

# **DERBYDOG PRODUCTIONS**

## **2016 FULL-SIZE TRUCK CLASS**

### **DRIVERS and PIT CREW MEMBERS**

\*DRIVERS MUST BE AT LEAST 16 YEARS OF AGE. ALL DRIVERS MUST FILL OUT AN ENTRY FORM. EVERYONE REQUESTING A PIT PASS MUST SIGN A RELEASE WAIVER. ALL DRIVERS MUST HAVE A VALID DRIVERS LICENSE. NO DRUGS OR ALCOHOL IN PIT AREA. ANY DRIVER OR PIT CREW MEMBER BELIEVED TO BE UNDER THE INFLUENCE WILL BE IMMEDIATELY DISQUALIFIED AND MAY BE PROHIBITED FROM FUTURE EVENTS. **ENTRY FEES AND PIT PASSES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.** ANY MISCONDUCT OR BREAKING OF THE RULES WILL ALSO RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION AT THE DISCRETION OF THE OFFICIALS. NO SWITCHING OF DRIVERS. **OFFICIALS DECISIONS ARE FINAL! RULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AT ANYTIME!**

### **VEHICLE TYPE**

\*ANY 2 OR 4-WHEEL DRIVE TRUCK, SUBURBAN, VAN, OR SUV IS PERMITTED. MAXIMUM 1-TON. NO DUAL WHEELS. 4-WHEEL DRIVES MUST REMOVE ONE DRIVESHAFT. FACTORY BODIES ONLY!  
\*NO HOMEMADE BEDS.

### **PREPARATION**

\*ALL GLASS; INCLUDING WINDSHIELD, SIDE & REAR WINDOWS, HEAD & TAILLIGHTS MUST BE REMOVED. ROLLING DOWN WINDOWS IS NOT PERMITTED. SUNROOFS MUST BE COVERED WITH SHEET METAL AND PROPERLY SECURED.  
\*ALL EXTERIOR CHROME MOULDINGS, HUBCAPS, EMBLEMS, WIPER ARMS, PLASTIC GRILLES, OUTSIDE DOOR HANDLES, URETHANE OR PLASTIC BUMPER COVERS, AND PLASTIC, FIBERGLASS, OR URETHANE HEADER PANELS MUST BE REMOVED BEFORE ENTERING VENUE.  
\*ALL CARPETING, INTERIOR MOULDINGS, REAR SEATS, HEADLINERS, INNER DOOR PANELS, AND ALL OTHER FLAMMABLE MATERIAL MUST BE REMOVED BEFORE ENTERING VENUE.  
\*DASH BOARDS ARE OPTIONAL. VEHICLE MUST BE SWEEPED FREE OF ALL DEBRIS.

### **INTERIOR and BODY**

\*ANY BATTERY, ANY SIZE PERMITTED. MAXIMUM 2 BATTERIES. MUST BE SECURELY MOUNTED AND COVERED. PUSH BUTTON & SWITCHES ARE PERMITTED. NO LOOSE WIRING. ELECTRIC FUEL PUMP SWITCH MUST BE CLEARLY MARKED.  
\*ORIGINAL FUEL TANK MUST BE REMOVED AND REPLACED WITH A MARINE TYPE STEEL TANK AND SECURELY MOUNTED AND COVERED. **NO PLASTIC TANKS PERMITTED.** TANKS MUST BE MOUNTED IN CENTER OF BED (SIDE TO SIDE) AGAINST CAB. APPROX. 8 GALLONS OF FUEL PER HEAT. ALL FUEL LINES MUST BE SECURELY CLAMPED & LEAK-PROOF. ANY TRUCK LEAKING FUEL WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION. ELECTRIC FUEL PUMPS ARE PERMITTED.  
\*DOORS & TAILGATE MUST BE FASTENED SHUT BY WIRE, CHAIN, BANDING, OR WELDING. ANY DOOR THAT COMES OPEN WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION. IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED THE DRIVER'S DOOR BE REINFORCED.  
\*DOORS MAY BE WELDED SOLID. 3" WIDE STRAPPING MAXIMUM.

