



Fall Fest Memphis
Backyard BBQ Cook-Off
Oct. 17 - 18, 2025



JUDGES APPLICATION

Dear Prospective Judge,

Fall Fest Memphis Backyard BBQ Cook-Off Committee is seeking qualified persons to judge the Ancillary categories on Friday, Oct. 17 from 4:30 until 7:30 p.m., and the Memphis Barbecue Network categories (Pulled Pork and Pork Ribs) on Saturday, Oct. 18 from 9:30 a.m. until 1 p.m. The Backyard BBQ Cook-Off will be held at Fall Fest Memphis, Catholic Church of the Incarnation, 360 Bray Station Road, Collierville, TN 38017.

Sanctioned by the Memphis Barbecue Network (MBN), the Fall Fest Memphis Backyard BBQ Cook-Off is part of a large festival fundraiser for local Memphis homeless charities and The Memphis Humane Society. A backyard/patio event, not all judges are required to be sanctioned, however, it is a plus! If you are an MBN certified judge, please make sure to include your badge number. Judges associated with a competing team in this event are NOT eligible to judge.

We encourage you to register online at www.fallfestmemphis.org/festival-events/backyard-bbq-cook-off/, however, you may also email your form below to Kathy Schiavone, kathy@fallfestmemphis.org. Applications must be received before Sept. 30, 2025. You will receive a confirmation email if your application has been accepted. For more information, contact Kathy at k_schiav@bellsouth.net.

Best regards,
Fall Fest Memphis
Backyard BBQ Cook-Off Committee

REGISTER ONLINE AT FALLFESTMEMPHIS.ORG OR COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW AND EMAIL TO KATHY SCHIAVONE.

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Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

MBN Judge Badge # _____