-off on October 22nd and 23rd, 2021!

Thank you,
Cindy Niles
2018 BBQ Chairman
832-334-3986
bbq@diamondsanddollars.org

Diamonds & Dollars
2021 BBQ Cook-Off / Kid's Que
Sponsorship Information / Form

Individual or
Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____
(If Company Sponsor)

Street Address: _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Contact number(s): _____

E-Mail: _____

Please Choose Sponsor Level:

Jewel Level
_____ \$750 Diamond
_____ \$500 Ruby
_____ \$250 Sapphire
_____ \$125 Emerald

Metal Levels
_____ \$3,000 & up Platinum
_____ \$2,000 Gold
_____ \$1,500 Silver
_____ \$1,000 Bronze

_____ \$50 Friends of BBQ.

_____ I would like to donate goods or services. Please email completed form to address below.
We will contact you to discuss your donation.

Please return form along with check:

Diamonds & Dollars
Attn: BBQ
P.O. Box 2653
Bellaire, TX 77402