

# WOOD COUNTY FAIR LAWMOWER DERBY

Sunday, August 3rd, 5:00 PM

Drivers meeting one hour prior to the event

Main Grandstand \$5; Pit Pass \$10

All persons in the pit area must have a pit pass - **NO EXCEPTIONS.**

Drivers do not pay for pit passes. All rules will be followed, or you will not be permitted to participate in the contest.

Friday night's running order is little tikes, lawn mowers, combines, minivans.

Prize money: 1<sup>st</sup> - \$100    2<sup>nd</sup> - \$50

## Entry Fee \$25

### Rules:

1. All drivers must be 14 years of age (parental consent form for 14 - 17 yr. olds must be completed on site).
2. Drivers need to attend a driver's meeting one hour prior to the event.
3. Drivers must wear an approved helmet with eye protection (no bicycle or football helmets) jeans, long sleeve shirt, and gloves.
4. Mower must be a factory available mower, maximum 25 horsepower, no frame modifications or frame reinforcing other than where specified.
5. No rear engine lawnmowers. engine must be factory (Briggs and Stratton, Onan, Kohler etc.)
6. Modifications allowed are leg guards from foot peg to rear fenders, these can be welded, if weld fails during competition, it's an automatic disqualification. You can also bolt leg guards instead of welding; however, no leg guards are to cover tires, if a leg guard breaks off or fails it's an automatic disqualification.
7. The other frame modification that can be done for safety of the driver is a rear bumper not allowed to exceed more than 4 inches out and must stay inside of rear tires. This may be no more than 1 ½ inch by 1½ inch square tubing or round pipe NO sharp edges.
8. You may weld a bracket to protect spark plug, no welding on steering, and front or rear axles.
9. Hood on mowers must be stock, screwed or wired shut.
10. Gas tanks must be secured and have cap on it, you will be disqualified if any leaking gas is observed. Only one-gallon of gas maximum allowed.
11. You can use any seat on the mower to help protect your back and ribs. A cage around the seat is permitted but can be no wider than the fenders.

12. You can secure the battery area of your mower to keep the battery from falling out, all headlights and rear lights must be removed.
13. Mower inspection will be done immediately following the driver's meeting; all decisions are final by derby officials.
14. All mowers must be belt driven. changing of pulleys is permitted.
15. All drivers and crew must pay entry fee and gate admission to get into the grounds.
16. Depending on the number of entries we may have two heats and will decide by size of lawnmower and place you in the heat that fits the mower.
17. Remember that the only bracing that can stick out from the frame is that behind the seat see rule #7.

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