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2024 CROP YIELD CONTEST

HARD RED SPRING WHEAT - DRYLAND & IRRIGATED | DURUM - DRYLAND

Win A Traeger IronWood XL!

ENTER BY AUGUST 10TH

SUBMIT SAMPLES BY OCTOBER 1ST

The entries with the highest per acre yield from each crop category will be selected. The quality (grade, test weight, protein etc.) will determine the winner. There is a limit of one prize per entrant. If an entrant wins multiple categories, the prize will be awarded to the runner-up. The name of the contest winner will be published in our newsletter and other outlets. The yield of the contest winner will be kept anonymous unless the winner permits us to publish the yield, quality, and management practices (variety, fertility, herbicide, crop protection etc.). Winners will be notified via email.



YIELD REPORTING

The yield should be the field average reported to the FSA office based off grain cart weights or elevator tickets.

FIELD QUALIFICATIONS

The field must be at least 100 continuous acres. Location (GPS or Legal Description) and total acres of the field must be provided when the sample is submitted.

QUALITY RECOGNITION

Our contest encourages you to strive for both high yield and high quality. All contestants must save a 10 lb sample at harvest. The sample will be graded and assessed for quality at the Williston elevator and wheat samples will be submitted to the ND Wheat Commission for milling and baking quality. Sample bags can be provided if needed. Samples should be dropped off at your nearest Agronomy location and will be collected by Dr. Audrey Kalil for testing.

MOISTURE TESTING

Moisture percentage should be measured on the sample at harvest and the moisture percentage submitted with the yield sample. The moisture on the day of harvest will be used in the yield calculation. Enter the moisture percent in your harvest form.

WHEAT QUALITY REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible to win the yield contest, the commodity must meet quality standards:

- Test weight and protein for hard red spring wheat must be 58 lb/bu and 13.5% protein
- Test weight and protein for durum must be 58 lb/bu and 13% protein

CONTEST DEADLINES

Entry forms must be submitted by **August 10th, 2024**. Yield, moisture, field information and grain sample(s) must be submitted by **October 1, 2024, 11:59pm (CT)**. A Google form will be provided to entrants. No late entries or harvest data will be accepted. Qualifying crops include hard red spring wheat and durum.

CONTEST QUALIFICATIONS

Entrants must be a member customer of Horizon Resources Co-op in the Agronomy and/or Grain divisions. Partnerships can enter under the partnership name if the partnership is a member customer. Entrants must farm a minimum of 100 acres of the submitted crop type.



Scan For Entry Form

Please read contest rules carefully before completing the entry form. For questions or issues with your entries, please contact Dr. Audrey Kalil before the deadlines at 701-572-8354 or akalil@horizonresources.coop