



11th Annual

Wild Hog Cook-Off

An IBCA Sanctioned Cook-Off

WITH A \$4000 TOTAL PAYOUT!!!

**4 Categories; Chicken, Pork Spare Ribs,
Pulled Pork & Brisket**

Raffle Drawing for a 2012 Jeep Wrangler!!!



Benefiting the Live Oak County Boys & Girls Clubs

Saturday, February 11, 2012

At the Live Oak County Fairgrounds

US 281 between George West & Three Rivers

**For more information about our event such as rules, registration,
event schedules or where to purchase a Jeep raffle ticket,**

please visit our website at:

www.bgcliveoaktx.org/wildhog.aspx



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF LIVE OAK COUNTY

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Dear Sponsors & Donors:

The Live Oak County Boys & Girls Clubs serve the children of Live Oak County through its centers in George West and Three Rivers. Since its founding in 1999, the Boys & Clubs has demonstrated a positive influence on the children of this county by providing the programming that not only gives them new direction, but builds self esteem. This is a very ambitious program for our rural community and would not be possible without the generous donations from individuals and companies such as yours.

The Wild Hog Cook-off is the most ambitious fundraiser the Boys & Girls Clubs holds on a yearly basis. In the past the event has been attended by over 2,000 people and has raised over \$40,000 for our clubs. Our next cook-off will be held on February 11, 2012. I would like to personally invite you and your company to be a part of this worthwhile community effort. There are a number of ways in which you may participate:

- **Corporate Sponsorship** (Sponsorship Levels & Benefits are detailed on the following page).
- **Donations** of items for our live and silent auctions. Hunting, fishing and outdoor items such as Yeti coolers, rods, reels, BBQ pits, etc. are always popular items. If you wish to donate an item, you may contact one of our board members at:

Children@bgcliveoaktx.org
- **Participation** in our event as a Cook-Off Team. Fire up your pit, pitch a tent, cook some BBQ and maybe win big cash prizes as well as earning bragging rights as the best BBQ Team in South Texas. Our rules and registration form are attached.

Of course any donation from your company will be helpful. Should you wish to discuss your specific sponsorship goals, please call Dan Thomas at: (361)786-1400 or Chuck Campbell at: (361)232-1947.

Thank you for your consideration. Caring companies like yours working with organizations like the Boys & Girls of Live Oak County have a positive impact on the leaders of tomorrow.

Sincerely,

Dan Thomas
Chief Professional Officer
Live Oak County Boys & Girls Clubs
BGC Beeville Chapter

BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS OF LIVE OAK COUNTY
WILD HOG COOK-OFF SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

Diamond (\$10,000+)

- Sponsor logo and identification as a Diamond Sponsor on the Wild Hog Cook Off banner at the event entrance and stage
- Large sign at stage area with sponsor's logo and identification as Diamond Sponsor
- Sponsor logo on cover of the event program.
- Exclusive sampling rights of your product at the event
- Frequent public address announcements identifying you as a Diamond Sponsor
- Identification as Diamond Sponsor and thanks at beginning and end of live auction

Platinum (\$5,000-\$9,999)

- Large sign at stage area with sponsor's logo
- Sponsor logo on cover of the event program.
- Exclusive sampling rights of your product at the event
- Frequent public address announcements identifying you as a Platinum Sponsor
- Identification as Platinum sponsor and thanks at beginning and end of live auction

Gold (\$2,500-\$4999)

- Sign at stage area
- Sponsor logo on the event program
- Frequent public address announcements identifying you as a Gold Sponsor

Silver (\$1,000-\$2499)

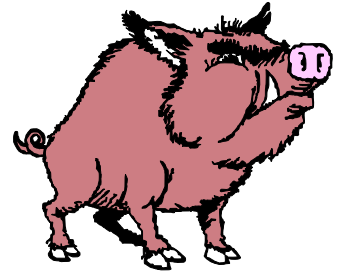
- Signage at the venue
- Sponsor logo on the event program
- Announcement over the public address system identifying you as a Silver Sponsor

Bronze (\$500-\$999)

- Sign at the venue
- Sponsor logo on back cover of the program
- Announcement over public address system identifying you as a Bronze Sponsor



2012 Live Oak County Boys and Girls Clubs Wild Hog Cook-Off Rules and Regulations



(Regulated by International Barbeque Cookers Association)

