

## **RULES FOR THE 2020 IDITAROD TRIFECTA**

1. **Entry.** Each entry into the Iditarod Trifecta will cost \$10. Entries will be available to be purchased beginning January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020 and until 1 pm on March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Entry forms can be downloaded from <https://iditarod.com/trifecta-2020/> and emailed, faxed or mailed back to Iditarod. Entries must be submitted by 1 pm March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 or postmarked by March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 in order to be accepted. Entries will also be available to be purchased in person at Wasilla Iditarod HQ, Lakefront Hotel during race week, Iditarod Musher Banquet, Iditarod Start and Iditarod Restart.
2. **Eligibility.** Employees of Iditarod Trail Committee and their direct relatives, and members of the Iditarod Board of Directors and their direct relatives, and mushers that are running the race are not eligible to purchase entries. Direct relatives are defined as spouse, parent, mother-in-law, father-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, brother, sister, child, or stepchild. Minors under the age of 18 are not eligible to purchase raffle tickets or receive prizes.
3. **Prize.** The total of all entries purchased will be split. 40% of the pot goes to the winner(s), 20% goes to the top twenty finishing teams as an additional purse payout, and 40% goes to the Iditarod.
4. **Winner Determination.** Once the winner of the 2020 Iditarod arrives in Nome, the entries will be reviewed. Each entry will allow the purchaser to pick the winning musher, winning time, and number of dogs the winner finished with is chosen. Determination of winner starts by reviewing the winning musher entries. If multiple entries have chosen the same musher, then reviewing the winning times and determine the closest guess to the winning time. If there are still tied guesses, then the entries are reviewed for the guess of how many dogs the winner finished with. If after this review there is still multiple winners, then the prize will be split. Winner will be announced by March 22, 2020.
5. **Notification.** The Iditarod Trail Committee shall make every reasonable effort to notify winners that they have won the Iditarod Trifecta. If attempts to notify a prizewinner within forty-five (45) days of the drawing have not been successful, the next closest guess will be awarded the prize.
6. **Claiming Prizes.** The winner(s) will complete a prize claim form and a w-9. Once the forms are completed and returned to Iditarod a check will be mailed to the winner(s).
7. **Delivery.** Prize will be mailed to winner(s).
8. **Taxes.** The Iditarod Trail Committee must report to the IRS the name and taxpayer identification number of each winner of a prize valued at \$600 or greater along with the value of the prize awarded. Winners are required to provide their taxpayer identification number and are solely responsible for any taxes assessed against them because of receiving a prize.