

Tractor & Truck Pulls - Department 41 / Open Show

Amount Offered: \$5,600.00

Entry Fee: \$20/entry (includes 2 gate entry)

Superintendent(s): Roger Larsen815/ 648.2806

Steve Schaid815/ 790.1451

Mike Schaid815/ 560.1046

Chairman: Wade Heisler815/ 385.9153

- **The McHenry County Fair Association will not be responsible for any accidents or injuries that occur at these events.**
- **Final interpretation of all rules or action by contestants rests with the superintendents.**
Please operate all vehicles in a safe manner at all times.
- **Pit pass wrist bands will be available for purchase for \$10 each.**
NO minors will be allowed without adult supervision.

GENERAL PULLING RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Pickup trucks must have factory wheelbase, with steel pickup box and fenders or flat bed.
2. High point of hitch cannot exceed 26 inches - not more than 2 inches in front of tailgate.
3. No chains
4. If original vehicle has doors, they must be on and closed
5. Seatbelts required and must be worn.
6. Fire extinguishers are required.
7. All weights must be safely secured and may not extend forward.
8. Any weight that hits track while hooked to the sled will be cause for disqualification.
9. All drivers must be 16 years or age or older.
10. Any truck that leaves boundary of the course will be disqualified.
11. All lots will be required to use only automotive-type front and rear axle housings/ton max.
12. Drawbar must be equipped with steel hitching device no less than 1 inch thick and must have a 3-inch clevis or opening.
13. No devices used to raise hitch height while pulling. This will be cause for disqualification.
14. 75' restart will be used.
15. No vehicles without trailers allowed in the pit area
16. No one allowed on the track during the pulls.
17. All lots will be limited to 30 entries.
18. **Alterations subject to change without notice. The Judges decision is FINAL.**

Stock 4-Wheel Drive Trucks & Vans

Time: Saturday, August 8, 2009 - 12 noon

- All Trucks must be on the grounds & weighed by 11:00am

STOCK CLASSES RULES & REGULATIONS:

1. **Vehicles with original equipment. Stock means stock.**
2. Engine must be available in make, model and year of factory production.
3. No internal engine modifications allowed.
4. Any battery-powered ignition may be used.
5. Original wheel base for that factory produced 4x4 vehicle.
6. All components must be in original position on stock frame.
7. Only D.O.T. approved street legal tires. No bar tires.
8. Engine must be factory stock.
9. Must be stock suspension only - shocks, springs, etc
10. In case of a protest, both the accused and the accuser will be thoroughly checked. The accuser has 10 minutes to get the protest to the judges in writing. All trucks will weigh in on the fairgrounds.
11. Alcoholic beverages in any truck or being used by any driver will be an AUTOMATIC disqualification of driver and truck. No Refunds.

These rules are designed to keep truck pulling a sport that the maximum number of people can enjoy and to hopefully keep it from becoming a sport of the experts and the well-to-do persons.

Stock 4-Wheel Drive Trucks & Vans (cont.)

ENTRY FEE: Includes 2 gate entries per truck
 Stock & Super Stock \$20.00 each lot

CLASS A - Stock: (Weight listed is the Max. for lot)			
LOT 1	7,000 #	- Stock Gas	\$125; 105; 90; 75; 55; 50
2	8,000 #	- Stock Diesel	\$125; 105; 90; 75; 55; 50

FARM TRACTORS

Time: Saturday, August 8, 2009 - 12 noon

FARM TRACTOR RULES & REGULATIONS:

1. **All tractors must be weighed at the Fairgrounds and ready to pull by 11:30am.** Entries accepted up to this time.
2. Contest open to all rubber tired tractors, with each tractor limited to 2 pulls. No four wheel drives or dual wheels allowed. Stock block only.
3. Total length of pull 300 feet.
4. Minimum drawbar length of 18" from center of rear wheels to point of hook. Draw bar height not to exceed 20" from ground.
5. No pulling allowed from 2 or 3 point hitches.
6. All weights must be safely secured to tractor and must not extend 14" beyond wheels.
7. The use of torque converters, auto shifts, etc will be permitted during the pull.
8. All pulls must start from a tight hitch, no jerking permitted.
9. Only one pull allowed each contestant unless a tie is declared.
10. The pull shall be considered over when forward motion stops. No hole digging allowed.
11. Tractors must be stopped immediately upon signal from the Judges.
12. All common rules of safety must be followed.
13. Factory original injection pumps only in 9500 NB +
14. N.T.P.A. rules will be used.
15. All entries must be made on official entry bank completed in full.
16. In case of a protest, both the accused and the accuser will be thoroughly checked. The accuser has 10 minutes to get a written protest to the judges. Tractors will weigh in on the fairgrounds.
17. Eliminator and scale provided.
18. No nitro fuel in any lots.
19. No weight changing on track during pull.
20. No one allowed on track during pulls.
21. 100% stock - NO ALTERATIONS - stock RPMs by manufacturer.
22. All Open Show must have wide front end.
23. All drivers of Open Show tractors must use helmets.
24. Front-assist tractors will be allowed, but assist **MUST BE DISENGAGED.**
25. Maximum 3,000 RPMs, no load except super stock and open. Compliance will be verified immediately following pull, prior to contestant returning to pit.
26. If you pull in the 12,000# Turbo Stock Farm and the 12,500# Altered Farm you can NOT pull in the 15,000# and 18,500# classes

CLASS B - Tractor: (Weight listed is the Max. for lot)			
LOT 1	9,500 #	- N.A.	\$125; 105; 90; 75; 55; 50
2	6,000 #	- N.A.	\$125; 105; 90; 75; 55; 50
3	10,000 #	- Super Farm	\$210; 185; 160; 135; 110; 85; 65; 50
4	12,000 #	- Turbo Stock Farm	\$125; 105; 90; 75; 55; 50
5	15,000 #	- Stock	\$200; 150; 125; 100; 75; 50
6	18,500 #	- Stock	\$200; 150; 125; 100; 75; 50
7	9,500 #	- Open	\$200; 150; 125; 100; 75; 50
8	12,500 #	- Altered farm	\$200; 150; 125; 100; 75; 50

ILLINI STATE PULLERS

Evening session starts at 6:00pm

Saturday, August 8, 2009

ILLINI STATE PULLERS REGULATIONS:
ISP rules apply

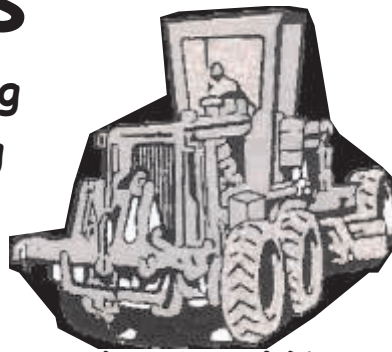
Prize Money: Prize money for all lots listed below will be paid by ILLINI State Pullers

CLASS C - ILLINI PULLERS: (Weight listed is the Max. for lot)			
LOT 1	5,000 #	- NA Tractors	5 5,800 # - Mod Tractors
2	7,000 #	- NA Tractors	6 6,500 # - Altered 4x4 Trucks
3	11,000 #	- Pro Farm	7 6,200 # - Super Stock 4x4 Trucks
4	6,500 #	- LTD Pro	8 10,000 # - Super Farm Tractors

A Big Thanks to:

Gavers

**Asphalt Paving
& Excavating**



Don, Steve & Digger

1100 Borden Lane
Woodstock, IL 60098
Office: 815-338-0831
Fax: 815-338-7635

for their many years of support