

## Caseville Area Chamber of Commerce

# 2024 Cheeseburger in Caseville

# Row, Row, Row Your Cardboard Boat

## REGISTRATION FORM

ALL PARTICIPANTS AGE 13 & OLDER MUST HAVE A CHEESEBURGER BUTTON (\$20.00)

### PLEASE REGISTER & PAY EVENT COORDINATOR ON EVENT DAY

Contest Name					Date	Entry Fee	Location
Row, Row, Row You Circle Your Age:		l Boat 13-20	21-44	45 & older	8/17	\$5/entry	Caseville County Beach
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## 2024 Row, Row, Row Your Cardboard Boat

The Row, Row, Row Your Cardboard Boat event, is one of the largest attended activities we have at the Caseville "Cheeseburger Festival".

It is a race between homemade boats rowing around a marked circular course. The water is only about 2-3 feet deep. The course is at the Caseville County Beach, and will be held at 4 p.m. on Saturday, August 17, 2024. The prizes are minimal, but the fun is great. The entry fee is \$5.00. All boats with participants (13 and older) are required to wear the 2024 Cheeseburger button that admits the holder to all the fun activities, concerts, etc. for the festival. There were over 50 seaworthy boat creations that participated in the 2023 races and thousands of spectators. Everyone enjoyed it, and they are looking forward to this year's competition.

The rules below are quoted from the official sign-up sheet and are as follows:

"Vessels must be constructed using only cardboard and duct tape. I will be disqualified if I don't get this right the first time. The use of wax, paraffin, water proof paint, or any kind of paint, (not allowed). Vaseline or any other waterproofing agent is prohibited. I understand that all participants must wear a PFD (life jacket) and the craft must be self-propelled. If I am under the age of 18, a parent or guardian must sign my registration form."

\* Sponsors have the right to make up the rules as they go along. Extremely seaworthy crafts may either be inspected for illegal materials (chain saws could be involved) or asked to paddle to Charity Island. Entries in multiple heats (more than 3) are prohibited."

Boats have ranged from simple boxes, to ones made from actual row-boat plans. Some are decorated with colored duct tape or taped on creations. Many are very creative and are awarded for their creativity. Minimum painted decorations may be tolerated, as long as there is no way to construe it as waterproofing (above the waterline).

REMEMBER THIS IS A FAMILY EVENT: TACKY BUT TASTEFUL IS THE GUIDLINE.

THE COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REMOVE ANY ENTRY.

We are looking forward to seeing you, and hope you have a great time in Caseville.

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# Cheeseburger In Caseville 2024

#### **Cardboard Boat Race Rules**

- 1. Vessels must be constructed using ONLY cardboard and duct tape.
- 2. Disqualification will occur if boats are found to have any paint, wax, or any other water proofing agents applied.
- 3. Boat must be self-propelled using oars of any kind. i.e.: wood, plastic, boards, paddle wheels, etc.
- 4. Single handed or crewed entries are allowed.
- 5. All contestants must wear life PFD jackets. If a contestant is under the age of 18 years of age, a parent or guardian must sign the registration form. A 2024 Cheeseburger button **and** a \$5.00 entry fee are required.
- 6. Entries in multiple heats (more than three) are prohibited.
- 7. There is NO RAIN DATE.
- 8. REMEMBER THIS IS A FAMILY EVENT: TACKY BUT TASTEFUL IS THE GUIDLINE.

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Boats MUST BE REGISTERED before noon on Saturday, August 17, 2024 to be judged and entered in their respective age category. You must register at the Caseville Chamber of Commerce, 6632 Main Street, Caseville. Late entries can be done <u>down at the beach</u> on August 17, 2024 as late as 2:30 PM.

### **AGE CATEGORIES**:

- 1. 12 Years and under
- 2. 13 Years to 20 years old
- 3. 21 Years to 44 years old
- 4. 45 Years and older
- 5. POSSIBLY A PROFESSIONAL CATEGORY TO BE DETERMINED BY THE JUDGE PATROL.

#### **PRIZES AWARDED FOR:**

- 1. Most creative boat
- 2. Best dressed crew
- 3. Most theme oriented
- 4. Most in a boat
- 5. WINNERS of their respective races.

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