

Hunting & Fishing Club hosts "Big Gobbler" Contest

Registration is underway for the Eastman Recreation Hunting & Fishing Club's 2022 Big Gobbler contest. The contest will run from March 26 through May 15. Deadline for entry is Friday, March 25, by 5pm. Scoring of all entries will be done after May 16 at a time and place to be announced.

Eligible participants are Eastman Recreation Hunting & Fishing Club members and their dependent children and grandchildren ages 6 through 16 with a signed waiver form. Eastman retirees are also eligible to enter. Registration Form.

Gobblers must be harvested in Tennessee and bordering states only, and only one entry per contestant per category will qualify. A dated harvest tag or number must accompany the beard and spurs at the time of scoring. Prizes will be awarded as indicated. In case of a tie, the gobbler harvested first will be awarded that place with the later harvest taking the next place. For more information contact Hunting & Fishing Club officer, Tony Arnold, by phone (423-677-1696) or email (tonyarnold803@gmail.com).

Contest Entry Fee

**\$5 for everyone except young sportsmen.
Young sportsmen can enter for free with signed release form.**

Prizes and Awards

Prizes and awards will be presented to the Top 3 places in these categories:

- **Typical = 1 beard, 1 spur per foot**
- **Non-Typical = Multi-beards or multi-spurs**
- **Young Sportsmen (This contest is open to all Eastman Hunting Club Members Son, Daughter, and Grandchildren from ages 6 to 16 during the contest period)**

Longest beard will receive a \$25 award.

Contest Dates

Deadline to enter: March 25 by 5pm
Contest duration: March 26-May 15
Scoring: After May 16

Score Calculation

Spur length X 10 + beard length X 2

If entry contains multiple beards, the total beard lengths will be added together for 1 total length X 2

