



## ATTENTION BBQ JUDGES:

The Atlanta Bar-B-Q Club is proud to announce the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Atlanta BBQ Festival at Atlantic Station in Atlanta, Georgia on September 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012. We invite you to join us as we fire up the grills and join us for a celebration of great BAR-B-Q! We have made some changes to this year's event to meet the demand of the general public and make the event even better for you the cooks that make this event possible. We are anticipating an attendance of more than 12,000 at this year's event.

The 2012 Atlanta BAR-B-Q Festival will offer up cooking competitions, entertainment and activities on Friday, September 14<sup>th</sup> from 4pm – 10 pm and Saturday, Sept 15<sup>th</sup> from 12 noon – 8pm. Changes this year are:

- 1) This year we'll be a KCBS sanctioned event. For complete information about rules and regulations visit the website at [www.kcbs.us](http://www.kcbs.us)
- 2) Friday night we'll have a dessert, sauce and anything butt contest.

The Atlanta BAR-B-Q Festival is the only BAR-B-Q competition in Atlanta's city limits. This year's event is being held at the special event area at Atlantic Station (20<sup>th</sup> Street @ Fowler Street). Atlantic Station is city's premier live-work-play destination located in the heart of Midtown. The event's extensive marketing campaign includes all media formats (television, radio, print, online, outdoor media, direct email/mail, etc) as well as a public relations campaign covering the local and regional area.

A combination of 50 Professional and Backyard contestants will be eligible to win \$12,500 in cash prizes and trophies. Backyard teams will compete on Saturday in the Ribs and Chicken and Pork categories. Friday all teams may compete in our "Anything Butt" contest featuring a simple meat (i.e. salmon, steak, etc.) with meat provided by a sponsor. Friday contests are open to Professionals and Backyard teams.

We hope that you will join us for the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Atlanta BAR-B-Q Festival on September 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>. This package includes a Judges application as well as all event rules and policies. Should you require any additional information or further details, please don't hesitate to contact me. Thanks and I look forward to seeing you!

Sincerely,

**Bob Herndon**

President Atlanta BAR-B-Q Festival and Club

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# 2012 Judging Application

## JUDGE INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone: \_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## JUDGING EXPERIENCE

Are you KCBS (Kansas City Barbeque Society) Certified?  YES  NO Judges # \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a table captain ?  YES  NO Are you a Master Judge?  YES  NO

List the last 3 KCBS competitions that you have judged:  
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\_\_\_\_\_

I am not currently certified but am interested in attending BBQ Judge Certification Class?  YES  NO

Are you available for Friday evening judging? YES  NO  What's your T-shirt size? \_\_\_\_\_

If you are not selected to judge are you willing to work as a volunteer? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a member of the Atlanta BBQ Club? YES  NO

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** Sept 1, 2012

### CONTACT / APPLICATIONS TO:

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I UNDERSTAND THAT NEITHER THE ATLANTA BBQ CLUB, AND EACH OF THEIR RESPECTIVE PARENT, SUBSIDIARY AND AFFILIATED COMPANIES, AND ALL OF THEIR RESPECTIVE DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, SHAREHOLDERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS, IF ANY, RENDERING SECURITY SERVICES IN CONNECTION WITH THE COOK-OFF (COLLECTIVELY, THE "COOK-OFF PARTIES") ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE OF WORK, PERSONAL INJURY, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE, NOR WILL THE COOK-OFF CONTESTANT BE A PARTY TO LEGAL ACTION AGAINST THE COOK-OFF PARTIES. I HAVE READ THE DESCRIPTION OF THE FESTIVAL AND ITS RULES AND I AGREE TO ABIDE BY ITS TERMS.

**SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_