



RIB EATING CONTEST 2019

Information Eligibility: Contest is open to all Ribfest participants must be 19 years or older. Members and Volunteers of the Rotary Club of Newcastle or any of their immediate families are not eligible to enter. Valid ID must be brought to the competition site.

Contest Details: Contest is open to the first ten individuals. There will be only 1 competition on the Saturday of the festival at 2:00 PM and will be limited to only 10 individuals. Contestants will be taken on a firstcome, first-served basis, as completed and paid registrations are received. This is an individual-style race, contestants eat 1 rack each of delicious ribs as fast as they can. The individual who pigs out the fastest wins.

CONTESTANTS MUST CHECK IN FOR THEIR CONTEST 1 HOUR PRIOR TO ABOVE START TIMES OR THEY WILL FORFEIT THEIR PLACE TO AN ALTERNATE COMPETITOR.

To Enter: Read carefully the Official Contest Rules for the Rib Eating Challenge including the waiver of liability provisions. It is a minimum of \$25 per person. Contestants can pay entry fee themselves, or they can get sponsors/pledges to raises additional funds to support the Newcastle Rotary and the Community. Send cheque or money order payable Rotary Club of Newcastle.

OFFICIAL CONTEST RULES

- Contestants will compete against each other. The object is to eat your allotted Bar-B-Que Ribs and finish first.
- No alcoholic beverages may be consumed during the competition
- Contestants must not touch any ribs until the starting signal.
- Contestants must stop eating at the ending signal, to be announced prior to beginning the contest.
- Contestants will be given 1 rack of Ribs each.
- Winner will be determined by the individual who finishes first. All meat must be eaten off the rib bones in order to count.
- Contestants who suffer a reversal of fortune and/or urges contrary to swallowing will be disqualified (and possibly laughed at). Eaters must hold down the meat for a period of two minutes after the contest.
- The "Chipmunking Rule" will be in effect, which means that any meat placed in the contestant's mouth must be finished before claiming completion and at the very end of the contest must be swallowed within 30 seconds. Contestants in violation of the "Chipmunking Rule" will be penalized one ½ rack of ribs.
- In the event of a tie the winner will be determined by a one ½ rack ribs "Rib-off".



Acknowledgment 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, as a condition of entry, agrees to release indemnify and hold harmless Rotary Club of Newcastle and affiliated companies, rib vendors, their advertising, promotion and public relations agencies, co-sponsoring companies and their affiliates and agencies, from any and all claims and costs, including attorneys' fees, arising from or in connection with participation in this contest or the receipt or use of any prize.

Final Authority: Rotary Club of Newcastle has the final authority regarding all contest-related matters.

Certification and Signature:

I certify that the information provided on this entry form is correct and that I have carefully read, understand and accept the terms of Rib Eating Official Contest Rules and Entry Form. My signature indicates my understanding and assumption of the risks and my voluntary participation in this contest.

(MUST BE SIGNED BY PARTICIPANT - Unsigned applications will not be accepted.)

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Name			Phone	
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Address	City	Province	Postal Code	
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Contestant Signatures

Questions Email: newcastlerotary@gmail.com

Return to: Rotary Club of Newcastle - PO Box 433 Miramichi, NB E1V 3M6