

Raymond Town Fair Outhouse Race

Turd Annual

July 8, 2017

This is meant to be Fun event. Keep this in mind when building and racing in this wacky and fun event. We hope you can join us for a day that promises to be a crap ton of fun.

REGISTRATION CLOSES July 8th at 10:00 am

No new outhouses accepted after that date. Pre-registration is recommended please see the address at end of form.

OUTHOUSE SPECIFICATIONS:

1. Minimum Weight: 200 pounds (without driver) be prepared to have it weighed. We will have 50-lb bags of cow manure to help teams make weight if needed
2. Minimum Height: 6 feet from the ground to the highest point on the main body (does not include chimneys, Flags, signs, etc.)
3. Outhouse must be at least 9 sq. ft. at base of outhouse
4. Outhouse must be completely enclosed with an operating door (curtain closure OK)
5. Outhouse must contain a toilet seat, roll of toilet paper and be a functional outhouse
6. Outhouses may have any number or type of wheels propelling the outhouse
7. Any device used for grasping or pushing may be used except for rope or like material. All grasping devices must be securely fastened and not exceed 6 ft. in width.
8. Outhouses may be built of any material (No glass allowed)
9. Outhouses may not have a motor - must be **PUSHED** and not pulled by hand, by two no more than three crew members
10. Each outhouse must have a catchy name displayed, Names must be in good taste as this is a family event (no profane language may be used) costumes are highly recommended

Team: A team shall consist of at least three members no more than 4, consisting of two - three pushers and 1 rider. All of whom should be of basic humanoid ancestry. (No dogs or other animals that cannot make a reasonable choice may ride in, or push, the outhouse.) All participants under the age of 18 must have parent or guardian consent signature.

FORMAT:

Races begin on Saturday at 2:00 PM.

Two outhouses race at a time

Race will go down the length of Church St. The rider will then get out and perform a few simple tasks run back to the outhouse sit back on throne and race to finish line

Appropriate attire is recommended (helmets, hard hats, rubber gloves, snorkels, goggles, knee and elbow pads and clothing that can be soiled or damaged)

The people choice award will be chosen by ballots starting Friday night so we encourage people to have their outhouses there by Friday. The Fair opens at 5:00 P.M.

RACE RULES:

1. All outhouses and crew must be checked in by 10:00 am on Saturday.
2. Outhouse racing teams will consist of 1 rider (rider must sit on toilet seat) and 2-3 pushers.
3. Outhouses must be **Pushed** and not pulled by human power only.
4. Outhouses must be kept in designated area while not racing
5. At the starting line no portion of outhouse may extend over the start line. It will be judge's determination as to a restart.
6. Outhouse teams must maintain control of their outhouse at all times during the race.
7. Outhouses must remain in their designated lane during the entire race. IF an outhouse crosses into a competitor's lane and, in the opinion of the judges, interferes with that outhouse's ability to race, the offending outhouse may be disqualified.
8. The first outhouse to reach the finish line WINS! Each outhouse run will be timed.
9. In case of a tie or photo finish, the race will be determined by judges a possible rerun might be necessary.

10 The pit area will be determined Friday see Committee member for more info.

Entry Fees and Deadlines

1. Entry fee is \$0.00 for each outhouse entered this is meant to be a fun event and we feel it shouldn't cost to have fun.
2. Teams may enter as many outhouses as they desire.
3. Entry deadline is July 8 at 10:00 am
4. Registration can be done in the following manner
 - Email at welchresort@myfairpoint.net or call 770-1313
 - See any committee member at the fair (can be identified by committee tee shirts)
 - Sign up at the children's parade at Iber Holmes Middle School 9:00 – 10:00
5. All team members need to have signed the waiver to compete
6. 10:00 Parade (the outhouses that want to can join us for a short parade down Epping Street following the Children's Parade. All outhouses must be in the Middle School parking lot by 9:30 to join the parade)
7. Races run 2:00 PM -5:00 PM All race times will be approximate.

Awards

1. The public will be voting for their favorite Outhouse (for the People's Choice Award)
2. Awards will be given for 1st through 3rd place and a People's Choice Award
3. People's Choice Award judging will begin Friday night at the fair by ballot and conclude at the beginning of the race on Saturday.
4. The awards ceremony will be held in the bandstand immediately after the last race and all the tallies are finished. All participants and the public are invited and encouraged to attend.
5. No outhouses can be removed from the PIT until after the ceremonies. This time is estimated to be around 5pm

Official Outhouse Race Entry Form -See Address below*

Outhouse Registration Form

Individual, Organization or Company Signing Up

Mailing Address

Street

City

State

Zip

Phone

Fax

Email

Team Captain – Contact person

Email

Phone

Outhouse Name

Names of Divers and Pushers

1

2

3

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Announcement Information

Team Name _____

From _____

Name of outhouse _____

Designer and Builders _____

Sponsor _____

Name of your Driver and Pushers

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Additional info you might want announced _____

Mail to*

Steve Welch

7 Deerfield Rd.

Nottingham NH 03290

welchresort@myfairpoint.net

603-679-5117 – home

603-770-1313 - cell

2017 Raymond Town Fair Outhouse Race Waiver Form

Each individual racer must read and sign the following waiver to compete in the 2017 Raymond Town Fair Outhouse Race. By signing the following agreement, the racer acknowledges that he/she understands and agrees to the waiver in entirety.

1. Name/Age _____ Adult Signature _____
Please Print

2. Name/Age _____ Adult Signature _____
Please Print

3. Name/Age _____ Adult Signature _____
Please Print

4. Name/Age _____ Adult Signature _____
Please Print

5. Name/Age _____ Adult Signature _____
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RELEASE OF ORGANIZERS AND SPONSORS: By signing this form for myself or as guardian for above named participant (if he/she is under 18 years old), I understand and agree to absolve all organizers and sponsors, be they individuals or organizations, singly and collectively, of all blame for injury, misadventure, harm, loss or inconvenience suffered as a result of my participation in the 2017 Town of Raymond Outhouse Race or in dangerous activity and assume all liability for my actions.