



Strongsville's Rib Burn Off runs June 25-27

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The Strongsville City Club's 23rd annual Rib Burn Off takes place today through Saturday on the Strongsville Commons.

Hours are from 4-11 p.m. today, 3-11 p.m. Friday and noon to 11 p.m. Saturday.

Admission is \$2 and kids 10 and under are free. Everyone will be admitted free between noon and 3 p.m. Saturday.

Live entertainment is scheduled each evening from 6:30-10:30 p.m. The groups scheduled to perform include Armstrong Bearcats tonight, Grand Avenue on Friday and Raisin' Cain on Saturday. Island Jeff is also scheduled to perform from 1-4 p.m. Saturday.

Entrants vying for the top spot at the burn off include Armadilla's Rib and Barbecue, Lagerhead's, Porky N Beans, Smokin Joe's Hog Wild Barbecue, Desperado's Barbecue, Smokin' T's Barbecue, Ribbin's Barbecue, Old Carolina Barbecue and Triv's Strongsville.

Today and Friday, guests can sign up to be a judge to determine the "Best Rib" and "Best Sauce." Judging begins at 7:30 p.m. Ballots for the People's Choice award are available at the gates.

On Saturday, celebrity judges including local restaurant owners and chefs will determine their favorites.

The City Club estimates about 20,000 people will attend this year's event.

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