2018 DeTour Village Riverfest

2nd Annual CARDBOARD BOAT RACES on the ST MARY'S

MALETTE PARK, DeTour Village MI SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 2018 Registration: 2:30pm

Race Start: 3:00pm

1. BOAT DESIGN and CONSTRUCTION

- a. Boats must be made BEFORE THE RACE
- b. Boats must be made ONLY of cardboard and duct tape. NO reinforced cardboard tubes. Only broken down cardboard boxes.
- c. Cardboard cannot be sealed with any sealants.
- d. Duct tape may be of varying colors for creativity.
- e. Painting of boat as part of design is encouraged. Sides and top may be painted. The bottom of boat cannot be painted. Paint cannot structurally hold boat together.
- f. Boats may be a maximum width of 60" (5 ft) and a maximum length of 84" (7ft).
- g. There is not a maximum height requirement.
- h. Boats must be completely enclosed on all sides, or permit the crew to remain fully on top of the vessel.
- i. Boats must only be propelled by use of paddle and/or hands.
- j. Paddles will be provided if needed.

2. RACE FORMAT

- a. Two Categories: ADULTS (18 and Older) & KIDS (10 to 17 Years Old)
- b. Boats will need to be designed to carry two individuals that will climb in from the top.
- c. Each person must wear a PFD (Personal Flotation Device). There will be PFD's on site if you need one.
- d. Participants must be 10 years of age or older.
- e. Each participant must sign a participant / parent waiver day of race. Parent signature required for minors.
- f. Teams consist of 2 individuals that will ride in the boat at the same time.
- g. Teams will start at marker closest to the shore, entering boats from a ladder next to starting marker.
- h. Teams will paddle out and around other marker and return to their starting location.
- i. Each team will compete for fastest time.
- j. If no team reaches the finish line before sinking, the team that stayed afloat the longest will be crowned winner.
- k. Once your boat is completely under water or an individual exits the boat, your time stops.
- I. The race must begin and end with the two person crew intact.
- m. Each boat will travel roughly 80 feet (40' out and 40' back).
- n. Teams are responsible for removal of boat & (anything else they bring with them) from Malette Park upon leaving.

3. TEAM AWARDS

- o. Winners will be awarded in each category ADULTS (18 and Older) & KIDS (10 to 17 Years Old) to:
 - a. FASTEST BOAT
 - b. MOST CREATIVE BOAT

4. RACE DAY

- a. Held as part of DeTour Village Riverfest AUGUST 4,2018
- b. Held at Malette Park, DeTour Village, MI
- c. CHECK IN: 2:30pm RACE TIME: 3:00PM

**** Any Rule Not Specifically Covered Will Be Left to the Discretion of the Judges ****

**** All Rules are Subject to Change on Race Day ****

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REGISTRATION FORM

TEAM NAME:		
INFORMATION	TEAM MEMBER #1	TEAM MEMBER #2
NAME		
AGE		
PHONE		
STREET ADDRESS		
CITY		
STATE		
ZIP CODE		
EMAIL ADDRESS		
I, signed below, confirm that I have reviewed and understand the rules and regulations of the cardboard boat race and agree to abide by all written and oral rules and regulations for this event. I also release the Village of DeTour, DeTour Village, MI and all staff and/or volunteers for this event from the responsibility of injury and destruction of person or property. A parent's or guardian's signature required for all participants under the age of 18.		
I grant the Village of DeTour the right to take photographs of me and my team relating to the above-identified event. I authorize the Village of DeTour, its assigns & transferees to copyright, use & publish the same in print and/or electronically.		
I agree that the Village of DeTour may use such photographs of me with or without my name and for any lawful purpose, including for example such purposes as publicity, illustration, advertising, and web content.		
SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT		
SIGNATURE OF RESPONSIBLE ADULT (IF TEAM MEMBER UNDER 18)		
RESPONSIBLE ADULT RELATIONSHIP TO PARTICIPANT		
RESPONSIBLE ADULT ADDRESS		
RESPONSIBLE ADULT PHONE NUMBER		