# **Open Class**

## Weight classes – 9,500

#### **Class Rules:**

- No speed or Rpm limit
- One fuel allowed (No Alcohol Fuel)
- Single turbo
- 24.5x32 max tire size

### **Required Safety Equipment:**

- Steel flywheel, blanket, side shields.
- Kill switch a minimum of a single controlled air shut off, that will disconnect at the rear of tractor where the sled hooks up.
- Cage with 5 point harness & helmet.
- Fire extinguisher mounted in reach of driver.
- Dead man throttle, electric or no cooling fan.
- Pulling hitch, wheelie bars, tie bars, weld on hubs.
- Any type of safety equipment is recommended.

#### **General Rules:**

- 1. Each tractor may be entered in (2 classes only)
- 2. Drivers must be 18 years old or 16 with parent's written consent.
- 3. Driver must be present at the Driver's Meeting.
- 4. Tractor may be 100 pounds max over posted class weight with driver.
- 5. No pressurized fuel, nitrous oxide or other oxidizing agents allowed.
- 6. All engine radiator fans must be properly shrouded. All clutches, pressure plates, fly wheels and drive train components must have 360 degree shroud of 3/16 inch or greater metal material.
- 7. Minimum drawbar length 18 inches from center of rear axle to point of hook, and may not pull from two or three-point hitching mechanisms.
- 8. The drawbar is to be stationary in all directions, and not to exceed 20" from top of drawbar.
- 9. No front weight frame or weights may extend more than 11' from the center of the rear axle.
- 10. All weights must be safely secured to the tractor; Rear weight must not interfere with hooking to the sled. If anything falls off during your pull, you will be disqualified.
- 11. Just before pulling, the puller will be weighed and must be on weight and move directly to staging.
- 12. Puller must operate in a safe manner at all times; Operators must remain seated during the pull with at least one hand on the steering wheel.
- 13. Must be in neutral when hooked and unhooked.
- 14. All pulls must start from a tight hitch no jerking permitted.
- 15. Driver is allowed one restart before 100 feet.
- 16. Tractor and skid must remain within boundaries of the contest course during the pull, or disqualified.
- 17. Driver must stop immediately upon signal from judge; Pull is over when forward motion stops
- 18. Failure to allow inspection by judges will result in disqualification.
- 19. Promoters reserve the right to refuse any entry.
- 20. Contest to be governed by judges with all decisions final. Judges have the right to stop and disqualify any tractor or truck if it is not being operated in a manner as would be considered safe.
- 21. NO ALCOHOL IN THE PIT AREA.