

Union Area Chamber of Commerce's Wingfest Wing-Eating Contest Sponsored by Frick's Market

Wing-Eating Competition Rules & Regulations

The wing-eating contest will consist of three heats. Each heat will consist of 10 competitors. The first contestant in their heat to eat 12 wings will advance to the wing-eating contest finals. The first contestant to eat 12 wings among the three finalists will be the winner of the wing-eating contest.

Contestants must be at least 15 years of age. If under age 18, a parent/guardian must sign the release form and be present during contest.

1. Rules

Competitors may not touch the wing plate or wings on the plate before the contest begins.

Competitors may eat sitting down or standing up in their designated areas. Any contestant leaving their designated area during the contest will be disqualified.

Wings must be 90% eaten as determined by judges, the flap may be disregarded. A 90% properly eaten wing will be displayed at the contest.

Chicken meat must be eaten directly from the bones. Stripping the bones of meat first and eating the meat at one time will not be allowed. The use of utensils is not allowed, fingers only.

Contestants will receive one bottle of water. Dunking of wings in water is strictly prohibited.

Competitors must place each and every finished chicken wing bone back on plate. Failure to place the wing bones back into the plate will result in disqualification.

Competitors may not make physical contact with any other competitor at any time. Any competitor who deliberately makes contact with another competitor will be disqualified.

No condiments or other sides will be offered or accepted during competition.

Visual signs of sickness will result in disqualification for the contestant's safety. If a competitor vomits or regurgitates outside of their mouth at any time during the competition or during the time period the wing count is being tallied, he or she will be disqualified.

Judges will be on hand to assure the adherence to contest rules. If contingencies or disputes arise at the contest/before, during or after, that is not explicitly covered by these official rules, the judge's decision will stand with the same finality as the rules.

2. Prizes

Gift cards will be presented to the winners. First place – \$25 gift card and bragging rights! 2nd place and 3rd place – \$10 gift cards.

3. Registration

There is no admission fee to participate in the wing-eating competition.

Please complete the following registration information:

Name _____

Phone number _____

Age _____

Page 2 of the Union Area Chamber of Commerce Wingfest Wing Eating Contest sponsored by Frick's Market entry form must be completed, signed, and submitted to the Union Area Chamber of Commerce. If there are open spots, day-of registrations will be accepted. Once 30 participants have registered, registration will be closed and will only be re-opened if spots become re-available.

Union Area Chamber of Commerce
103 South Oak Street
Union, Missouri 63084

4. Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement

I AGREE TO WAIVE ALL LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR DEATH THAT MAY OCCUR AS A DIRECT AND PROXIMATE RESULT OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THIS EATING CONTEST.

I acknowledge 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. I voluntarily enter the Union Area Chamber of Commerce Wingfest Wing Eating Contest sponsored by Frick's Market and assume all of these risks. As a condition of entry, I agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Union Area Chamber of Commerce and their vendors and co-sponsoring companies, 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, I release and indemnify the aforesaid entities and individuals from liability for injuries or damages of any kind arising from or in connection with participation in this contest. In no event shall the Union Area Chamber of Commerce be liable to a contestant for acts or omissions arising out of, or related to, the Union Area Chamber of Commerce Wingfest Wing Eating Contest sponsored by Frick's Market or my participation in the contest.

I have carefully read, understand and accept the rules and regulations for the Union Area Chamber of Commerce Wingfest Wing Eating Contest sponsored by Frick's Market. My signature indicates my understanding and assumption of the risks and my voluntary participation in this contest.

Signature Date

Parent Signature (must sign for participants under the age of 18) Date