

**FLOYD COUNTY FAIR DEMOLITION DERBY**  
**SPONSORED BY RUDD LIONS CLUB**  
**JULY 24, 2009**

**GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS**

1. All drivers must be 18 years or older or have a written parental consent to be able to participate.
2. The pit area will be restricted to participants and pit crew only! No children under the age of 14 will be allowed.
3. Any fighting or drinking in the pit area will subject the offender, and the car they are associated with, to suspension depending upon the seriousness of the incident and the decision of the officials. The driver/owner of every car is responsible for their pit crew and their conduct.
4. **ABSOLUTELY** no one is allowed in the scoring booth other than the officials!
5. Drivers will not be allowed to get out of their cars on the track to argue or discuss any situation with the flagmen or officials. Also, drivers will not be allowed to unfasten their seat belts or helmets to work on cars. Violations of this rule will result in disqualification.
6. The racing officials will resolve any disagreement over technical questions or operations. When their decision is rendered, such decision is **final and binding!**
7. Officials will determine all finishing positions and their decisions would be **final and binding!**
8. No engines setbacks! However, you may inner-marriage motors with different body styles.
9. Absolutely no profane words or suggestive pictures will be allowed on your participating car. This is a family type entertainment and you will not be allowed to participate if profanity of any type is used.

**BEFORE ENTERING THE GROUNDS**

1. All glass must be removed.
2. All chrome or plastic trim and moldings must be removed. Includes plastic grills, taillights and parking lights.

**SAFETY RULES**

1. All drivers must wear a helmet and a seat belt. Shoulder harnesses are required to prevent facial and chest injuries.
2. The driver's door may have support for the driver's protection. We suggest using foam padding from the back seat on the inside of the driver's door.
3. No coolers with outside beverages.
4. Fire extinguisher required in each car!

**DEMOLITION RULES**

1. All models of car and station wagons (**EXCEPT CHRYSLER IMPERIALS**), no pickups. All cars must remain stock except for the following things:
  - a. Remove all glass and chrome **BEFORE COMING TO THE FAIRGROUNDS**. Windows, head and taillights, turn signals and chrome moldings.
  - b. NO GLASS FRAGMENTS IN CARS.
  - c. Tires must be street legal car tires. No water may be added to tires.
  - d. Fan may be removed. No extra water tanks for engine cooling will be allowed.
  - e. Cars may not be reinforced. Doors can be reinforced to protect driver ONLY. Modifications only to provide driver protection will be allowed.
  - f. No added steel to frame especially to front and back of cars – NO FIGURE-8 CARS.

- g. Battery may be removed, but must be securely fastened down and covered if in driver's compartment.
- h. Gas tank must be moved to rear seat area securely fastened. 5 gallons of gas only is allowed per heat.
- i. One small chain may be used to hold the hood and trunk down. Must be able to open for inspection. Must chain or weld doors shut. Holes in hood in case of fire.
- j. Fenders may be cut out to the diameter of tires only.
- k. NO EXCEPTIONS...RULES ARE STRICTLY ENFORCED.**
- l. **CAR INSPECTION** begins at 4:00 PM. Car entry gate closes at 6:15 PM. Driver's meeting will be at 6:45 PM. Derby begins at 7:00 PM. **NO CARS IN PIT AREAS UNTIL INSPECTED.**
- m. **ENTRY FEE PER CAR** - \$35 (Includes one driver and one pit person)

### **RULES OF OPERATION**

1. Drivers will have one minute to restart cars if motor stalls.
2. Drivers will have fifteen seconds to get back in bounds if they drive outside boundaries.
3. Drivers ONLY in the ring during heat. No assistance from the pit crew.
4. Cars must make an aggressive hit every 60 seconds.
5. DELIBERATE hitting of driver's door will be an automatic disqualification.
6. If you are asked to stop your car due to a possible fire hazard, you will not be allowed to compete until you have corrected the hazard.
7. Drivers are to remain in cars until the completion of the heat.
8. Tractors pulling cars off the arena area will not assist you in lifting or straightening your car.
9. All wrecks MUST BE REMOVED from the Fairgrounds within 4 hours of Derby completion or they become property of the Rudd Lions Club. NO STRIPPING OF PARTS ALLOWED.
10. At the end of each heat the three top cars will be held in a designated area to be worked on there prior to the feature. 20 minutes will be allowed prior to the feature for repairs. Only the driver and two pit crewmembers are allowed to be in this work area during the 20 minutes.

### **SMALL CAR RULES**

1. Any factory 4 cylinder or small six cylinder car.
2. All gas tanks must be moved to the inside of the car. 5 gallons of gas only are allowed per heat.
3. No bull work allowed!
4. No steel sub frame cars. Uni-bodies only, no full frame.
5. No cars with wheel base over 107 inches.
6. ALL OTHER REGULAR DEMOLITION RULES APPLY.

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