

“WHERE’S THE BEEF?” STEAK SANDWICHES

ADULT DEPARTMENT AL12

Sponsored by: **ALABAMA CATTLEMEN’S ASSOCIATION**

Alabama National Fair – Creative Living Center

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17th @ 5:00 pm

PRIZES

First Place: \$200 and Ribbon
Second Place: \$150 and Ribbon
Third Place: \$100 and Ribbon

RULES:

- **Prepare to wow the judges with your favorite Steak Sandwich. Be creative and make it delicious. The label from your steak purchase must be verified by CLC personnel.** Bring your dish to the Creative Living Center fully cooked, you will be able to assemble your sandwich prior to the contest.
- Microwaves and stoves are available to warm your dish if necessary. Preparation of your dish in the CLC kitchen is prohibited. Crock Pots/Insta Pots etc., may be plugged in 30 minutes prior to the Contest.
- Please bring your own Serving Utensils. (Knives, Spoons, Meat Forks, Cake/Pie Servers etc.)
- Recipe must be on an Alabama National Fair recipe form and is due at the time of the contest. Recipes become the property of the Alabama National Fair and the listed sponsor, including editing and publishing rights. The winning contestant’s name, photograph and recipe may be used for publicity and promotions (CLC Rule # 20-22).
- Competitors must comply with all CLC Official Rules (www.alnationalfair.org).
- Contest is open to Alabanma residents 18 years and older.
- Competitors **MUST** pre-register for this contest no later than Tuesday, October 6, 2026, at 12:00 p.m. Anyone not pre-registered will not be allowed to participate (CLC Rule #16).
- Competitors must purchase a “Competitors Pass” (CLC Rules #17).
- Competitors may sign-in a maximum of forty-five (45) minutes prior to the scheduled start time of the contest. Setup will begin thirty (30) minutes prior to contest start time.
- Sign-in will close ten (10) minutes prior to the scheduled start of the contest. Competitors not signed-in by that time will not be allowed to participate.
- Competitors must complete set-up by the scheduled start time of the contest.
- Judges’ decisions are FINAL.

JUDGING CRITERIA

Appearance/Presentation – 10%

Creativity of Recipe – 20%

Flavor/Taste – 50%

Texture – 20%