

Hit 'Em Hard Demolition Derby Promotions
Jersey County Fair Jerseyville, IL

Modified/New Iron

Sunday July 17, 2011

Derby Time – 6:00 p.m.

Check In – 2:00 p.m.

All cars must be checked in by 4:00 p.m.

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1. GM cars 1977 and newer.
Ford cars 1978 and newer.
Chrysler cars 1979 and newer
2. Shifter may be moved to the floor.
3. Bumpers must be stock auto bumper, may take aluminum bumper off and install steel auto bumper. Bumper shocks may be chained or welded with one pass around shocks.
4. Hoods must be secured after inspection. Hoods can be secured in no more than 6 locations. They may be secured with 4 strands of wire in each hole, or secured with two ¾ inch all thread in the front of the hood outside of the radiator and four-½ inch all thread in four places on the hood. No welding is permitted. Hoods must have two 6” holes cut on each side of the carburetor for firefighting purposes. Bolt header openings in hood with no more than 20 bolts, no larger than 3/8 in size.
5. Trunk lids may be secured in only 6 locations with four pieces of ¾ inch all thread and two pieces of ½ inch all thread. Additional folding, shaping, tucking or slotting is permitted.
6. All cars must have a steel windshield bar from firewall to the roof. Bolts through the top firewall must secure the windshield bar. A rear window shield bar must also be installed. No longer than 3'. No bigger than a 2x2 sq. tube.
7. Doors must be secured by chain using at least 2 chains (not less than 3/8” thick) or by using no less than 4 strands of #9 wire in four locations. If not using chains or wire doors may be welded.
8. A 6-point safety cage must be installed in the car. The cage can consist of one bar behind the seat from door to door post, one bar for each front door and one bar at dash area ,Rear bar must not pass rear dash area. 4 drops from cage to floor pan to sheet floor pan only, can go to frame. Cage may be welded or secured with bolts. Hollow bar may be used, it may be bolted to the frame. It can be bolted to the floor pan. Body mounts may be removed. NO CENTER LINE CAGES!!!!!!!!!!!! Chain from cage to floor, allowed 4 places, no larger than 3/8" chain or 4 down tubes and may be bolted to the frame.
9. Car may not be reinforced with iron on the outside of the car. All reinforcement must be inside the car in the safety cage area.
10. Factory fuel tank must be removed. No plastic gas tanks allowed unless the tank is enclosed in a metal cage. Tanks must be secured to the rear floorboard. Electric fuel pumps are allowed. No buckets or gas cans will be allowed for use of a fuel tank.
11. Battery must be secured on the passenger side front floorboard and must be covered.
12. All glass must be removed from car prior to arriving at the fair grounds. This includes headlights, taillights and window glass.
13. Rear seat must be removed. Wagons must have all seats behind the driver's seat removed. All cars must have seat belts.
14. All suspensions must remain stock. The rear end must be stock. A chain around the rear end is allowed. The car must have bounce. Rear suspension can be leafed, 2" staggered, no more than 6 leafs and no thicker than

- 5/16". Main leaf can be no longer than 5', no shorter than 3'. Rear spring pocket 3"x6" and 1/4" thick. Rear control arm where you should mount the spring. Main leaf can be no longer than 5' or shorter than 3'.
15. Engine interchange is allowed. Any types of headers are permitted providing the structure is rigid and secure.
 16. Radiator must be in stock position.
 17. Front and rear frame assemblies must be factory stock. Welding allowed one pass on top seam of frame. One weld pass only. No stuffing of the frame will be allowed. 2 extra body bolts may be added, but must be on the inside of the cage area. Cannot be in the back or the front, they have to be on the inside of the car.
 18. 60" of plating will be allowed. No thicker than 1/4", no wider than 4". No angles, only flat steel.
 19. Front end kickers can be 1" behind the A-Arm. May use a 3"x 3" plate to secure the kickers. Size of the kickers 2"x2".
 20. Tires must be 15" or smaller. Forklift or stuffed tires will be allowed.
 21. All drivers must be 16 years of age or older. Drivers must provide a legal driver's license at time of registration. Participants under the age of 18 must have a parent or guardian sign a release for at the time of registration. All drivers must wear an approved helmet, long pants and a sleeved shirt.
 22. Drinking of alcohol or the use of illegal drugs will be cause for immediate disqualification from the derby. Your entry fee will not be refunded and you will be asked to leave the fairgrounds.
 23. All cars in the feature are subject to re-inspection. Any rule violation will result in disqualification and forfeiture of money.
 24. Drivers making the feature may drive only the original car they drove in their heat.
 25. Entry fee is \$25.00. **This includes the driver of the car and ONE pitman. The pitman must arrive with the driver or he will have to pay to the pitpass fee. No refunds will be given if you do not arrive with your driver.**
 26. Cars must have a number painted on both doors in a contrasting color to the car .A stand up plate on the car roof with your number is recommended. Cars must not have vulgar, profane words or gestures on them. Any profanity on a car will be covered with paint of our choice.
 27. After inspection cars must be parked in the staging area. They are not to be taken back to pit area.
 28. It is recommended that each car bring an ABC fire extinguisher with them in case of a fire in the pit area.
 29. EVERY DRIVER MUST ATTEND THE DRIVER'S MEETING. IT DOES NOT MATTER IF THIS IS YOUR 100TH OR FIRST DERBY, YOU DON'T ATTEND AND WE FIND OUT, YOU WILL NOT DRIVE AND FORFEIT YOUR ENTRY MONEY.
 30. TWO FIRES WILL RESULT IN DISAQUALIFICATION FROM THE DERBY.
 31. PROTESTS MUST BE MADE BEFORE THE DRIVER'S MEETING.