

2009 Jay County Fair Association
DEMOLITION DERBY
Jay County Fairgrounds
P.O. Box 328 Portland, IN 47371 (260) 726- 9616

Demolition Derby
One Compact Demo Heat
Jay County Residents ONLY
Friday 7:00 P.M.
July 31, 2009

Open Demolition Derby
Saturday 7:00 P.M.
August 1, 2009

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. Each and every driver is required to fill out an entry blank.
2. Derby officials may accept or reject any and all entries.
3. No car will be allowed on the track prior to the heat in which it is to participate.
4. Intoxication beverages, or the use of such, are prohibited prior or during the event.
5. Female drivers may not participate in Powder Puff heat if pregnant
6. Derby drivers and crew are independent contractors, not employees of the promotor.
7. The last three cars moving in all heats will be officially proclaimed the winner.
8. THE DECISION OF THE JUDGES AND DERBY OFFICIALS WILL BE FINAL!
9. No welding on the car is allowed.
10. Questions call Darren Gates 1-937-596-5223

Registration closes	5:30 p.m.
Inspection closes	3:00-6:00p.m.
Driver's meeting	6:30 p.m.

DRIVER'S ENTRY:

1. Any front engine, hard-top or station wagon is allowed. No trucks, jeeps, carry-alls, hearses, compact cars, or four-wheel drive cars permitted.
2. Only passenger-type tires or light truck tires may be used on the car. (NO AGG, PADDLE TIRES, OR LUG TYPE TIRES ALLOWED.)
(DOUBLE TIRES ARE ALLOWED)
3. All drivers must supply their own car and have a valid driver's license.
4. **Any driver and/or crew member disobeying rules will cause his/her car to be disqualified.**
5. The feature Demolition event will be composed of the last three cars running in each heat and must be the same car used in a heat.
6. **Car numbers must be painted on both door panels and on the top of the car before the car enters the grandstand.**
7. Pit passes will be sold at \$10.00 each.
8. **No offensive language or pictures will be permitted.**

NO NEW CAR OR COMPACT CAR WILL BE ALLOWED TO BE USED IN THE FEATURE EVENT.

TIME LIMIT- A time limit will be announced by the derby official

INSPECTION- Derby officials reserve the right to inspect any and all cars entered in the demolition contest at any time.

INSPECTION OFFICIAL'S DECISION SHALL BE FINAL.

DISPOSAL OF CARS-All cars participating in the derby must be removed from the fairgrounds two hours following the feature event or arrangements made with the officials of the Jay County Fair Association.

CAR REGULATIONS:

1. Any front engine, hard-top or station wagon is allowed. No trucks, jeeps, carry-alls, or four-wheel drive cars, etc.
2. Safety belts, approved helmets, and protective eye wear are required and must be worn. Shoulder harness are recommended. No radio communications with driver during derby.
3. All glass including windshield, headlights, tail lights, mirrors, etc. must be removed. Car must be swept clean of all dirt and loose pieces. ALL THIS WORK must be done BEFORE ENTERING JAY COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS.
4. A maximum of five (5) gallons of gas will be permitted. The gas tank must be removed, and in the back seat area of the car. Both the tank and line must have an approved fire wall or fireproof cover between the cover and the tank. No plastic or boat tanks are to be used unless they are safety approved type.
5. No special bumpers, trailer hitches, or reinforcements will be permitted. Bumpers ends may be removed by cutting or unbolting. No sharp edges. No chaining or changing of the suspension will be allowed; neither will welding to any spring or support. Car must be level (Factory stock).
6. **FULL SIZE CARS ONLY:** Minimum of 110 inch wheel base. **FOR COMPACT CARS ONLY:** Maximum of 103 inch wheel base, 4 cylinder engines or V6 only.

