



Dear Cooker,

You are invited to participate in the 25th Annual Smoke on the Water BBQ Festival sponsored by the Washington Noon Rotary and Smithfield Foods on October 20th and 21st, 2023. There are two separate contests, the GAS competition and the STATE FINALS for TRADITIONAL (wood and charcoal) competition, with separate trophies and prize money for each contest. Please specify on the application which competition you will be competing in.

Prize money will be as follows for **EACH** contest.

1st Place	Trophy & \$2,500.00
2nd Place	Trophy & \$750.00
3rd Place	Trophy & \$500.00
4th Place	Trophy & \$250.00

** The Showmanship trophy and \$300 prize money will be awarded to the ONE site voted Best In Show and is not competition specific.

For further information or to request an entry form please contact Pam Anderson at 252-944-6136 or at pamsue.anderson@gmail.com. You can also download an entry form and the SOTW rules and guidelines at smokeonthewater.info. **Deadline for entries will be Oct. 6, 2023. FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE**

*Please log onto the following link to view the official rules for cooking in a whole hog competition as sanctioned by the North Carolina Pork Council. If you have questions, please call Pam Anderson at 252-944-6136.
<https://wholehogbarbecue.com/contest-resources/>

In addition to the Pig Cooking Contests, there will be a wide variety of events taking place including a Chili Cook Off, live music, Kids Events, Classic Car Show, and more. We hope you'll consider bringing your family and enjoying all of the events!

Thank you, Pamela S. Anderson – Washington Noon Rotary SOTW coordinator

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Remember all money raised through this event is given back to area non-profit groups in need. The Washington Noon Rotary sponsors this event as a service project.

*Smoke on the Water - c/o Washington Noon Rotary
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