



Ed Beckley's CHECKERED FLAG PRODUCTIONS Inc.

2009 Mini Van Demo Derby Rules

The Mini Van Demo is open to men and women from 16 years old and up, who have a valid driver's license. If under 18 years of age you must have at least one of your parents or LEGAL guardian on site to sign you in to be in the demo and also to be in the pit area.

Participant regulations

1. Driver pre-entry will be \$20.00 and pit passes will be \$20.00 per person. Pre-entries discount will close on June 15th. Entry fee then goes to \$30.00 and numbers shall be assigned. Pre-entered vans get to pick their number. Entries will be accepted until 4pm the day of the event.
2. Driver and pit persons must sign waiver and release of liability prior to entering pit area or arena. No one under 14 years old in the pit area. No pit quads, or scooters, motorcycles will be allowed.
3. Drivers and everyone in the pit area must attend event meeting at 5:30pm. All demo vans and cars will be placed in the Pit Party for spectators beginning at 6pm.
4. Drivers have one minute to hit another active van. NO sandbagging and NO team driving. NO intentional drivers door hits.
5. NO alcohol or drugs will be tolerated. Law Enforcement will be notified and violators will be removed from the fairgrounds.
6. Conduct of a driver, his crew, family members or friends, can disqualify the driver from the event.
7. No passengers allowed
8. Only one pit support vehicle allowed all others will park outside the pit area.

Note: All work the work on your van must be done prior to arriving at the event. All glass, chrome, pot metal, lights, carpet, seats and headliner must be removed. No broken glass will be allowed in the door and window frames.

Mini Van regulations

The MINI VANS that compete in this demo will basically be stock and running only on gasoline. Nothing can be done to these vehicles other than what is stated below. Remember if you are not sure – do not do it or call Ed Beckley @ 620-225-3277 or email ed@checkedredflagproductions.com Safety provisions like padding the cab where the driver could come in contact (steering pole and dash) is allowed, but driver must be able to freely exit the van through the windshield or other windows.

1. Radiators and fans may be removed but not relocated.
2. Batteries must be placed in a secure position. They must be covered with a nonflammable material.
3. Bumpers and fenders may be trimmed. NO full size or truck bumpers allowed must be stock type with plastic removed. NO WELDING anything but doors and safety bars.
4. The front doors maybe welded solid. Back and side doors- weld 1 inch leave 6 inches or wire or bolt.
5. Gas tank must be firmly secured in the back seat area with a fire proof cover between the driver and the fuel tank. NO plastic gas tanks. Fuel Cells recommended.
6. Cages can attach to the middle of the vans side door. CANNOT be hooked to the frame. A total of 3 bars going across allowed. One in dash area, one behind seat and one in the middle of the side door. MANDATORY- Roll bar can be on driver side on the front also. No other bars other than what you put as a roll cage by the driver.
7. Van must have a least one bar attached to middle of the windshield area to prevent hood from coming in. This maybe welded on.
8. Hoods must be wired, chained shut, if bolts are used you may use a maximum of 6 (six) 3/8 with washers no bigger than 6 inches outside diameter. NONE to frame or in front of radiator.
9. 4-ply DOT tires only with only air inside. NO water in tires, NO tires screwed to rims, NO tire inside of tire.
10. NO extra weight, NO trailer hitches, NO special lifts, blocks, shackles. Air lifts and air shocks.
11. Safety belt and DOT approved helmet required. Long pants and shirt mandatory.
12. No folding of body sides or rear. Body must be stock appearing. No slanting the back ends.
13. Derby officials may require a driver to remove or change any part or portion of a vehicle which they consider to be unsafe.
14. Only the driver will be allowed to speak to the officials regarding the derby. Absolutely NO pit crew member or fan will be acknowledged.
15. Mini Vans must be only 2 wheel drive with only DOT type tires (street or all season tires). No re-caps. Must use stock suspension. No modifications allowed to springs. Ride height must be stock appearing. Suspension must remain free with a min. of 4" free travel. Spring jacks, blocked shocks, wedging, reversing shackles not allowed. No Air shocks allowed whether they work or not.

Do not do anything other than what is stated in these rules. This is a stock class and it's going to stay that way. If any changes are made after inspection to make your van illegal you will be disqualified and no refund of entry. Judges decision is final. Vans can be re-inspected at anytime. Any questions call Ed Beckley 620-225-3277 email ed@checkedredflagproductions.com

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