



## H2No Boat Race Rules

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### **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

The following rules and/or regulations set forth herein are designed to provide for the orderly conduct of a Boat Race held at the Fulton Speedway, to establish minimum requirements for such events.

These rules shall govern the condition of the events, and, by participating in this event, all participants are deemed to have complied with these rules.

No express or implied warranty of safety shall result from publication of or compliance with these rules and/or regulations.

They are intended as a guide for the conduct of the sport and are in no way a guarantee against injury or death to participant, spectator, or official.

The officials assigned to the event shall be empowered to permit deviations from any specifications herein or impose any further restrictions that in their opinion do not alter the safety factor.

Any interpretation or deviation of these rules is left to the discretion of Fulton Speedway officials, and their decision is final.

Fulton Speedway reserves the right to approve and/or reject all entries.

### **OBJECT OF THE RACE**

Finish the race with your boat attached while trying to separate the boats of your competitors from their tow vehicle. Once you lose your boat, your race is over. Intentional hitting of other tow vehicles is prohibited. The last tow vehicle-trailer combo alive is the winner or the fastest to complete the pre-determined race length will be the winner.

### **PARTICIPANT REGULATIONS:**

1. Participants must be a minimum 16 years of age.
2. Full-face helmets, long sleeve shirts and pants and closed shoes required. Firesuit or Coveralls are highly recommended.
3. Drivers must be drug and alcohol free or will not be permitted to compete.
4. Only a driver is permitted in the tow vehicle – No Passengers.

### **TOW VEHICLE REGULATIONS:**

1. Open to any passenger car, light trucks, SUV or minivan, trucks ½ ton or less. No convertibles, no dual wheel trucks, no lifted trucks or oversized tires.
2. All tow vehicles should have the driver name painted on the side.

### **BOAT REGULATIONS:**

1. Boat must be fiberglass V bottom runabout, walk through windshield or center console type boats. Small cuddy cabins are also permitted. Boats must be a minimum of 12' in length.
2. All brackets, trim seats, windows, gas tanks, out drives, engines and drive train must be removed.
3. Boats must have all trash cleaned out before competing.

4. Boats without trailers only. Rear transom should be cut in three places – right rear corner, left rear corner and center. Center cut must be cut all the way to bottom.

**TOW VEHICLE/BOAT COUPLING:**

1. Boat must be dragged with only one (1) cable with a maximum size of 3/8" OD.
2. Boat must be separated from the tow vehicle by a minimum of eight (8) feet.
3. May use a ½ inch eye bolt with a 4" x 4.25" thick metal washer inside the boat. Must be in the same place or close to the eye hook that came with the boat. No other improved connection allowed. (No wheels, metal bars, pipes or wood beams allowed to help stiffen the connection).

**RACING REGULATIONS:**

1. Driver must be able to receive radio communication with the race director. This can be done in either of two ways - Have the FM radio in your car tuned to the track FM broadcast 88.1 or use of a one-way radio/scanner tuned to the track one-way radio 454.000.
2. Upon being eliminated from the event, drivers should clear their tow vehicle to the infield.
3. Drivers may not leave cockpit of car/truck until trailer race ends unless instructed to do so by track official unless clear and safe in the infield. Please keep seat belts and helmets on at all times until released by a track safety worker.
4. A red flag displayed during the event means come to a complete stop immediately. The red flag will be used instead of a caution flag. When green lights go back on the race will resume.
5. Race winner will be the first competitor with boat still attached completing the predetermined laps for the event or be the last tow/boat combination still intact prior to completion of a full race.
6. Mascots, decorating vehicles, advertising, nicknames, cartoons etc. are encouraged. No suggestive language or symbols allowed on vehicles.
7. Fans are looking for a show of destruction. Participants merely racing around the track trying to avoid making contact will be disqualified.
8. Boat is still in play if at least 4' of the hull still remains attached to the cable. Official's have final say in what may remain on the track during the event.

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