7. Fuel lines ran inside or out side of car, preferred inside through fire wall, with double line, with regular fittings or welded fittings. No holes in to tank with tube shoved in it.
8. Gas tank must be strapped down with steel straps or wire only, no ratchet straps or bungee straps allowed.
9. Cars are allowed to have distributors protectors attached to motor only.
10. Cars are allowed transmission coolers but have to be mounted under hood of car only lines and fittings must be approved by officials.
11. Doors should be covered and padded on the inside.
12. There is to be no spinner on the steering wheel.
13. Driver may maneuver forward or backward. **No deliberate head-on collisions or hitting on the driver's door.**
14. It will be permitted for a car to cross over the boundary line, if necessary, but driver must bring vehicle to a complete stop, after re-entering the boundary line before proceeding to participate in the event.
15. All doors must be fastened shut by no more than four (4) strands of number nine (9) wire or chain. No welding accepted.
16. Stacks allowed.
17. Hood and trunk lids may be held down by chain or wire. No more than four (4) strands of number nine (9) wire providing the wire or chain attached to sheet metal. If chained, a quick release is required on the hood or trunk. Upon request, the hood and trunk must be opened in a matter of seconds during inspection, prior to the event.
18. All chrome and decorative ornaments must be removed from the outside of the car. Protruding fenders and/or tail light fins must be cut off or bent off. No packing or creasing of the tops, backs, or any other part of the car. You can bend protruding parts but that is all.
19. Drivers must stay in cars. Do not leave car unless told to do so by an official or until the last car is stopped.
20. If any emergency arises during the event, all cars will be stopped. If any car must be moved to allow emergency equipment to operate, then all cars must be moved to their original starting positions to resume heat. If it is unnecessary to move any cars during an emergency then the heat will restart from present positions.
21. Batteries must be moved inside the car, but not near the gas tank. The battery must be securely fastened to the car and covered with a suitable shield.
22. Radiator must remain in original position. Any vehicle visibly leaking fuel will be disqualified.
23. **Both front door panels and top of car should be painted with assigned number before entering Jay County Fairgrounds.**
24. Cars must have brakes before beginning of heat,
25. Additional safety regulations may be applied the day of the derby or prior to time of derby due to track conditions.
26. Any driver protesting another car must do so at driver's meeting.
27. Top car number: if car is dark, paint white number. If light, paint black number. No more than three numbers/letters per car number.
28. A 12 inch flap hole in the hood for fire protection is permitted.
29. You may chain or weld your motor mounts for safety reasons.
30. A bar placed behind driver's seat for driver safety(may be welded in with 12 by 12 square plate. Weld on both ends of bar to car no thicker than 1/2 plates may be used.
31. Frame must remain stock. Absolutely no fillers inside or added reinforcements outside frame. Do not weld frame seams.
32. Bumpers may be welded to the shock, and to the frame only, no metal may be added, stock bumpers only, you also can add # 9 wire or chain to the bumper to hold in its place.
33. You can install new bolts and washers in body mounts, no larger than 1/2 bolts or no larger than 3"OD washers allowed.
34. NO Crown Victoria Fords, or Lincolns with altered frames allowed.

DERBY OFFICIALS SHALL INSPECT CAR BEING PROTESTED WITH THE PERSON FILLING THE PROTEST. DERBY OFFICIAL'S DECISION SHALL BE FINAL! PROTESTING AGAINST WINNER'S CAR ONLY. A CAR MAY BE PROTESTED FOR NOT COMPLYING WITH THE CAR REGULATIONS. This must be done verbally within five minutes of completion of event and in writing within one hour. A \$50 protest fee must be submitted at time of verbal protest to any derby official. If the car being protested is illegal, the party protesting will be returned his \$50 fee. The driver of the illegal car shall forfeit any winnings or feature event position. If the car being protested is legal, the driver of the car shall keep the \$50 protester money. DERBY OFFICIALS CAN PROTEST ANY CAR FOR WRITTEN AND VERBAL RULE VIOLATIONS WITHOUT PROTEST FEE.

RELEASE AND CONSENT FORM

State of _____ County of _____ I, being the parent and/or the legal guardian of _____, hear by permit him/her to enter and/or participate in the Jay County Fair Derby being held at the Jay County Fairgrounds and that said minor is under the age of 18. I, hereby, expressly release the Jay County Fair Association, Sponsors, and all of the associates for any injuries of any kind or nature which may occur as a result of said minor's participation in said derby. And I, hereby, expressly waive all claim for injuries that may occur should said minor be injured while being in a contestant said contest.

