

LINCOLN BACKYARD BBQ

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\$500 in
cash
prizes!

ONLY \$50 PER TEAM TO ENTER

Two Categories, Pork Ribs and Chicken (any part of the chicken you like) must be entered. A Grand Prize of \$200 will be awarded to the best combined total score of the two categories.



Open to Amateurs Only! (20 TEAMS TOTAL)

If you have ever wanted to experience the delicious madness that is a BBQ competition, now is your chance!

THE DETAILS:

You do not need any fancy equipment... just your backyard grill or Smoker and a little cooking skill. If you have ever wanted to try competition BBQ but are not up to the task of 4 perfectly cooked meats 30 minutes apart, try the Lincoln Backyard BBQ competition. Just two meats, you don't have to cook them all night, and you can probably get all your equipment into the trunk of your car. In fact, our "backyard" area is more like a block party cookout than a competition. Everyone will have fun, exchange a few tips and ideas, get the feel for the full scale competition, can check over some of the big boys equipment, and a few go home with some cold, hard cash!

1. Two categories, cook them both. Pork Ribs and Chicken (any part of the chicken-usually thighs, upper wings or breasts, probably not necks or gizzards but hey...) cook them the way you like them, dry rubbed, mopped, just plain grilled, sauced or however. **NO INJECTIONS OR MARINADES** may be used in or on your entry meats prior to

meat inspection and check-in.

Prize money (sponsored by Royal Oak) available in the Lincoln Backyard BBQ competition totals \$500 with 1st, 2nd, and 3rd in each category paying **\$75, \$50 and \$25** plus **\$200** for the highest combined totals from both categories. **The Grand Champion winner will not only win \$200, but their fee to enter the professional competition, "Up in Smoke on the Square" for the following year will be waived.** Also as an incentive, a free bag of Royal Oak charcoal will be provided for each team.

2. BYO everything, Electricity and water will be available nearby, but not provided to your cook space - bring buckets or a hose for cleanup and sanitation. We will inspect your competition meat when you arrive. It must be iced, and raw (not marinated, injected or pre-rubbed) until after you check in. As for equipment, most teams will bring a small grill or smoker of some kind, a popup tent, maybe a small table to prepare their meat and fix their turn-in boxes on, some utensils, some lawn chairs, snacks, and a cooler full of refreshments.

3. Arrive at 7:00 a.m. in Downtown Lincoln on Saturday, August 24th, morning to check in on the square at the corner of Clinton and Kickapoo Street.



Visit the KCBS website for detailed judging rules and procedures. With the exception of 1. the four meats required by KCBS being only ribs and chicken, 2. our allowing gas BBQ grills to be used, and 3. the turn-in times, this is what we'll go by. Read carefully the section on garnish and added sauces. We will provide a numbered, plain, undivided 9"x9" styrofoam trays for you to turn in your entries. You may decorate your entry with green leaf lettuce or parsley only! You may submit your entry wet or dry as you like it. You will need to submit at least 6 separate portions (there will be 6 judges scoring your individual entry meat - each must get a separate portion - they will not cut or pull apart your entry) in each category to be judged. Cook a few extra! If you can attractively arrange an extra 7th portion in your entry container it might be helpful, but is not required (plus the management always appreciates a bite!). We will go over all of this with you when you check in at the cooks' meeting, which is to be held under the Lincoln Theater Marquee at 8:45 a.m.

Location:

Downtown Lincoln
(check in at the corner
of Clinton and Kickapoo
Street)

There is no deadline to enter. Please bring your entry form and fee of \$50 cash or check to cover your team when you check in, or you may mail both to Lifepointe Church of God, 601 Pulaski St. Lincoln, IL 62656

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LINCOLN BACKYARD BBQ COMPETITION

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Team Name _____

Chief Cook _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zipcode _____

Phone () _____

E-mail _____

We will plan to allow an approximate 10x20 space for each backyard team. If you need more than this, even two feet for your bumper overhang, let us know and we'll accommodate it. Include your cooking equipment and work space and main support vehicle. You will have space for your main vehicle in your cooking area or very close by.

I, _____ , hereby agree to the KCBS rules and regulations.

Please Mail Entry Form and \$50 check to:

Lifepointe Church of God

601 Pulaski St.

Lincoln IL, 62656