

2021 Clayton County Fair Cookout Contest Registration Form

Contestant or Team Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

If Competing as a Team List Each Member: _____

May compete in 1 or all 4 contests

- Farm Bureau Meat Cookout Contest (for 5 judges) _____ Pork _____ Beef _____ Chicken (please choose which meat class category you would like to compete in, can enter in one or all 3) **Entry Fee \$25/Class** *Beef brisket is not applicable to win due to the time restraints at State Fair

- Peoples Choice Contest Meat or Appetizer (for 100 crowd tasters) _____ **Entry Fee \$25**

Awards:

People's Choice Contest (Crowd Taste Testers)	
1 st Place	\$500
2 nd Place	\$250

Farm Bureau Meat Cookout Contest (5 Judges)	
Beef Category 1 st Place	\$500
Beef Category 2 nd Place	\$250
Pork Category 1 st Place	\$500
Pork Category 2 nd Place	\$250
Chicken Category 1 st Place	\$500
Chicken Category 2 nd Place	\$250

Registration: All contestants will be able to set up/start cooking at 7am or after on Saturday, August 7th, 2021. People's Choice Crowd Tasting will be served at 3:30pm until tickets are sold out, awards will follow. Farm Bureau Meat Cookout Contests will need to turn in their meat at 4:30 PM with awards to follow. Please mail this form to Clayton County Farm Bureau, 24542 Highway 13, Elkader, IA 52043 before August 4th.

Judging: Each contestant must submit sample(s) on a plate/platter (you provide), as well as necessary eating utensils for the People's Choice Crowd Tasting. Necessary utensils will be provided to the judges by the fair to eat for 5 judges (Meat category) and/or 100 crowd tasters (People's Choice).

Rules: All entries must be cooked on the official cookout contest grounds. Entries for the Meat category are limited to pork, beef, or chicken. Entries for the People's Choice category may be any meat or meatless product; for example, chicken wings, grilled shrimp, or jalapeno poppers. Cooking can only be done on a charcoal, wood, propane fired device or electrical. Meats that are boiled (only) or fried (only) will **not** be accepted. The cookout contestant is responsible for observing acceptable and prudent temperature and sanitary requirements. Contestants cannot sell samples to the general public. Feel free to bring a tent to cook under. Need to provide an ingredient list to coordinators. People's Choice contestants need to bring a sanitation station (warm water container, soap, paper towels and a water catch pail).

Please select: _____ **Yes, I DO** need electricity _____ **No, I do NOT** need electricity

By signing this document, the contestant agrees to abide by all rules and regulations set forth or established by the Clayton County Fair Committee. I understand there are inherent risks in participating in any cookout. In consideration of the acceptance of my entry, I hereby waive and release of myself, heirs, executor or anyone who might claim on my behalf, covenant not to sue the event directors, event officials, Clayton County Agricultural Society or volunteers from all claims or liability for death, personal injury, illness or personal damage of any kind arising out of the course of my participation in this event. I also grant full permission to the event directors and/or agents authorized by them, to have free use of my name and picture in any broadcast, telecast, videotape, print and/or social media or any other record of this event for any purpose. Money back not guaranteed if weather permitting. If competing as a team, each team member must sign and date.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____