

Beach Assembly of God's Annual Grill-off Competition



Calling all Grill Masters!

Join us for a friendly competition showcasing your grilling skills. Let's see who can create the tastiest, most visually appealing, and most creative grilled meat dish!

The Fun:

- **Meats:** Chicken, Pork, and Beef (*any cuts*)
- **Preparation Time:** 2-8 hours depending on your chosen meat.
- **Judging Criteria:**
 - Taste: The flavor of the meat, including the marinade, rub, and sauce (if included), overall texture of the meat to include fluid retention and tenderness. **40%**
 - Appearance: The overall presentation of your dish including evenness of cooking. **40%**
 - Creativity: The originality of flavors used in preparation of your dish. **20%**
- **People's Choice Award:** Attendees vote for their favorite dish!

The Rules:

- **Registration:** [Register by November 13th, 2024](#).

- **Ingredients:** Use your own marinades, rubs, and sauces. Pre-marination at home is allowed, but grilling must be done on-site. .
- **Equipment:** Charcoal or gas grills only (no electric). Bring your own grill, charcoal or propane, and necessary tools. Ensure your grilling area is safe with a readily accessible fire extinguisher. A first-aid kit will be available on-site, but you may bring your own.
- **Cleanup:** Each grill master is responsible for cleaning their own area.
- **Sample Submission:**
 - Judges' portions (**3 oz each, totaling 9 oz**) by **4:15 pm**.
 - People's Choice samples with toothpicks on platters (**enough for 50-70 people**) by **4:40-4:55 pm** to Brandon Smith/assistants.

The Logistics:

- **Date:** Sunday, November 17th
- **Location:** Beach Assembly left side parking lot.
- **Schedule:**
 - Set up anytime in the morning (*check-in as early as 6 am*).
 - Start grilling as early as **7 am**.
 - Assigned grilling spots (one spot = two parking spaces).
 - Parking: Unload first, then park in designated areas (avoid elderly/handicapped spots).
- **Samples:** Enough meat for judges (9 oz total) and enough for People's Choice voting (blind voting).
- **Presentation:** Display your meat on a clean plate or platter. Sauces on the side are optional, but clearly label if for presentation or consumption.

The Conduct:

- Sportsmanship is key! Unruly behavior will lead to disqualification.
- **Blind Judging:** No revealing who cooked what. It's based solely on taste.

The Prizes:

- **1st Place Trophy:** Judged by a panel using the outlined criteria. Defend your title next year!
- **People's Choice Award:** Awarded to the crowd's favorite dish (determined by tasting tickets), served at our Friendsgiving Dinner at 5 pm in the sanctuary.

Will you impress the **judges** or the **crowd**? The choice is yours!

Questions?

Contact Brandon Smith at (910)368-7029 or Bmcturner@gmail.com.

Let's grill, eat, and celebrate together!