



2020 Kids' Q Event Presented by:



Friday June 26th
Eddy County Fairgrounds
3402 S. 13th Street ~ Artesia NM 88210

Friday June 26th – Cooks' Meeting – We will hold a cooks' meeting Friday at 1:30 pm at the Judges' Building. All rules and regulations will be reviewed; all questions and concerns will also be addressed. **THIS MEETING IS MANDATORY.**

Kids' Q Competition Turn-In & Judging – 4:30 pm, Friday, June 26th .

Kids' Q Awards for 1st-3rd place in each age bracket will be presented in the Judges' Building at 8:30 p.m. Friday, June 26th.

TEAM MEMBERS: Each team will consist of one to three (1-3) individuals & one supervisor (18+). Teams will compete by age in one of three age divisions. All team members must be in the same age division.

Please indicate which age division your team will compete (check one): (6-8) (9-11) (12-15)

ENTRY INCLUDES: Entry fee is \$25 and includes use of a table-top charcoal grill, charcoal, and competition space. (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY) *REQUIRED

*Team Name: _____

*Team Advisor (must be 18 or older): _____

*Address: _____ City State & Zip: _____

*Email: _____ *Phone: _____

*Team Member 1: _____ * Date of Birth: _____

*Team Member 2: _____ * Date of Birth: _____

*Team Member 3: _____ * Date of Birth: _____

Entry Fee: \$25 each (Limited Space! Only 30 slots available!)

Applications are accepted on first come first served basis. Space is limited. Mail, fax or email application to reserve team entry via fax: 575-746-1686 or email: dvgrousnick@yahoo.com. Team registration is complete once application and payment have been received. This is an all weather event. Applicants agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the HollyFrontier/Navajo Refining Smokin' on the Pecos Kids' Q Competition.

Payment: Please make checks payable to Smokin' On the Pecos. Please submit Entry Forms and Payment to: Smokin' On the Pecos ~ PO Box 924, Artesia NM 88211. Teams are officially registered once entry & payment is received. Applications are accepted on first come, first served basis. Space is limited. This is an all weather event. No refunds applicable once teams are officially registered.

*Team Advisor's Signature: _____

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

Must be signed. In consideration of Smokin On the Pecos organizers accepting this entry. I, the above-signed, intending to be legally bound, hereby for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators waive and release any and all claims, rights of action and demands for personal injury, property, consequential and other damages whatsoever which may arise out of the activity/event set forth herein. This release shall be for the benefit of the Eddy County Fair Association, HollyFrontier/Navajo Refining, and Smokin' On the Pecos event, their representatives, successors and assigns for any and all injuries suffered by me or any member of my Team at this event. Further, I hereby grant full permission to the Smokin' On The Pecos and /or their authorized agents, to use my photographs, videotapes, motion pictures, recordings and any other record of this event for any legitimate purpose. I further agree to accept all conditions set forth and to abide by the rules and regulations of The Navajo Refining Smokin' On the Pecos Kids' Q as defined.



2020 Smokin' on the Pecos Kids' Q Event

Presented by:



The HollyFrontier/Navajo Refining Smokin' On the Pecos Kids' Q Event challenges the next generation of BBQ competitors to practice and refine their BBQ talent, and to see who has the best Kids' Q in Southeastern NM. Each team will consist of no more than three individuals & one supervisor (18+). Teams will compete by age in one of the three age divisions (6-8), (9-11) and (12-15). All team members must be in the same age division. Rules state that an adult (at least 18 yrs. old) must accompany the children, but the children will have to do all of the preparation, seasoning & cooking on their own. **If boning or sectioning of a meat is required, an adult may help in the boning or sectioning of the meat only.** Judges will award prizes from 1st to 3rd places in each age division for this event. Each team will be provided with a table-top BBQ Grill, charcoal and competition space.

Entries: Kids' Q entries are as follows:

Division 1: (Ages 6-8): Cooks' Creation using ground meat (not limited to ground beef - purchased ground or fresh ground on-site)

Division 2: (Ages 9-11): "Cooks' Choice," submit your team's BBQ specialty!

Division 3: (Ages 12-15): Choose Chicken or Ribs (you are training to transition into Backyard BBQ and ultimately Professional Competition!)

Entries will be judged on: (1) Appearance (2) Taste (3) Tenderness

Awards:

1st – 3rd Place Awards in each age division

Rules and Regulations

1. No motorized vehicles will be allowed in competition area.
2. Competitors will have a **Cooks' meeting at 1:30 pm, Friday June 26** in the Judges' Building.
3. The entry fee to participate in the Navajo Refining Smokin' On the Pecos Kid's Q BBQ Event is \$25.00 per entry, per team
4. Each participating team will receive 1 (one) 9"x 9" numbered Styrofoam judging container for turn-in;
5. Team participants must all be within the same age division;
6. An Adult (over the age of 18) must be present on-site at all times (from set up to tear down for each participating team). Any team not under adult supervision will be disqualified;
7. All BBQ Grills will be lit by a Smokin' On the Pecos Official only.
8. Teams **MUST** use provided Grills and Charcoal— Ingredients for competition entry are the responsibility of the Teams. Each team will turn-in at least six (6) pieces of their cooked entry, using the provided numbered Styrofoam judging container; **Entry must fit in the 9"x9" provided Styrofoam container**
9. Each team will be assigned a numbered cooking space, and is asked to keep their equipment (i.e. Grill, chairs, ice chest, and BBQ equipment) within their designated area;
10. A mandatory "**Cooks Meeting**" will be held at 1:30 pm Friday afternoon; **all teams and team members must be present to compete.**
11. Teams must clean, prepare, and cook their entry at their assigned cooking site, and meat must be held on ice at a temperature of **40 degrees or less** prior to cooking; meat and produce ingredients must be held in separate coolers.
12. 9"x9" Styrofoam turn-in containers will be provided to each team at the 1:30 pm "Cooks Meeting";
13. Team participants must do all preparations, seasoning and cooking of their entry. The supervising adult may only assist in the sectioning of any meat and any emergency dealings with the lit or hot BBQ pits. Adult participation outside of these boundaries will cause the entire team to be disqualified;
14. Teams must hold their cooked items at a temperature of 140 degrees (F) or higher until turn in;
15. The **official turn in time will be 4:25 – 4:35 pm.** No late entries will be accepted;
16. Each team must turn in a minimum of six (6) pieces of their cooked entry in the numbered container with garnish; Only the entry and garnish are allowed in the turn in box;
17. The judging for this event will be in accordance with Kansas City BBQ Society judging procedures to ensure the integrity of the event. Judges for this event will be certified KCBS Judges; All decisions by the "Judges" are final;
18. Judging scores will be tabulated in accordance with KCBS Judging Procedures and awards will be presented from 1st – 3rd places in each age division. The HollyFrontier/Navajo Refining Smokin' on the Pecos Kid's Q Awards will be presented Friday evening, in the Judges' Building at 8:30 p.m.
19. Each team is responsible for the clean-up of their assigned cooking area; grey water disposal in tree wells; trash and hot ash disposal in designated containers placed within The Navajo Refining Smokin' On the Pecos Kid's Q area.
20. Failure to follow any of these rules will cause for disqualification of the team.
21. Each team is expected to **HAVE A GREAT TIME!**