

EVERY TEAM AGREES TO THE FOLLOWING:

GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS:

1. The contest will be carried out according to Kansas City Barbeque Society (KCBS) rules and regulations.
2. This is a Backyard Contest only. Professional teams are not permitted.
3. We will make every possible effort to ensure that all of the judges for this contest are KCBS certified judges. We have had 100% KCBS certified judges in 2016 and 2017.
4. The KCBS contest will consist of chicken, Ribs, and pork.

ARRIVAL:

1. **DO NOT ARRIVE BEFORE 9:00 A.M. FRIDAY MORNING.** If you do, do not set-up or claim a spot. Wait in one of the outlying parking lots. At least some spaces have been preassigned.
2. 9:00 A.M. or after, register with the contest chairperson and receive your location assignment.

FESTIVAL ARMBANDS/TICKETS (WHO GETS IN FREE)

1. Each Cook Team will receive four (4) festival armbands. The cook team will decide who receives the armbands.
2. **NO ONE ELSE** enters the festival free based on any relationship to a cook team. **Everyone else pays.** Festival armbands are \$15. People's Choice tickets are an additional \$5.

UTILITIES:

1. **ELECTRICITY:** There are plenty of electrical outlet on the grounds. However, these outlets have to be shared by all of our teams and by vendors who will arrive Saturday morning. **Please limit your use to no more than two (2) electrical outlets.** If we run short of outlets, you may be asked to reduce your use to one outlet. We will attempt to place everyone within 100 feet of an outlet. Bring your own electrical cords.
2. **WATER:** There are three water outlets in the contest area. We will provide numerous splitters from these outlets. We will attempt to place everyone within 100 feet of one of these splitters. Bring your own hoses. Do not connect directly to an outlet until we have installed splitters.

SATURDAY PARKING:

1. **ALL PARKING AREAS WITHIN THE FESTIVAL AREA WILL BE CLOSED AT 8:00 A.M. SATURDAY MORNING. VEHICLES WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE UNTIL COMPLETION OF THE AWARDS CEREMONY AT APPROXIMATELY 3:30 P.M. SATURDAY AFTERNOON.** The festival area includes the main boat launch area, the pine tree cooking area, and the beach front parking area. **If you need to leave before that time, park in the Tourism parking lot or elsewhere.**

Pitmaster

Date