

Rules

1. All boats must be built of only corrugated cardboard (of any thickness). Waxed or pre-treated cardboard or Sona tubes are prohibited. Untreated carpet tubes are allowed.
2. The judges may, at their discretion, perform the dreaded “ice pick test” to verify that no wood, plastic or metal has been included in the construction.
3. Only latex paint, varnish, liquid nails adhesive and duct tape may be used.
4. The crew compartment **cannot** be enclosed so as to interfere with escape.
5. Oars and paddles are not part of the boat proper, and may be constructed of any material.
6. All construction materials and boats must be removed immediately after the event, and cannot be disposed of on-site.
7. Only “on board” crew allowed on race course.
8. No ‘push’ starts or motors allowed.
9. Judges hold the sole authority to disqualify any boat not meeting rules or deemed unfit.

If you don’t want your boat to sink, the committee urges you to waterproof the entire boat with one-part substance paint. Decorations are allowed (encouraged) as long as they do not affect structural strength or buoyancy.

You cannot wrap the entire boat with plastic or duct tape, or any similar tape or wrap. Duct tape can be used only at the seams and stress points.

Contestants are prohibited from using any substance which is harmful to the environment. You should take care to ensure that the construction of your boat does not include pointed projections or sharp edges which might cause personal injury.

AUGUST 25, 2018
Cardboard Boat Registration

Please Print

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____

Cell Phone _____

Division: Adult and Youth 13 and over

Youth 8-12

Youth under 8 must be accompanied by an adult.

Captain _____

Crew _____

Name of Boat _____

Boat Number _____

For Official Use Only

No dogs allowed on the beach.

****LIFE JACKETS MUST BE WORN BY ALL
CONTESTANTS DURING THE RACE****

Tuftonboro Parks and Recreation Release of Liability Please CAREFULLY READ this RELEASE OF LIABILITY. In consideration of being permitted to participate in the Town of Tuftonboro Parks and Recreation function/event, the undersigned: 1. Hereby releases, waives, discharges and covenants not to sue the Town of Tuftonboro, its officials, employees, agents and representatives (hereinafter “Releasees”) from all liability to the undersigned, and his/her representatives, heirs and successors in interest (hereinafter “undersigned”) for any and all loss or damage, and any claim or demands therefore on account of injury to the person or property of the undersigned, whether caused by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise while the undersigned is participating in the function/event. 2. Hereby agrees to indemnify and save and hold harmless the Releasees from any loss, injury, liability, damage or cost they may incur due to the presence of the undersigned participating in the function/event. 3. Hereby assumes full responsibility for and risk of bodily injury or property damage, including but not limited to death, paralysis, brain injury, heart attack, stroke, aneurysm, broken bones, torn tendons or ligaments, torn muscles, spinal injury, damage to organs, disease, infection and any other physical or emotional injury, medical or psychiatric condition or complications of any kind whatsoever, due to any cause, including the negligence of Releasees or otherwise, while participating in the function/event. 4. Hereby represents and warrants: (a) that he/she acknowledges that presence and participation in or about is an unsupervised basis and is otherwise dangerous and involves the risk of serious bodily and psychiatric injury, death and property damage; (b) that some of the risks of harm include, but are not limited to, physical activity and exertion, equipment failure, equipment maintenance or lack thereof, equipment defects, slippery surfaces, obstacles which might cause trip and falls, pre-existing health problems, carelessness and negligence of Releasees or others, structural failures, design defects, impeded access, electrical, heat, air conditioning or ventilation defects, lack of security and/or supervision, and any other risk of harm whatsoever that one might encounter; (c) that he/she has read this Release of Liability carefully and had an opportunity to review it with legal counsel; and (d) that he/she is in good health and has no physical condition that prevents them from participating in the function/event.

By signing this form, I understand that photos or video may be taken and released for advertising the Cardboard Boat Race in the future.

Signed _____

Entry Fee: FREE!!!

Donations for Tuftonboro Old Home Events
graciously accepted.

Make checks payable to:

Tuftonboro Parks & Recreation

PO Box 98

Ctr. Tuftonboro, NH 03816

HOW TO BE A WINNER

1. Decide on the design and sketch it. It can be any size. Let your imagination go wild!
2. Cardboard is available. Stop by the Tuftonboro Recycling Center or call them at 539-3264.
3. Do the bottom of the boat first. Use 2 to 3 layers of cardboard glued together (liquid nails works well) and weight it down or clamp it. Let it set.
4. Cut the side pieces. Cut against the grain of the corrugated cardboard to insure durability. Use the dull side of a knife when scoring to make a fold – this makes it easier to bend pieces in the proper shape.
5. Glue the sides to the bottom and let set.
6. Carefully cover any seam with duct tape.
7. Waterproof inside and out with any single-substance compound, such as latex paint or varnish.
8. Paint and decorate as desired.

For more information please call:
Heather at 603-569-4539 Ext. 11

NOTE: Limited parking available at the beach.
Please use the Town parking lot across the street
from Bay Road (entrance to the Town Beach).

AWARDS

Presentations to the winners will be after the race.

SPEED AWARDS: 1st and 2nd Place

Two Categories: Youth (12 and under) and
Adult (13 and older)

- 1 person
- Team: any number

TEAM SPIRIT AWARD

- Team dress or costumes.
- Team involvement with spectators, and crowd response.
- Decoration of team site on land, and team spirit during competition and at the finish line.
- Team spirit will be judged from the time the captain registered until the end of the race.

TITANIC AWARD

- Most dramatic sinking
- Boat must float for at least 50 feet beyond the starting line.
- Best effort NOT to sink.

TUFTONBORO OLD HOME DAYS
Presents

The Third Annual Tuftonboro Old Home Days Cardboard Boat Race



August 25, 2018

Race begins at 3:00 PM

Registration 2:30-2:45 PM

Tuftonboro Town Beach

19 Mile Bay

Bay Road, Tuftonboro