

MONROE COUNTY FAIR DEMOLITION DERBY (FULL SIZE)

INSPECTION AND REGISTRATION AT NORTH END OF ARENA, 4:00 PM UNTIL ONE HOUR BEFORE SCHEDULED START TIME OF EVENT.(NO LATE INSPECTIONS OR REGISTRATION)

- A. The Monroe County Demolition Derby is promoted as an unusual spectator attraction. In the interest of safety and the promotion of family values event. Anyone entering as a participant (driver or support staff) or spectator must obey all rules and regulations.
- B. Each driver must fill out an entry form. All drivers must supply their own car. Only one entry per person unless otherwise specified.
- C. Each driver must be 18 yrs. Of age and hold a valid Indiana drivers license. Drivers under the age of 18 must have a notarized release signed by legal parent/guardian.
- D. The Monroe County Demolition Derby committee or their appointed representatives, reserve the right to approve or reject any entries, or vehicle.
- E. One driver and one mechanic will be admitted with each paid entry. Each entry fee is \$25.00. Additional pit passes for sale at the pit gate for \$15.00. If you enter all three derby events (Thursday, Friday and Saturday), Saturday’s entry is free.
- F. No cars permitted on track before their assigned event. Succeeding heats are to be lined up inside fenced area while proceeding heat is on the track.
- G. Cars may be re-inspected at any time and/or as many times as promoter decides is necessary.
- H. Promoter reserves the right to assign heats.
- I. Monroe County Fairgrounds is a NO ALCOHOL property. Anyone in possession of alcoholic beverages shall be ejected from the Fairgrounds, with no refund of entry fees.

PARTICIPATIONS REGULATIONS

- 1. Any stock hardtop auto or station wagon is allowed. No Imperials, trucks, jeeps, limo’s, 4-wheel drives, or ambulances will be allowed.
- 2. Safety belt, DOT approved helmet, goggles or face shield mandatory. Approved safety glasses will be allowed.
- 3. All glass, trim, and upholstery must be removed before entering fairgrounds. Autos must be swept clean of all debris and parts. No mirrors allowed.
- 4. Gas tank: original gas tank must be removed. A marine type gas tank to be mounted in the back seat area secured with metal strapping. All lines to have leak proof connections (such as fittings and hose clamps). Taped connections not allowed. Rubber line allowed if new or good quality. Electric fuel pumps allowed but must have shut off switch on dash. 5 gallons of pump gas maximum allowed. All carbs. Must have breather covers.
- 5. Any motor or transmission may be interchanged if mounts remain in stock locations.
- 6. Fire wall may be cut or notched. All holes in fire wall must be patched with sheet metal or aluminum.
- 7. Radiator must remain in stock position and mounts. No part of any cooling system allowed behind firewall. No part of transmission cooler in driver’s compartment or open thru firewall.
- 8. Suspension must remain free with minimum of 4”free travel. Spring jacks, blocked shocks, air shocks, wedging not allowed. **Springs must remain stock for make and year of car.**
- 9. Brakes must remain operable at the beginning of each event.
- 10. Batteries must be relocated to front passenger area of car. Batteries must be secured with all-thread or bolts, no nylon straps allowed.

ALL PARTICIPANTS AND SUPPORT VECHICLES MUST USE GATE #1 ON AIRPORT ROAD. THIS IS THE ONLY GATE WITH ACCESS TO THE PIT AREA.

**THE MONROE COUNTY
EMERSON STEVENS MEMORIAL DEMOLITION DERBY
OFFICIAL ENTRY**

- FIGURE 8, Thursday July 30, 2009**
- Truck Demolition Thursday July 30, 2009**
- Car Demolition Derby Friday July 31, 2009**
- Car Demolition Derby Saturday August 1, 2009**

Bring entries to Fairgrounds day of show

Fair reserves the right to limit number of vehicles. No entries will be accepted after 6:00 pm on day of show. Entries will be logged as registered on day of show.

PLEASE PRINT

Driver _____ Age _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Phone () _____
 Make and Model of Vehicle _____ year _____
 Sponsors (2) _____

All drivers and mechanics will be required to sign a “liability release form”. Drivers under 18 must provide notarized release form above. I have read the rules and agree to accept the decisions of the judges as final. I agree to accept the conditions of the grounds and arena. A \$25.00 fee must accompany this entry form. The entry fee entitles the team to (2) pit passes. Additional pit passes may be purchased on day of event for \$15.00 each. Make checks/money orders payable to Monroe County Fair Board.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

