

RIDGEWAY'S 25TH ANNUAL PIG ON THE RIDGE

NOVEMBER 1ST & 2ND

Cook Team Categories & Prizes

Category 1

Chief Cook <u>has been</u> a contestant in more than two competitive BBQ Cook-offs

> 1st Place - \$2,000 & Trophy 2nd Place - \$1,000 & Trophy 3rd Place - \$500 & Trophy 4th Place - \$250 & Trophy 5th Place - Trophy

Category 2

Chief Cook <u>has not been</u> a contestant in more than two competitive BBQ Cook-offs

> 1st Place - \$500 & Trophy 2nd Place - \$250 & Trophy 3rd Place - \$125 & Trophy 4th Place - \$75 & Trophy 5th Place - Trophy

Friday "No Pigs Allowed"

1st Place - \$500 & Trophy 2nd Place - \$250 & Trophy

Hog Calling

Division I - Ages 12 and under Division II - Ages 13 and older 1st Place - Trophy 2nd Place - Trophy Friday Night, Nov 1st

"No Pigs Allowed"



No entry fee is required.

Each Cook Team must participate in Friday night's festivities by cooking dishes other than pork. Participants are expected to prepare, at their own expense, a sufficient quantity of food for public samples (nonpork).

The festival will sell tickets for this event and will receive all proceeds. There is to be NO SELLING other foods and drinks.

Participants will be judged for the competition by the number of tickets redeemed at each cook site with the winners in each category announced Saturday at the Awards Celebration.

Several activities will be occurring Friday night, including a street dance. Previously, about 3000 people turned out, so each cook team should prepare a sufficient quantity.

Rules & Regulations

The Town of Ridgeway has the right to reject any application.

Chief Cooks check in for site locations by 5:00PM November 1, 2024. EARLY ARRIVAL ENCOURAGED. Meat will arrive and be distributed at 3PM. Boston Butts (16) are provided and may only be cooked above ground with wood, charcoal, gas, or a combination.

Selling any other foods and drinks is PROHIBITED. Golf carts are NOT allowed.

Contestants must provide their own supplies: Hats, aprons, tables, chairs, utensils, grill, wood, charcoal, gas, fire extinguisher, cooking ingredients, 150 ft extension cord, 100 ft garden hose, grill tent/cover, etc. Cooking areas may be decorated with non offensive and non business streamers, banners, flags, signs, etc., boasting about your team. COMPANY ADVERTISING IS NOT PERMITTED.

Beginning at 9:30AM on November 2nd, judging begins. A plate of BBQ must be ready for tasting at the blind judging station.

The rest of the BBQ meat must immediately be available at the cook site for sponsors and general public. The general public will purchase tickets at central locations and can redeem at contestants grills for specified quantities of BBQ. any other use or disposal of BBQ is PROHIBITED and violators may be ineligible to participate in future events. BBQ not redeemed for tickets BECOMES PROPERTY OF THE TOWN OF RIDGEWAY.

Cancellations after October 23rd may result in the cook team being billed for the cost of raw meat. "No shows" will be considered as cancellations.

All judging decisions are final.

Directions to Ridgeway:

I-77 Exit 34, East 2 miles, site is rear of Old Town Hall

Approximately 25 miles north of Columbia, SC & 75 miles south of Charlotte, NC

Application and Agreement

Deadline to Submit Agreement and Application is October 15th, 2024 Limited space is available, please turn in as early as possible!





Official Cook Team Na	me:		
Team Contact - Chief C	Cook:		
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For ALL Correspondence	ce by E-mail: PLEASE		
Assistant Cooks:			
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	You MU	JST check a category b	pelow
	Cook Off Competition:		Other Competition:
	Category I		Hog Calling X No Pigs Allowed (All teams must participate)
	А	greement	
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claims made against same, inc structure erected by contesta	luding expenses, damages, or nt; (ii) any apparatus, equipme s, invites, participant represen	reasonable attorney ent, or personal prop	mployees, agents and volunteers for any and all 's' fees arising out of or in connection with (i) any erty used by the contestant; (iii) any act or omission servants; and (iv) any claims on account of or
			n above and agrees to abide by the Rules and nief Cook's meeting, Friday, November 5, 2024 at
Chief Cook Sign	Pr	int Name	Date

Submit to: Pig on the Ridge, PO Box 11, Ridgeway, SC 29130 info@pigontheridgesc.com