



OUTHOUSE RACE

SATURDAY, JULY 17, 2010

RACE TIME: 1:00 PM

OFFICIAL RACE RULES

The first rule of consideration is SAFETY for the racers and for the public. Use good common sense based on safety in all construction of outhouse, in dress, and in racing.

STRUCTURE:

1. Outhouse may be built of any solid material, and must be structurally sound enough not to fall apart during the race.
2. Outhouse must have 4 walls, a roof, a doorway and a seat with at least one (1) hole (any representation of a typical "outhouse hole") and a roll of toilet paper. Outhouse may have a door but the door must be secured open or removed during the race. Not more than one half of any wall may be window. Glass is NOT allowed for any part of the construction.
3. Outhouses must be a minimum of nine (9) square feet (3' x 3') at its base, a minimum height of five (5) feet from the ground to the highest point of the roof, and a maximum overall width not to exceed six (6) ft (including grasping/pushing devices). There is no maximum length, height, or weight limit. (*Remember – maximum width limit is six (6) feet including push devices*).
4. Any number and size of wheels may be used.
5. Outhouse must be human push powered. No motors, bicycle-type devices, etc. are allowed.
6. Any device for grasping/pushing may be used except ropes or like materials/devices. All grasping devices must be secured solid to the outhouse. The devices must not exceed the six (6) ft maximum width requirement and can be used for 'pushing' only.
7. A grasping device for the rider's safety is suggested.
8. Each outhouse must have a "name"; the name is to be displayed on each side of the outhouse (also front and back display is allowed). Names must be in good taste. Sponsors names may be applied anywhere on the outside of the outhouse.
9. No explicit language or pornographic displays allowed on or in the outhouse.

TEAM:

1. A team shall consist of a maximum of four (4) people. Three (3) team members to 'Push' the outhouse while one (1) team member must ride inside. The 'Sitter' is not allowed to participate in the propelling and/or steering process in any way and must remain seated over the hole during the entire race.
2. Team members, as listed at registration, must remain the same throughout the competition, unless a change is requested by a team member and authorized by an event official prior to the race.
3. A helmet is recommended for all team members.
4. All team members must be 18 years of age and provide proof of age.
5. Teams are encouraged to dress in like apparel. Each team and outhouse should have a "theme" and dress accordingly. Examples: Hillbilly theme - bib overalls, etc.; Western theme - cowboy hats, shirts, etc.; School of your choice: T-shirts, football jerseys, etc. Appropriate attire is a must.

REGISTRATION:

1. Entry fee is \$20.00 per team.
2. Pre-registration is requested. *Entry forms must be received by Monday, July 12, 2010.*
3. Registration fee is non-refundable to any race team who is not prepared to race, or is disqualified for any reason based on event rules.
4. All outhouse entries must abide by the building code as stated in the Official Rules.
5. Each person participating does so at his/her own risk and must complete and sign a liability release form on Race Day at the Registration Table.

EVENT SCHEDULE:

1. All outhouses and teams are to be checked in by 12:00 PM
2. Inspection of Outhouses begins at approximately 12:00 PM. Failure to be in place for inspection will result in disqualification. Changing of Team, Themes, Names after inspection will result in disqualification at race time.
3. Races begin at 1:00 PM.
4. Championship race will be held immediately after last heat.
5. Trophies and awards presented after championship race.

PRIZES:

1. Trophies to top two (2) winners.
2. Humdinger Award to Most Unique Outhouse – winning team receives a trophy.

RACE:

1. Races are by double elimination run in heats of two outhouses at a time.
2. Heat competitors will be determined by number drawing and placed in brackets.
3. Race course is approximately 400 feet.
4. Teams must be prepared to move to the staging and starting lines when prompted.
5. The course will be divided into 2 lanes. No outhouse may go into another's lane. If a collision occurs, both teams will return to the start line and restart the race.
6. During the race the rider must be seated over the hole.
7. The front most point of the Outhouse will be used for Starting line alignment and to determine winner at the Finish line.

Terre Hill Days Committee reserves the right to be sole judge of what disqualifies a team due to inappropriate language. The race marshal will have the final decision concerning the inspection of the outhouses and all outhouse rules. Questions and concerns must be addressed prior to racing.



