



## 2022 Rubs of Honors event judges over 500 BBQ and Grilling Seasonings

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## The purpose of Barbecue News Magazine's annual Rubs of Honor event is very simple: find the best seasoning or rub for chicken, pork, beef and seafood.

The 2022 event hosted a record total of 503 different rubs in the four different competitions. The beef category consisted of 121 entries that were all prepared using Hassell Cattle Company sirloin Wagyu steak. The chicken category used skinless, boneless thighs and featured 144 different entries. The pork category, which had 142 total entries, used pork steaks as their protein sample. The seafood category had 96 different entries and shrimp was prepared for the judges to sample.

All entries were cooked on our RECTEQ Bull pellet grill and fueled by B&B Charcoal pellets. The 2022 competition was judged over a four day period as each category was judged on a different day. The results below show only the top 10 finishers in each category but each participate will receive the complete finishing order for each category so they can see how their entry faired.

Each of the top 10 finishers in each category will receive a certificate with the winner in each category also receiving the National Championship trophy. Each category winner will also receive their choice of a \$750 prepaid advertising contract with Barbecue News Magazine or a bottling contract from Croix Valley Foods good for a 100 pound batch of their winning rub bottled for resale.



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BEEF PORK

1ST PLACE - THE REAL TEXAS STYLE BY MAN 1ST PLACE - LIVIA'S SEASONING SALT BY LIVIA'S MEAT BBQ MN, INC. 2ND PLACE - LIVIA'S SEASONING SALT BY LIVIA'S 2ND PLACE - UNDEFEATED PORK RUB BY MN, INC. CHAMPS UNDISPUTED BBO 3RD PLACE - UNCLE FEOL'S ULTRA AP RUB BY 3RD PLACE - SPG BY SMOKING WIZARD BBQ UNCLE FEOL'S TN BBO PRODUCTS 4TH PLACE - HOTTY TOTTY CLIMAX AP BY 4TH PLACE - HOTTY TOTTY CLIMAX AP BY HOTTY TOTTY BBQ HOTTY TOTTY BBQ 5TH PLACE – STREET PREACHER BY KINGDOM 5TH PLACE – **BIG DADDY PADDY'S PORK RUB** BY BIG DADDY PADDY'S BBO **SEASONING & RUBS** 6TH PLACE - TUFFY STONE'S CLASSIC RUB BY 6TH PLACE - SMOKIN' FLAVORS HICKORY RUB BY TUFFY STONE SMOKIN' FLAVORS 7TH PLACE - BEEF BOUND & DOWN BY SNTB 7TH PLACE – **BBO RUB** BY SNTB BARBECUE CO. BARBECUE CO. 8TH PLACE - SWEET HEAT BY CHARCOAL 8TH PLACE - THE SNITCH - GARLIC BLEND BY **COWBOYS SMOKIN BROS RUBS & SEASONINGS** 9TH PLACE - SLOW SOUTHERN STYLE BY 9TH PLACE - 100 PROOF BY WHISKEY BENT BBO ZOINKS BBQ 10TH PLACE - TWISTED STEEL STEAK APPEAL BY 10TH PLACE - WSR PORK BY WISE SMOKE

## CHICKEN SEAFOOD

RANCH

PLUTE DUST HOLDINGS

1ST PLACE - MEAT MITCH WHOMP RUB BY MEAT 1ST PLACE - GUNPOWDER BY CHARCOAL MITCH COWBOYS 2ND PLACE - GRILL'N CHIK'N BY OLD SOUTHERN 2ND PLACE - SPICE ODDITY BY ZOINKS BBQ BBO 3RD PLACE - PRIMAL HERB BY SILVER WOLF, P.A. 3RD PLACE – GRINDERS ORIGINAL MEAT RUB BY LLC STRETCH SPECIALTIES, LLC 4TH PLACE - HOLY SMOKE SWEET RUB & 4TH PLACE – **SIGNATURE SEASONING** BY SAINTS & **SEASONING** BY HOLY SMOKE, LLC SINNERS BBO 5TH PLACE - HOTTY TOTTY CLIMAX AP BY 5TH PLACE - PECAN RUB BY FIREMAN JOHN'S BBQ HOTTY TOTTY BBQ 6TH PLACE - SPICY CHIPOTLE BY RED BEARD 6TH PLACE – MELISSA COOKSTON'S CLASSIC RUB **SEASONINGS** BY MELISSA COOKSTON, LLC 7TH PLACE - MELISSA COOKSTON'S CLASSIC RUB 7TH PLACE - SWEET HEAT BY CHARCOAL BY MELISSA COOKSTON, LLC COWBOYS 8TH PLACE - 100 PROOF BY WHISKEY BENT BBO 8TH PLACE - MELISSA COOKSTON'S LUCKY 7 RUB 9TH PLACE - WSR CHICKEN BY WISE SMOKE 9TH PLACE - RYLEE'S CAJUN FIREFLY DUST BY RANCH STEAK PRINCESS BBO 10TH PLACE - HONEY CHIPOTLE RUB BY PIG IN A 10TH PLACE - BEEF BOUND & DOWN BY SNTB BARBECUE CO. PIT

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