

Make this event a fundraiser for your lodge and help raise more money for our charities.

Here is how we have come up with a way that we may all share in the profits.

#1) We, at Raleigh Lodge #500, realize that we are asking each and every team/Lodge to pay a \$200.00 entry fee – travel, incur expenses, and we're NOT giving any award monies.....so what's in it for you? (Other than fun, notoriety, bragging rights, and some really cool looking trophies / plaques).

#2) We also know that there are also some Lodges out there that do not have a lot of "fund-raising" opportunities.

So here is what we propose and have implemented......

- When a team enters and pays the entry fee your team/Lodge will receive ten (10) free tickets to enter the event. These tickets have a retail value of \$15.00 each.
- If you sell these tickets at \$15.00 ea you will then have the opportunity to get most of your entry fee back.
- After those initial 10 you can purchase <u>as many tickets as your Lodge desires</u> at 1/2 price \$7.50 ea. You now have the opportunity to sell these tickets once again at retail \$15.00 ea and now make/earn/profit \$7.50 per ticket each.

Example:

Big Daddy Lodge #123 decides to enter a team into the cook-off. When we receive their application along with their \$200.00 – we then send you 10 free tickets. You then sell those tickets and you have almost broken even. You then contact us and request an additional 100 tickets. We send you 100 tickets for \$750.00. You then turn around and sell those tickets for the retail value of \$15.00 each – and Big Daddy Lodge #123 now pockets \$750.00.

So not only are you participating in the best BBQ Cook-Off in the state – but you now get to take some ownership in it and turn it into a fund-raiser for you as well!