



7th ANNUAL PORT NECHES RIVERFEST COOKOFF

April 28nd– April 29rd, 2023 at Port Neches Park Riverfront

601 Grigsby Ave Port Neches, TX 77651

Sanctioned by the International Bar-B-Que Cookers Association

\$150.00 for IBCA categories - 75% Pay Out + Added Payout!!!

\$20.00 for Jackpot Beans. 100% Payout!!!

Fan Favorite Open Category Trophy + Cash Payout

Kids Que Contest- \$30 Entry

IBCA Contest Rules Apply - Contest Rules Available at the Link Below

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

<https://ibcabbq.org/ibca-covid-19-guidelines/>

Entry forms can be found at the RiverFest website www.pnriverfest.com or the

IBCA website www.ibcabbq.org

Contact :Joe Rooney 409-291-1455

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April 28th & 29th, 2023

Port Neches RiverFest - Event at Port Neches Park
601 Grigsby Ave - Port Neches, TX 77651

SPONSERED BY FIVEPOINT CREDIT UNION

**Entry Fee is \$150.00 for IBCA categories – 75% Pay Out
+ Added Payout.**

Open Category – Beans \$20.00 100% Payout

Fan Favorite – \$250.00 Winner Takes All – Please see Rules and Regulations.

Kids Que \$30 Entry Fee

Trophy's 1 – 3rd and Grand Champion

Send Registration and payment to:

RiverFest
1110 Port Neches Ave., P.O Box 445
Port Neches, TX 77651
kayla@steelinsulatorgroup.com
Joe Rooney : 409-291-1455

Team Name _____

Head Cook Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

CIRCLE FOR ENTRY
JACKPOT BEANS ENTRY

FAN FAVORITE

Kids Que(CIRCLE ONE) NEEDS PIT HAS OWN PIT

**Please enclose \$150.00 entry fee. All checks made payable to RiverFest.
Your team's position is not reserved until entry fee is paid. Deadline for entry is April 14th, 2023.**

Our team has read and understand the Rules and Regulations of the Port Neches RiverFest 2023 Bar B Q Cook-off. The Port Neches Chamber of Commerce, the Port Neches River Fest, FivePoint Credit Union or anyone associated with the cook-off will not be responsible for theft or damage to equipment, or bodily injury of any kind. Decisions of the committee chairperson and judges are final. By entering this contest you agree to abide by all

the rules. If not, the Port Neches RiverFest committee chairperson has the right to ask you and your team to leave this cook-off. **Thank you in advance for participating in our cook-off and supporting the RIVERFEST.**

HEAD COOK T – SHIRT SIZE S M L XL XXL

Head Cook Signature _____

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- 1) Contestants may begin checking in Friday April 28, 2022 at 9:00am. Deadline for checking in will be 6:00pm.
- 2) Teams will consist of one (1) Head Cook and Four (4) team members. Each team must cook on their own pit.
- 3) This is an IBCA Sanctioned event. Cooking rules and regulation plus meat turn in requirements can be found at <https://ibcabbq.org/organization-documents/>
- 4) Head cook will be responsible for the conduct of his/her team and guest. The excessive use of alcoholic beverages shall be grounds for disqualification. This event is scheduled to take place on property of the City of Port Neches in a public park, where open consumption of alcoholic beverages is prohibited. **Pursuant to TABC regulations, under no circumstances are alcoholic beverages to be offered in any form to A MINOR, or general public. Consumption of alcoholic beverages in limited to cook teams in designated cookoff area. Further instructions to be given at cook meeting.**
- 5) It is the responsibility of each team to see that their contest area is kept clean, and the area is clean following the contest. The team will be required to dispose of their trash in the provided dumpsters.
- 6) Water and Electricity are not provided.
- 7) All items must be turned in at the time listed next to the corresponding items.

FRIDAY:

Cooks Meeting 6:00PM (With trays to follow)

SATURDAY:

9:30 AM Kids Que Meeting

9-10 AM Additional Tray Pickup time

10:30 Beans Turn in

11:00 AM Kids Que Turn in

12:00 Noon One (1) Fully jointed chicken halve. (To include breast, wing, thigh, and drumstick.)

1:30 P.M. Pork Spareribs (8 individual pork Spareribs.)

3:00 P.M. Brisket (8 Full Slices.)

8) Judging quantities for special categories are listed below:

Beans – Dry Pinto Beans – cooked on site. (Nothing larger than the bean in cup.) You do not have to enter main cookoff to enter Bean category. Open to anyone who attends cook meeting and enters fee. Must be cooked on site! \$20 for BBQ competitors. \$30 for Beans only entry.

Fan Favorite – The event will be open to the public for taste testing. There is no entry fee to participate. Serving dishes will be provided. Wrist bands will be sold to the public with a list of the teams participating and a grading scale on your provided dishes. The team with the highest scores at the end will be awarded Fan Favorite. The winner will receive the Fan Favorite Trophy. We expect a high volume of visitors so please keep that in mind. Participation encouraged.

Kids Que- see attached form.

9) Head cooks meeting will be at 6:00pm Friday April 28, 2023. All head cooks are required to attend. You will be given your containers to turn in for judging.

10) Awards ceremony at 5:00pm.



**Port Neches Riverfest
Smoke on the Water BBQ Cookoff
Kids Que Competition
April 29th, 2022
Ages 5-16**

**9AM COOK MEETING
11AM TURN IN**

Meat Entry: ¾" - 1 inch Thick Center Cut Pork Chops

Entry Fee: \$30

Entry fee includes pork chops for competition, small bag of charcoal, & a small grill that the child gets to take home after the competition. All children will be acknowledged and awarded with trophies or certificates.

Participants are allowed to bring and use own grill.

There will be a designated cook area for Kid's Que participants.

Participants will be required to cook in this area

Exceptions only for participants cooking in conjunction with registered cookoff team.

Please make checks payable to: Port Neches Riverfest

Deadline is April 7th. We cannot guarantee a pit past this date.

Contact Joe Rooney -409-291-1455 or email kayla@steelinsulatorgroup.com

Child's Name: _____ Birthday: _____ Age: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Parent

Signature: _____

Parents must assist to assure child safety, but the child must do seasoning, majority of the preparation, cooking and ALL turn-ins.

Paid Amount: _____ Cash _____ Check _____ Pd on Parent Form _____

ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY ASSUMPTION OF RISK

I/we will participate in Events associated with the Port Neches Riverfest to be held on April 29th, 2023. . In consideration for the opportunity to participate, I voluntarily agree to assume all risks to myself, my child, or others involved in my participation or traveling to or 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 risks of injury or death that cannot be specifically anticipated and listed in this document.