



## BOLINGBROOK'S SIXTEENTH ANNUAL HOT DOG EATING CONTEST

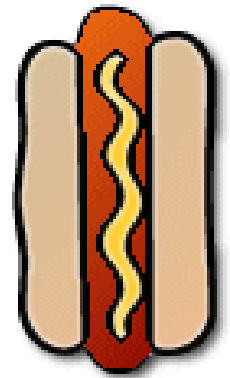
How many hot dogs can you eat in only 5 minutes? Give it a try! Here is your chance to sign up for the Village of Bolingbrook's Annual Hot Dog Eating Contest to become Bolingbrook's Hot Dog Eating Champion! Prize will be awarded to the winner. You must be 18 years of age or older to enter; please have a form of I.D. ready at the contest. Please complete the registration application below. Pre-registration only. No applications will be taken after 12:00 p.m. on June 30, 2024.

### Bolingbrook's Annual Hot Dog Eating Contest Rules and Registration Form

**Where:** "Behind Town Center on the Stage"

**When:** Sunday, June 30, 2024 - Registration from 11:30 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.  
Contest to begin at 12:45 p.m. Please be by the stage at 12:30 p.m.

**What:** To win this competition and claim the honor of Bolingbrook's Annual Hot Dog Eating Champion, the contestant must eat the most Hot Dogs in the 5-minute time frame.



### ***THE RULES:***

- Contestants must be 18 years of age or older to enter
- ***Entry is limited to the first 12 applicants only (Due to Social Distancing on Stage)***
- Contestants may not touch the hot dogs prior to the starting signal
- Only entire hot dogs will be counted (an entire hot dog includes the bun) condiments (limited to ketchup and mustard only) will be provided. No other condiments allowed.
- Contestants will have 5 minutes to down all the Hot Dogs they can handle
- Contestants may drink only water while eating their hot dogs. Water will be provided
- Buns and Hot Dogs may be separated, dunked in water, or mangled. All portions of the Hot Dogs (including the bun) must be eaten
- When the 5-minute time limit is up contestants may not put any additional Hot Dogs or buns in their mouths. They will then have 20 seconds to swallow what is in their mouths. Any contents remaining in contestant's mouths at the end of the 20 seconds will not be counted
- Partially eaten Hot Dogs will not be counted
- Visible signs of sickness will result in disqualification
- Ties will be decided by an "eat off"

# BOLINGBROOK'S FOURTEENTH ANNUAL HOT DOG EATING CONTEST Registration Form

Please complete all areas of the registration form and bring with you on Sunday 6/30/24.

**PLEASE PRINT and fill out all lines.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated # of Hot Dogs you will eat: \_\_\_\_\_

**All registrants must read and sign this waiver before entering:**

I certify that I am 18 years of age or older. I know that eating large amounts of Hot Dogs is a potentially hazardous and uncomfortable activity. I should not enter and eat unless I am medically capable and properly trained. I realize that this contest is all in good fun, but I agree to be a good sport. I agree to abide by any decision of the contest officials and any and all of the contest rules. I assume all risks associated with eating in this type of event including, but not limited to, indigestion, that stuffed feeling, contact with other contestants, a general dislike for Hot Dogs after I am done, and all such risks being known and appreciated by me. Having read this release and knowing these facts and in consideration of you accepting my entry, I, for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, release and waive the Village of Bolingbrook, Civic & Cultural Affairs Commission, the contest organizers, all sponsors, their representatives, and their successors harmless from all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of or related to my participation in this event.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_