



2023 Event Schedule

** Subject to change

Thursday, June 1, 2023

Come join the Thursday fun! Teams can begin arriving Thursday, June 1.

Those competing in the one meat stand alone contest on Friday can check in and have their ribs checked.

Friday, June 2, 2023

- 8am KCBS team check-in begins for four meat contest
- 8am Backyard BBQ team check-in begins
- 8am-4:30pm F.A.T. Friday Chili Challenge contestant check-in
- 2pm Cook's Meeting (mandatory) – Nordby Exhibit Hall Inside
- 3pm Judges for rib contest check in **by** 3 pm
- 4pm KCBS Rib Contest - Ribs turn-in at Nordby Exhibit Hall
- 5:30pm Chili Challenge contestants must be ready to serve chili
- 5:30pm F.A.T. Friday Chili Tasting (People's Choice) – BBQ area
- 7:15pm Rib Contest and Chili Cook-Off Awards – BBQ Area
- 11pm-7am Quiet Time in Cooking Area

Saturday, June 3, 2023

- 7am Free Breakfast-Teams (BBQ Headquarters Tent)
- 9:30am Judges check-in – Nordby Exhibit Hall
- 10:30am Judges Meeting – Nordby Exhibit Hall
- 12pm Chicken turn-in
- 12:30pm Ribs turn-in
- 1pm Pork turn-in
- 1:30pm Brisket turn-in
- 1:40pm Pork and Brisket turn-in for Backyard BBQ at BBQ Tent (Time subject to change.)
- 2pm Turkey Smoke: KCBS Turkey Ancillary turn-in at Nordby Exhibit Hall
- 2pm Backyard BBQ contestants must be ready to serve meats
- 2 pm Turkey and Lamb turn-in for Backyard BBQ at BBQ Tent (Time subject to change.)
- 2pm-3:30pm Backyard BBQ People's Choice Begins – BBQ Area
- 4:15pm Awards – BBQ Area