

*2019 Henry County Fair*  
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# GRILLING CONTEST



**SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2019**



**2:00PM - COOK'S MEETING  
3:00PM - STEAK TURN-IN  
3:30PM - PORK CHOP TURN-IN  
4:30PM - RESULTS**

1. This event will be judged by a panel of judges and will be in a "blind judging" format.
2. Each team is encouraged to have some type of fire extinguishing device in their cook site.
3. The Henry County Fair will provide all the Ribeye Steaks and Pork Chops for the event in order to create a level playing field. No other Ribeye Steaks or Pork Chops are allowed at a team's cook site.
4. Teams are subject to random ice chest inspections by any Henry County Fair Representative.
5. Turn in times will be announced at cook's meeting, and will not be changed once announced.
6. Grills may be used by more than one cook.
7. Steak/Pork Chop may be cooked on any fire or heat source.
8. Head Cooks may only have one entry in the Steak and/or Pork Chop category.
9. Steaks should be cooked to Medium(warm pink center) and the Pork Chop to minimum USDA standard of 145 degrees.
10. Steaks/Pork Chops may be lightly trimmed before, but not after cooking.
11. In case of a final results tie, the prize money will be split between the teams. Example: A total tie between two teams for First Place. The prize money from First and Second place will be added up and divided between the cooks. The Henry County Fair representative will flip a coin to decide who gets which trophy.
12. If a team number is called and no one claims the award within one hour after awards, the prize will go unclaimed. The final results will not be affected.
13. All decisions by Henry Co. Fair representatives at an event are final.
14. You will be provided a 10ft.x10ft. space for your cooking area and 2 turn-in boxes for your entries. All other items will be up to the cook to bring.
15. Cooking area set-up any time after 10:00am on Saturday, June 29, 2019.
16. No marking, shaping or forming of turn-in box.
17. Steaks/Pork Chops may not be marked or branded in any way. (Grill marks are not considered to be marking)
18. Turn in one Steak/Pork Chop, whole and uncut, on top of the provided foil disk. The provided foil disks must be placed in the box, silver side up, and not folded in any way.
19. No sauce or garnish is allowed in the turn-in box.
20. A compound butter is allowed, as long as it is melted on the Steak/Pork Chop.
21. There are no size standards for the seasonings on the Steak/Pork Chop.
22. Pooling of natural juices in the box is acceptable.
23. Steaks & Chops are judged on Appearance, Doneness, Taste, Texture and Overall Impression.
24. Tie Breaker: Taste, Doneness, Texture, Appearance, and Overall Impression.
25. Reasons for DQ in either category:
  - A. Any foreign object found in the turn in box.
  - B. Ribeye Steaks or Pork Chops other than the one provided for the event found in team area.
  - C. A marked Steak or Pork Chop.
  - D. Steak or Pork Chop turned in after the turn-in window has expired.
  - E. Folded foil disk in the box.

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## AWARDS

STEAK DIVISION - 1ST - \$50 • 2ND - \$25

PORK CHOP DIVISION: - 1ST-\$50 • 2ND-\$25

OVERALL: 1ST - \$150 • 2ND - \$100 • 3RD - \$75 • 4TH - \$50 • 5TH - \$25

Entries are due by June 15, 2019

Entries will be limited to 20 teams on a first come basis by postmark date of entry.

*Please sign Waiver Form on next page and return with entry.*

*Entry Fee: \$15*

Chief Cook: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Return signed form and check payable to: Henry County Fair  
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