

DEPARTMENT 106
COMPACT TRACTOR PULLING CONTEST
SATURDAY MORNING, August 24th, 8:30 a.m.
Superintendent: Darryl Kuebler (734)216-6902

Rules & Regulations:

1. Contest is open to rubber tire type compact tractors only. No homemade tractors.
2. A \$5.00 entry fee will be charged to each driver for each class in which they are participating.
3. All drivers must be 8 years of age or older at the time of the contest with a signed consent by a parent or guardian, if minor.
4. All entries are to be weighed on the scales at the Chelsea Fair Grounds. Tractor weight will include the driver. Scales will open at 7:30 a.m. All tractors must be weighed in prior to the start of the class.
5. Entry is limited to one tractor per driver and one driver per tractor in a class.
6. Tractor/drivers will be entered in four classes as follows:
 - a. Kids Class (8-14 years old)/Percentage pull, unlimited HP
 - b. Up to 8 HP, 900lbs
 - c. Up to 11 HP, 1,100 lbs
 - d. Up to 12 HP and up, 1300 lbs
7. Tractors can only be entered in two classes with the exception of the Kids class. They will be allowed to use their own tractor or use a tractor of someone who is pulling in one of the three other classes.
8. Any tractor being shared between the Kids class and one of the other classes must be weighed in for both classes before scheduled time.
9. Horsepower will be determined by model of tractor and engine. Tractors or engines with no model number attached will not be allowed to pull.
10. The Kids class winner will be determined on a percentage basis. Tractors must make a full pull for that weight to be counted. Highest percentage pulled will be determined the winner.
11. In the remaining classes, the winner will be determined on a maximum dead-weight basis. The tractor pulling the greatest weight in each class will be the winner.
12. Drawbar height is limited to ten inches at all times and drivers are responsible for providing their own clevis.
13. Rear tire size must be available from the tractor manufacturer. No dual wheels will be allowed.
14. Each contestant will receive three pulling chances at the first weight of the class. In all subsequent rounds of the class, two pulling chances will be given and must be pulled from a tight chain.
15. Only the driver will be allowed on the tractor and must stay in the seat with one hand on the steering wheel while the tractor is pulling.
16. An attempted pull is when the wheels spin or the tractor moves and the load comes to a stop. The tractor must stay in the same gear and each attempt will be allowed 20 seconds.
17. The committee in charge reserves the right to accept or reject any or all entries.

<u>Class</u>		<u>1st</u>	<u>2nd</u>	<u>3rd</u>	<u>4th</u>
10601	Percentage Pull/Unlimited HP/8 - 14 yrs	25.00	15.00	10.00	5.00
10602	Up to 8 HP/900 lbs	25.00	15.00	10.00	5.00
10603	Up to 11 HP/1100 lbs	25.00	15.00	10.00	5.00
10604	12 HP & Up/1300 lbs	25.00	15.00	10.00	5.00

*All 1st place winners will also receive a trophy.