11. Tires must have D.O.T. stamp and numbers. Tires must appear to be standard passenger tires no re-caps with tractor type tread. Tires may be filled.
12. Hood and Deck lids must remain operable for initial inspection. Hood must have 12"x20" holes cut on each side of carb. **Hood and trunk allowed a maximum of 6 hold downs using #9 wire only.** A maximum of 3 locations from core support to bumper. Must have front half of hood at all times.
13. Exhaust pipes penetrating hood must point upward not towards front bumper or driver.
14. Doors may be fastened shut with 3/8" chain, #9 wired or welded shut with no more than 3" wide flat metal. Drivers door may be plated with steel plate that may not extend more than 6" beyond door seams (must be flat metal no sharp edges.) Must have a minimum of 8-1/2" dia. bolts. No limits to drivers door protection.
15. Body seams may not be bolted, screwed, or welded. Cutting of fenders for tire clearance is allowed. Rubber body mounts may be replaced with washers, any bolts that are replaced must be same dia. as bolt removed, factory hole in bottom of frame must remain open. (Must be same as factory body bolt location.) Washers must be max. of 3"x3"x1/4" top and bottom. Body and bumper must remain in stock position. Bumper shocks may be welded but no more than half way around tubes, or chained. Non-shocked bumpers plate (plate 1" wider then frame, that bolts to back of bumper) may have 4" of total weld to bumper.(ex. 4-1" welds, 2-2" welds or 1-4" weld.) Bumpers may be "hard nosed" by welding plate 1" wider then frame plate to 2-sides only of frame end and bolted to back of bumper. Bumper must be able to be un-bolted (ex. For weld, Top and bottom, sides, or any combination of 2-sides). No wedging of rear ends, tail light areas may be rolled in slightly.
16. Roll cages or bars are allowed. Cages and bars must remain in passenger area. Cages and bars to be welded or bolted to top of frame. No bars allowed further than 8" behind drivers seat. No bars allowed further forward than drivers door seam in dash area. Rear uprights must remain at 90 degree angle to frame (ie, straight up and down.) **Maximum diameter 3" O.D..**
17. Windshield area must have #9 wire, chain, or metal strapping from roof to cowl behind hood to prevent hood from entering drivers compartment.
18. Driver's door only may be painted white, No obscenities or rude gestures allowed on car. Car must have 18" high numbers on each side and roof of car. **If number in not able to be seen on roof car will not be scored.**
19. **No part of frame or bumpers can be painted or under coated.**
20. These rules are intended to be a stock frame and bumper, if it does not appear to be stock or if altered it will not be allowed.
21. All decisions by officials or Fair Board shall be final, NO APPEALS.
22. Only drivers participating on track to remain on track at conclusion of that heat, consi, or feature.
23. Drivers may use front end of their car to hit with.
24. Cutting torches or welders in pit area must have fire suppression of some type, examples- fire extinguisher, pressure water, bucket of sand.
25. Welding only in these places; doors, bumper shock tubes, motor and trans mounts, roll cage to top of frame, ring and pinion gears. Any welding on frame will result in the car being refused. Any other welds will result in disqualification.
26. If it is not clearly addressed in these rules it will not be allowed.

DISQUALIFICATIONS

- A. Intentionally hitting of an opponents drivers door.
- B. Blatant team driving will result in all those avoiding hits or holding cars while others are hitting will result in disqualification. This will be a judgment call by officials and as all rulings of officials shall be final.
- C. Intentionally hitting a car stuck on logs or on dirt boundary, this is considered a serious matter for the safety of crowd and volunteers.
- D. Winners of heats and consy's must be re-inspected at north end of arena before going to pits, if you do not stop for re-inspection before existing arena you will we disqualified.
- E. Intentionally pushing another car out of arena through entrance or exit or holding them from re-entering.
- F. Disobeying, arguing, or use of profanity to any official or volunteer may constitute dismissal for the entire event and grounds for expulsion from the fairgrounds and consideration for permanent barring from further competitions at the Monroe County Fairgrounds.
- G. Spilling fuel or catching fire (exhaust fire or carburetor fire that is immediately withdrawn on it's own is excluded).
- H. Flag men may disqualify any vehicle, which, in his/her opinion, constitutes a reasonable safety hazard to the driver, other competitors, or spectators.
- I. The derby will be composed of individual heats and one feature, with cash purse going to the winners of each heat and consy's. Feature demolition event will be comprised of winners and co-winners of each heat. Heats will be provided for the powder puff derby (women only) based on number of entrants. Same rules and regulations apply for the powder puff (including participation in the feature for the winner and runner up of each heat).
- J. Cars must be removed from fairgrounds by 3:00 pm on day after show! Any cars remaining on fairgrounds past deadline shall be disposed of by the Demolition Derby Committee. **SCAVENGING OF PARTS OR CARS IS STRICTLY FORBIDDEN AND WILL BE PROSECUTED WITH LOCAL AUTHOURITIES.** Entry blanks can be picked up at the Monroe County Extension office at 117 E. 7th Street or the Fair Office the week of the fair.

-OFFICIAL RELEASE-

FOR PARTICIPANTS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE

I _____, parent/legal guardian of _____

_____, give my permission for him/her to participate in the demolition derby at the Monroe County Fairgrounds on _____ (dates). I hereby release the Monroe County Fair Board and all other workers, participants, spectators etc. from any liability for theft, accident, or injury resulting from, or related to the Demolition Derby.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Notary: _____ Date: _____

Comm. Expires: _____ (must be Notarized to be accepted.)