



**Beach Boogie and BBQ  
Sunday, September 4, 2011  
Wing-A-Palooza  
Official Rules and Regulations**

Submit application **ON SITE** on the south side of the lake beside the Main Stage between 12pm and 1pm on Sunday, September 4, 2011. Twelve (12) entries will be drawn at 1pm to compete in the 1:15pm contest that will take place at Grand Park at the Market Common, Myrtle Beach.

**Official Wing Eating Contest Rules:**

Eating competitions are inherently dangerous activities, and all participants expressly and voluntarily assume the risk of any and all injury and damage that may result from the participation in eating competitions. Participants understand that such risks include, but are not limited to possible bodily injury, partial or total disability, paralysis, death or other injuries or damages. Selection of participation in the event and the risks of loss, damage or injury shall at all times remain with and be borne by each participant. Participants will be required to execute a Waiver of Liability, Release, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement before participation.

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**Official Rules and Regulations:**

1. The wing eating competition is open to all amateur eaters 16 years or older who are in good health. Professional eaters, persons recognized by the AICE, the IFOCE or members of any professional eating organization are not eligible. Entry is limited to the first 12 contestants.
2. Any competitor with a serious ailment or health problem may not compete in the contest. Visual and physical signs of sickness will result in disqualification.
3. Competitors may eat sitting down or standing up in their designated areas. Any competitor leaving their designated area during the contest will be disqualified.
4. 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.
5. If a competitor vomits or regurgitates at any time during the competition or during the time period the wing count is being tallied, he or she will be disqualified.
6. The use of utensils is not allowed. No condiments or other sides will be offered or accepted during competition. Unlimited water will be available during the event.
7. 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. Wings must be at least 90% eaten as determined by officials and/or judges.

8. Competitors may not touch the wing container or wings in the container before the contest begins.
  9. Competitors must place each and every finished chicken wing bone back in the wing container. Failure to place wing bones back into the container will result in disqualification.
  10. If contingencies or disputes arise at the contest/before, during or after, that is not explicitly covered by these official rules, the Executive Judge's decision will stand with the same finality as the rules.
  11. Judges will be on hand to assure the adherence to contest rules; weigh the total amount of wings that have been eaten; and to disqualify contestants that refused to adhere to the rules. Rules are subject to change as directed by the Myrtle Beach Area Chamber of Commerce, Beach Boogie and BBQ Staff and/or contest judges.
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### **The Contest:**

1. Each competitor will start with exactly one container consisting of (5) pounds of chicken wings supplied by the Myrtle Beach Area Chamber of Commerce.
2. The contest will last exactly three (3) minutes.
3. Once the contest starts, the competitors will consume their allotted wings and place the eaten chicken wing bone back into the wing container.
4. The contest is over when time expires; you have 10 seconds to either swallow the food or spit it back on the plate. Otherwise you will be disqualified.
5. Once the contest is complete, each competitor's wing container will be taken to be weighed by the Executive Judge.
6. The winner will be determined by the lightest total weight of wing container, measured by an official contest scale in pounds and ounces by the Executive Judge.
7. In the event of a tie between competitors, there will be a 60 second "run off" to determine the winner. Each competitor will start with exactly one container consisting of (5) pounds of chicken wings. The "run off" will last exactly one (1) minute. The winner will be determined by the lightest total weight of wing container, measured by an official contest scale in pounds and ounces by the Executive Judge.

### **WINNER WILL RECEIVE:**

1. Three Night Accommodations in a 2 bedroom Unit at Wyndham, Ocean Blvd
2. \$100 Dinner Certificate to Greg Norman's Australian Grille
3. \$100 American Express Gift Card



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## Entry Form and Waiver

You **will not** be allowed to participate without this signed form.

First and Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about this contest?

\_\_\_\_\_ Newspaper

\_\_\_\_\_ Radio/TV

\_\_\_\_\_ In-store poster or flyer \_\_\_\_\_ Other

Proof of Age/Status:

\*Must submit one of the following:

\_\_\_\_\_ Driver's License \_\_\_\_\_ College ID

\_\_\_\_\_ Birth Certificate \_\_\_\_\_ Other

Do you have any allergies? Please Circle. YES NO

If yes, please describe in detail what you are allergic to.

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Number: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby release, indemnify and hold harmless the Myrtle Beach Area Chamber of Commerce/Beach Boogie and BBQ Festival, trustees, employees, sponsors, vendors, agents and assigns from any and all liability, damage, claim of any nature whatsoever arising out of or in any way related to my participating in this contest. Participating in any activity is an acceptance of some risk of injury. I agree that my safety is primarily dependent upon my taking proper care of myself. I assume all risks related to the activities. In case of an emergency, I do hereby authorize a representative of the Myrtle Beach Area Chamber of Commerce/Beach Boogie and BBQ Festival to consent to any medical treatment or care deemed advisable.

I have read and agree to comply with the rules and regulation of the Myrtle Beach Area Chamber of Commerce/Beach Boogie and BBQ Festival Festival's Wing-A-Palooza.

My signature below indicates that I have read, understand and freely signed this agreement. I expressly agree that this agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with South Carolina laws, and I consent to the jurisdiction of said state. I agree that this waiver and release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted under South Carolina laws so that if any portion hereof is held invalid, the balance shall continue in full legal force and effect.

I certify that the information provided is correct and that I have carefully read, understand and accept the terms of the Myrtle Beach Area Chamber of Commerce/Beach Boogie and BBQ Festival Wing-A-Palooza Official Contest Rules and Entry Form. As condition of competing in the contest, my signature indicates my understanding and assumption of the risks and my voluntary participation in this contest.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY: Application Accepted: Y or N INITIALS: \_\_\_\_\_**