

ESSEX COUNTY DEMOLITION DERBY

DATE: AUGUST 20, 2017

Egglefield Ford Demolition Derby
Sunday August 20, 2017
Essex County Fair Westport NY 12993

Truck / SUV / full size Van Demolition Derby will be held on Thursday after the Trailer race

heat winner \$200.00

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Heavy Hitter \$50.00

8 Cyl feature will pay \$1200.00, 6 cyl feature will pay \$700.00 4 cyl feature will pay \$700.00

There will be consolation heats with the winner of each heat being moved to the feature for that class!

Bobby McGee, Superintendent 518- 962- 4783

1. This event will be run on Sunday, August 20, 2017 with heats in the afternoon starting at 12 noon and heats in the evening starting at 5 p.m.
2. All cars must be inspected, and signed in between 8 a.m. and 12 p.m. Sunday. Once you pay your entry, there will be "no refund" NO EXEMPTIONS
3. The feature will be the final event scheduled for Sunday evening and all cars qualifying from the afternoon and evening event will participate in the one feature.
4. There will be two feature events: 4 cylinder and 6-8 cylinder there will be consolation events. Once you enter and pay there will be no refunds, NO EXCEPTIONS
5. *if anyone is caught speeding or tearing up the center of the track you will be asked to leave with no refunds and will be charged for damage.
6. Alcohol beverages will not be allowed outside the beer tent, under any circumstances. Any violation by any driver or crew member will be cause for immediate disqualification of car from this event and future events.

GENERAL EXPLANATION:

DEMOLITION DERBY

Anyone entering is subject to the following rules and regulations. All drivers must fill out an entry blank before taking part. Officials reserve the right to accept or reject any and all applications. Only driver's owners and mechanics who sign the release sheet will be permitted in the pits. ONE DRIVER

AND ONE MECHANIC PER CAR WILL BE ALLOWED WITH THE ENTRY FEE INTO THE PIT AREA. GATES MUST BE PAID BY EVERYONE.

DRIVERS ENTRY:

1. Driver must be at least 16 years of age and if less than 18 years of age must have a notarized minor's release signed by a parent or guardian. Pit crew must be at least 15 years of age.
2. All drivers must wear clean, long sleeved clothing.
3. Drivers and mechanics have an obligation to read the rules for their best interest. Drivers or pit crews not obeying these rules as well as all rules described at drivers' meeting prior to the derby will be disqualified.
4. The conduct of drivers and / or crew can disqualify drivers from this and future events. There will be no finger gestures to anyone, fans or staff. There will be no arguing or fighting tolerated at all. If this happens you will be escorted off the fairgrounds, and car will become property of fair.
5. All cars must be removed from fairgrounds property by 6:00 am Monday following the demo or they will become property of the fair association. Your cars are your responsibility, not the fair or demo personnel. If you leave it unattended and something happens or something becomes missing it is not the fairs responsibility.

INSURANCE AND BUILD

1. All injuries must be reported to officials at once!
2. Safety and car specifications all exceptions to these rules will be consider illegal.
3. All drivers must wear an approved helmet. A full-face helmet including a chin wrap around is recommended. Safety belts are required and must be buckled and a quick release chest restraining shoulder harness such as in any automobile must be used.
4. All glass, side windows, rear windows, including headlights, parking lights, plastic tail lights and plastic bumper covers must be removed.
5. All dirt and loose pieces must be swept out of car. REAR SEAT MUST BE REMOVED.
6. Stock gas tanks must be removed from original location, except * a three (3) or (6) gallon plastic maximum capacity gas tank must be mounted in front of the rear axle. Gas tanks must be in a metal box with o foam or similar material will be allowed in the box. No reserve tanks allowed. All Caps, fittings and lines must be leak proof. One gas tank per car- NO switching gas tanks. * 4 cyl. Cars with fuel tank in front of rear axle the tank may stay in the car with an extra strap to hold it in.
7. DOORS MUST BE CHAINED SHUT (NO WELDING) only one (1) chain per door. Hub caps, sharp hood ornaments and all chrome molding MUST BE REMOVED.
8. All hood and trunk hold-down springs must be removed or disconnected. Hoods may be bolted or chained down after inspection line. No welding. Same on trunk, 4 spots may be done. You must have hole cut for fire prevention.
9. The complete ignition switch may be relocated/ moved/ altered, providing key or toggle switches replace ignition on / off and start switches. ANY OPEN WIRING TO START VEHICLE IN DRIVER COMPARTMENT SHALL BE CALLED ILLEGAL.
10. Cross members may be bolted or chained in, with no larger than 3" (inch) washers. Drive shaft safety chain is optional.

