

Dragway 91—March 2, 2008

1. Events & Classifications

- A. Dragway 91 includes a speed event classified by age group and using total time of 4 races to determine a winner in each age group.
- B. Dragway 91 includes a decoration event classified by age group only for those who did not place or win a speed event.
- C. Age groups are classified by the age of the young brave on the day of the race as follows:
 - 1. 5 and 6 year olds.
 - 2. 7 and 8 year olds.
 - 3. 9 and 10 year olds.
 - 4. 11 years and up.

Tentative Brackets



2. General Rules

- A. Cars must be constructed from new car kits; parts from previous year(s) cars **cannot** be used. New car kits from previous years must be registered.
- B. Car kit shall consist of four wheels, two axles, four plastic "hats" to secure the wheels on the axles and the wood body. The rings attached to the hats can be removed.
- C. Cars shall be inspected on the day of the race to ensure that all rules are met.
- D. Time trials are held for the entrants' evaluations on speed and to ensure that car specifications are met; the cars do not have to be decorated until the day of the actual race. Participation at time trials is optional.
- E. The scales supplied by the Longhouse shall be the official weighting devices. The measurement box supplied by the Longhouse shall be the official device to determine dimensions.

3. Car Specifications

- A. The car must fit within the measurement box. Dimensions are:
 - Length: 10.0 inches or less
 - Width: 4.5 inches or less
 - Height: **5.0 inches or less**
- B. **Car weight: (16 ounces or less)**
- C. **Front of car must be at least ½" or greater from track surface.**
- D. No washers are permitted on the outside of the wheels; they are allowed on the axles only between the wheels and the car body.
- E. The wheels supplied in the car kit **must** be used on the car. The only alteration of the wheels allowed is that burrs can be removed.
- F. Axles must be affixed to the body and **cannot** rotate. The only alteration of the axles allowed is that the burrs can be removed. Axles can be drilled to attach to the car body. Any kind of lubrication can be use between the wheel and axle.
- G. The body must be made out of wood provided.
- H. Weights can be added but must be solidly affixed to the car body. No moving or sliding weights are allowed. Washers can be use for weight.
- I. The big brave may build car and it is encouraged that the young brave assist.
- J. The young brave's full Christian (not Indian) name, age and tribe must appear on the under side of the car.

4. Car Decoration

- A. The young brave must apply all decorations only. The big brave can serve only as an advisor.
- B. All decoration **must be freehand**; decals or other means of the transfer are **not** allowed.
- C. In order to be considered for a decoration award, the decoration must be of an Indian theme of design; the style of car shall **not** affect the decoration judging.

5. Awards

- A. Speed awards shall be given to the top four finishers in each of the four age groups (see rule 1C)
- B. The first place speed finisher in each of the four age groups shall race for first place through fourth place overall. Additional awards shall be given to the first place through fourth place speed finishers.
- C. Decoration awards shall be given for the top four cars in each age group (See rule 1C) as judged on an Indian theme, originality, and neatness, providing that the car has **not** won a speed award. Thus, there shall be eight separate awards per age group; four speed and four decoration, plus four awards for the overall speed finishers from each age group.

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6. Race Procedure Rules

- A. Once the car is registered, it goes into impound until race time and **cannot** be handled by the big brave; only the young brave can handle the car and only just before and after his races.
 - B. Additional lubricants **cannot** be added once the car is registered.
 - C. The races shall be run with three or four cars at one time.
 - D. In case of a bye, that individual car shall be run down the track by itself to ensure that all cars have run an equal number of races.
 - E. In case of a dead heat, the cars shall be immediately rerun on different lanes of the tracks.
 - F. In all cases, the decision of the judges shall be final.
- ????? ANY QUESTIONS ????????????