



OUTHOUSE RACES

Saturday, July 17, 2010

3:00 p.m. Line up and Pilots Meeting – In Front of Zentmire Hall

4:30 P.M. RACES START

NO ENTRY FEE!!

General Rules:

- No one under the age of 15
- A mandatory waiver will need to be completed by all race participants. Persons 15-17 years of age must have waiver signed by parents or guardian.
- Teams will consist of Three people, two to push (pushers) and one to ride (pilot).
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AWARDS

- 1st Place
- 2nd Place
- 3rd Place
- Best House

One alternate is allowed for each team and can be used under the following circumstances ONLY:

- In case of injury, emergency or any other unpreventable circumstance.
- Alternate must be registered.
- Cannot be used to relieve a team member if they need to rest.

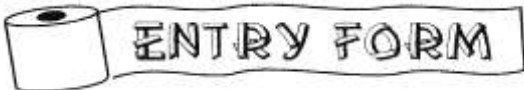
Outhouse Guidelines:

- Outhouses must have a half door and resemble an outhouse.
- All the teams are expected to build their own outhouse. Keep in mind; the wackier, the better! **Teams may advertise their company or product on the side of the structure and outhouse names may also be applied.**
- **No OFFENSIVE LAUNGUAGE**
- Outhouse must contain a toilet seat for the rider over the throne hole.
- Wheels of any size. Outhouse must be at least 3' long x 3' wide x 5' high.
- Must be constructed of sturdy materials and able to withstand racing. **NO** cloth, plastic, foam, glass, or chicken wire may be used for main structure only decoration.
- The only power acceptable for used in terms of moving is manpower.
- Materials can be used for leverage to move the outhouse except ropes or materials of rope-like nature.
- **Note:** Added items used for mobility purposes must be properly secured.
- Outhouse must weigh a minimum of 200lbs unoccupied. Be prepared to have outhouse weighed. To assume the limit, the "back-end parade crew" will be ready with 50lbs of steer manure to help you "make weight."

*Outhouses must be lined-up and ready for viewing by outhouse judges an hour prior to the start of the race.

TAKE THE PLUNGE & GOOD LUCK!

Racing Rules on Reverse Side



Registration due by June 30, 2010

Team Name: _____

Address: _____ Phone No: _____

	Team Members	Age	Phone Number
Captain 1.	_____	_____	_____
2.	_____	_____	_____
3.	_____	_____	_____
4.	_____	_____	_____
Alternate	_____	_____	_____

SEND ENTRY FORM TO: OUTHOUSE RACE, IOWA COUNTY FAIR, P.O. BOX 374, Marengo, IA 52301

For more information call Dietrich Johnson, 319-330-3502, FAX 319-662-4068



Racing Rules:

Heat competitors will be determined by drawing a number out of a bucket prior to the initial race.

Appropriate attire is recommended for pilot (i.e. helmets or hard hats, rubber gloves, snorkels, outhouse goggles, rubber boots, shower cap, and clothing that can be damaged,) protective clothing- knee and elbow pads. Note: It is your responsibility to provide your own attire as none will be provided by the Iowa County Fair.

Object of the Race and Obstacle Guidelines:

After teams have been determined via “bucket drawing,” the first two teams will begin at the starting line. Pilot’s “seat” must cover the “throne hole” at all times while inside the outhouse. All outhouses must have one on board roll of toilet paper and reading material. They must start and end the race with this onboard. They must have a spare roll for obstacle #2. Once the starting gun is fired, racers will push their outhouses to the first yellow line. After the first line has been reached, the pilots may remove themselves from the “throne” and begin the first obstacle. The two obstacles are as follows and will be explained on race day:

- “Knee deep in muck and can’t find my corn cob”
- “How come I always have to change the roll? I hate when it gets wet!”
- Once beginning teams leave starting line, next two teams should be in starting position.
- Race course is approximately 300 ft. The course will be divided into two lanes. No outhouse or “pushers” may go into another’s lane. If collision occurs, both teams will return to the starting line to restart race.
- Outhouse cannot re-cross first yellow line before pilot gets back inside and has the entire throne hole covered. At that point, outhouse will finish race at starting line.
- Winners will be determined by single elimination. All decisions by race officials are final and failure to follow any of these rules will disqualify team from advancing.

WAIVER FOR OUTHOUSE RACING

I know that participating in a race is a potentially hazardous activity. I should not enter and race unless I am medically able and properly trained. I agree to abide by any decision of a race official relative to my ability to safely complete the race. I assume all risks associated with racing in this event including, but not limited to: falls, contact with other participants, the effects of weather, including high heat/or humidity, traffic, and the conditions of the road, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. Having read this waiver and knowing these facts and in consideration of your accepting my entry, I for myself and anyone entitled to act on my behalf, waiver and release and hold harmless the Iowa County Fair Inc, Iowa County Fair Board and agents from any liability for bodily injury or property damage resulting from participation in this event.

Team Name: _____

Signatures

1. _____ Date _____

2. _____ Date _____

3. _____ Date _____

Alternate _____ Date _____