11. All trailer hitches must be removed
12. Driver side door panel and arm rest must be removed and padded with foam rubber. (You may use foam rubber from rear seat.) All interior must be removed (dash optional).
13. Tires must be street legal, "no studs" snow treads, cut tires or all terrain tires will be permitted. Double tires allowed, tubes and air only.
14. Bumpers can be no higher than 2 feet from ground to top of bumper. Any stock production bumpers allowed as long as it is in stock location. May be welded on with no larger than ¼ inch steel plates. Max 8x8 inches. Cars with plastic bumper covers front and back must be removed.
15. Stock automotive bumpers will be allowed as long as the edges do not exceed the fender width and only mounted 8 inches back to the frame.
16. PROTEST: \$25.00 must accompany each WRITTEN PROTEST and must be submitted to the official starter within THREE MINUTES of completion of the event protest must apply to winners only and pertain to a rule violation that, in the opinion of the officials, would give the car an advantage.
17. CAR APPEARANCE: BOTH FRONT DOORS MUST BE PAINTED EITHER WHITE OR BLACK AND BE FREE OF ALL LETTERING. CARS WILL NOT BE ADMITTED INTO THE PIT AREA UNLESS ABOVE IS COMPLETE AND DRY. ALL LETTERING OR SLOGANS MUST BE IN GOOD TASTE.
18. 3 point seat belt must be worn.
19. You must have working brakes car must be able to stop by using brake pedal.
20. Windshield strap
21. Welding rearends are legal
22. Batteries must be in SECURELY FASTENED. They must be secured to the floor on the passenger side or in the original location.
23. Batteries must have a rubber mat over them and be in a wooden box.
24. All fuel cells must be mounted inside and bolted through the floor with a metal box. (BBQ grill tops are secured with straps permitted)
25. Gas leaks inside the car will be an automatic disqualification.
26. A-bar only for roll bar up to 3 inches hollow tubing. Square or round only, with no larger than a 2 inch pipe behind your seat optional. Must be mounted to body only, not the frame
27. No altering firewalls from stock locations. If any holes they will be covered with tin only. No access to motor area during derby. If caught it will be an automatic disqualification.
28. Motors can be changed, but must be in stock location.
29. Only the driver of the car will be allowed on the track at any time. Unless he is in immediate hear. NO EXCEPTIONS! When the heat or feature is completed he is to stay with his car unless removed by officials. If anyone else, crew, fan etc. is caught on the track they will be escorted off the grounds and the car disqualified.
30. Only people with stage passes will be allowed on stage unless you are a winner and you are coming to get your money
31. IF YOU ARE ASKED TO LEAVE YOU WILL BE ESCORTED OUT BY THE SHERIFF. AND YOUR CAR WILL NOT BE RUN BY ANYONE ELSE. YOU WILL NOT BE REFUNDED.
32. NO 4 WD allowed if a car is found to be 4 WD, immediate disqualification will result.
33. During completion, you must make contact forceful contact every 60 seconds. YOU MUST GIVE NOT RECEIVE. IF YOU DO NOT YOU WILL BE DISQUALIFIED NO EXCEPTIONS!
34. No intentional driver's door hitting. 1 warning only then you will be disqualified.

35. 2nd fire under the hood will be automatic disqualification.
36. No right hand driven cars example old mail cars.
37. Since reasonable rules cannot cover any and all eventualities, the discretion of the judges will prevail, including safety, operations, equipment, good sportsmanship, and common sense.