



## SMITHFIELD FOODS CARNITAS STREET TACO CHALLENGE

Each day of the N.C. State Fair presents a new cooking challenge for our contestants who dream up their own recipes, prepare them at home and bring them to the N.C. State Fair for critique by a panel of judges...but only one can take home the coveted blue ribbon.

Nothing epitomizes the changing culture of North Carolina more than our love for a good street taco. We scour the roadsides for our favorites, and just about everyone can tell you about “that one taco truck that does...” This year, we’re challenging you to bring us the heat...literally...with the Carnitas Street Taco Challenge featuring pork by Smithfield Foods!

### Entry Deadline:

Monday, October 2, 2023

### Cash Prizes

1st Prize: \$500

2nd Prize: \$300

3rd Prize: \$200

Home Chef Challenges will be held in Dorton Arena. Contestants are allowed 30 minutes of free parking outside Gate 12. Check-in will be in the hallway. Contestants can either walk their food entry to Dorton Arena or allow us to transport it. Contestants must then move their vehicle. Free parking in Lot C with a free shuttle ride back to Gate 12 or Gate 3 is provided.



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HOME CHEF

CHALLENGE

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10 a.m. THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19