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World Record for MKN

Largest Serving of Currywurst was fried on MKN`s gigantic grill

Mission accomplished: The world record for the “largest serving of currywurst” belongs to MKN in Wolfenbüttel. The record currywurst, 320 m long and weighing 175.2 kg was fried by the MKN chefs team together with TV & star chef, Mario Kotaska, on a gigantic MKN grill.

The reason for the record attempt, which took place in bright sunshine on the car park behind “Grillfritz”, was the retirement of Fritz Weinhold. On the occasion of his retirement and to thank him for his long-standing services to MKN, the MKN chefs team dedicated the record to Weinhold who had sold around 250 000 servings of currywurst in the last 16 years.



Star chef, Mario Kotaska, who always enjoys being a guest in Wolfenbüttel, was also extremely enthusiastic about the event: “What started as a crazy idea, in the truest sense of the word, has turned into a major event.” In view of the super participation of the Wolfenbüttel public, Kotaska said: “You are all CURRYWURST!” Kotaska was supported in his “Bratwerk” mobile snack bar by his colleague, Ralf Zacherl, who is also well known from various TV appearances and shows. Fritz Weinhold was visibly overwhelmed by the Wolfenbüttel public’s support and the commitment of MKN. “That is a world class achievement, but I didn’t expect anything else from such a world class team as MKN.



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Many thanks to the super employees!" These had been occupied with the realisation of the record attempt for around six months. The consumption of the tasty giant sausage – a serving was sold for only 1 euro – benefited a local charity. The proceeds are going to the Wolfenbüttel Tafel (an organisation which distributes donated food to people in need). The production of the record sausage, 1.300 portions of which were completely served to the public, was the responsibility of the Neubauer butcher's shop in Braunschweig. The currywurst was fried on a MKN griddle pan, a huge grill with the dimensions 7 m x 1.5 m. This had been constructed specially for the record attempt. 14 men were needed to lift the sausage onto the grill pan. The three Mayors, Katrin Rühland, Heinz-Rainer Bosse and Gerhard Wiche as well as the measurement engineer, Egbert Homeister were responsible for the correctness of the record attempt. In the supporting programme for this major event, which was accompanied by numerous camera crews. The Wolfenbüttel band "Steilkurve" provided the music with classic rock from the "Rolling Stones" to the "Beatles". The event was also supported by the Wolters Brewery and Melitta Coffee Machines.

