2018 GLBBQA "Competitors Series" TOY program:

Events Eligibility:

- Open to all KCBS backyard and unsanctioned competitions throughout the state of Michigan.
- This includes, but not limited to:
 - o All events where cooking PORK ribs are one of the categories to compete in.
 - Examples include:
 - Darkhorse Brewery event, Westland Backyard as part of their KCBS event, Chelsea's KCBS Backyard event, Oakland County Parks BBQ Battle, etc....
 - Please keep in mind that some of these events may require you or your team to hand out samples.
- If the event is STRICTLY PEOPLES CHOICE with no judges other than general attendance, the event doesn't qualify. The events need to have an actual panel of judges
- All events will be posted to the GLBBQA Facebook Page. If there is an event that you plan on attending that isn't posted, feel free to share it to the GLBBQA Facebook page AND Tag me (Bert "Skippy" McLain) so I can get in contact with the organizer.
- If an event is NOT posted at least 1 week prior to the event taking place, IT WILL NOT COUNT.
 - o EXCEPTIONS MAY BE MADE ON A CASE BY CASE BASIS with BOD approval.

Eligible teams: Must cook at least 4 events to qualify

- Must be member in good standing of the GLBBQA (Dues paid up)
- Must sign up for this program
 - 1. Email pbjsbbq@gmail.com with the Subject line of "Competitors Series Entry"
 - 2. Once it's verified that your dues are up to date, you will receive a confirmation email.
- Teams may only be entered into one GLBBQA TOY program. Teams signed up for the GLBQA Pro TOY are not eligible for this competitor series.
- An entrant may sign up at any time during the competition season assuming that there at least 4 events left to compete in. <u>The entrant will not be awarded any points for any events competed</u> in prior to signing up and receiving a confirmation email.

Point System:

- Only PORK RIBS will be counted in this series. If the competition is a multi-meat competition, how you score in the other categories will NOT gain you points.
- All GLBBQA members will receive points. Highest finish of a GLBBQA member gets 10 points:
 - o 10 Points Highest member finish
 - o 7 Points Second highest member finish
 - o 5 Points Third highest member finish
 - o 3 Points Fourth highest member finish
 - o 1 Point from 5th Highest to the last member eligible for points

Tie breaker process:

- 5th contest finish
- 6th contest finish and so on
- If still tied OR there isn't a 5th contest, results is determined by a coin-flip

Prize Pool: Prize pool is TBD

 Winner of the 2018 Competitors Series will receive a free entry in the 2019 GLBBQA Comp 101 class