



EXHIBITION: MARCH 14-16
EDUCATION: MARCH 13-15
KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON
CONVENTION CENTER
DALLAS, TX
HPBExpo.com

Big Green Egg Texas Cook-off Competition

March 14, 2019

5:00 pm – 6:45 pm (must be onsite by 3:30pm)

Outdoor Burn Area – HPBExpo Big Green Egg Cook-off Tent

Lot C – Kay Bailey Hutchinson Convention Center



- Max of six retail company teams to compete from different regions in US and Canada
- All retailer teams are to bring their ingredients needed for the judge's plates, which HPBA will reimburse up to \$400. This can include any sauces, marinades, spices, etc.
- Retailer teams are not allowed to bring any precooked food. All food must be prepared on the Big Green Eggs. All prep must happen during competition.
- Each retailer team can consist of a total of two representatives from their company to participate and compete.
- Each team will have two grills to use that will be preheated. Proper time will be allotted for training on usage of the eggs.
- Each team will have up to an hour to prepare 4 plates (one for each of the three judges and a beauty plate for photos) along with some bite size samples to disperse to the attendees. Out of the budget provided, \$200 should go towards ingredients for judge's plates and \$200 towards samples.
- Each team will draw a number to determine the timing that their plates, for the judges, must be turned in.
- Plates will be turned in by teams in 5-minute intervals based on their number (team drawing #1 to turn in their plate first and team with #6 to turn in their plate last) starting at 6:00 pm. The last chef will turn their plates in to judges at 6:30 pm.
- Announcement of winner and presentation of award will take place at 6:35 pm.
- The cook-off ends approx. around 6:45 pm.
- Teams can provide their own utensils, but a supply of equipment will be provided for usage.
- A cleaning sink area will be in place if needed.
- Teams will be judged based on overall appearance, taste, and tenderness.
- Teams must have company branding/identification on their uniform attire.
- An Emcee will be spending time with the teams during the cook-off.
- Teams must be onsite at 3:30 pm for proper training of equipment and to get set.
- One award will be presented based on judge's votes.

- Winning Team receives two Big Green Eggs along with an award and major bragging rights!