

## Events Schedule

### Thursday, September 9

6 PM–8 PM Early Team Check In (no electricity service until Friday)

### Friday, September 10

9 AM–6 PM Team Check In; No vehicles allowed after 6PM.

5 PM–11 PM Beer Garden Opens

5 PM–11 PM Buck-a-Bone Contestant Sample Sales

5:15 PM Drawing for Battle BBQ Challenge Finalist (two teams)

5:30 PM Kid-Q Meeting and Container Pickup

6 PM – 11 PM Free Entertainment featuring local bands

6 PM Cooks' Meeting and Container Pickup

7 PM–8 PM Battle BBQ Challenge Competition

### Saturday, September 11

7:30–9:30 AM Lamar's donuts and coffee served by Radiant Health Spa

9:30 AM Judges' Check In

10 AM–3 PM Buck-a-Bone Contestant Sample Sales

10 AM–3 PM Beer Garden Opens

11 AM–3 PM Music and Entertainment on the Main Stage

11:30 AM–3 PM BBQ Judging

4 PM–5 PM Turn in Buck-a-Bone tickets to Information Booth

4 PM BBQ Awards Ceremony

5 PM Exiting the contest (*vehicle movement not allowed on grounds before 5PM*)

#### Contact Information

Blue Springs Barbeque Blaze-Off  
Blue Springs Parks & Recreation Department  
903 West Main Street  
Blue Springs, MO 64015

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Website: [www.bluespringsblazeoff.com](http://www.bluespringsblazeoff.com)  
To register online to go  
[www.bluespringsgov.com/parks](http://www.bluespringsgov.com/parks)

## 27th Annual Blue Springs



## State Championship Barbeque Contest September 10 & 11, 2010 Blue Springs, Missouri

Hidden Valley Park Sports Complex, 6500 NW Valley View Rd  
Free Shuttle Service Friday 5PM–Midnight

### Events Include:

- Buck-a-Bone – where contestants sell BBQ!
  - KCBS Sanctioned Contest
  - Sausage & Dessert Categories
  - \$10,000 in Cash Awards
- “Battle BBQ Challenge” Charity Competition on Friday Night!
  - Kid-Q Event
  - Music & Entertainment

# Official Entry Form

## 2010 Blue Springs Barbeque Blaze-Off

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Chief Cook \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: Day \_\_\_\_\_ Night \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Standard entry fee is \$150 for one space (size is approximately 27' x 18') and entry in all 4 categories listed below. There will be an additional fee of \$10 each for sausage, Kid's Q and dessert. The team spaces will be located in a paved parking lot. Teams will be located in the available team spaces in the order that they are received.

Check categories entering:  Pork Ribs  Chicken  Pork Shoulder or Butt  Beef Brisket

Extra categories entering: (addtl \$10 ea)  Sausage  Dessert  Kid's Q

Check here if you would like a **Team Space Size A** (approximately 27' x 18') for \$150.00

Check here if you would like a **Team Space Size B** (approximately 45' x 18') for \$225.00

Check here if you would like **electricity**. A limited number of electrical hookups are available for an additional \$25 (20 amp circuit maximum)

Team Space Location Requests (1st, 2nd, 3rd choice – must be paid by July 30, to guarantee)

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Check here if you will have an **RV** in your booth space(s) and indicate total length and type:

\_\_\_\_\_

Check here if you would like to enter the drawing to compete in "BATTLE BBQ CHALLENGE" (\$10/entry)

Check here if you would like to sell barbeque. The **Buck-a-Bone** fee is \$50.00 (license fee) and .20/ticket sold.

Check here for **2010 Blaze-Off T-Shirts** (\$15, \$20 XXL and larger) Circle size: M, L, XL, 2X, 3X (Size 4X must be pre-ordered)

Check here and fill in names of one or more **Kid Q** participants. Meat can be either beef or chicken and is provided by contestant.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Check here if your team qualifies for the **Home Town Team Award**. (Chief Cook must be a resident of Blue Springs)

**ENTRY DEADLINE IS AUGUST 20, 2010. TEAM ENTRIES LIMITED TO SPACE AVAILABILITY**

### Release—Waiver of Liability

In consideration of your accepting this entry, I, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against the City of Blue Springs, Missouri, the Blue Springs BBQ Blaze-Off Committee, their representatives, sponsors, successors, and assigns for any and all injuries suffered by me in this event.

