



## **Hawgin' On Lanier Kids Que Team Info**

### **What is Kids Que?**

Kids Que is a competition where age groups of either 6-10, 11-15, or both combined, will compete against others in a category called "Chef's Choice." What is "Chef's Choice?" Chef's Choice is the term used to describe the turn in based off the meat selected by the contest organizer of the competition as the sole Kids Que meat for turn ins. For Hawgin' On Lanier, the meat of choice is ground beef. Each team will be given one pound (1lbs) of ground beef for them to create whatever they'd like for their ground beef turn in. Remember, Chef's Choice means you can turn in anything so long as its main component is the selected meat. So, in our contest, your child could turn in, for example, cheeseburgers, sliders, smoked meatloaf, meat balls, spaghetti, etc.

### **What is being provided for the kids to use?**

We will provide three things: the grill, the meat, and the turn in boxes. Turn in boxes will be handed out on Friday evening at the Cooks' Meeting in the judging tent. Everything else is up to teams. This includes utensils, ingredients, garnishes, etc. The grills we are providing are REC TEC pellet grills which will be shared by two teams per grill in order to facilitate the Kids Que competition. There is no need for teams to provide their own wood pellets to feed the grills.

### **How much do we need to cook?**

Kids Que teams will need to cook enough to be able to provide six (6) equal portions for judging.

### **What can we use on our meat for turn in?**

Again, Chef's Choice. Anything goes, so long as you do not use any artificial electric heat source such as cook tops, ovens, etc. (other than the electric smoker you're being provided).

### **When are we allowed to begin? When/Where is turn in?**

Kids Que teams will be located at the REC TEC Grills coral area, next to the judging tent. Teams can begin preparing and cooking their meats at noon on Saturday. Turn in for Kids Que is at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday in the Judging Tent.

**All Kids Que teams will receive a medal during the awards on Saturday afternoon**