WOOD COUNTY FAIR COMBINE DEMOLITION DERBY

Tuesday, August 1st, 2023 7:00 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. Tuesday night's running order is little tikes, lawn mowers, combines, minivans.

Entry fee \$35 - Limited to first 25 entries. Pre-entry is appreciated.

Combine and Driver Rules:

- 1. All drivers must be 16 years of age (parental consent form for 16 and 17 yr. olds must be completed on site). All contestants must show a valid driver's license. Such statements must be turned in at time of entry.
- 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. Seat belts must be worn.
- 5. Fuel tank must be mounted in the grain tank and batteries must be mounted in an area on top of the combine's cab. The old fuel tank must be removed.
- 6. All combines must have a safety bar across the front of the cab, and cab glass must be removed. You may reinforce the cab area.
- 7. Driver's door needs to be welded or chained shut.
- 8. Combine's grain table must have the reel, guards, and loose sheet metal removed.
- 9. Reinforcement that is allowed on the grain head is a maximum of 21/2 inch angle iron from feeder house to back of grain table.
- 10. Grain table needs to be fixed at 18" above the ground. Hoses must be disconnected. Weld the auger at the end of the tube only, and place 3/8" safety cable with clamps around the middle of the auger and through the floor to hold the auger down.

Ladder, unloading auger, and fins on straw chopper must be removed. Separator must be inoperable.

- 11. Tires must be air filled. No foam filled, fluid filled, dual tires, or stem protectors are allowed.
- 12. Do not drain oil or fuel on the ground.
- 13. All 4-wheel drive units need to be disengaged.
- 14. No pit racing allowed.
- 15. Combines may be placed in heats according to size.
- 16. Drivers have 2 minutes to make an aggressive hit. A stick/flag will be mounted in the cab area, and the stick/flag must be broken once the driver is out of the event or disqualified.

- 17. Drivers are not allowed to lift wheels of another combine.
- 18. No direct hits to the cab area. If a combine is hung up on a concrete wall, no hits are allowed.
- 19. When derby officials stop the event, all motion must be halted.
- 20. Heat winners will be placed in a holding area and cannot work on their combine until the final heat winner is in the pit area. You will have 20 minutes to work on your combine. No more than 5 people per pit crew. Names of pit crew need to be handed in at the driver's meeting.
- 21. No profanity or obscene materials or political advertising allowed.
- 22. No combine to be left on the fairgrounds after 1 P.M. on Sunday, August 6th.
- 23. Cash premiums of \$325 will be awarded to drivers once combine is loaded onto trailers.
- 24. Heat winner will receive \$100. Feature winner will receive \$250.
- 25. Best of show will receive \$100 and will be announced later in the event.

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