



HOT DOG EATING CONTEST

OFFICIAL ENTRY, CONTEST RULES AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY FORM

Submit application at any Ticket location:

Ticket Sports Bar 1 – University Mall
Ticket Sports Bar 2 – Nine Mile and Pine Forest Road
Ticket Sports Bar 3 – Downtown Gregory

**Applications/waivers are due by July 4, 2009 no later than 5pm.
\$15.00 entry fee due with application.**

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name: _____ Shirt Size- M - L - XL - 2XL
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
Email Address: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____

RULES & WAIVER OF LIABILITY

- 1. ELIGIBILITY:** Contest is open to the first 20 paid and accepted applications.
- 2. TO ENTER:** READ CAREFULLY THESE OFFICIAL CONTEST RULES AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY FORM FOR TICKET SPORTS BAR HOT DOG EATING CONTEST. Complete and sign this document below. All entry forms become the property of Ticket Sports Bar.
- 3. CONTEST RULES:** There will be at least one competition for all qualifying contestants. Contestants will compete with each other for a Grand Prize. Contestants will be selected by Ticket Sports Bar to compete on Monday, July 4, 2009 at 6:00 pm at Ticket Sports Bar 3, Gregory Street. Time, date and place are subject to change without notice. Contestant must be present at the Ticket Sports Bar 3 by 5:30 pm on Saturday July 4, 2009 for final instructions.
The object is to eat as many hot dogs up to 20 possible within the allotted time: 5 minutes. Contestants may eat either sitting or standing in their designated area. Contestants will be allowed to use and/or drink a beverage of their choice during the competition. Contestants must completely eat one hot dog before picking up the next hot dog. Contestants must wait for the starting signal to begin eating and may not touch any hot dogs prior to the starting signal. Contestants must stop eating and must promptly place their hands down on the table or at their side at the ending signal. Contestants may not put additional hot dogs or portions of hot dogs in their mouth after the ending signal, but will be allowed 15 seconds to swallow any hot dogs already in mouth. If a contestant throws up or regurgitates, he or she will automatically be disqualified. Judges will be on hand to assure adherence to contest rules, tally the number of hot dogs eaten, monitor the “no throw up or regurgitating” rule, and to disqualify contestants who fail to adhere to the rules. Winners will be determined by the first to finish all 20 hot dogs or counting the number of hot dogs and portion of last hot dog eaten to the nearest ¼ hot dog. In the event of a tie, after a brief interval, 1 minute and 30 second eat-offs will take place until a winner is selected.

Grounds for disqualification include

- Any health risks that could jeopardize the contestant's health or wellbeing
- Starting prior to the start signal.
- Continuing to eat after the ending signal.

- Failure to completely eat a hot dog before beginning to unwrap another hot dog.
- Throwing up or regurgitating.

4. PRIZE AWARDS:

Prizes will be awarded as follows:

- **Contestant who eats the most hot dog within the allotted time of 5 minutes will receive the Grand Prize of \$200 prize money.**
- **All qualified participating contestants will receive a t-shirt.**
- **All other prizes, if any, are to be announced.**

Ticket Sports Bar reserves the right to reduce the grand prize if a minimum of 8 contestants do not compete. The Ticket may also substitute prizes of approximately equal value for any listed prize at its sole discretion. No transfer or prize substitution by the contest winners are allowed. All federal, state and local taxes are the sole responsibility of the winner. All winners and participants agree to the use of their name and picture for advertising or trade purposes and to cooperate reasonably in any effort to promote or publicize the Ticket Sports Bar for this contest. Apart from the prizes associated with being selected as a winner, Ticket Sports Bar shall not be obligated to compensate you in any way for such publicity.

5. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISKS AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY: Contestant acknowledges that there are risks of personal injury, illness and possible loss of life, and risks of damage to or loss of personal property, which may result from participating in this contest. Contestant voluntarily enters Ticket Sports Bar's Hot Dog Eating Contest and assumes all of these risks. Contestant, as a condition of entry, agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Ticket Sports Bars and affiliated companies, their sponsors, vendors, co-sponsoring companies and their affiliates and agencies, and all officers, directors, employees and agents of the aforesaid entities, from any and all claims and costs, including attorneys' fees, relating to, arising from or in connection with participation in this contest or the receipt or use of any prize. In so doing, contestant releases and indemnifies the aforesaid entities and individuals from liability for injuries or damages of any kind arising from or in connection with participation in this contest or the receipt or use of any prize. In no event shall Ticket Sports Bar be liable to a contestant for acts or omissions arising out of or related to the Contest or that contestant's participation in the contest.

6. FINAL AUTHORITY: Ticket Sports Bar has sole and complete discretion regarding all contest related matters. All decisions regarding qualifications, selection or disqualification of a contestant/s or winner/s shall be subject to the sole and complete discretion of Ticket Sports Bar. You can be disqualified for any reason at any time. **I AGREE TO NOT CONTEST THE OUTCOME AND ANY PART OR ASPECT OF THIS CONTEST.**

7. CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE: I certify that the information provided is correct and that I have carefully read, understand and accept the terms of the Ticket Sports Bar Hot Dog Eating Contest Rules and Waiver of Liability Form. My signature indicates my understanding and assumption of the risks and my voluntary participation in this contest. In case of an emergency, I do hereby authorize a representative of Ticket Sports Bar to consent to any medical treatment or care deemed advisable.

Signature

Date

Print Name