\*CAB MAY BE WELDED TO BED. MAXIMUM 3" WIDE STRAPPING. CABS MAY BE BOLTED TO BED.

\*IT IS RECOMMENDED FOR YOUR SAFETY THAT A 4-POINT TYPE SAFETY CAGE BE PLACED IN THE DRIVER'S COMPARTMENT. BARS NOT TO EXCEED 4" IN SIZE.

\*1 BAR ACROSS DASH AND 1 BAR BEHIND REAR SEAT. 2 AJAINING BARS, PERPENDICULAR TO DASH AND SEAT BAR, TO ATTACH THEM TOGETHER. END PLATES MUST NOT EXCEED 12" SQUARE. BARS MUST BE SECURELY WELDED. **AT MINIMUM, REAR SEAT BAR IS MANDITORY FOR SAFETY.**

\*ROLLOVER BAR IS PERMITTED FOR YOUR SAFETY. MUST TIE INTO REAR SEAT BAR OR GAS TANK PROTECTOR AND BE STRAIGHT UP & DOWN ABOVE DRIVER.

\*2 LOCATIONS OF SAFETY MUST BE PLACED IN DRIVER'S WINDSHIELD (WIRE, CHAIN, STEEL 4" MAX). SHEET METAL TO SHEET METAL ONLY AND 1 REAR WINDOW BAR IS PERMITTED. NO ADDITIONAL BARS ADDED TO CAGE (UNLESS NOTED). ALL CAGE/BAR MATERIAL MUST BE STRUCTURAL AND SECURELY WELDED FOR YOUR SAFETY.

\*4 DOWNLEGS FROM SAFETY CAGE ARE PERMITTED.

\*GAS TANK PROTECTORS PERMITTED. MUST NOT BE WIDER THAN FRAME. MUST NOT EXTEND PAST 23" FROM BACK OF CAB. MAY ATTACH TO ROLLOVER BARS. GAS TANK PROTECTOR MAY BE WELDED AND ATTACH TO FRAME.

\*KICKERS PERMITTED FROM DASH BAR TO BACK SIDE OF CRADLE ON TOP OF FRAME. 2"X2" MAXIMUM.

\*WHEELWELLS MAY BE TRIMMED, ROLLED, OR FOLDED FOR CLEARANCE. 4 BOLTS PER WHEELWELL, MAXIMUM 3" WASHERS & ½" BOLTS.

\*IT IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED YOU USE A 24" X 24" ROOF SIGN DISPLAYING YOUR NUMBER CLEARLY.

\*HOOD MUST BE FASTENED SHUT WITH WIRE, CHAIN, BANDING OR BOLTS. MAXIMUM 6 LOCATIONS ONLY. SHEET METAL TO SHEET METAL ONLY. IT IS PERMITTED TO RUN WIRE/CHAIN/BANDING FROM BUMPER TO CORE SUPPORT IN 2 OF THE 6 LOCATIONS. 2 LOCATIONS MAY BE 1" ALL-THREAD THROUGH CORE SUPPORT. MAXIMUM 3" WASHERS. **HOOD MUST BE OPEN FOR INSPECTION!**

\*-BODY MOUNTS MAY BE CHANGED TO MAXIMUM 1" BOLTS & 3" WASHERS. WASHERS MAY BE WELDED TO FRAME. BOLTS THROUGH TOP HALF OF FRAME ONLY.

## **CHASSIS and FRAME**

\*MAXIMUM STOCK 9 LEAFS PER SIDE. 4 CLAMPS PER SIDE. MAIN LEAF MUST BE ON TOP. LEAFS MUST BE STAIR-STEP. 8 LUG REAR PERMITTED.

\*STOCK FRAME ONLY! FRAMES MAY BE SWAPPED. (FORD TO GM, ETC.)NO ADDED METAL TO FRAME. NO FRAME PLATING. FRAME SEAMS MAY BE WELDED. SUSPENSION MAY BE LOCKED AS LONG AS IT DOES NOT REINFORCE FRAME IN ANYWAY.

\*C-CHANNEL FRAMES MAY BE BOXED IN FROM TRANSMISSION MOUNT TO FRONT BUMPER MOUNT.

