



# Cooking with the Vets

BBQ Competition Vender Application & Agreement

March 16th 2024  
Saturday: 11 a.m. - 5 p.m

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Fee: \$100**

Booth Description\*: \_\_\_\_\_

**Size of Space Needed:** (10'x 10' provided. If you need more space than the 10 x 10 then you may purchase additional spots for **\$100 each**. Please note, if needed \_\_\_\_\_.

Space Information: Vendor booth size approximately 10'x 10'

No chairs, tables, tents, extension cords, or signage will be provided by event committee. You must bring all supplies needed for your booth.

**Mail Application with Fee to:**

**OR**

**Email complete application:**

The American Legion Post 42  
P.O. Box 516  
Cartersville, GA 30120

[bbqforvets@gmail.com](mailto:bbqforvets@gmail.com)

(Make checks payable to Carl Boyd Post 42)

**Application Deadline: March 8th 2024**

**Questions: Kristopher Dittrich – (770) 546-6703**

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**GENERAL INFORMATION & AGREEMENT**

Read the following information carefully and sign this Agreement.

By signing this agreement, you acknowledge that you have thoroughly read and agree to the following regulations:

- 1) **All vendors must check in on Friday, August 25th at the American Legion Carl Boyd Post 42 fairgrounds. This will be the staging area and vendors will be instructed as to which spot to set-up their tent/booth. THE AMERICAN LEGION CARL BOYD POST 42 FAIRGROUNDS ARE LOCATED AT 525 MARTIN LUTHER KING JR DRIVE.**
- 2) This is a RAIN OR SHINE event. Advertising, marketing, entertainment, stage and facilities set up and administration costs will be paid by the Event Committee, therefore NO refunds will be issued if the event is cancelled for a reason beyond the control of the Committee.
- 3) An approximately 10' x 10' space will be provided to each vendor. If you request electricity on your application, you must supply your own heavy duty outdoor extension cords with enough plug-ins for your needs.
- 4) Set-up on Friday will begin at 3:00pm. **NO ONE WILL BE ALLOWED TO CHECK IN BEFORE 3:00PM.** To unload vehicle, pull close to assigned space to allow another vehicle passage. Quickly unload, move vehicle/trailer, and return to set-up booth. **DO NOT LEAVE VEHICLE/TRAILER ON SITE WHILE SETTING UP BOOTH SPACE.**
- 5) Event opens at 11am Saturday. Booths must be ready by 10:30 am. All vehicles must be off festival site by 10:30am.
- 6) Vendors must confirm booth number and be directed to their assigned space.
- 7) You **MUST** keep your booth open until 5pm Saturday. **DO NOT BRING VEHICLES ON SITE UNTIL END OF FESTIVAL.**
- 8) Food vendors – **Limit your cooking equipment to either 1 grill & 1 crockpot or 2 crockpots or 2 grills. Breakers will trip if not followed!**
- 9) Sounds systems are not allowed in booths. See a festival organizer about making announcements. Announcements and performances are limited to the event stage. NO generators over 75 decibals.
- 10) Take all trash, papers or boxes to the dumpsters. Do not leave trash in booth space.
- 11) Park in the upper lot. Do not park in front of any booth space.
- 12) The Bartow Home and Memorial and/or American Legion Carl Boyd Post 42 cannot be responsible for the loss or damage of merchandise.
- 13) This event does not allow alcohol of any kind for sale or distribution.
- 14) Please note vendors are responsible for bringing all of their supplies. **\*This includes ICE.\***
- 15) Booth assignments and unloading instructions will be available prior to the event. Many factors are considered when assigning location; such as, electricity needs, tent/covering, type of vendor, and date of application submission. **BEST EFFORTS ARE MADE TO ACCOMMODATE ALL VENDORS; HOWEVER, THE PRIMARY GOAL IS A GOOD EXPERIENCE FOR FESTIVAL ATTENDEES.**
- 16) Liability Waiver and Release: The undersigned does discharge, release, and hold harmless the 2023 Cooking with the Vets BBQ Committee, as well as the Bartow Home and Memorial and/or American Legion Carl Boyd Post 42, and any person or organization affiliated with the event for loss, theft, damage, destruction or non-delivery of goods, display material, or any other effects; or for any injury to self, or your employees in the event area. There are no refunds or rain checks due to inclement weather or cancellations. I also grant permission to the event to use photographs taken of my booth during the festival for promotion of future events. Management reserves the right to remove any exhibitor causing problems to fellow exhibitors, the public, or management. Management reserves the right to make final interpretation of all rules.

By reading this information and signing, you are agreeing to abide by all rules and regulations set forth by the event organizers in the 2023 Cooking with the Vets Backyard BBQ Competition and made a part hereof by reference.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_