

Rock 'N Ribfest

2012

**New Hampshire State
Grilling and Barbeque
Championships**

Barbeque Championship Sanctioned by the
Kansas City Barbeque Society

Grilling Championship Sanctioned by the New
England Barbeque Society

Presented by:

The Rotary Club of Nashua West
at the Anheuser-Busch Brewery

Merrimack, NH

(Just north of Nashua, NH - 55 minutes from Boston.
Between Exits 10 and 11 on the Everett Turnpike/ Route 3)

Friday, June 15, 2012

Saturday, June 16, 2012

Sunday, June 17, 2012

Official Ribfest web site: www.rotaryribfest.org

Official Entry Form, NH State Grilling and BBQ Championship Contests

Team Name: _____

Chief Cook: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

on Team: (4 Team Members are allowed free admission to Ribfest) _____

Entry Fees:

For New England Barbeque Society or KCBS Members: \$ 200.00

NEBS or KCBS member on the team _____

For Non-NEBS/KCBS Members: \$ 225.00

Electrical hookup for site Free

Water hookup (must provide hose) Free

Total Amount Enclosed _____

Make checks payable to Rotary Club of Nashua West and mail to:

Colleen Westcott
One Landing Road
Hampton NH 03842

***Competitors will need proof of auto insurance for the vehicles bought onto the Ribfest competition grounds at Anheuser-Busch. Please include copy of your insurance with this entry form.**

Liability Waiver

The Rotary Club of Nashua West (Herein after known as event sponsor), and Anheuser-Busch Brewery (Herein known as event host), including its members, officers, sponsors, and/or associates and the contestants, including parents, and or legal representatives, agree that the event sponsor, and event host, will in no case be responsible for any loss, damage or entrant's injury regardless of how much loss, damage, or injury is occasioned, and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the event sponsor and event host from any and all claims, suits or judgments including the cost of defense of any claim arising from such action against the event sponsor event host. Furthermore, I hereby grant full permission to the event sponsor and event host, and/or their agents to use any photographs, videotape, or any other record of this event for legitimate purposes.

I have read and understand and agree to abide by all NEBS and KCBS rules governing the Rock 'N Ribfest NH State Grilling Contest and NH State BBQ Contest presented by the event sponsor.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____

Team Name: _____

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Entrance and Exit

Entry to the grounds is STRONGLY preferred to be before we have a crowd. Crowds will be on site from 4 P.M. until 11 P.M. on Friday. That means we can easily accommodate arrivals between 10:00am and 3:00pm on Friday the 15th, and before 9:30 A.M. on Saturday the 16th. First come, first serve on choice of sites, but they are all good – approximately 20' by 40'. Vehicles will be permitted to stay in the competition area only if they fit within the assigned sites. Others will have to be parked outside the Ribfest area. Fire lanes around the Competition area must be open at all times. You can make your electric and water hookups when you arrive. Ice will be available for sale by the bag.

Departure will be after the Ribfest closes at 4 P.M. on Sunday, the 17th. If possible, teams MAY be allowed to leave through the back gate after winners and prizes are presented, but this will depend on crowd congestion and coordination with Anheuser Busch security.

Support for Rotary Charities

You are encouraged to support our fund-raising by buying your beer at our concession stand. We are sponsoring this event to raise money for Rotary charities, and appreciate your patronage.

Remember, Anheuser Busch is our host. No alcoholic beverages made by their competitors can be in view.

Cookers Information

The NEBS Grilling Rules for Open Garnish apply to the Grilling Competition on Saturday. A copy is available at the NEBS web site
http://www.nebs.org/images/NEBSdocuments/2009_nebs_grilling_rules.pdf

2012 KCBS rules apply to Sunday's Barbeque contest. A rulebook may be obtained from the KCBS web site. <http://www.kcbs.us/downloads/2009KCBSCooksHandbook.pdf>.

Prizes

Trophies and cash prizes will be awarded for Grand Champions and Reserve Champions each day, and for each first through third places in each category. Medallions and prize money will be awarded for fourth and fifth places.

Judges

Judges will be given free entry to the Ribfest grounds. Those interested in judging should contact Kathleen Dakai at Kathleendakai@aol.com to get on the official list.

Saturday: Grilling Contest

Grilling entries must follow NEBS Open Garnish rules.

Burgers

Pizza. Be creative. [Pizza Boxes will be provided for entries]

Sausage. Wide variety of possible choices here.. Yum, yum..

Dessert

7:00 Gates open.

8:00 Meat inspection for Saturday and Sunday begins

9:30 Last permitted drive-in arrival. Teams arriving later may have to hand-carry their equipment in. We cannot drive through the crowds.

10:00 Cooks Meeting for Saturday

11:00 Judges Meeting

12:00 Burgers turn-in

12:30 Pizza turn-in

1:00 Sausage turn-in

1:30 Dessert turn-in

2:00 Meat inspection for Sunday continues at the convenience of the meat inspectors

4:00 (Approximately) Awards ceremony

7:00 P.M. Cooks Meeting for Sunday

Sunday: KCBS Barbeque Contest

The contest is sanctioned by the Kansas City Barbecue Society and has been declared a New Hampshire State Barbecue Championship by the Honorable John Lynch, Governor of the State of New Hampshire.

11:00 Judges Meeting

12:00 Chicken turn-in

12:30 Pork Ribs turn-in

1:00 Pork Butt/Shoulder turn-in

1:30 Beef Brisket turn-in

4:00 (Approximately) Awards presentation.

Questions:

Email: colleenwestcott@yahoo.com

Make checks payable to "Rotary Club of Nashua West" and mail with entry form and liability waiver to:

Colleen Westcott

One Landing Road

Hampton NH 03842

Any changes to arrival, set-up, and breakdown instructions with schedules will be sent to you when your payment, entry form, and signed liability waivers have been received.

Cooking Site Information.

- * Sites will be 20 x 40.
- Sites assignment will be on a first-come, first-serve basis
- * Water will be available for free (you must provide hoses and Y-connectors)
- * Ice will be available on site at a nominal cost.
- * Trash must be removed by each competitor. Dumpsters are available.
- * Outdoor restroom facilities will be available
- * Please bring 100' of extension cord if you desire a hookup for free electricity.
- * Please bring separate containers for grease and ashes. We will have barrels available.
- * Sanitation (Wash, rinse, disinfect) will be checked at meat inspection on **both** days of the contest
- * Proper storage of meat is required. It must be maintained below 40F or above 140F
- * Proper handling of food is required. Vinyl or latex gloves should be used.
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- * Our hosts, Anheuser Busch have requested that no vehicles be on the site outside of the assigned sites. You may park them in a lot outside the grounds after unloading so they will be available for running errands. Special access will be allowed on Sunday to bring your vehicles back in for loading. THANK YOU FOR COOPERATING WITH THIS RULE
- * When leaving, Please leave your areas perfectly clean. All trash should be moved to the dumpsters before you depart. No litter should be left in the Competition Area... and definitely no ashes are to be dumped onto the ground and left there. What you don't pickup, Pete will have to so we can pass the Anheuser Busch inspection – and he is too old to spend Sunday evening picking up after you. I know that everyone is in a hurry to get home on Sunday, BUT please cooperate on this... THANK YOU..

Some Lodging and Restaurant options:

Days Inn - 242 Daniel Webster Highway (1/2 mile from brewery) - (603) 429-4600

Residence Inn - 246 Daniel Webster Highway (1/2 mile from brewery) - (603) 424-8100

Fairfield Inn - 4 Amherst Road (1.5 miles from brewery) - (603) 424-7500