



Baytown Fair and Rodeo Chuck Wagon Cook Off

May 18 & 19, 2012 at Baytown Fairgrounds 7900 N. Main St., Baytown, TX 77521

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Entry Form (Please Print)

Wagon Name: _____

Names of wagon crew (maximum of 4, including head cook)

Head Cook: _____

Crew: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

The \$150 entry fee is refundable after completion of the competition. As a token of our appreciation each wagon will receive \$100 show up money. Make checks payable to Baytown Youth Fair and remit to Steve Watkins 5611 W.C.B. Lynchburg, Baytown, TX 77521. Credit Cards accepted (credit card will not be debited unless you fail to show up to cook). **Entry Deadline is April 16, 2012.**

The Baytown Youth Fair Chuck Wagon Cook Off Committee, its sponsors and volunteers will not be liable for theft, damage, or accidents. By signing below, you and your team acknowledge you have read and understand the rules and will follow them during the cook-off, and the failure to abide by the rules at anytime will subject your wagon and crew to be disqualified from the event.

YOU WILL BE INFORMED UPON RECEIPT AND ACCEPTANCE TO THE COOK-OFF AND YOU WILL THEN RECEIVE CAMPGROUND AND HOTEL INFORMATION FOR THE AREA

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name of Card: _____

Billing Address: _____

Credit Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____ 3 Digit Code: _____

You are invited to the Baytown Fair and Rodeo Chuck Wagon Cook Off



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Entry deadline April 16, 2012

\$3,700 in Prize Money

\$100 Per wagon Show up Allowance

Plaques to all 1st place winners each category

Trophy Buckles to Overall Winners (4) and \$400.00

Wagons Judged by ACWA Judges

Presented by:

Ron Craft Chevrolet

Baytown Fair and Livestock Association

Baytown Fairgrounds

7900 North Main St., Baytown, TX 77521

Contact: Steve Watkins (713)851-0183

Email: swatkins5611@yahoo.com



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Entry

- Mail entry form and registration fee of \$150 to Baytown Youth Fair c/o Steve Watkins , 5611 W. C. B. Lynchburg, Baytown, TX 77521. You will receive a full refund at the completion of the event for your participation.
- Deadline to submit registration is April 16, 2012 to confirm number of participating wagons for supply order and to allow pre-sale tickets to the public.

Location of Event & Contact Information

- The event is held at the Baytown Youth Fairgrounds in conjunction with the Baytown Youth Fair and Livestock Show.
- Contact information – Steve Watkins (713)851-0183 or Mailing address 5611 W. C. B. Lynchburg, Baytown, TX 77521

Cook Off Judging

- Judging will be coordinated by Steve Watkins
- Food will be judged on taste and appearance of meal
- Each category will be judged separately
- Teams will submit entire meal at one time in separate containers to be judged
- Each category will have three judges: Meat, cobbler, potatoes, beans and bread
- Once food has been submitted to the judging area the wagons may begin serving the public

Dinner Categories & Prizes

Category	1 st	2 nd	3 rd
Best Meat	\$300	\$200	\$100
Best Bread	\$300	\$200	\$100
Best Cobbler	\$300	\$200	\$100
Best Potatoes	\$300	\$200	\$100
Best Beans	\$300	\$200	\$100

Special Awards

Awards	1 st Place Each Category a Plaque
Best Wagon	Plaque and \$300
Overall Food/Wagon	4 Buckles and \$400

Cook Off Rules

- No Prepared sauces or tenderizers
- Bread dish may be loaf bread, biscuits, sourdough
- No butane or gas stoves permitted
- All wagons should plan to furnish 50 meals
- No pan liners are permitted
- Wagons must provide their own cooking wood
- With an exception for the handicapped, no animals or motorized vehicles allowed in the cook –off area.



Rules And Regs

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Thank you for joining with the Baytown Fair and Rodeo Chuck Wagon Cook Off in Baytown, Texas May 18 – 19, 2012

General Rules:

1. The first 14 entries will be accepted. The others will be returned. Checks for entry fee will be held until the event.
2. Team entries must be received by April 16, 2012. We will confirm your acceptance via e-mail.
3. Each wagon will receive \$100.00 show up money if they actually compete.
4. Wagons must be in place and fully setup by 3:00 pm Friday, May 18th. Wagons will be judged at 3:00 pm Friday, May 18th. Wagons may break down after 10:00 pm Saturday, May 19th, but are welcome to stay until Sunday.
5. BYF will not be liable for theft, damage or accidents that might occur.

Site Rules:

1. Wagon and site judges will be ACWA judges.
2. For sites and wagons, American Chuck Wagon Association rules apply.
3. Wagons will choose their spot in the order they arrive at the cook off site.
4. Teams may dig fire holes but must be refilled and the sod returned before awards presentation.
5. Cooking teams are expected to dress in clothing of the trail drive period.
6. Team may remain in the “wagon camp” overnight tents and teepees only. Chuck wagon Teams are welcome to bring RV and stay at Fairgrounds in designated area. There is no electricity or sewer hook ups, so bring a generator.
7. Vehicles and trailers will not remain in the wagon camp after 3 pm Friday.

Site Rules continued:

8. No advertising is allowed in the wagon camp except that provided by BYF.
9. Wagon sites must be left clean of any trash. All fire pits must have fires extinguished and sod replaced and tamped down.

Cooking Rules:

1. Food to be prepared are: chicken fried steak, beans, potatoes (no potato salad), bread (no cornbread) and peach dessert.
2. Basic ingredients for food preparation are furnished. Cooks furnish their own seasonings.
3. All cooking must be done on site, over wood fires and in cast iron Dutch ovens or frying pans.
4. Pan liners are NOT allowed.
5. The use of cheese, commercial boxed mixes or sauces, frozen foods, mayonnaise, mushrooms or sour cream is NOT allowed. These items observed in a wagon site are grounds for disqualification.
6. Each wagon must provide its own firewood. NO propane stoves or metal fireboxes are allowed. Conversation wood will be provided.
7. Each team will have a Head Cook and 3 assistants.
8. Each team should bring a food thermometer, bleach and ice chests. Each team may bring water for use in cooking.

Judging:

1. Pre-numbered containers for submitting food for judging are provided.
2. Food to be presented for judging consists of chicken fried steak, beans, potatoes, bread and peach dessert.
3. Food to be presented for judging must be delivered to main building between 4:45 pm and 5:00 pm on Saturday.
4. Event personnel will deliver food samples to a restricted area for judging by a closely supervised set of volunteers.
5. Each food category will rank each team as 1 – the last wagon.

Prize Money:

1. Prizes – 1st place in each category receives a plaque. Overall Champion will received Trophy Buckles (4 each)
2. Prize money will pay \$300 for 1st, \$200 for 2nd and \$100 for 3rd places.
3. All Ties will be resolved by the judges.

5:00 pm Meal For Public:

1. Each wagon is expected to prepare food for and to serve up to 50 guests, with gravy. (BYF will supply everything for gravy.)
2. Containers and plastic ware will be provided to serve the guest. Guest may NOT serve themselves.
3. The meal service will begin after all competition food has been turned in (5:00 pm)

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Join us for the following activities on-site while you are at the
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Friday, May 18th

Baytown Youth Fair Live Auction	5:00 pm
Jr. Bull Riding	8:00 pm

Saturday, May 19th

CBR Championship Bull Riding	7:30 pm
Concert with Wade Bowen	9:30 pm