## Buckeye Farm Antiques Inc. Don Zink Memorial Division II Rules

- All tractors should be qualified before class starts.
- Driver must weigh out after each pull.
- Driver does not need to exhibit to pull.
- A tractor or puller may be disqualified or barred from hooking if found unsafe or illegal. No Alcoholic beverages will be permitted.
- Drivers must stay on the seat of the tractor at all times. Hands must be on the steering wheel, hand brake, hand clutch or throttle at all times during the pull.
- Any part falling off the tractor after being hooked and until the tractor is unhooked will result in disqualification.
- Wheelie bars are required. Wheelie bars need to hold the weight of the tractor in its heaviest weight class. It is recommended that wheelie bars not be attached to the draw bar. The front edge of the stabilizer pad can be no further forward than the rear most portion of the tire. The pads must not be more than 10" off the ground and must be a minimum of 5 X 5 X 14, and a minimum of 20" from the outside of one pad to the outside of the other pad. Stabilizer bars can be made adjustable as long as you use grade5, ½"pin or bolt minimum.
- Any tractor can qualify in a maximum of (3) classes. Maximum of (2) hooks in one class.
- When starting the engines, operator must be in the seat. Starting engines while standing on the ground is prohibited except for hand crank engines.
- All Rules will be interpreted by the rules committee. The Rules Committee will rule any unforeseen problems or oversights. Their rulings will be final. A \$20 protest fee to be kept by Buckeye Farm Antiques. The protest must be made by the driver within the class and before the start of the next class.
- NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCIDENTS.

<u>Classes:</u> 3500, 4000, 4500, 5000, 5500, 6500, 7500, 8500.

<u>Age of Driver</u>: Drivers must be 14 years or older. Those under 18 years of age must have written permission from parent or guardian.

## Age of Tractor: 1959 or older

<u>Draw Bars:</u> Draw bars must not exceed 18 inches in height from center of axle to hooking point. No part of draw bar may extend rearward beyond point of hook. Draw bars must be stationary in all directions.

<u>Weights:</u> Weights must not extend rearward beyond rear tires and cannot be more than 11 feet from the center of the rear axle to the furthest point forward. No more than 12" from side of rear tire.

<u>Tires:</u> No Radial Tires, steel wheels or duals. Two-wheel drive only. Cut tires; manufacturing data must be intact. Tire size will be 15.5 x 38 or 14.9 x 38 through 6500 class. Maximum footprint per Firestone tire chart 200 sq.in. Any rim width. For 7500 class and up, 284 sq.in. limit.

<u>Fuel:</u> Gas, diesel or LP fuels only. No Alcohol or nitrous oxide fuels may be used in tractors. All tractors are subject to random fuel checks. Tractors manufactured to use diesel fuel only, cannot be converted to gas or LP. <u>RPM's:</u> RPM's allowed will be determined by the Nebraska test chart. Any tractor not listed will use manufacturer's data. A 10% margin of error will be permitted. All tractors to have positive throttle stops.

<u>Speed Limit:</u> Any gear speed limit, 3 Mph. to be checked by radar. No shifting of TA's. 3 beeps and you're out.

<u>Carburetors:</u> Replacement carburetors with no modifications of carburetors or manifold. Overhang of carburetor to manifold is not allowed. Only stock appearing manifolds are allowed. Tractors must be naturally aspirated. No turbos or blowers – except Oliver 99GM, etc. Enhanced electrical systems permitted in all classes. No rev limiters.

Engine, Frames, Transmission, Rear End & Axle: Tractors must have the stock engines, frames, transmission, rear end and Axle housing or manufacturer's replacement. Stock heads and their replacements are to remain unchanged in outside appearance, No (7) main blocks in Olivers; no (12) port heads; no (99) heads. AC-WC/WD/WD45 can use D-7 engine; IH – H, 350; M, 450, JD – A/B/G can use power blocks. No M-M (800) heads or blocks. Dual exhaust not allowed except after stock manifold.