

# YALE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

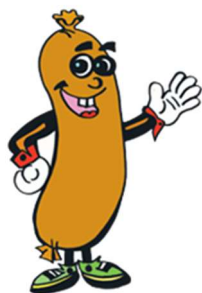
## 34TH YALE BOLOGNA FESTIVAL

### JULY 26-28, 2024

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#### Bologna Baby Rules

1. Eligibility. The Baby Bologna Contest is open to children between the ages of newborn to 3 years old, whose parent(s) live or work in the Yale School District. The child must be under 3 years old as of April 1, 2024.
2. How to Enter. Enter by returning the completed entry form as well as a photo of the baby to the Yale Area Chamber of Commerce at 102 S. Main St, or mailing it to us at PO BOX 59, Yale, MI 48097. You can also email us at [yalemichamber@gmail.com](mailto:yalemichamber@gmail.com). Deadline to enter is June 1, 2024.
3. Entries must be submitted by an adult 18 years or older at the time of submission. If mailing or dropping off the entry forms, the baby's name, person submitting the photo and phone number must be listed on the back of the photo. Photos must be printed on 4x6 photo paper.
4. Fundraising. You are responsible for turning in any funds raised to be counted.
  - a. You are required to use "Vote" jars / containers / buckets to collect votes at local businesses. Please make sure to ask permission from the owner / management before placing your vote jar at the business.
  - b. You can also hold small events, sell products, etc as long as it's in good taste, family friendly and keeps the Yale Area Chamber of Commerce and Bologna Festival in a good light.
  - c. You are required to notify the Baby Royalty Director at least two weeks prior to any fundraising events. Please provide a tentative schedule at the beginning of your campaign. This will allow us to properly advertise and help promote your events. This also helps us coordinate and limit events so they don't conflict with other festival fundraisers. You may host smaller events (pop-up sales, hot dog sales, etc.) as long as you have prior approval.
5. Social Media. All posts, including flyers, events, photos, etc pertaining to candidate fundraising and/or the Yale Bologna Festival must be approved prior to and by the Festival Coordinator, Baby Royalty Director and/or the Executive Secretary before posting on any social media group, page, etc. Social Media posts will be monitored and are subject to removal if they did not get prior approval.
6. By submitting this information, the Yale Expositor and Yale Area Chamber of Commerce reserve the right to use the baby's photo and name in any print products of the Yale Expositor as well as on its websites and social media.
7. Entries with incomplete or incorrect information will not be accepted.
8. Voting Procedures and Rules. Votes are one penny (1¢) each per Bologna Festival tradition. The voting period will conclude at 5:00 PM on Monday, July 22, 2024. Votes will be counted and totalled by the Royalty Director, Katie Jedrzejcack. You



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may turn in money as often as you'd like and she will keep a confidential total for you.

9. Winner Determination. Winners will be determined by total number of votes received / highest amount fundraised. All participants are required to be at the main stage at 5:30pm on Saturday, July 27, 2024 for crowning ceremonies. Baby Bologna will be crowned first, prior to the other royals. A parent or guardian must be present.
  10. Winner will be notified and are expected to participate in the Big Bologna Festival Parade on Saturday, July 27, 2024 at 5:30pm. A parent or guardian must ride with the Baby Bologna winner in the parade. Transportation will be provided.
  11. The winners will be featured in print in the Yale Expositor and online at [www.yalechamber.com](http://www.yalechamber.com)
  12. Participation. By participating, entrants agree to be bound by these Official Rules and the decisions of the Yale Area Chamber of Commerce, its board members and Bologna Festival coordinators regarding the selection of winners and all other aspects of the contest shall be final and binding in all respects.
- ❖ I / WE agree to defend, indemnity and hold harmless the City of Yale; the Yale Area Chamber of Commerce; it's members, coordinators, employees, volunteers and their kin, from any claim, demand, lawsuit, loss, cost of expense, or any damage which may be asserted, claimed or recovered against from the City of Yale and the Yale Area Chamber of commerce by reason of any damage to property, personal injury, or bodily injury, including death, sustained by any person whomsoever and which damage, injury, or death arises out of or is incident to or in any way connected with the performance of this contract, and regardless of which claim, demand, damage, loss, cost of expense is caused in whole or in part by the negligence of myself or by third parties, or by the agents, servants, employees or factors or any of them.

If you have any questions regarding this contest, please call 810-387-9253 or the Baby Bologna Director, Taylor Kendzinski at 810-304-2263.

Baby Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Birthday \_\_\_\_\_  
Parents Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

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