



**FILLMORE COUNTY FAIR
BBQ COOK OFF
SATURDAY, JULY 24, 2021
PRESTON, MN**

MN TOY 2021 Qualifying Contest Backyard Series

CONTEST REGISTRATION FORM

TEAM NAME: _____

CONTACT PERSON/HEAD COOK: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS (REQUIRED): _____ PHONE #: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

**CATEGORIES: CHICKEN & RIBS (Supplied by Contestant)
SPONSOR'S CHOICE: PORK LOIN (Provided by Sponsor)**

FILLMORE COUNTY FAIR BBQ COOK OFF ENTRY FEE: \$100

**BBQ contest is open to the first (15) paid teams*
Registration closes on June 30, 2021.*

The guaranteed total purse is \$2,000! Breakdown is as follows:

Overall Grand Champion	\$450
Reserve Grand Champion	\$300
1 st Place in Chicken & Rib Categories	\$175
2 nd Place in Chicken & Rib Categories	\$150
3 rd Place in Chicken & Rib Categories	\$125
4 th Place in Chicken & Rib Categories	\$100
5 th Place in Chicken & Rib Categories	\$75
Sponsor's Choice: Pork Loin	Prizes

Please return completed entry form and \$100 entry fee to:

Fillmore County Ag Society
Attn: BBQ Cook Off
PO Box 364
Preston, MN 55965
Checks Payable to: *FILLMORE COUNTY AG SOCIETY*

All contest inquiries can be made to: Brady Bergey at 507-273-2564 or FillmoreCountyFairBBQ@outlook.com

Tentative Timeline for Saturday, July 24th:

Meat Inspection	6am-8am
Mandatory Cooks Meeting	8:00am
Chicken Turn-In	2:30pm
Rib Turn-In	3:00pm
Sponsor's Choice Turn-In (Pork Loin)	3:30pm
Awards Ceremony	4:30pm

Chicken & Ribs to be supplied by each contestant team. One Pork Loin for the Sponsor's Choice Category will be provided to each team by sponsor.

This is not a KCBS sanctioned contest, however we will be using their rules and format for structure. Please familiarize yourself with these rules at the end of the document prior to the contest.

Average Cook Site will be 10' x 20'. Electricity is NOT provided. Please see attached document for Fairgrounds generator policy. Camping will be available for Friday and Saturday nights within your allocated cooking site with limited electricity for an additional \$15.00 per night. There are also two motels in the city of Preston: Country Trails Inn & Suites (www.countrytrailsinn.com) and Trailhead Inn (www.trailheadinnpreston.com) along with several bed & breakfast lodging options throughout the area.

The Fillmore County Fair BBQ Cook Off is held in conjunction with the Fillmore County Fair that runs from July 19-25. To learn more about the schedule of events, please visit: www.fillmorecountyfair.com

An informational e-mail will be sent to each team's contact person prior to the contest date. All contest inquiries can be made to: Brady Bergey at 507-273-2564 or FillmoreCountyFairBBQ@outlook.com

Fillmore County Fairgrounds

Generator Requirements & Guidelines*

Approved

- 1) “Bonded-neutral” Generator
 - Will have a 4 wire plug
- 2) GFCI outlets or GFCI Adapter Cords (See Figures below)
- 3) Ground rod >2 feet in ground, connected to ground connection on generator with #6 grounding wire
- 4) Heavy duty cords (12 or 10 gauge)
- 5) Cords in good condition with three-prong functioning grounded plugs

Not Approved

- 1) Use distribution box separate from generator’s panel
- 2) Light duty cords
- 3) Cords with visible damage

Thank you for your cooperation & understanding with the Fillmore County Ag Society in meeting current state electrical requirements.

Any equipment and supplies not meeting these requirements may be confiscated and disposed of. Decisions will be made at the discretion of the Ag Society, designated licensed electrician, and/or county electrical inspector.



Any questions can be directed towards the Fillmore County Ag Society, or licensed electrician.

There will be a “GopherOne” located area on the south side of the big barn designated for generators, any other areas need to be notified 48 hours in advance of ground rod placement.