

32ND Annual Fire & Safety Expo and Firefighter Demolition Derby Sunday, July 7, 2024 | Del Mar Fairgrounds

CHECKLIST FOR SUCCESS

Use this checklist to make sure you have completed all the required forms and are on track with the necessary steps to make the Firefighter Demolition Derby a success.

REGISTRATION

□ Send completed Registration Form including signed Participant Waiver to the Burn Institute.

**Deadline is April 15, 2024. Limited to first 21 vehicle entries. First come, first serve. Will waitlist as needed.

ENTRY FEE & FUNDRAISING

- □ Decide on Derby Driver and Team Members to help with fundraising including securing sponsors & donors.
- Obtain a net minimum of **\$1,500** in Derby car sponsorships or donations to cover your entry fee.

 **The Burn Institute will provide you with Sponsorship Packets and guide you through this process.
- □ Turn in completed sponsorship forms and money as you receive them regularly. You are encouraged to fundraise until Derby Day. Keep in mind that May 29, 2024, is the t-shirt sponsor logo deadline for qualifying sponsors.
 - **As a reminder: In-kind donations (i.e., car, parts, service donations) need a sponsorship form completed and do NOT count towards your fundraising total.
 - **Derby t-shirt sponsor logo deadline is May 29, 2024.

RULES, LOGOS & DECALS:

- Ensure your Derby car meets 2024 Demolition Derby Rules
 Ensure your Derby car meets sponsorship benefit specifications for display of sponsor names and/
 or company logos
- □ **BI's preferred decal vendor is Wriz Designs** Please refer to Wriz Designs Decal Rates sheet for more information. All logos can be sent to twong@burninstitute.org (vector files are preferred; otherwise, a high-res jpeg or png file is fine). Decals can be picked up at the final Derby meeting. **If you use Wriz Designs, you have the option to cover the cost yourself -OR- let the Burn Institute cover but the expense will be deducted from your fundraising total. **Your net fundraising total must be \$1,500.**
 - **You are welcome to use your own vendor, but you will be responsible for the costs.

DERBY MEETINGS (in person and Zoom):

- □ 1. Mandatory: 9am on February 9 Agenda: Admin/Entry Rules/Fundraising
- □ 2. Mandatory: 9am on April 26 Agenda: Car/Rules/Fundraising
- □ 3. Mandatory In-Person: 9am on June 28 Event Overview/Timeline/T-shirts & Wristbands
 - **At least one rep per team must attend the mandatory meetings. Additional meetings to be scheduled as needed and dates subject to change.
 - **NEW Drivers must attend final meeting.

Questions regarding Derby Car Build & Competition Rules, please contact the Chief Steward: Chris Wrisley, 760-445-2635 or email chris@wrizdesigns.com

Questions regarding Registration & Fundraising, please contact Burn Institute Events Coordinator: Tiffany Wong, 858-541-2277 ext. 117 or email twong@burninstitute.org.