1. ENTRY FEES – Must be paid in advance. Registration closes at 8:00 am on the day of the cook-off.
2. COOKED ON SITE – All entries must be cooked on-site. The preparation and completion of all entries in competition must be within the confines of the cook-off site during the day of the competition. All competition meat is subject to inspection.
3. SANITATION – Cooks are to prepare and cook in as sanitary of a manner as possible. Cooking conditions are subject to inspection by judging committee. Infractions identified by the judging committee shall be immediately corrected or the cook will be subject to disqualification. No cleaning of animals will be allowed on the premises.
4. ENTRIES PER PIT – Only one entry (one chief cook) will cook on a given pit. Multiple entries in the same category by the same cook and multiple entries from the same piece of meat shall not be allowed. Contestants must be 18 years of age to participate (due to IBCA regulations on contests with cash prizes).
5. BBQ PITS – The following types of pits will be allowed for use in cooking meat:
 - a. Pit – Any commercial or homemade, trailered or un-trailered, pit or smoker normally used for competitive barbeque. A BBQ Pit may include gas or electricity for starting the combustion of wood or wood products but NOT to complete cooking.
 - b. BYC (Backyard Cooker) – any cooking device by design or nature that is inherently portable and by design is intended for recreational cooking.
6. OPEN FIRES – In the interest of safety, a barrier shall be placed around any open fire pits. A fire extinguisher shall be readily available.
7. CATEGORIES – The entry categories and turn-in amounts are set as follows:
 - a. **Chicken** - one half (1/2) fully jointed domestic chicken that includes a breast, wing, thigh, and drumstick. **(NO Cornish Game Hens)**
 - b. **Pork Spare Ribs**
 - c. **Pulled Pork**
 - d. **Brisket**
8. DOUBLE NUMBER SYSTEM – IBCA requires that the secret, double number system be used. This system assures a fair competition and is a fundamental tenet of the IBCA. The system requires that two tickets bearing the same number be utilized, one firmly attached to the top of the judging tray in a manner which hides the number and the other ticket easily removed by the head cook for retention after signing the head cook's name.

9. JUDGING TRAYS – Trays to be used will be Styrofoam with a hinged lid, and will be issued at the **head cooks meeting (8:00 am)**. All judging containers shall be clean and free of any markings. Marked containers may be disqualified at the Head Judge’s discretion. Cooks are responsible for insuring that the containers they receive remain clean and undamaged.
10. JUDGING TRAY CONTENTS – The head judge or designated representative will inspect all trays at the time of turn-in in order to assure compliance with the turn-in criteria. All garnishes and condiments are prohibited, as they do not reflect the true quality of the entry. Meats may be cooked with sauces and/or other liquids, but once the cooking is complete, sauces and /or liquids cannot be added. **NO PUDDLING IN BOTTOM OF TRAY.**
11. TURN-IN TIMES - A turn-in window of ten minutes before and after designated turn-in times will be recognized. Judging trays received after that time will not be accepted for judging. Turn-in times are subject to change depending upon the number of entries. **Tentative** turn-in times are as follows:

Chicken	10:30 am
Pork Spare Ribs	12:00 pm
Pulled Pork	1:30 pm
Brisket	3:00 pm
12. TERMS FOR DISQUALIFICATION – After the tray has been turned in, any tray found to be in violation of cook-off rules will be disqualified at the discretion of the head judge.
13. JUDGES – Judges will be selected by the cook-off committee. **Each team will be asked to provide one person for the preliminary judging round of at least one category.** Head cooks will not be allowed to judge. Each entry will be judged by between five and nine judges. No smoking is allowed in the judging area.
14. JUDGING – Judges will assign a score from 1 to 10 for each tray sampled. A maximum of twenty entries will be assigned to each judging table.
15. ANNOUNCING WINNERS – The top ten winners from each category will be announced. Not all places will receive prizes. More than one cook-off representative will verify the winning ticket numbers. An additional prize for showmanship will be awarded as well.
16. GRAND CHAMPION – IBCA states that a grand champion be named at every cook-off. Points from each category will be totaled to calculate a grand champion. In the event of a tie, brisket will be the first tie-breaker, followed by ribs, then chicken, then pork. All four meats will count toward grand champion.
17. VEHICLES – Due to limited space, all vehicles will be limited to assigned areas (see attached map).
18. ACCESS – The cook-off area will open Friday after 12:00 noon. Contestants will be able to register and check meat at the registration booth beginning at 12:00 noon. Each registered contestant will be assigned a 40’ x 40’ plot/campsite. You may purchase an adjacent plot for an additional \$40.00. Additional plots are subject to availability and will be issued on a first-come / first-serve basis (see attached map).

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52	39
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48	43
47	44
46	45

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18	1
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16	3
15	4
14	5
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Cooking Areas (40'x 40')

Skid-O-Cans
Trash
Parking Lot

Wild Hog Cook-Off Headquarters

Registration & Check-In Booth

Main Entrance

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US 281 North

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Live Oak Co. Fairgrounds