

OTHELLO RODEO ASSOC. HEAT RACE CAR RULES

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

POOR SPORTSMANSHIP AND BAD CONDUCT WILL NOT BE TOLERATED at any time of the Demo Derby Event. If **you or anyone associated with your car** is involved in an altercation, **the driver and all persons** involved will be banned from the Demo Derby **FOR LIFE!** There will be no alcoholic beverages allowed into the PIT AREA. There will be a no tolerance of open containers due to the beer garden and State regulations requiring security to be highly enforced. **NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!** Stay in car seat belted helmet on at all times except of a fire. Pit Boss, Tech people and Flag man decisions are final.

These rules are for preparing Racing Only Cars.

1. Vehicle type maybe American or foreign made passenger car except for imperials, imperial sub frames, convertibles, limos, hearses, trucks, 4x4's, or all wheel drives.
2. All glass, trim, metal, fender extensions, anything breakable and anything flammable must be removed. All cars will be free of broken glass and debris. All wheel weights will be removed from all wheels. All car preparation must be done prior to entering the pit area. If your car is not clean you will not enter the track area.
3. Must have protective screen over the driver's side of the windshield. Screen holes must be no larger than ½ inch.
4. BRAKES must be in good working order.
5. Wheel wells may be trimmed and larger bumper extensions may be trimmed also.
6. Batteries must be moved to driver's compartment in a sealed box or completely covered to protect driver from acid spills and explosion. Maximum of 2 batteries. Batteries must be secured by bolting to the floor. If in a box please make sure they are snug fitting and not bouncing around. Please no bungee cords or rope.
7. Radiators must remain in stock location, in front of engine.
8. All cars must have roll over protection behind driver's seat. Minimum protection is a 3 inch diameter pipe with 4 inch by 4 inch plates on both ends. It must be bolted to the roof and floor of the car. Cars with sunroof or t-tops must use H bar protection or roll cage.
9. Driver's door must be protected. The protection must extend past both sides of drivers door. If channel iron is used the flat part must be against the door and the edges will be trimmed. Doors must be secured by bolting, chaining or welding. Minimum of two grader blade.
10. The middle of the hood must have a 1 foot by 1 foot opening.
11. If fuel tank is relocated it must be behind driver and must be secured and covered with metal or rubber. No more than 6 gallon in size.
12. The hood and trunk must be bolted or chained
13. Seatbelts must be securely mounted to car. No frayed or cut seatbelts.
14. All cars must start with mud flaps behind rear tires except front wheel drive cars.
15. The front and rear end may be repaired with other than stock parts, but must appear near stock.
16. Car numbers must be 18 inches on doors and 24 inches on the roof in contrasting colors.
17. Driver must have helmet with chin strap and protective eyewear. Helmet must be on and strapped during entire race. No shorts or short pants and tank tops. Fire resistant clothing highly recommended
18. Fire extinguishers must be in the car and secured within reach of driver. 2 pound minimum and any that say empty or recharge are unacceptable and will not be used. No sharing of fire extinguishers. Bring your own that's charged and ready to go.
19. Tech line- unload car and clean out all trash, tires, tools, and anything else that does not belong in the car when racing. Have everything in car and ready when bringing car to tech line so we can see all safety equipment is in place and ready to go (helmet, protective eyewear, fire extinguisher, battery and fuel tank covered and secured, etc.). Form two lines and after your car has been teched take it back to the pit area and then register your car.

Anything that appears to be a safety hazard must be fixed or removed by the TECHS DISCRETION

All drivers must have legal current driver's license and must be at least 16 years of age to drive a car in the demo derby event. A copy of the driver's license is required with this entry. No exceptions!

Maximum two entries per car.

Entry Fees

- Car Entry - \$30.00 per driver for pre-registration
 - At the gate in 2016 is \$35, At the gate in 2017 is \$50
- Australian Pursuit - \$10.00 per driver
- Powder Puff - \$10.00 per driver (if the car is entering powder puff only then it will be a \$30.00 entry fee)
- **Women can enter either the heat races with the men, or enter the Powder Puff Race. Both men and woman may enter the Demo Derby Event.**

Pay Outs

- Men's Heat – 1st \$70
 - 2nd \$50
 - 3rd \$30
- Australian Pursuit - \$70 per heat
- Powder Puff – 1st \$30
 - 2nd \$20
 - 3rd \$10
- Demo – 1st \$1000 + trophy
 - 2nd \$600 + trophy
 - 3rd \$400 + trophy

Starting Times:

- September 14th 2015 – Pit opens at 3:00 pm
 - Must be teched and entered by 6:30pm for Demo and 7:00pm for Racing
 - Time trials start at 6:30 pm
 - Racing to follow

Pre-Registration

1. Fill out registration and waiver forms and send with check payable to ORA to:
Othello Rodeo Association
c/o Jody Fleshman
PO Box 49
Othello, WA 99344
 - Questions on pre-registration can be directed to Jody at (509)331-4628 or jodyfleshman@live.com
 2. Come to the ORA main office at the following times:
 - a. September 19th from Noon to 3pm
 - b. September 12th from 3-6pm
 - c. September 13th from 3-6pm
- The minor release waiver form is for those 16 and 17 years old. The other release waiver form is for anyone over 18.
 - When the forms and checks are mailed to Jody, your number(s) will be confirmed back by phone.

For Questions, contact:

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