

Summit County Fatherhood Initiative

County of Summit Department of Job and Family Services



Soap Box Derby Additional Information

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What Is It?

An opportunity for SCFI dads, moms and children to build and race both miniature (indoor) and full-size (outdoor) Soap Box Derby cars

What's Involved?

- 1/13th Scale Cars:
 - Assemble miniature cars, and race them on an indoor track on four different dates in February, 2020. Assembly time is less than one hour.
- Full-Size Cars:
 - Form teams (with the assistance of SCFI), assemble and paint a full-size car; race it outdoors at Derby Downs on May 16, 2020 and June 6, 2020. Assembly time is 6-8 hours. Allow extra time for painting and decorating/decals.
 - Assembly and track testing will take place during March and April, 2020

Other

- Participate in various social event associated with the Soap Box Derby program. View them at www.soapboxderby.org
- Summit County Fatherhood Initiative will:
 - pay for the cost of the 1/13 scale car kits, and the full-size car kits
 - provide a location for indoor racing of the 1/13 scale cars
 - provide a location for assembly of the full-size car
- For additional information, contact your fatherhood service provider (Fame Fathers, Fathers & Sons of Northeast Ohio, Man2Man, Embrace Clinic & Care Center)