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Official Race Registration Form

All participation in this race event is at each persons own risk.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Team Name: _____

Sponsoring Business (if applicable): _____

Team Captain: _____

Street Address/PO Box: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone Number: Home: _____ Cell: _____

Team Member #2: _____

Team Member #3: _____

Team Member #4: _____

Description of Team: (theme, origin, etc.) _____

Please be certain each team member is familiar with the official race rules. Each team member must complete and sign the participant release and waiver at the registration table on race day.

All team members must be at least 18 years old. The race begins promptly at 1:00 PM on Saturday, July 17, 2010 at the Terre Hill Post Office, 104 West Main Street, Terre Hill, PA. For more information please visit www.terrehilldays.com or contact (717) 445-4581.

Entry forms must be received by Monday, July 12, 2010.

Mail registration form, \$20.00 entry fee to:

Terre Hill Days Committee
Outhouse Races
PO Box 640
Terre Hill, PA 17581



**TERRE HILL DAYS OUTHOUSE RACE
RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND NEGLIGENCE**

IN CONSIDERATION for acceptance of the undersigned as a participant in the Terre Hill Days Outhouse Race held on July 17, 2010, in the Borough of Terre Hill, Lancaster County, PA, and intending to be legally bound hereby, the undersigned for myself, my heirs, my representatives, my assigns, and my dependants:

HEREBY RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES, AND AGREES NOT TO SUE Terre Hill Days Committee and Terre Hill Borough and any member, employee, volunteer, agent, representative, or other person acting under the direction or permission of these entities, from all liability to me, my heirs, my representatives, my assigns, or my dependants for any and all loss or damage to my property, and any and all claims or causes of action rising out of any injury to my person (including but not limited to death), during my participation in any race or while on the race venue **WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE** (passive or active) of the Terre Hill Days Committee and Terre Hill Borough, its members, employees, volunteers, agents, representatives, or any other person acting under the direction or permission of these entities.

HEREBY AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS Terre Hill Days Committee and Terre Hill Borough, its members, employees, volunteers, agents, representatives, and other persons acting under its direction or permission, from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, actions, law suits, damages, recoveries, judgments, reasonable attorney’s fees, costs, and expenses arising out of or relating to the races, radar runs, or the race venue or related activities, **WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE** (passive or active) of Terre Hill Days Committee and Terre Hill Borough, its members, employees, volunteers, agents, representatives, or other persons acting under its direction or permission, other race participants or spectators, or otherwise.

Hereby acknowledges there are known and unknown, anticipated and unanticipated, foreseeable and unforeseeable inherit risks in engaging in and being present at a race venue, including but not limited to, damage, injury or death resulting from active or passive negligence on behalf of Terre Hill Days Committee and Terre Hill Borough and its members, employees, volunteers, agents, representatives, or other persons acting under their direction or permission, active or passive negligence of other race participants, race crews, officials, and spectators, visible and hidden natural or manmade conditions of the race track and surrounding areas, failure of equipment and structures, location of equipment and structures, rescue operations, treatment for injuries, et cetera. **THE UNDERSIGNED ASSUMES FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY AND ALL RISK** of damage to property or injury to person (including but not limited to death) rising out of or related to the Terre Hill Days Outhouse races and held on July 17, 2010 and understands that the undersigned engages in said races and is present at said race venue **AT UNDERSIGNED’S SOLE RISK**.

Agrees that if any part or parts of this Agreement to release and waive liability and negligence, and to indemnify and hold harmless shall be held invalid for any reason whatsoever, the remaining part of this Agreement shall remain valid and enforceable.

I am 18 years old. I have read this release and waiver of liability. I fully understand its terms, understand that I have given up substantial rights, including but not limited to, the right to make monetary claims for property damage and personal injury by signing it and have signed it freely and voluntarily. I intend my signature to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability and negligence to the greatest extent allowed by law.

Please Print:
Team Name: _____
Participant Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip _____
Date: _____

**WAIVERS MUST BE COMPLETED BY
EACH PARTICIPANT AT THE
REGISTRATION TABLE ON RACE DAY**

(Race Participant)