

2019 Strawberry Derby

Rules & Guidelines

Registration

Registration for the 2019 Strawberry Derby is free.

To register for the derby, each racer must complete and submit signed consent and waiver forms. Completed forms should be emailed to leonardstrawberryderby@gmail.com.

The deadline to register for the derby is June 15th,
2019

Racers

All racers are to be between 7 and 17 years of age within the race year.

All racers must have signed consent and waiver forms as well as derby deposit on file prior to race.

All racers must wear a helmet. (Other protective gear such as goggles, knee pads, elbow pads, etc. are encouraged but not required.)

Derby Car

This derby is for "home-built" cars only. Prefabricated and stock cars will not be permitted.

Cars must have: 4 wheels, Foot braking system, Steering system, and a 2 inch clearance for the starting ramp.

Cars must have a hook secured onto the body of the car for towing

purposes.

Cars (including wheels) may NOT be more than 4 feet wide and 7 feet long and must have a 2 inch minimum clearance for starting ramp

Cars must pass a safety inspection and complete a trial run, including safe & effective use of braking systems, prior to the start of the race. Once the car has passed inspection, no alterations, additions or deletions may be made.

To ensure the races run in a timely and efficient manner, the sharing of cars between separate racers will not be permitted. Two racers may enter their car into the race as a partnership with the understanding that only one person may occupy the car during any single run. The decision of which partner will be driving any single run must be made by the drivers and may not delay the race in any way.

The Race

The Strawberry Derby will be held Sunday July 21st, 2019 at 1:00pm.

Because the safety of our drivers is always a concern, and taken very seriously, rain and/or overly wet conditions will cause the race to be rescheduled for the following Sunday, July 28th at 1:00pm.

Day of racing format will be determined upon registration deadline.

Races are head to head. First driver to cross the finish line wins each race.

All judges' decisions are final.

Each racer is allowed to have one "crew member" present with them in the staging area at the top of the hill. Only racers, designated crew members and race officials will be permitted in the staging area.

Deposit

A deposit is required for all racers to hold their place in the derby. This deposit helps us to

create our racing format in a timely manner by eliminating last minute withdrawals from the race. We understand things may occur which cause a racer to back out of the race, and we completely understand that. There is no penalty for backing out of the race once you have registered, as long as this occurs before the registration deadline of July 15th, 2019

The Derby deposit of \$45.00 in the form of cash, or a check made out to Leonard Summer Festival Committee, is required when registering.

This derby deposit will be refunded, if cash, or the check will be destroyed (or returned if requested) upon sign in on the day of the race.

In the event a registered racer needs to drop out of the race prior to the deadline of July 15th, 2019, the deposit will be returned in full.

Any racer dropping out after the deadline of July 15th, 2019, will lose their deposit.

Questions, comments, concerns? Please contact us at
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