

Boyne Area Chamber of Commerce
Annual Duck Race Raffle
License #: R69324

House Rules, Effective June 2023

Raffle tickets cost \$10 each and are on sale in the Chamber office, 115 South Lake St., Suite A, Boyne City, MI, as of May 24, 2023.

The Annual Duck Race will be conducted as follows, in accordance with the State of Michigan Charitable Gaming Division Charitable Gaming Directive No. 5.01.01.

1. The ducks are unbreakable, unsinkable, and of the same size and weight.
2. Each duck is marked with a number that corresponds with the number on each of the raffle tickets sold. The number is in waterproof ink.
3. The waterway, Boyne River, is relatively free of obstructions.
4. At the start, the ducks are dropped into the waterway all at the same time from a predetermined location.
5. No one is allowed to touch, hinder, or assist the ducks while they are in the waterway.
6. The finish line is a chute that traps the ducks, one at a time, in the order of finish. Under no circumstance will the winner be determined by an individual watching the ducks cross the finish line.
7. If circumstances prevent the duck race from being conducted, the winner shall be determined by a traditional raffle drawing on the scheduled date and time.
8. The method by which the duck race raffle is conducted is included in the house rules in accordance with Raffle Rule 510.

The duck race raffle utilizes unbreakable, unsinkable plastic ducks of the same size and weight. The ducks are dumped all at the same time into the Boyne River from the bucket of the Boyne City Fire Department ladder truck. The first 10 duck that funnel into the finish line chute are declared the winners.

The ducks will be dumped at approximately 2:00pm on the July 4, 2023.

Ducks will float downstream into the finish line chute, which will collect the top 10 ducks as winners for cash prizes.

Winners will be chosen as follows:

The first two ducks that enter the chute will be the grand prize winners of \$500 each.

The next duck into the chute will be the second prize winner of \$250.

The next duck into the chute will be the third prize winner of \$100.

The 4th through 10th ducks into the chute will each win \$50.

Winning duck NUMBERS will be announced after completion of the race, by the Chamber.

Winners need not be present to win and will be contacted by Chamber staff by 5pm on the day of the raffle drawing, this year July 4, 2023.

Winners who are not present at the time of the drawing may pick up their prize at the Chamber office any time after the raffle. If desired by the winner or to expedite closing of the raffle, Chamber staff may mail a check to the winner if a pick-up time cannot be arranged.

In case of inclement weather or other circumstances which prevent the duck race from being conducted, the winner shall be determined by a traditional raffle drawing on July 4, 2023 at 2:30pm. This traditional raffle drawing will be conducted in the Chamber building located at 115 S. Lake St., Suite A, Boyne City, MI.

No refunds will be given for purchased raffle tickets.