



GBRIA
Greater Baton Rouge Industry Alliance

2020 Gumbo Cook-Off & Supplier Showcase

Thursday, November 5th • 2 p.m. – 5 p.m. • River Parishes Community College
Or immediately following the Golf Tournament (held at Pelican Point)
[925 W Edenborne Pkwy, Gonzales, LA 70737](https://www.gbria.org/golf-gumbo)

Registration, Sponsors, and Entry

- **Gumbo Cook-Off Team Entry** fee is \$250/team (includes 2 chef Aprons and 10 wristbands).
- **Supplier/Contractor Showcase Tents/Tailgates** for \$150/tent/tailgate (drinks, desserts, or appetizers/sides welcome, includes gift and 10 wristbands). *Plants have told us they WANT to see your latest products and technology, so come out and show them!*
- **Tours** of select RPCC craft training areas will be provided. See this incredible training facility (PTEC and Industrial Crafts)!
- Come out for some great, COVID-19 responsible, networking!
- **Attendee wristbands** are \$5 (all those participating in the golf tournament enter free, tickets are for anyone else, so invite your coworkers and clients!).
- **Please register** your team and buy tickets on the [Golf and Gumbo Registration](https://www.gbria.org/golf-gumbo) site or see www.gbria.org/golf-gumbo.
- **Door Prizes** – we welcome donations of door prizes! Email kim@gulfcoastocmed.com with your donation.
- Please contact **Kim Demarest, Event Coordinator**, at (225)753-7233, kim@gulfcoastocmed.com or Sue Leger (225) 769-0596, sue@gbria.org with any questions.





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Gumbo Cook-Off Rules

- The event will be held completely outdoors, and all teams will be assigned a location prior to the event. In case of rain, the event will be rescheduled.
 - All COVID-19 rules must be followed for cooking, supplier tents/tailgates and attendees.
 - Contestants may begin setting up at 9:00 a.m. in the designated area. You will receive a designated location prior to the event.
 - When you arrive, check in at the Gumbo & Supplier Showcase Registration Tent with the Event Coordinator. Cooking may start only after ingredients are checked by the Rules Committee.
 - Cook-Off Contestants must provide their own tent, power, and cooking supplies (burners, trash bags, water, rice, meat, etc.).
 - Contestants must provide all bowls, spoons, napkins, and any sides and seasonings needed to serve guests.
 - Ingredients may be chopped beforehand but must be in raw form upon arrival.
 - Roux must be made from scratch on site (no powder or jar roux).
 - Chicken and sausage must be used (there is no category for seafood).
 - **Gumbo must be brought to judges' station at 1:30 p.m.** sharp with NO rice for judging.
 - Gumbo may be served at 2:00 p.m. to event participants. **We anticipate attendance to be approximately 20 cooking teams and 250 guests (golfers and non-golfers). Please limit your serving sizes to feed 20-30 guests.**
 - Awards will be provided for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Judging criteria will be sent after registration. The cook-off judges will be provided by the Jambalaya Association and the **awards will be announced at 3:30 p.m.** together with the golf tournament awards.
 - Cook-Off Contestants will receive an email prior to the event with further details.
- Please contact Kim Demarest, Gumbo Cook-Off Coordinator, at (225) 753-7233, or kim@gulfcoastoccmcd.com with any questions.



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Supplier/Contractor Showcase Rules

- *Plant members are interested in your latest products and especially technological innovations, so bring anything you want to show off that helps provide solutions to industry's production, construction and maintenance or administrative needs.*
- This event will be held outdoors, and all participants will be assigned a location prior to the event.
- All COVID-19 rules must be followed for serving food and/or passing out materials at supplier showcase tents/tailgates.
- When you arrive, check in at the Gumbo & Supplier/Contractor Showcase Registration Tent with the Event Coordinator.
- Contestants may begin setting up at 9:00 a.m. in the designated area. You will receive a designated location prior to the event.
- Supplier Showcase participants must provide their own tent/tailgate, any cooking/serving supplies and power.
- Golfers and non-golfer participants will begin entering the event at 2 p.m. or immediately following the golf tournament.
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