



Dear Friends,

The LaSalle County Fair and Wild Hog Cook-Off Parade happens on the second Saturday of March each year, and we would like to extend an invitation for you to join in the fun! This year's parade will be held on **Saturday, March 11, 2017** and will start at **10:00 a.m.** The Wild Hog Cook-Off is one of the largest and most unique non-cash prize cook-offs in South Texas with over 150 teams competing. We strive to see this event continue to grow in popularity and size and hope that you will join us in making the parade equally as popular.

The 2017 Fair theme is "**Piggies in Paris.**" Parade entries are encouraged to incorporate the theme into their float/group entry.

Entries will be judged in three separate categories and one winner from each category will be selected and presented with a trophy. Trophies will be awarded for the best overall commercial float; best overall Fair theme float; and best overall Marching/Group entry.

The enclosed entry form and waiver should be completed and returned no later than March 1, 2017. You will receive your line-up number and additional information by email prior to the parade date.

We hope that you will also join us for the festivities following the parade. The grounds can be navigated to by searching for Alexander Park or 300 Engineer Lane, and are located just across the street from the high school on Highway 97. The fun goes all day long with Arts & Crafts as well as food vendors, a BBQ Cook-Off, great music, and a carnival. We always cap off the day with a great concert, and are pleased to announce that country artists Rick Trevino and Johnny Lee will be headlining our evening entertainment.

If you wish to seek accommodations, Cotulla offers over 15 hotels to choose from.

Thank you for planning to participate in our parade. If you have any questions, please contact the LaSalle County Fair Association at (830) 879-2852.

Sincerely,

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Parade Chairs

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