

**2017 ULSTER COUNTY FAIR TRACTOR PULL**

**FRIDAY August 4<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 PM**

**ULSTER COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS  
LIBERTYVILLE ROAD, NEW PALTZ**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ AGE \_\_\_\_\_ MV LIC # \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIPCODE \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

TRACTOR INFO: YEAR \_\_\_\_\_ MAKE \_\_\_\_\_ MODEL \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS \_\_\_\_\_ ACTUAL WEIGHT \_\_\_\_\_

*ALL DRIVERS MUST COMPLETE A WAIVER FORM - SHOW A VALID LICENSE THE NIGHT OF THE EVENT - AGREE NOT TO HOLD THE FAIR OR SLED COMPANY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY VEHICLE DAMAGE.*

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DRIVER SIGNATURE

**TRACTOR CLASS LIST**

CLASS 1	2500 LB STOCK
CLASS 2	3500 LB STOCK
CLASS 3	5500 LB MODIFIED
CLASS 4	4500 LB STOCK
CLASS 5	6500 LB MODIFIED
CLASS 6	4500 LB ENHANCED
CLASS 7	5500 LB STOCK
CLASS 8	5500 LB ENHANCED
CLASS 9	6500 LB STOCK
CLASS 10	7500 LB STOCK
CLASS 11	8500 LB STOCK

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## TRACTOR PULL RULES

1. There will be no alcoholic beverages in the pits or on the grounds.
2. Any puller under 16 must have a 4-H drivers certificate or parents' consent (in person) at time of registration. Parents are responsible for their children at all times. Children must be accompanied by an adult while in the pits.
3. Drivers are expected to operate their tractor in a safe manner on the track, in the pits, and on the show grounds. All pulls are to start from a tight hitch. No jerking of the sled to get started.
4. One tractor may only pull in 2 classes. (Ex: Joe & Jack can pull in 2 classes with the same tractor.)
5. A pull is considered over when the forward movement of the sled has stopped. At this time pullers are asked to stop their tractors when the flagman flags you.
6. The first puller in each class has the right to take that pull or drop to last place and pull again. If you choose to pull again, the first pull will not count.
7. Tractors must remain within the track boundaries during the pull. If not, you will be disqualified.
8. Pullers are allowed 2 attempts and 50 feet to start the sled.
9. Prior to the tractor pull, a drivers meeting will be called to discuss pulling procedures and rules. All drivers must attend.
10. Wheelie bars are recommended, but not mandatory, except in open and enhanced classes.
11. The pull is open to stock block agricultural tractors, 1959 and older with rubber tires. No duals, tire studs or chains are allowed.
12. **Stock weight classes will be as follows: 2500 lbs, 3500 lbs, 4500 lbs, 5500 lbs, 6500 lbs, 7500 lbs, 8500 lbs.**
13. Stock classes will pull in first and second gear.
14. **Enhanced classes will be as follows: 4500, 5500 lbs.** Shall consist of 1959 farm tractors that have been altered so as to increase performance beyond original repair practices (stroker cranks, super big bore, rough idle cam, custom carbs or manifolds, fuel enhancements, more than 3 sizes over factory, alloy wheels) Repower ok. Original number of cylinders only, any gear, any RPM.
15. **Open classes are as follows: up to 5500 lbs, 6500 lbs**
16. Modified classes will consist of:
  - a) Any model year factory built farm and/or industrial tractor other than homemade.
  - b) Single engine, grill, hood, rear end and transmission from original tractor must be used. Any engine is ok.
  - c) All engine modifications are ok.
  - d) No four-wheel drive
  - e) Must have breakaway/kill switch
  - f) Must have a helmet and fire suit
17. Tractors will be weighed according to their class with 1% lb to be allowed over the class weight.
18. The flagger has the right to stop the pull at any time.
19. Weight determined by the scale will be the official weight at the pull.
20. All tractors must scale after class.
21. No implements are permitted on the tractors.
22. All tractors must be equipped with workable brakes, and have a hood and grill in place.
23. Any loss of tractor parts will result in automatic disqualification.
24. Draw bar must be 20" from pinhole to the ground, and there must be an 20" minimum from center of the axle to the point of contact with the chain of the sled.
25. All decisions made by the pulling officials are final.
26. No refund unless there is an issue with the sled or in the case of severe weather.