



# HOT DOG EATING CONTEST

## DECATUR CELEBRATION Saturday, Aug. 5th 2017

### PRE-QUALIFICATION EVENT ENTRY FORM

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Fill out form completely, and mail, fax, or drop-off your entry form asap.  
Heinkel's Packing Co., Inc. - 2005 N. 22nd Street - Decatur, IL 62526 - Fax: 217-428-4403

#### STRUCTURE & RULES

- Must be 18 or older to enter
- Contestant who eats the most hot dogs in 10 minutes wins
- Competitor must eat hot dog and bun, counted in fractions
- If there is a tie, there will be a 4-minute eat-off
- Contestants may break the hot dog in to pieces, separate from bun, mash and dunk
- Chipmunking is allowed; however, competitor must swallow within 1 min or points will be deducted
- Points will be deducted for messy eating
- Contestants will have their choice of liquid for dunking
- Automatic disqualification for "reversal of fortune"
- Judges rulings are final

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_

YES NO  
  Do you have any serious medical conditions or injuries that may be affected by this contest?

YES NO  
  Do you have any allergies? If "Yes", please list:  
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**THIS FORM IS FOR A PRE-QUALIFYING EVENT**

**Saturday, June 24, 2017  
@ THE DRAFT**

Top competitors will be determined from pre-qualification event and 10 + 2 alternates will qualify for participation in the Main Event at the Decatur Celebration - Sat. August 5, 2017.

#### MAIN EVENT PRIZES

**1st Place - \$500**  
 +4 All-inclusive Coca-Cola Scoreboard Tickets!  
 Includes buffet, coke products and beer.  
 Cardinal game at Busch Stadium in September.  
(must be 21 for beer)

**2nd Place - \$250**  
 + Heinkel's \$100 Meat Package

**3rd Place - \$100**  
 + Heinkel's \$50 Meat Package

*All finalists will receive a Heinkel's T-Shirt!*

**Emergency Contact** \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

#### TO BE FILLED IN BY EVENT OFFICIALS

Pre-Qual. Event Location: \_\_\_\_\_ # Hot-Dogs Consumed: \_\_\_\_\_

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISKS AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

Contestant acknowledges that there are risks associated with the event, which include, but are not limited to, personal injury, risk of 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 the Decatur Celebration's Heinkel's Hot Dog Eating Competition and in doing so assumes all of these risks. Contestant, as a condition of entry, agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Decatur Celebration 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 liabilities of any kind arising from this event. Contestant has read all of the above rules and agrees to follow them. Contestant also hereby swears that to the best of their knowledge they are physically and mentally fit to compete in this contest.

#### CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE

I certify that the information provided is correct and that I have carefully read, understand and accept the terms of Decatur Celebration's Heinkel's Hot Dog Eating Competition Rules and Waiver of Liability Form. My signature indicates my understanding and assumption of the risks and my voluntary participation in this contest.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_