"To promote the diverse agricultural and cultural heritage of Blue Earth County through active participation of its citizens."



**2024 BLUE EARTH COUNTY FAIR** July 25th – 28th, 2024

## **Compact Car Races**

Please Read Carefully

### **NO ALCOHOL IN THE PIT AREA**

 $\star$  EARLY ENTRY FEE PAYMENT \$25  $\star$ 

PAYMENT AND REGISTRATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY JULY 17TH, 2023

Entry Fee \$30.00 per Race Car/Driver — NON REFUNDABLE FEE

#### \$20.00 each Pit Entry

CARS MUST PASS TECH OR YOU WILL NOT RACE - 2 CHANCES ONLY

**PIT VEHICLE'S SUBJECT TO SEARCH** 

# **2024 OFFICIAL RULES**

Limited Entries Pre-Register Preferred Rain or Shine

Saturday, July 27th, 2024 — 7pm Blue Earth County Fairgrounds, Garden City, MN

#### TECH OPENS AT 2pm FOR THE EVENING RACES TECH CLOSES ONE HOUR BEFORE RACE START TIME

#### **ANOTHER YEAR FOR**

4 Cylinder, 6 Cylinder, Fire Depts, Tow Truck Company, Mini Van Mini Trucks/SUV, and Powdered Puff. The same rules apply as the 4 Cylinder Class. Same Tech times as the other classes. We need your participation to keep this event going. Please bring family and friends to enjoy a fun filled event!!

**RACE QUESTIONS CALL** — Rod Blanck 507-382-3146 **TECH QUESTIONS CALL** — Logan Block 507-399-9800 *Please no Calls after 9pm* 

#### **2024 BLUE EARTH COUNTY FAIR** Compact Car Rules and Regulations



#### 1. DRIVER AND CO-DRIVER MUST HAVE TO ENTER RACE TRACK — NO EXCEPTIONS

*Full Face Helmet, Eye Protection, Gloves, Long Sleeve Shirt, Jeans, and Boots/enclosed Shoes* **NO SANDALS** 

- 2. VEHICLES ALLOWED Any Compact Car wheel base (4 Cyl& V6 Only) Powder Puff Vehicles Allowed (Call if not sure)
- 3. HITCHES MUST BE SOLID ALL RECEIVER MUST BE REMOVED. NO RECEIVERS ALLOWED. Any hitches on vehicle MUST be welded, NOT bolted.
- 4. MUST HAVE WORKING SEAT BELTS Securely Mounted to Vehicle
- 5. MUST HAVE WORKING BRAKES NO EXCEPTIONS Pedal Must be Solid
- 6. **BATTERY MUST BE MOUNTED SOLID** Battery can be in stock location but **MUST** HAVE at least ONE STRAP ADDED. Battery can be relocated inside of vehicle. Wire can NOT be used as tie down. Battery must be covered.
- 7. FUEL TANK MUST BE SOLID AND SAFE Can be relocated. If fuel tank is relocated, MUST be steel tank. if left stock location at least one additional strap MUST be added.
- 8. IF RADIATOR IS RELOCATED Think Safety–Heat Shields for your protections.
- 9. HOOD AND TRUNK MUST BE SECURED—Wired, bolted, etc. Can NOT pop open, hoods popping open will be disqualified. Must have 12 hole in hood for fire safety. Hood MUST be able to OPEN for Tech.
- 10. **DRIVER'S AND PASSENGER'S DOORS MUST BE SECURED**—Can NOT rely on factory latch. Door reinforcement highly recommended, can be chained, wired, or welded shut. Doors MUST be secure at time of tech.
- 11. **BUMPER MAY BE REINFORCED**—Within reason. No exposed frame rails, or no sharp edges. Bumper covers can not come off. Can not extend past sides of car.
- 12. ALL GLASS MUST BE REMOVED BEFORE TECH. Windshields & mirrors are allowed. All side glass, headlights, taillights and side markers MUST BE REMOVED. ALL BROKEN/CRACKED GLASS must be removed, includes broken glass on vehicle body. Any remaining glass must be duct taped.
- 13. MUST HAVE SAFE EXHAUST. If exhaust is cut, MUST be removed.
- 14. TIRES—Anything goes (NO STUDS or CHAINS) ALL Race Cars must have 4 tires. Wheel weights MUST be removed.
- 15. **RACE CARS MUST BE NUMBERED.** Number MUST be upright and located on the roof. MUST be able to crush if rolled. Also displayed on BOTH doors. MUST be visible from a distance (total of 3 locations). **Will NOT run without roof sign.**
- 16. **REMOVE ALL SHARP EDGES AND TRIM** No sharp edges on any reinforcement.
- 17. FLOOR PAN MUST BE SAFE Full protection, NO loose seats.
- 18. BE READY FOR DENTS AND DAMAGE (No whining allowed!)
- 19. BECF REPRESENTATIVES HAVE FINAL AUTHORITY IN ALL MATTERS. Pit vehicle's subject to search.
- 20. ALL ROLLED OR DAMAGED CARS SUBJECT TO INSPECTION BY BECF REPRESENTATIVES. If on fire STOP IMMEDIATELY. TWO ROLLOVERS AUTOMATIC DISQUALIFICATION.
- 21. ALL CARS MUST BE ABLE TO STOP (be able to prove it) BEFORE ENTERING TRACK. Drivers must show both bands, driver band must have Car Number on it.
- 22. RACE VEHICLES WILL HAVE 2 CHANCES TO PASS TECH, SO READ RULES VERY CAREFULLY.
- 23. ANY OBJECTS falling OFF of vehicles, DRIVER WILL BE BLACK FLAGGED. Intentional hard hitting or intentional pushing will be BLACK Flagged. Let off throttle to prevent intentional actions.
- 24. THE TECH INSPECTION IS USED FOR **ALL RACE VEHICLES**. Car and DRIVER ONLY in tech.
- 25. NO BACK UP CAR. ONE CAR PER DRIVER.
- 26. THIS IS MANDATORY FOR ALL RACE VEHICLES ROOF SUPPORT. With 6" base plates 1/8" thick TOP and BOTTOM (from roof to floor in front of seat and roof to floor behind seat). NO fence post, exhaust pipe or bumpers. Mini Truck ONLY—cowl bar, dash bar, and rear bar.
- 27. SUNROOFS have to be securely covered.
- 28. FIRE One fire if passes inspection OK, 2nd fire automatic BLACK FLAG. Remove ALL upholstery.

### **NO ALCOHOL IN THE PIT AREA**

If Alcohol is FOUND it will be CONFISCATED and WILL NOT BE RETURNED. Drivers caught with alcohol **WILL NOT RACE**. **BE SAFE and HAVE FUN!!!**