Signature of parent/legal guardian _____

Enclosed Entry Form

Entry fee is \$20.00. Driver and one crew member will be admitted free at the gate when they come through with their car. Car number must be painted on top of the car as well as both doors. Driver's must be at least 18 years of age and show a valid driver's license. If under 18, must have signature of parent or release form
 Dates of shows--- Friday, July 31, 2009 (Jay County Residents ONLY) Saturday, August 1, 2009 (Open Demo) 7:00 P. M. both nights

(Please Print)

Driver's Name _____ Age _____ (If under 18, parent signature is necessary on release form)

Street Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Telephone number and best time to be reached _____

Number of Entries _____ Desired Number _____ (may need to be changed)

Driver's License Number _____ State in which licensed _____

CLIP AND MAIL TO JAY COUNTY FAIR DEMOLITION DERBY, P.O. BOX 328 PORTLAND, IN. 47371

I, the undersigned, have read the above entry blank and official rules, and thoroughly understand that I will enter the Jay County Fair Association Derby under the above conditions and will accept the decision of the judges as final. I agree to use the track in its present condition and I will not hold the Jay County Fair Association or any other contestant liable in the event of accident or injury.

 Signature of Driver

2009 Jay County Fair Association

Truck Demolition Derby

Jay County Fairgrounds

P.O. Box 328 Portland, IN 47371 (260) 726- 9616

LIMITED TO THE FIRST 25 TRUCKS REGISTERED

Saturday
August 1, 2009
7:00 p.m.

Registration closes	5:30 p.m.
Inspection	3:00- 6:00 p.m.
Driver meeting	6:30 p.m.

Body Regulations

1. 1/2 and 3/4 ton trucks will be accepted either two or four wheel drive models. No SUV or Suburban allowed.
2. Four- wheel drive models will only be allowed to run one drive shaft.
3. All trucks must have drivers door and roof painted white and numbers must appear on both sides of doors. Special numbers will be allowed subject to the approval of the officials. NO PROFANITY will be allowed on truck.
4. All glass, side and rear windows, headlights, tail lights, and windshields must be removed before reaching the track. Rolling down the window glass is not permitted.
5. All trucks must have approved seat belts secured to or around the frame in substantial manner.
6. Complete removal of interior is recommended. All trucks must be swept clean including driver's compartment and bed. No spare tires, broken glass, or trash will be allowed.
7. Battery must be relocated to the front floorboard and securely fastened and covered. Only one automobile type battery is allowed.
8. All trucks must have radiator in stock position. If radiator is removed, you may run water in the block only. No reserve tanks allowed.
9. Side doors must be welded solid, chained, bolted, or wired, but must be secured in one of these manners.
10. A four- sided driver protection cage is highly recommended. Rear glass may be replaced with expanded metal or plexi- glass for driver protection. Cages must not exceed 6 inches in front of doors and may not extend back past cab.
11. Bed and cab can have additional washers above floor and/or bed. No additional bolts or welds. Rubber mounts may be removed. Factory bed floor only. Wood floor must have factory metal strips. (No steel replacement floors.) Cab may be welded to the bed on the sides only. Tailgate can be welded on with a maximum of 3" strap.
12. Stock gas tanks must be removed and replaced with an internal tank. A marine tank is recommended. Tank must be mounted in the front center of the bed securely and bolted in place. All tanks must have secure caps and must be covered with a splash shield. All lines and fittings must be leak proof and meet approval of officials. Fuel lines may be metal or rubber. Electric fuel pumps are permitted but must have a shutoff within reach of the driver. No tank larger than 6 gallon size is permitted.
13. Bumpers must be stock bumper. Do not add extra metal to the installation. Bumper manufacturer does not have to match truck manufacturer. Front and rear bumpers must be chained with a maximum of four short pieces of chain between the bumper and the frame or both. Unlimited amount of #9 wire or cable is allowed between hood, frame, fenders, and core support, etc. to front bumper for securement purposed. Bumper may be welded to the frame horns.
14. All hoods must have holes over the carburetor for fire extinguisher access.
15. Hoods must open for inspection upon request of officials. Washers may be welded to hood so wire does not rip through hole.
16. All frames must remain in OEM stock. Do not add cable, wore chain tensioning in or outside of frame. Any driver caught with an altered frame at check-in will not be allowed to enter that truck.
17. Inner fenders may be wired to the frame but not bolted or welded. Wheel openings may be sheet metal screwed or bolted with 3/8 maximum diameter bolts. Two loops of #9 wire or cable will be allowed to secure rear of body to rear axel housing.
18. Suspension must remain in stock.
 - a. No stiff suspension; all trucks must have original give and bounce.
 - b. So not weld suspension components including upper and lower control arms, tire rods, etc.
 - c. Rear coil spring may be welded or clamped.
 - d. Screw in spring risers or blocks will not be allowed.
 - e. Trucks may have the original type suspension; do not change leaf spring trucks to coil springs, or coil spring trucks to leaf springs.
 - f. You may NOT add leaves to spring assemblies. The number of spring leaves must be the same as the manufacturer originally delivered the stock, standard truck!
 - g. The suspension may not be modified in any way except as specifically noted in #11 or #13
 - h. You may add straps around spring in the front and rear of the leaf spring.
19. Holes in fire wall must be covered. Distributor protectors are permitted but must be attached to the motor only.
20. Trailer hitches must be removed. Class A or Frame mounted hitches must be totally removed. Class B or bumper- mounted hitches must have the trailer ball and stub cut off.
21. Frame must remain stock. Absolutely no fillers inside or added reinforcements outside of frame. Do not weld frame seams. Repairs must be made to a broken or rusted frame and must meet approval of officials. Questions? Call Darren Gates 1-937-596-5223

