

# Section 26 – Demolition Derby

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2019 – Main Ring

The St Kilda Hotel & Cellars Demolition Derby

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## Rules & Regulations

### Participant Information

1. **Entry to the event is \$50** and must be submitted together with the nomination form to the Show Secretary. There will be **no refunds** once the nomination is accepted. The event is limited to the first 40 vehicles.
2. All vehicles to be parked by 5pm Saturday in the designated area where they will be inspected.
3. All drivers must be 17 years of age or over and be the holder of a current NSW Drivers License
4. No driver under the influence of alcohol/drugs will be permitted to compete
5. The Armidale & New England Show Society Inc, accepts no responsibility for any personal injury to any driver or damages to any vehicle taking part in the Derby
6. Competitors must complete appropriate documentation

### Vehicle Presentation

7. All vehicles must have the Major Sponsor's name written in clear and legible writing on both sides of the car. This year's Major Sponsor is **St Kilda Hotel & Cellars**
8. A white flag at least 30cm square mounted on a piece of dowel near the driver's door area must be affixed to the vehicle.
9. The driver's name must be displayed on the right-hand side of the roof (150mm)
10. The driver's side door must be painted out with a cross
11. The two front doors to be reserved for the names of the sponsors
12. Each vehicle must be numbered. The number to be displayed on the roof (300mm x 400mm). Numbers to be allocated on receipt of nomination

### Vehicle Specifications

13. Vehicles may include cars, ute's and station wagons but may not include 4WD's, trucks or chassied vehicles
14. The vehicle must be its original height (no alteration to the suspension).
15. No tractor tyres allowed but rally tyres will be permitted.
16. There must be no internal or external extra reinforcement or bar work except as stated in Rule 17.
17. **For driver protection** an A frame must be fitted as in Diagram A but may be substituted by the frame in Diagram B. The fitting of either A or B is compulsory. No reinforcement will be permitted from pillar B to pillar B (from passenger side to drivers' side).
18. Engine to be in original position
19. All doors must be welded and strapped closed using one inch by quarter inch metal strapping or be bolted
20. In addition to Rules 17 and 19, you are also permitted to weld the engine mount. No other forms of welding or plating will be permitted. All glass must be removed from vehicle, including head lights and tail lights and all loose glass in door panels or interior of vehicle must be vacuumed out, interior rear vision mirror is allowed
21. All cars must carry a fire extinguisher
22. All vehicles must have brakes
23. Seat belts or racing harness in good condition, crash helmets and race uniform must be worn
24. Vehicles must not contain rust in seat or seat belt mountings

25. A limit of five (5) litres of fuel is allowed
26. A five (5) litre can with screw-top lid must be fastened to the centre rear of the vehicle
27. Fuel tanks to be removed or complete tops or bottoms to be cut out
28. The original fuel line must be used with grommets where it passes through a firewall
29. Tow-bar and tongue to be removed
30. Mesh must be fitted to driver's side window and windscreen
31. Radiator must be in original position but fan blades may be removed
32. Bonnet and boot to be pinned or bolted shut (not welded) and must be able to be visually inspected for scrutinizing
33. All vehicles to be fitted with effective muffler
34. The batteries must have a rubber cover securely bolted over the top. It may be fitted in the cabin area and cable must have grommets where it passes through firewall
35. If fuel pump is external to the fuel tank it must be secured well and covered so as to stop any spraying of fuel should a line break
36. External cut out switch must be mounted in front of the windscreen area so that it can be reached by either the driver or outside persons in an emergency. They must have only two positions on and off.
37. All vehicles to be inspected before the commencement of the event

### **During the Derby**

38. During the derby when the driver cannot or does not wish to participate any further in the event, they can break the white flag off and no driver shall deliberately hit any vehicle without a flag. However, once the flag is broken that vehicle cannot restart in the event.
39. Removal of seat belt, safety harness or helmet during the event incurs immediate disqualification
40. An area will be marked on the ground with lime to show the boundary of the area to be used and vehicle's driving over this boundary may be disqualified
41. All drivers must remain in their vehicles until the event is completed
42. Any vehicle deliberately ramming the driver's door will be disqualified
43. Drivers are allowed to use low and reverse gears only and can travel a maximum of 40 metres at any time in a straight line

### **Post Derby**

44. All driver's participating in the event are responsible for picking up the debris, prior to prizes being announced and distributed.
45. All vehicles must be removed from the Showground following the completion of the event or a \$50 fine will be imposed
46. The judges reserve the right to disqualify any driver at any time. The judge's decision is final.

### **Prizes**

**1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes to be given plus Best Presented in the Major Sponsor's Theme Car – St Kilda Hotel & Cellars**

