



Nisswa's 14th Annual Smokin' Hot BBQ Challenge 9/21/19

We Invite You to Join Us Saturday, September 21, 2019 for the 14th Annual Smokin' Hot BBQ Challenge & 46th Annual Nisswa Fall Festival Celebration

Please complete the attached application form and send it back to us for your entry into the 14th Annual **Nisswa Smokin' Hot BBQ Challenge**. We really hope you'll join us! We've included a tentative schedule for the day and as you can see, we have lots of things going on! Don't forget about the Pancake Breakfast and RUN for HOPE 5k/10k run! The evening activities include live outdoor music and of course – the BBQ CONTEST!

You'll see on your BBQ application that you may pre-pay for the Pancake Breakfast. The regular cost for the Pancake Breakfast is \$8 per person. BBQ competitors may pre-pay and get the Pancake Breakfast for just \$5 per person. You don't have to pre-pay, you can decide the morning of the contest, but if it works better for you to take care of it all at once; we're giving you that option!

You also have the option to pre-pay for VIP BBQ tickets. For \$30 per person you will get the VIP Package (see enclosed flyer for details). If you like, you may order it all at one time and return with your completed BBQ Entry Form.

INCENTIVE: Register your team by **June 3, 2019** & receive **2 complimentary** Pancake Breakfast passes.

If you have any questions, please contact the Nisswa Chamber at 218-963-2620. Or email Holly Holm (holly@nisswa.com) or Heidi Kraemer (heidi@nisswa.com).

THE BASICS:

- Ribs – Ribs – Ribs!
- Maximum of 6 person team
- Maximum of 30 teams for contest
- Cooking space is 20' x 20' (larger rigs will be placed by Festival Committee where space allows)
 - You must supply your own tables for your cooking space
 - You may rent tables from us if you need them: \$15/each
- Cook by any of these methods: gas, wood, charcoal (electric is not provided)
- Rib prep will be held Friday, September 20, 2019 from 4 pm – 8 pm
 - Prep tables are provided
 - Meat cannot leave the contest site. Once prepped, meat will be stored in a refrigerated trailer overnight. Bring containers for your prepped meat.
 - If a team is unable to prep on Friday, September 20, 2019, prep can be done Saturday, September 21, 2019
- Saturday, September 21, 2019: Smoker & Team Set Up 5:30 – 7:30 am
 - All teams must be checked in and in place by 7:30 am prior to the start of the RUN for HOPE 5k/10k
 - Water is available by outdoor spigot
 - We ask that each team be able to cook a minimum of 7 racks of ribs
- Meat turn-in for judging on Saturday, September 21, 2019
 - Meat turn-in time is 4 pm
 - Cash payout and trophies will be given by blind judging
- Serving times to public on Saturday, September 21, 2019
 - VIP eating begins at 4:15 pm
 - Trophy and prize will be given by VIP popular vote
 - General eating begins at 4:45 pm
 - Trophy and prize will be given by General popular vote
- Awards Ceremony: 6 pm on Saturday, September 21, 2019



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Team Name: _____

Team Captain: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Mobile Number: _____

Email: _____

Cooking area is 20 feet by 20 feet.

If you need more, indicate how large of a space you need _____

Festival Committee will assign those BBQ'rs needing larger space as mapping of area allows

BBQ placement will be based upon date of received paid entry fee

Entry Fee: \$75.00

I'm entering by June 3rd include 2 free pancake breakfast passes n/a

I'd like to purchase _____ Pancake Breakfast passes @ \$5/each _____

(*day of event, Pancake Breakfast passes are \$8/each)

I'd like to purchase _____ VIP Packages @ \$30/each _____

I need tables. Please order _____ tables for me @ \$15/each _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

ENTRY Deadline: September 9, 2019

***GUARANTEED PRIZE MONEY: 1st place = \$500, 2nd place = \$300, 3rd place = \$200**

***Actual Payout is based on entry fees and may increase depending upon the number competitors that enter – the more competitors - the bigger the purse!**

I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of this contest. Release/Waiver of Liability: In consideration of your accepting this entry, I, the undersigned, intend to be legally bound, hereby for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for the damage I may have against the Nisswa Chamber of Commerce and their agents, successors, sponsors, and assignees for any and all injuries, full permission to the Nisswa Chamber of Commerce and agents authorized by them to use photography, videotapes, motion pictures, recordings or any other record of this event for any legitimate purpose. NO REFUNDS.

Signature of Team Captain _____ Date _____

Send this completed registration form with your entry fee to:
Nisswa Chamber of Commerce | PO Box 185 | Nisswa, MN 56468