Further, I hereby grant full permission to the City of Blue Springs, Missouri, and/or the Blue Springs BBQ Blaze-Off Committee and/or sponsors, and/or agents authorized by them to use any photographs, videotapes, motion pictures, recordings or any other record of this event for any legitimate purpose.

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Signature of Chief Cook

Entry Fee—A Space (\$150)	_____
Entry Fee—B Space (\$225)	_____
T Shirts (\$15 or \$20 ea)	_____
Electrical (\$25)	_____
Sausage (\$10)	_____
Dessert (\$10)	_____
Kid's Q (\$10)	_____
Battle BBQ Challenge (____ x\$10 ea=)	_____
Total Enclosed	_____

Make checks payable to "Barbeque Blaze-Off Committee of Blue Springs", (mail to 903 W. Main St, Blue Springs, MO 64015)

## CONTESTS

Friday,  
Saturday

7:00 PM  
11:30 AM  
12 Noon  
12:30 PM  
1:00 PM  
1:30 PM  
2:00 PM  
2:30 PM

Iron Chef Battle BBQ Challenge  
Kid-Q (turn in at Judging Area)  
Chicken  
Pork Ribs  
Pork Butt or Shoulder  
Beef Brisket  
Sausage  
Dessert

The Blue Springs Barbecue Blaze-Off is sanctioned by the Kansas City Barbeque Society (KCBS). Go to [ww.kcbs.us](http://ww.kcbs.us) for the contest rules. Although competition will be held in six categories, only brisket, pork, chicken, and pork ribs will count toward the overall Grand Championship. Cash prizes in the amount of \$10,000 will be divided among the first through 10th place finishers in the six categories and a Grand and Reserve Grand Champion. And don't forget to show your spirit! The team voted "Most Enthusiastic" will also receive an award. Our 2010 Contest Theme is **BATTLE BBQ CHALLENGE—Let the Smokin' Begin!**

The entries for the dessert category must be assembled onsite. Any garnishes are acceptable for dessert category. All entries may be presented in the 9"x9" Styrofoam container provided or a single container no larger than 18" round or square and all servings must be identical.

## BUCK-A-BONE

Missouri's original Buck-a-Bone is back again this year! Any contestant may choose to sell food to the public for Buck-a-Bone tickets. No cash sales are allowed. Contestants can sell food of their choice—samples, full plates of BBQ, side dish, dessert – priced at one or more Buck-a-Bone tickets. One ticket is equivalent to \$1.00 We suggest you price samples at one ticket and sell full plates for five or six tickets. The Buck-a-Bone tickets will be sold at Ticket Exchange Booths located on site. For each \$1 ticket redeemed for food, the barbeque team receives .80 and the Blue Springs Community Services League receives .20. Containers to collect tickets at your booth will be provided. A health license fee of \$50 will be deducted from your proceeds. You may obtain a pamphlet called the *Guideline for Temporary Food Facilities* from the Environmental Health Division of the Jackson County Health Department by calling 816.881.4634.

Meat for selling may be brought to the contest pre-cooked. The Buck-a-Bone public sale hours will be Friday 5-11PM and Saturday 10AM-4PM. Turn in your ticket container and reimbursement form at the Information Booth between 4-5PM on Saturday. Your tickets will be counted and you will be reimbursed for 80% of the amount collected, less the \$50 Health Department fee. You will receive a reimbursement check within three weeks of the event. Last year's contestant payout was over \$9,000 to 15 teams.

## BATTLE BBQ CHALLENGE

The Battle BBQ Challenge takes place on Friday night, September 10, from 7-8PM. To enter this drawing, Contestants purchase a \$10 chance to become one of two finalists. Purchase as many chances as desired. Representatives from these two teams will battle against each other for the title of the First Blue Springs Battle BBQ Challenge! Teams will have one hour to prepare three separate dishes using the secret ingredient for judging. Pantry items, grill and secret ingredient will be provided. Final teams may consist of Chef and three team members. Five local judges will determine the winner. Proceeds from the battle will go to prizes and our local charity.

## KID-Q

The Kid-Q consists of 2 age categories (5-10 years and 11-15 years). There is a \$10 charge for this event. KCBS contest rules apply. Contestants are to provide their own contest meat – either beef or chicken (any piece). Judging time is 11:30AM and awards will be presented at approximately 4PM on Saturday. Ribbons will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each age category and a cash award will be presented to the overall Grand Kid-Q Champion.