

BEST BUCKET

TESCO PORTABLE BUCKET BBQ: Made from steel and includes a grid grill and carrying handle. Smartly painted finish. Was £15 but now £7.50.

BEST DOUBLE BURNER

HI GEAR DOUBLE BURNER WITH GRILL: Windshield is great for camping trips and integrated drip tray means less mess. Normal price £65 but Go Outdoors have it for £39.99 with their discount card.

BEST ECONOMY

BARBIE KING FROM FAMILY BARGAINS (AN OFFSHOOT OF 99P STORES): Lightweight 14in barbecue that is perfectly adequate for a simple family grill. Just £4.95.

BEST DISPOSABLE

BAR-BE-QUICK INSTANT FROM MILLETS, ASDA, HOMEBASE, ONE STOP, LONDIS AND ARGOS: Enough space to grill four meals at a time. Cooks for up to one and a half hours. Just £2.99.

BEST INDOORS

RONDUE: Gel heating system means it is smokeless and can be used on the dining room table as well as in the garden. Cost is £79 plus £8 postage from foodfunfriends.co.uk.

OUTDOOR COOKING FOR £2.99

Join the BBQ

IT'S that time of year again - for barbecue bangers and burgers with lashings of all sorts of sauce.

Now is the best time to look out for a new barbie. There are some good offers around at the moment - and experts warn we should make the most of the glorious weather because we are facing rainy, grey days in July and August.

I have chosen my favourites in different price ranges and categories.

**BEST LUXURY**

JAMIE OLIVER 4-BURNER BBQ: Gas fuelled, with roasting hood, built-in...

BEST TRIPOD

LANDMANN GEOS TRIPOD BARBECUE: Clever design allows cooking over charcoal or a campfire.

BEST FAIR TRADE

TOP FAIRLY TRADED PARTY-SIZE INSTANT BBQ: Made in Namibia, uses charcoal made from surplus trees.

BEST COMPACT

WEBER COMPACT 47CM ONE-TOUCH CHARCOAL BARBECUE: The Weber Compact series of BBQs has proved popular at John Lewis. This...

BEST PORTABLE

LANDMANN PORTABLE BARBECUE: Comes with windshield and chrome-plated grill. A tasty £4.99 at Lidl.