DELTA HOT TAMALE FESTIVAL
ON THE MAIN STAGE PRESENTED BY REGIONS
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2026, 11:00 AM

2026 DOE'S HOT TAMALE EATING CONTEST PRESENTED BY OPTIMUM

CONTESTANT NAME: _____ AGE: _____

TELEPHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

ADDRESS_____CITY_____ STATE_____ ZIP_____
***** ALL COMMUNICATIONS REGARDING THE FESTIVAL WILL OCCUR VIA EMAIL *****

ENTRY FEE: $10.00; PAYOUT: WINNER TAKES ALL ENTRY FEES FROM THEIR DIVISION
MAXIMUM OF 10 ENTRIES PER DIVISION
This contest will begin after the junior
Please make checks payable to GGDF, and remit payment along with the completed application to GGDF Attn: Delta Hot Tamale Festival Eating Contest, 332 Main Street, Greenville, MS 38701

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISKS AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY:
The contestant acknowledges that there are risks of personal injury, illness, or loss of personal property, which may result from participating in this contest. The contestant voluntarily enters The Delta Hot Tamale Eating Contest and assumes all of these risks. Contestant, as a condition of entry, agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Greater Greenville Development Foundation and affiliated companies, their vendors, their advertising, promotion, and public relations agencies, co-sponsoring companies and their affiliates and agencies, 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, the contestant releases and indemnifies the aforesaid entities and individuals from liability for injuries or damages of any kind arising from or in connection with participation in this contest or the receipt or use of any prize. In no event shall Greater Greenville Development Foundation be liable to a contestant for acts or omissions arising out of or related to the Contest or that Contestant's participation in the challenge.
CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE:
I certify that the information provided is correct and that I have carefully read, understand and accept the terms of The Delta Hot Tamale Eating Contest. My signature indicates my understanding and assumption of the risks and my voluntary participation in this contest.

Contestant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent or Guardian Signature
(If contestant is under the age of 18) _____ Date: _____

ATTN: Report to tent left of the Main Stage at 10:40 to check in.