



2024 DRIVER RULES

OFFICIALS DECISIONS ARE FINAL!

1. Only officials and derby drivers are allowed in the arena area before, during and after the heats and main event. NO PIT CREW ALLOWED (Car may be disqualified for violating).
2. THE DRIVER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR HIS/HER PIT CREWS ACTIONS. One person affects the entire team. Violations of any/all rules can result in the driver and pit crew being banned from the area for the entire derby.
3. NO PIT CREW OR FAMILY MEMBER IS ALLOWED IN THE ARENA AT ANY TIME. Pit crew and family members must stay in designated areas, (pit area or grandstand) and must not communicate with officials or drivers during the running of the events. (Car may be disqualified for violating).
4. All protests should be handled before the derby starts, between the derby drivers and officials ONLY. Any protest arising after the derby will be discussed by the DRIVERS AND OFFICIALS ONLY AND WILL REQUIRE a \$500.00 PROTEST FEE THAT WILL BE FORFITED TO THE DRIVER IF NO VIOLATIONS ARE FOUND.
5. No fighting allowed in the pit area or arena. No profanity or attack on any official will be allowed. VIOLATORS WILL BE PROSECUTED!!
6. No weapons of any kind allowed on fairground property.
7. STATE LAWS WILL BE ENFORCED: NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CAN BE BROUGHT INTO ANY FAIRGROUND. ALL VEHICLES WILL BE THOROUGHLY SEARCHED BY THE FAIRGROUNDS SECURITY GUARDS AT THE GATE ENTRANCE INTO THE GROUNDS. If anyone in the pit area is caught with alcohol / drugs or under the influence, you will lose your pit pass and be escorted from the derby event area.
8. In the event a vehicle catches on fire, the officials will sound a horn and red flag that event. The car that caught on fire cannot participate for the remainder of the event. The horn will sound and a green flag will be used to restart the event. (Driver of vehicle which caught on fire must exit vehicle at this time).
9. VEHICLES AND DRIVERS MUST BE SIGNED INTO THE PIT AREA (2) HOURS BEFORE THE DERBY STARTS. FINAL TECH INSPECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED (1) HOUR BEFORE THE START TIME. NOT COMPLYING WITH THIS RULE MAY CAUSE YOU TO BE DISQUALIFIED FROM THE EVENT. NO CARS WILL BE INSPECTED AFTER THE ALLOTTED TIME OR THE DERBY HAS STARTED. (OFFICIALS DISCRETION)
10. This is a last car running event. OFFICIALS DECISION IS FINAL!!

11. Teaming drivers will be disqualified if two or more drivers get together and make two or more consecutive hits on one car.
12. All derby cars must be registered and in the pit area 2 hours prior to derby starting.
(Get there early for good pit parking!) Late entries will park at rear parking lot (Not in Pits)!
13. All cars MUST be removed the night of the derby. No exceptions!
14. Any and all injuries must be reported to an official the night of event
15. There will be no passing through gates from pit area to grandstands. Pit crew must stay on pit side of derby arena, if no concession stand is available pit crew members will be able to pass through to fairgrounds for food and drinks.
16. Approved safety helmets and seatbelts are required and must be worn during the entire event.
(Face shield or goggles are highly recommended).
17. Drivers MUST wear long pants and long sleeve shirt and NO open toed shoes while driving in the event. (A fire suit is recommended but not mandatory).
18. YOU MAY BE REFUSED THE RIGHT TO RACE BY AN OFFICIAL FOR ANY JUST REASON.
19. PIT PASSES/WRISTBANDS MUST BE WORN AND VISIBLE AT ALL TIMES.
20. There is a (2) minute rule: If you do not hit within (2) minutes, you will be disqualified. (You will be scored up until then)!
21. All drivers MUST have a Fire Extinguisher in there pit area at all times (Officials will check)!
22. A vehicle discharging heavy smoke after an event has started may be disqualified (Officials Discretion)!
23. Please DO NOT START CARS UNLESS SOMEONE IS SITTING IN THE DRIVERS SEAT!! PLEASE!
24. *In the event there are less than (10) vehicles to participate in the Any Class EVENT, the officials reserve the right to cancel or change the total purse payout for that derby event.
25. Please read rules for the class you are participating in. If you build outside the rules and it is caught after the event, you Will Be Disqualified!