

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### KID-QUE COOKING COMPETITION AT 5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CENTRAL FLORIDA'S BBQ BLOWOUT

**Oviedo, FL** (May 16, 2017) - The Kid-Que Cooking Competition will be at Central Florida's BBQ Blowout on May 27th at Oviedo Mall for the second year. The Oviedo-Winter Springs Regional Chamber of Commerce (OWSRCC), City of Oviedo and Helpful Hands, a local non-profit organization, have partnered to produce the 5th Annual Central Florida's BBQ Blowout presented by Sonny's BBQ and Oviedo Roofing. Professional pitmasters and chefs will be teamed up with kids from Helpful Hands to learn the skill of grilling and try to win best steak.

Kids in the competition are sponsored by local businesses. Sponsors include Duda, RE/MAX Optima, Dignity Memorial, Oviedo Eye Care, Orlando Sanford International Airport, Waypointe Realty, and My Neighborhood Storage Center.

Chefs for Kid-Que include Chef Terrance A. Fisher, Black Apron Crew; Chef Chandler Cook, Devine Wine and Grill; Chef Marcos Cortés, Oviedo Medical Center; Chef Cody Scott, Texas Roadhouse; Chef Keon Johnson, Your What's For Dinner Solution; Chef Gruska, TJ's Seafood Shack; Pitmaster Chris Gentry, Gentry's BBQ Inc.; Pitmaster Russel Short, Pullin' My Pork; and Chef Thomas Cardenas, Applebee's - Maitland; and Chef James Ammons,

A special thanks to our local Oviedo businesses, Home Depot for donating the grills and Texas Roadhouse for donating the steaks for the competition.

For more information about the Kid-Que competition or other activities, please visit [BBQBlowout.org](http://BBQBlowout.org).

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The Oviedo-Winter Springs Regional Chamber of Commerce is a private, not-for-profit business membership association. With corporate offices located at 376 N. Central Ave., near downtown Oviedo, the purpose of the chamber is to serve as an advocate for business and civic interests within our communities. For more information on the Chamber, please visit [www.oviedowintersprings.org](http://www.oviedowintersprings.org).

Helpful Hands, Inc. is a 100% volunteer run nonprofit charity. 96% of all fundraising and donations go to grant funding of Community Partners that strategically align with Helpful Hands, Inc. mission. With this support, Helpful Hands, Inc. funded \$78,000 in grants in 2016 and over \$84,000 in grants in 2017. All funded programs benefit more than 2,300 children and families in crisis. For more information on Helpful Hands, please visit [www.helpfulhands.org](http://www.helpfulhands.org).