Engine, Transmission, Rear End Regulations

1. Any engine or transmission may be used in any truck, but must be mounted in a stock position. On a V-block engine, front spark plug must be even with or in front of upper ball joint. On in-line engines, number 2 spark plugs must be even or in front of upper ball joint.

2. Chained, welded, or homemade mounts must meet the approval of officials.
3. Exhaust is preferred to be upright out of hood, or exit behind rear of cab.
4. Any type header is allowed but must be directed away from driver compartment and other competitors.
5. Radiators must stay in stock position and may not have anything in front of them.
6. Radiator overflow must be directed to the ground.
7. Transmission coolers are permitted; all mounting, lines, and fittings must be approved by officials.
8. Any type rear end can be used in any truck. Homemade springs perches or trailing arm brackets may be welded to rear end (maximum 8 lug.)
9. Any drive shaft or U-joint may be used. Welding of drive shaft is permitted.
10. All trucks must have working brakes.
11. Only gasoline and diesel fuels allowed. No alcohol or other alternative fuels are allowed.

Tires

1. All tires and wheels must be pre-approved. Double tires they must be D.O. T. LT tire, no AGG or paddle tires allowed.
2. No valve stem protectors are allowed.
3. All wheel balance weights must be removed.

Truck Racing Regulations

1. All drivers must wear approved helmets, long pants, shirts, and eye protections. Drivers must wear seat belts.
2. Entries will be limited to one truck per driver per show.
3. A mandatory drivers meeting will be held before the start of the show.
4. All trucks should be signed in at least 1 hour before posted starting time, and must be inspected before the race.
5. Drivers must make aggressive contact with competitors; failure to do so may result in disqualification for sandbagging. Disabled trucks will be allowed 2 minutes to restart truck and make contact.
6. Intentional driver's door contact will not be tolerated. The first infraction will result in a warning, the second in disqualification.
7. If a truck catches on fire it will result in disqualification.
8. Any disqualified truck will not be eligible for a refund.
9. All decisions of the officials and flagmen are final.

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Parent and/or Legal Guardian _____

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You must be at least 18 years of age and show a valid driver's license. Under 18, must have signature of parent of release form.

Date of show--- Saturday, August 1, 2009

(Please Print)

Entrants Name _____ Age _____ (If under 18, Parent Signature is necessary on release form)

Street Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Telephone Number and time you can be reached _____

Number of Entries _____ Desired Number _____ (May not be changed)

Driver's License Number _____ State in which Licensed _____

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Signature of Driver