

# Pig in the Park BBQ Festival and Cook-off

Mineral Spring Park

Williamston SC



The Pig in the Park BBQ Festival and Cook-Off will be held in Williamston, South Carolina, on Friday and Saturday, May 18 -19 2012. We are offering cash prizes to a limited number of barbeque cooking teams. The application to compete in this fun event is limited to the first 24 barbeque teams who apply, are accepted, and have paid their entry fee. Please understand your entry is not complete until the committee has received your payment. Barbeque cooking teams are limited to four (4) members. It is first come, first served. Experienced, trained, and Certified SCBA Judges will handle the judging of the Boston Butt pork in this contest. **There is a \$2,900 cash purse as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> place \$1,200; 2<sup>nd</sup> place \$700; 3<sup>rd</sup> place \$500; 4<sup>th</sup> place \$300; 5<sup>th</sup> place \$200. Trophies will be given to 1<sup>st</sup> thru 10<sup>th</sup> place. First place winner will also have free entry for the following year.**

All correspondence will be with the Chief Cook:

Chief Cook: \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #'s (Please include area code):

Home: \_\_\_\_\_

Work: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Alt: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Each team may provide their own shelter. Each team will be allocated one 26'w x 18'd outside space. The spots are located in the park. If you require a larger cooking area, please describe your reasons, including the sizes of grills, props, and any other items used in your cooking set-up. We value our barbeque cookers and we want to help you be successful.

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A \$200.00 fee must be received with each application form no later than **April 11, 2012**. The fee includes \_ 8/ (Case) \_ Boston Butts for judging the rest will be passed out. If application is received after April 12<sup>th</sup>, there is a \$25.00 late fee. *No applications will be accepted after April 30, 2011.* The cook-off committee reserves the right to reject any entry. If your entry is not accepted, the \$200.00 entry fee will be fully refunded. *However, no refunds of the entry fee will be made once you have been officially accepted as a contestant.*

Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Make check payable to: **Williamston Masonic Lodge #24**

**Waiver of Liability:** Contestant agrees to indemnify and hold the Pig in the Park BBQ Festival and Cook-off, the event committee, its employees, agents, and volunteers harmless from any and all claims made against same, including without limitation, all costs, liabilities, judgments, expenses, damages, or reasonable attorney's fees arising out of or in connection with (1) any structures erected by the contestant(s), (2) any apparatus, equipment, or personal property used by the contestant(s), (3) any act or omission to act of contestant(s), its agents, invitees, participants, representatives, employees, servants, and assigns, and (4) any claims made on account of or resulting from contestant's participation in the contest.

Please note that all South Carolina DHEC rules and regulations will be followed. Unsafe practices will result in disqualification. Raw or undercooked food will result in disqualification.

This event is sanctioned and judged by the South Carolina BBQ Association. The rules and regulations for this organization will be followed. Marshals and Judges will be onsite during the event.

Teams are welcomed and encouraged to cook and sell portions of grilled or BBQ items other than Boston Butts on the day of completion. On the day of completion the SC BBQ Association does not like this idea of competing and cooking the same items. The event will not monitor the sale of these items nor will the event request a percentage of the sales. (Only the vendor fee is required) Drinks may be sold (including but not limited to water, tea, soda, lemonade). The event hosts will be the selling drinks at one place. The event will supply 9-inch containers for entry submissions. **The cooking teams will past out their meat after turn in at their cooking station.** There is electricity at the site. Teams are responsible for providing hand washing stations and waste water capture.

I agree to abide by all the Rules and Regulations of the Pig in the Park BBQ Festival and Cook-off contained in the application. I further agree to notify all members of the team I represent about these rules.

Signature of Team Contact is required: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail this completed application, first two pages, to:

Pig in the Park BBQ Festival and Cook-off  
C/o The Williamston Masonic Lodge  
PO Box 824  
Williamston SC 29697-0824

On receipt of your check and acceptance of your entry form, a letter of approval will be mailed (or emailed) to you along with a copy of the rules and regulations and other contest information.

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QUESTIONS?

Email [piginthepark2010@bellsouth.net](mailto:piginthepark2010@bellsouth.net) or

Call WL Cantrell 864-934-4040 or Brad West 864-704-6876

