

2019 Fire at the Foothills BBQ & Chili Cook-Off

Thank you for your interest in our event! Fire at the Foothills BBQ & Chili Cook-Off is a Sanctioned KCBS and Alabama BBQ Association Back Yard Event. As an Alabama BBQ Association State Championship Qualifying Event points will be awarded toward the 2019 Governor's Cup Points Chase.

No Professional BBQ Teams will be allowed to compete for this Backyard event.

Per KCBS rules :

Definition for Backyard Cook Team

- A. Any member of the team who has not entered in and competed in more than twelve (12) sanctioned "Master Series" BBQ competitions in the past and;
- B. Any person who has been a member of a team who has not been awarded a Grand Champion or Reserve Champion status in any KCBS Sanctioned "Master Series" competition and;
- C. Any member of the team who has competed in three (3) or less "Master Series BBQ competitions within the current competition year.

If any member of the team has entered in and competed in more than twelve (12) sanctioned "Master Series" BBQ competitions in the past, they are ineligible to participate in the Backyard competition. Any person who was a member of a team who has competed in three (3) or less "Master Series" BBQ competitions within one (1) competition year may be considered a backyard cook and may declare or revert to such status. This includes the Chief Cook and/or Assistant Cooks. The only exclusion to this rule would be those judges cooking with a team to qualify for master judge status. Individuals who feel they have extenuating circumstances may appeal to the KCBS Sanctioning committee or their designee for reconsideration as an backyard cook. Those requests must be made in writing within 90 days of the competition in question.

This event provides an excellent opportunity for you to help raise money in support of a great cause. Your \$185 entry donation and participation in this event will help Chelsea Kiwanis Club.

With your \$185 entry fee, your team receives:

- 1 Team in the BBQ contest
- The ability to enter into every category of competition: Categories this year are:
RIBS, CHICKEN, BUTT

Rules for the event are available and will be e-mailed to each team that enters

*Total Prize money for this event is \$3,000.00

*Grand Champion \$800

* Reserve Grand Champion \$400

* Each Category 1st \$250 2nd \$200 3rd \$150

No entries allowed after March 27th, 2019.

BBQ Event Information:

Categories are Ribs, Chicken & Butt. All KCBS Backyard BBQ rules apply.

If you would like to participate in the Chili competition, that is a separate sign up form/fee and in no way is tied to the judging or competition for the BBQ contest.

Please make checks payable to: Chelsea Kiwanis Club

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* Schedule of Events

Where: Chelsea City Hall Parking Lot / Chelsea, AL

Teams Can Begin Set Up: Fri., April 5th @ 5pm

BBQ Cook Off Begins: Sat., April 6th @ 7am

Time of Event/ Open to Public: 1pm - 4pm

Location of Event Details:

The event will be held in the parking lot of City Hall. There will be power available at each cooking site. Water will be a short walk to the building. Cooking sites will be approximately 12x12 spaces. If a larger space is needed, please mark that on your sign up form. The public really comes out to this event, so handing out samples is encouraged.