

Old Home Day

Annual Soap Box Derby

The Soap Box Derby Committee is hosting a
A mandatory car inspection & pre-race
practice run

at Hycrest Road on Sunday, August 28, 2011
from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Entry forms and regulations for the Labor Day race will be available at The Charlton Police Dept. and Public library.

We have been made aware that some past racers are interested in having an open age class. The committee has decided to include it for this year. If time allows we will encourage individual races for more fun and use of the cars.

Arnies Towing has donated their service for this years race.

Please contact the following Committee members with any questions:

Paul Courville: (508) 294-5527; Timothy Smith (774) 230-4895;

The mission of this committee is to make this event as kid friendly as possible.

Charlton Old Home Day 2011- Annual Soap Box Derby Regulations for the Race

1. Race will be in two parts: Junior Division ages 7 thru 10 and Senior Division ages 11 thru 14. If time allows, the Committee/Judges will consider additional races among individuals and new classes.
2. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners in each division will receive a trophy.
3. Cars must be made by applicant with adult supervision.
4. Cars or axles shall not be wider than 3 feet
5. Cars shall not be longer than 6 feet.
6. Cars shall be equipped with a braking system.
7. Cars shall be equipped with a steering wheel type steering system, No rope type or foot controlled steering will be allowed. Central pivoted axle: The distance the steering axle can move at the ends of axle will be approx. 2" from the center line of the axle or a total of 4". Wheel pivoted axle: On wheels pivoted at the end of axles, front edge of wheel shall not move more than approx. 1" from straight forward or a total of 2".
8. Wheels and axles shall not have bearings of any kind (ball, roller, needle etc.)
9. Wheels shall not be more than 11 inches in diameter.
10. Cars shall have one driver, no sharing of cars will be allowed.
11. All contestants shall bring a safety helmet to wear during the race.
12. Contestants shall have a name and number on their car.
13. The race will start at 7:30am **Labor Day on Muggett Hill Road.**
14. **ALL CARS MUST BE INSPECTED.** A pre-race practice and mandatory inspection will be held on **Sunday August 28th, 2011** at Hycrest Road, from 11am – 3pm;
15. **All contestants race at their own risk! Please be advised that races will not start until the entire raceway is free of spectators.**
16. Unsecured weights will not be allowed in the cars.
17. Judges are looking for a clean run from start to finish, affording a reasonable opportunity to finish the race. Any concerns will be reviewed by the Committee, **all decisions are final!**

Name and Number of car _____

Name and Age of contestant _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Please contact Timothy Smith at 1-774-230-4895 with any questions.