

# 2018 Lenawee County Fair

## Figure 8 Demo & Tuff Truck & Car Rules

*Figure 8: Monday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> & Thursday, July 26<sup>th</sup>  
Tuff Truck & Car: Saturday, July 28<sup>th</sup>*

### **Common Rules:**

- 1.) REGISTRATION CLOSSES ½ HOUR BEFORE EVENT
- 2.) No drivers are allowed on the stage with officials during the event
- 3.) Decisions of the race officials are final
  - a. No protests
  - b. All scoring is final
  - c. No video review
- 4.) After determining the winner of the heat, winners must go directly to impound or be disqualified
- 5.) ALL DRIVERS MUST USE THE ENTRANCE OFF OF SIENA HEIGHTS DRIVE CALLED HANKE LANE DRIVE
- 6.) Upon injury of a driver, the officials will decide if the heat continues
- 7.) Only one entry per person per class
- 8.) Driver must be at least eighteen (18) years of age
- 9.) Prize Money:
  - a. All cars in the final heat will get a cash prize. The number of cars running in the final heat will determine the prize amount.
  - b. There are no individual heat prizes
- 10.) CARS MUST BE REMOVED FROM THE INFIELD THE NIGHT OF THE RACE
- 11.) Absolutely NO alcohol on grounds. Anyone under the influence of alcohol or drugs will disqualify the crew of the offending party and will be asked to leave
- 12.) Officials reserve the right to reject or accept any and all registrations
- 13.) All shows will be open to any year truck, automobile or station wagon
- 14.) You must sign a release form to enter the pits. It is encouraged that only 14 years and older enter the pits
- 15.) Any drivers or pit crew members not obeying the rules will be disqualified. The driver is responsible for his/her pit crew
- 16.) Driver must wear a DOT approved helmet and have a seat belt in the car. Full face helmets and neck braces are encouraged
- 17.) No hot rodding in pit area or coming onto track. No passengers in and/or on vehicles
- 18.) The fair or volunteers running the show will not be responsible for any personal property
- 19.) If a car is found illegal or does not pass inspection, there will be no refund of entry or passes if owner does not make it legal. Anytime the officials rule a car unsafe it will be disqualified.
- 20.) Driver must attend a drivers' meeting approximately 15 minutes before show time.

## **Figure 8 Rules**

- 1.) The race is over when the first car completes ten (10) legal laps
- 2.) Second place is determined with the next highest amount of legal laps
- 3.) The driver will be penalized for going outside the tires at any time
- 4.) Cars can be entered in all three shows (Tuesday, Thursday, & Saturday). The first sixty (60) cars registered will run on Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2016. The remainder can run Thursday, July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2016 or Saturday July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

## **Car Body Regulations:**

- 1.) Gas Tanks
  - a. Stock tanks must be removed and an auxiliary tank must be mounted no further forward than the rear or the front seat
  - b. Auxiliary gas tanks must be securely mounted
  - c. A fire shield must be placed between the driver and over the tank. A fire shield is a non-flammable material securely fastened around the tank completely covering the tank to keep gasoline from splashing on the driver should it rupture
  - d. Gas tanks must be sealed
  - e. No gas cans
  - f. No more than five (5) gallon capacity will be allowed for gas
- 2.) Exterior Equipment
  - a. You may leave the windshield in the car or truck. There must be two (2) straps from the fire wall to the roof approximately 15" from the window post. Straps must have ¼ inch steel, 1 inch wide or 5/16 chain
  - b. Chrome moldings, antennas and any dangerous objects must be removed
  - c. You may interchange any stock auto bumper
  - d. Hoods must be chained closed in four places with chain or #9 wire (two in the front and two in the rear by the fire wall.) There must be a 24-inch inspector hole in the hood.
  - e. Driver door may be welded solid. All other doors, 6 inches of welding only. If you don't weld doors, you must securely fasten door with chains or straps. Driver door must be filled with cement or have guard rail or angle iron 4 inches by 4 inches. Iron must exceed 6 inches past seams
  - f. All trailer hitches must be removed
  - g. No tires are over 16" and 6 ply car tires only. You may not fill the tires with anything but air. Wheel weights removed. You may run valve stem protectors.
  - h. There will be no reinforcements on any part of the car.
  - i. Numbers must be standing upon the roof of the car at least 14" high and must be made readable on both sides.
  - j. The Lenawee County Fair reserves the right to reject any car decorated in "poor taste."
  - k. On all cars, you may weld trunk seams completely and you may have two straps of #9 wire with 3 strands on each side to hold the bumper onto the trunk only. You must have a 14-inch inspection hole in the trunk.
  - l. You may use stock auto bumpers. You may weld bumper shocks. No other welding on bumper is allowed.
  - m. Cutting fenders out is okay for tire clearance.
  - n. Body bolts may be replaced but must be replaced with no larger than ½ inch bolts or studs. Washer max size on bolts: 2 inches. Bolts may go through body sheet metals and one thickness of frame.

- o. A 3” maximum radiator protection pipe or tube is allowed. If used, must be placed behind bumper in grill area. The width of the frame rails and supports extending back a maximum of 18”.
  - p. Tow hooks are encouraged on front and rear of car or truck.
- 3.) Interiors
- a. Sun visors and any dangerous objects must be removed
  - b. Roll bars may be used in the driver’s compartment only. They are optional
  - c. Rear bottom seat cushion must be removed
  - d. There will be no reinforcements on any part of the car
  - e. All airbags must be disconnected.
  - f. Auto must be swept clean, no junk in passenger compartment or trunk.
  - g. Fire extinguishers are recommended in cars, but not required.
  - h. You may have a floor shifter.
  - i. Stock automotive drive shafts only.
  - j. Trans-coolers may be mounted in the driver’s compartment but must be safe and secure.
- 4.) Under the Hood:
- a. Only an automobile battery is permitted. It must be securely fastened and covered with fireproof material anywhere in the car.
  - b. Radiator must be in the stock position.
  - c. Cars must have good working brakes.
  - d. No starter fluid allowed.
  - e. There will be no reinforcements on any part of the car.
  - f. You may run electric fan or solid mount fan.
  - g. Electric fuel pumps are allowed if they are stock equipment.
  - h. All holes in firewall must be plugged with non-flammable material.
  - i. You must have a distributor protector; they must be attached to engine block.
  - j. All lug nuts and studs must be secured and in proper working condition.
  - k. No alteration of the suspension will be allowed such as
    - i. No air shocks
    - ii. No spring jacks in coil springs
    - iii. No blocked shocks, suspension must move freely.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

Cars or trucks left after an event must be put in a designated area. This area will not be secure, so please do not leave anything of value in the vehicle. The Fair is not responsible for any vehicles that are left after the event. All vehicles must be removed from the grounds by the Monday after Fair Week. Vehicles left beyond that day will be disposed of as seen fit by the management of the Lenawee County Fair and Event Grounds.