



The Isle of Man Hot Dog Eating Competition

Saturday 14th September 2019 at 6pm at the Isle of Man Food & Drink Festival

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Information

1. This competition is generously sponsored by Dave's Delicious Dogs who make gourmet American style hot dogs from only Manx meat.
2. Winning prize – American style BBQ for up to 100 people – to be used within 1 year.
3. The coveted mustard-yellow winner's belt will be presented to the winner and his/her organization's location where it will reside until the next year where it will be returned for the next competition.
4. The competition will take place at the Isle of Man Food & Drink Festival on Saturday 14th September 2019 at the Theatre marquee, at the Villa Marina Gardens at 6pm.
5. The closing date for entries is 2nd September 2019.
6. There will be a Time keeper and Judge
7. Master of Ceremonies David Valkema, Dave's Delicious Dogs, please go to website for more information www.davesdeliciousdogs.im

HOW TO ENTER

Please submit your name, company/business/club, T shirt size, email address and mobile number to:

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COMPETITION RULES & CONDITIONS

1. Contestant must represent a company, business, organization or club.
2. Contestants should be aged 18 or over.
3. Dave's Delicious Dogs will provide a number of regular 8" hot dogs in buns, score counters and branded T shirts for each contestant.
4. The contestants will stand behind a long table.
5. Contestants to have water on hand, but other kinds of drinks can be used.
6. The hot dogs are allowed to cool slightly after grilling to prevent possible mouth burns.
7. The contestant that consumes (and keeps down) the most hot dogs and buns in 5 minutes is declared the winner.
8. If possible, the defending champion to make themselves available for next year's contest.
9. A scorekeeper from the audience will be appointed for each contestant to count each hot dog consumed.
10. Partially eaten hot dogs count if they are subsequently swallowed.
11. Hot dogs still in the mouth at the end still count.
12. If there is a tie the contestants go to a 5 hot dog eat off to see who can eat that many quickly.
13. After the winner is declared, a plate showing the number of hot dogs eaten by the winner is brought out for photo opportunities.
14. The judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
15. The contestants will have confirmation if they have been accepted into the competition.
16. The competition promoter is the Department of Environment, Food and Agriculture.
17. All contestants' information and material submitted remains the property of the promoter.
18. Entrants agree to make themselves available without cost for publicity purposes as required prior to, during and after the competition.
19. Data Protection and Privacy: The Promoter will keep details of all entrants on a database. By verifying participation in the Contest, entrants agree that the Promoter and its associated companies may use this information.