

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY FAIR Antique Tractor Pull Rules

Safety at All Times

I. GENERAL RULES

Tractor Type, Age, Equipment, Etc.

1. All participants must complete entry form and sign waiver.
2. No driver under 12 years old. Drivers 12 to 16 must have parent's signature to participate. Parent must walk beside tractor during pull.
3. Only tractors manufactured before 1960 may pull.
4. Both stock and modified tractors will pull in each weight class.
5. Tractor age will be determined by serial number. Any Questionable age will be decided by track officials.
6. Stock Tractors must be equipped as they came from the factory. No removing fenders, hitch arms, wheels, grills, etc. and no engine modifications.
7. Tractors must be naturally aspirated. No turbos or blowers – EXCEPT OLIVER GM and JOHN DEERE 435 GM.
8. Gas, diesel, or LPG fuels only. No alcohol, no nitrous oxide – no racing fuels – no octane boosters.
9. Rear tires no more than one size over factory replacement. No cut tires, radial tires, duals, or chains.
10. Factory or suitcase weights are acceptable. Wheel weights may be used only in their original locations, i.e. rear on rear or front on front. The front weight bracket for suitcase weights may not extend more than 12 inches from the nose (grill, radiator or pedestal) of the tractor. Suitcase weights on the rear of tractor may not extend past the radius of the rear tire. All weights must be mounted in a safe manner, i.e. bolted, strapped or pinned. Frame weights or front weights must be bolted in their original locations. Mounding of weights is prohibited.
11. Tractor drawbar point of hook (clevis) must be no more than 20 inches from the ground. Minimum distance from center line of axel to point of hook (clevis) is 20 inches. Drawbar must be stationary in all directions. Factory drawbar may have a "Riser" attached, if deemed safe at technical inspection. Driver to supply clevis or ring with a minimum 2 — inch opening for sled chain.

Tractor Gears, RPMs and Inspection

1. Engine RPM shall not exceed 10% of the manufacture's fast idle recommended limit
Note: ALL TRACTORS MAY BE CHECKED. All tractors to have positive throttle stops.
2. No shifting of gears, but TA can be used.
3. Immediately after pulling, all tractors may be required to go through technical inspection again.

Before and During the Pull

1. The tractor must remain within the defined "inbounds" track area during the pull.
2. Any part falling off the tractor after being hooked and until the tractor is unhooked will result in disqualification.
3. No "full throttle" starts of jerking sled. **First offense – restart. Second offense –disqualification.**
4. If on the first pull, the sled fails to go pass the 50 foot mark, due to wrong gear, no fuel, etc., you may re-pull in last place.
5. Drivers must stay on the seat of the tractor at all times. Hands must be on the steering wheel, hand brakes, hand clutch or throttle at all times during the pull.
6. **Everyone** must be **Safety Conscious** during the entire show.
7. Driver must exhibit the ability to control the tractor at all times. This is to include during technical inspection, before pull, backing up to sled and after pulling.
8. Positively no alcohol or other intoxicants allowed.
9. Track and safety officials have the authority to enforce all rules as stated herein and to disqualify any tractor for violations or unsafe conditions. All decisions are final.
10. The track officials will interpret all rules. The track officials will rule on any unforeseen problems or oversights. The rulings of the track officials are final

Track officials: Johnnie Edwards, Ronald Combs, John Hancock, Dick Scott, and based on availability, either one of the Fair's Special Programs Co-Chairmen.

II. WEIGHT CLASSES:

Class 1 2500 lbs.

Class 2 3000 lbs.

Class 3 3500 lbs.

Class 4 4500 lbs.

Class 5 5000 lbs.

Class 6 6000 lbs.

Class 7 7000 lbs.

Class 8 8000 lbs.

Class 9 9000 lbs.

Class 10 10,000 lbs.

Class 11 11,000 lbs.

Class 12 12,000 lbs.

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Registration Form

Tractor Brand Name: _____ Model: _____

Year Manufactured: _____ Tractor Weight: _____ Stock: _____ Modified: _____

Fee per Pull: \$5.00 Paid: _____

Class: _____ Number Given: _____ Length of Pull: _____ Place: _____

DATE: _____

NAME: _____ DOB: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP

CODE: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____

RELATIONSHIP TO PARTICIPANTS: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBER: _____

HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

By signing below, I do agree to defend, indemnify, save and HOLD HARMLESS Isle of Wight County, its Board of Supervisors, Constitutional Officers, employees, staff, agents, assigns and County Fair Volunteers, for any and all claims, damages or monetary awards for death, personal injury or property damage to myself, spectators and/or any other person arising out of, resulting from or as a consequence of my participation in or observation of this event.

I HEREBY WAIVE ALL LEGAL RIGHTS AND CLAIMS WHICH I MIGHT OTHERWISE ASSERT AND/OR MAINTAIN AGAINST Isle of Wight County, its Board of Supervisors, Constitutional Officers, employees, staff, agents, assigns and County Fair Volunteer, including but not limited to rights arising from or claims for the acts or omission, fault, or negligence in any degree of Isle of Wight County and/or any of the persons listed above. My participation in this event is voluntary.

Participants Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date