



2014 Anything that Floats Derby

Saturday, September 20 · 3pm · The Beach at Little Elm Park

Entry Application

Individual: _____ \$10 Entry Fee Team: _____ \$20 Entry Fee (2 to 5 Crew Members)

Team Name: _____

Team Captain Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Other Phone: _____

Sponsor (if Any): _____

Theme: _____

Costume Description: _____

Propulsion Description: _____

Number on Team (maximum of 5): _____

Brief Description of Construction: _____

Please return completed Entry Application and completed Release and Indemnity form to Town of Little Elm, Attn: Special Events · 100 W. Eldorado Pkwy · Little Elm, TX 75068 or email mmcgraw@littleelm.org



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Rules and Regulations

1. Teams must consist of a minimum of 1 and maximum of 5 participants. Each group must be capable of handling all the blame for losing or sinking.
2. All participants must be 18 years of age. The entire crew must sign a release and indemnity form. Signed forms must accompany completed entry forms. Last minute crew changes are permitted, upon receipt of signed and witnessed additions to the release and indemnity form.
3. U. S. Coast Guard approved "personal flotation devices" (PFD's, life jackets or vests) must be worn at all times during the race. The life jackets must be in good condition and be of proper size.
4. The vessel must be powered only by human or Mother Nature's energy. No engines, motors (including battery operated) will be accepted. Sails, paddles, oars, and paddle wheels are fine. Your vessel must not be commercially designed or built to travel on water. No disguised jet skis, paddleboats, Jon Boats or pontoons.
5. Vessel size may not exceed 10ft wide X 15ft. long X 10ft high. Any oversized vessel will be eliminated from the competition.
6. Costumes are optional, but encouraged.
7. You must dispose of your vessel after the race – do not leave it in the water or in the park.
8. Each vessel will be supplied with signage and a race number. The sign must be affixed to your vessel and prominently displayed so that judges and race timers will know the identity of the vessel.
9. All vessels must have 50 ft. of attached tow rope on board.
10. As a safety precaution, please be sure your vessel has an easy exit in case of emergency.
11. No team or sponsor may enter more than one vessel in the race.
12. All vessels must remain inside the designated race course. Any vessel straying outside of the horseshoe course is subject to disqualification.
13. Should your vessel self-destruct at any time during the race, the shore patrol will make sure that you remove everything from the water.
14. ALCOHOL IS NOT TO BE CONSUMED BEFORE OR DURING THE RACE. The presence of alcohol on your vessel and/or the consumption of alcohol during or prior to the race may result in disqualification.

15. All vessels and participants' entries will be inspected to assure design, costumes, etc. are in good taste. Entries not deemed appropriate may be disqualified.
16. No use of store bought devices intended for floatation purposes, such as air mattresses, inner tubes, etc.
17. Late arrivals may be disqualified.
18. No horseplay by participants which may be harmful to crafts or surrounding individuals.
19. All vessels must be removed from the water no later than one hour after the completion of the race.
20. All participants must stay aboard vessel for the duration of the race, if any crewmember falls or jumps into the water, the vessel will be disqualified.
21. Decisions of the race committee are final without appeal of matters concerning the race.
22. Race officials are empowered to decide at their discretion any cases not covered by existing rules.
23. No food, beverages or pets will be allowed on the vessel during the race.
24. To qualify for a prize, vessel must remain afloat for 5 minutes or more, but need not complete the race.

AWARDS:

BEST OF show

Fastest Time, 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Most unusual use of beverage containers

Most unlikely to float

Most creative use of Styrofoam

Most interesting use of duct tape

Mystery Award???