



# THE MISSOURI STATE CALLING CONTEST BY UPPERDUCK

PRESENTED BY:



**This contest is sanctioned by the  
World Championship Duck Calling Rules Committee**

**START TIME:**  
*8:30 AM*

**ENTRY FEE:**  
*\$40*

**First Place:**  
*\$500*  
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*Winner of this contest is qualified to compete in the  
World's Championship Duck Calling Contest in Stuttgart, AR.*

(See pages following for official contest rules)

# MISSOURI STATE DUCK CALLING CONTEST RULES

## Registration:

Registration will be done by official entry form that will be available online at [duckfestmo.org](http://duckfestmo.org) or onsite. Onsite registration will be held only during the day of the contest starting at 8:00 am. Contestants may be asked for ID if they choose to enter contest. All callers must be on location and registered 15 minutes prior to contest start time. Contest start times are subject to change. Registration committee may exercise its discretion concerning the extenuating circumstances which may permit registration after the time indicated. The decision of the registration committee shall in all instances be final.

## Rules:

This contest is open to any caller that has not won either a sanctioned national, regional or state contest and must be from the represented state the contest is for.

Proof of residency must be submitted at the final registration (Driver's License or Student ID). The contests will be judged on a "main street style" routine, which will be ninety (90) seconds maximum.

Judging will be done with five judges....the high and low scores from each round will be thrown out and the remaining three scores totaled.

There will be a minimum of three rounds of calling, with cuts made after rounds one and two at approximately 50% plus ties. In the event there should be more than thirty (30) callers competing, cuts may be increased to a rate of approximately 60% cut after rounds one and two.

The final round will be a minimum of five callers, plus anyone tied for fifth. In the event of a tie for any of the top five place finishers the ties will be broken.

By paying the required entry fee each caller is presumed to have read and fully comprehend the rules as presented above.

Any questions should be asked and clarified before the start of the contest. The Contest Committee reserves the right to interpret the application of these rules and in all instances their decision shall be final.

Callers may use any legal call. No electronic equipment of any kind is allowed. For any reason, contestants may be asked by the judges to repeat calls. **Turn all cell phones off. No cell phones can be used by contestant during said calling event. The use of any items above will be grounds for disqualification. There shall be no talking or communicating in any form with anyone other than an official while outside the isolation area.**

The Duck Calling Contest Rules Committee reserves the right to interpret the application of these printed contest rules, and such policies and rules which are not covered herein that may be announced from time to time during contest. The decision of the committee shall, in all instances, be final.

*\*Rules subject to change up until 24 hours before contest begins.*