



# BBQ CONTEST. ART FESTIVAL.

FRIDAY, JUNE 28 & SATURDAY, JUNE 29 | CLAY COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS, SPENCER, IA

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Art of the Que  
Planning  
Committee



## 2024 Art of the Que Backyard BBQ Team Application

**DATE:** Friday, June 28 & Saturday, June 29, 2024

**LOCATION:** Clay County Fair & Events Center • 800 West 18<sup>th</sup> Street • Spencer, IA 51301

**SET-UP TIMES:** Thursday, June 27 starting at 8:00 AM. Please call Dennis at 816-536-5329 when you are 30 minutes away from Fairgrounds so someone is around to assist you to your spot.

**BBQ Cook Team Meeting:** Friday, June 28 at 4:00 PM – inside Tower Gate Pavilion (time subject to change)

**JUDGING:** Saturday, June 29, 2024

**AWARDS:** Saturday, June 29, 2024 at approximate 3:30 PM

BBQ Team Name \_\_\_\_\_ Head Cook/Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

Size of Trailer \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Team Members \_\_\_\_\_ KCBS Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Please check all appropriate boxes for your entry	Fee	Subtotal
<b>Team Entry:</b> Includes: 2 categories (chicken, ribs) 1- 20'X50' cook site (on grass)	<b>\$200.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Power:</b> Please check if you would like access to power. 30amp/50amp available. Teams are responsible for bringing any cords and special adaptors. We cannot guarantee ahead of time what amp service you will get.	<b>\$25/per day</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>People's Choice Wings Contest:</b> Turn in time is Friday, June 27 at 5:00 PM. Payouts for top 3.	<b>\$25.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Registration is not complete until fees are paid in full.</b>		<b>Total Due \$</b> _____

**Waiver of Liability:** In consideration of acceptance of this entry, I waive any and all claims for myself and my heirs against officials, sponsors, the Clay County Fair Association, Spencer Radio Group, the Art of the Que Planning Committee and Art of the Que from liability. Further, I hereby grant full permission to use any photographs, videotapes, motion pictures, recordings or any record of this event for any legitimate purpose. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Art of the Que, the Clay County Fair Association and the Kansas City BBQ Society.

**People's Choice Wings Contest:** The People' Choice Wings will be handed out upon arrival. Please indicate at your arrival that you need your wings for the contest. We will have volunteers going around and picking up the cooked product for the People's Choice Contest. We will have an area set up for the public to try all of the different wings and they will vote for their favorite. We will do payouts for the top 3 winners in the People's Choice Wings Contest.

**Head Cook Initials** \_\_\_\_\_

**Turn In Times/Judging:** Tentative turn in times for event (times subject to change):

- Friday, June 28 – People’s Choice Wings: 5:00 PM
- Saturday, June 29
  - Masters:
    - Chicken: 12:00 PM
    - Ribs: 12:30 PM
    - Pork Butt: 1:00 PM
    - Brisket: 1:30 PM
  - Backyard:
    - Chicken: 2:00 PM
    - Ribs: 2:30 PM

**EXHIBITOR CANCELLATION/NO-SHOW: Deposits and payment will NOT be returned if exhibitor cancels participation in the event.**

**ALCOHOL:** No outside alcoholic beverages are allowed in the Clay County Fairgrounds property, other than those sold by the Clay County Fair Association.

**USE OF SPACE:** Exhibitors may not sublet, assign or apportion any part of the space allotted. No exhibitor will be permitted to display outside the confines of the space assigned.

**CARE OF PREMISES:** No part of the exhibit and no signs or other materials may be pasted, nailed or otherwise affixed to walls, doors or other surfaces in a manner that might mar or deface the premises or furnishings on the Clay County Fairgrounds. Damage for failure to observe this notice is payable by the exhibitor. Exhibits must be set up so as not to interfere with public circulation in the road ways and walk ways.

**CONDUCT:** The exhibit shall be conducted in a decorous manner in order not to be objectionable to other teams, exhibitors, the public, or to the Clay County Fair & Events Center and Art of the Que Planning Committee. Show Management reserves the right to close, remove or require changes in any exhibit or to remove any of the exhibitor’s personnel, agents, representatives, independent contractors, invitees or guests who are deemed detrimental to the overall show, other exhibitors, the Clay County Fair & Events Center, Art of the Que Planning Committee, or to the public.

**FIRE AND OTHER REGULATIONS:** The exhibitor shall comply with all fire codes, electrical codes and all other rules, regulations, codes or statutes with respect to the installation, conduct and disassembly of one’s exhibit. NO SMOKING is allowed in any inside buildings on the Clay County Fairgrounds Property.

**LIABILITIES:** Neither show management nor the Clay County Fair Association or the Art of the Que Planning Committee shall be responsible for fire, theft, or other damage, whether caused negligently, willfully, or otherwise. They are expressly released from any and all claims of loss, injury or damage to persons or property.

**SHOW CANCELLATION BY VENUE AND/OR SHOW /MANAGEMENT:** Should this show be cancelled by the Clay County Fair & Events Center or the Art of the Que Planning Committee for any reason, this contract is null and void, and exhibitor waives any and all claims except deposit refund.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Payment Method**

Check (*Make checks payable to Clay County Fair & Events Center*) or  Credit Card

Name on Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing Address \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Digit # on back of card \_\_\_\_\_

Submit completed registration (both pages) along with payment to:  
Clay County Fair & Events Center  
ATTN: Art of the Que  
PO Box 527  
Spencer, IA 51301

Phone: 712-580-3000 ext. 216  
Email: [events@claycountyfair.com](mailto:events@claycountyfair.com)