\*MAXIMUM 10" OF FRONT FRAME MAY BE USED TO MOUNT FRONT BUMPER. ANY AUTOMOTIVE BUMPER MAY BE USED. NO HOMEMADE BUMPERS. DEC BUMPERS PERMITTED. BUMPERS MAY BE SEAM WELDED. LOADED BUMPERS PERMITTED.

## **PRE-RAN TRUCKS**

\*MAY USE NO MORE THAN 4 FIX-A-PLATES. MAXIMUM SIZE 3" X 3". PLATES CANNOT OVERLAP OR TOUCH. MAY ONLY BE USED ON DAMAGED AREAS. CAN ONLY WELD 2 SIDES OF SQUARE PLATE.

\*RIPS AND TEARS IN BODY PANELS MAY BE SPOT WELDED BACK TOGETHER. **ABUSE IT AND LOSE IT! OFFICIALS DECISIONS ARE FINAL!**

## **ENGINE and TRANSMISSION**

- \*ANY MOTOR/TRANS COMBINATION IS PERMITTED.
- \*DP, ENGINE CRADLES, PULLEY PROTECTORS ARE ALL PERMITTED.
- \*MOTOR AND TRANSMISSION MOUNTS MAY BE CHAINED OR WELDED SO LONG AS IT DOES NOT STRENGTHEN FRAME IN ANY WAY. HAND THROTTLE PERMITTED.
- \*SHIFTING LINKAGE MAY BE ALTERED. AFTERMARKET SHIFTERS ARE PERMITTED. AIR CLEANER MANDATORY. NO ETHER. TRANSMISSION COOLERS ARE PERMITTED. ALL LINES MUST BE SECURELY CLAMPED AND LEAK-PROOF. BURP TUBE IS RECOMMENDED ON TRANSMISSION DIPSTICK TUBE TO RE-ROUTE OVERFLOW AND PREVENT FIRE.
- \*SLIDERS PERMITTED.

## **TIRES, RADIATOR, and FAN**

- \*MAXIMUM 16" TIRES. NO LIQUID IN TIRES. TUBES PERMITTED. NO SCREWS IN TIRES AND NO STUDDED TIRES PERMITTED. WHEEL WEIGHTS MUST BE REMOVED. NO SPLIT RIMS. VALVE STEM PROTECTORS PERMITTED. SOLID WHEELS PERMITTED. BEADLOCKS PERMITTED.
- \*RADIATORS MUST REMAIN IN STOCK LOCATION. STEEL CLUTCH FANS MUST BE COVERED.

## **SAFETY and RUNNING**

- \*EACH DRIVER/TRUCK IS ALLOWED 1 RE-INSPECTION. ONLY DRIVER AND 1 CREW MEMBER PERMITTED DURING INSPECTION. ALL VEHICLES SUBJECT TO POST FEATURE INSPECTION.
- \*DOT OR SNELL APPROVED HELMETS MANDATORY. EYE PROTECTION MANDATORY. LONG SLEEVES, PANTS, AND GLOVES ARE MANDATORY. A 2.5lb FIRE EXTINGUISHER MUST BE SECURELY MOUNTED WITHIN DRIVER'S REACH.
- \***OFFICIALS DECISIONS ARE FINAL!!** ANY DOOR THAT COMES OPEN WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION. ANY VEHICLE SMOKING EXCESSIVELY OR LEAKING FUEL WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION. BOUNDARIES MUST BE MAINTAINED AT ALL TIMES. 60-SECOND TIME LIMIT ON ALL HITS. HITS MUST BE AGGRESSIVE. NOT MAKING AGGRESSIVE CONTACT IS CONSIDERED SANDBAGGING. SANDBAGGING WILL NOT BE TOLERATED AND WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION. ALL CARS MUST HAVE DEPENDABLE BRAKES.
- \*ALL DRIVERS MUST ATTEND DRIVER'S MEETING. ANY CAR NOT REMOVED FROM VENUE WITHIN 24 HOURS BECOMES PROPERTY OF DERBYDOG PRODUCTIONS.
- \***BRING TORCHES WITH YOU!!**