



# 2023 Figure 8 Racing

**Danville-Pittsylvania County Fairgrounds**

1 Night Only \* Friday, September 15, 2023 \* 8:00pm

Sponsored by Robert Woodall Auto Mall

- All entries accepted in advance. **(MUST PREREGISTER TO ASSURE A SPOT).**
- First 32 **(ONLY)** cars entered and running in race will receive \$100 and Trophy. (There **MAY** be a cut off at this point).
- **DO NOT** preregister a car unless you are sure it will participate. There will be a **PENALTY** for preregistered car that does not show up. This penalty will be (1) If you have multiple cars preregistered you will forfeit your \$100 and Trophy from the car that shows up for the car that did not show. (2) If you only have 1 car preregistered and do not show up. You will forfeit your \$100 and Trophy for the following weekend Demo Derby.
- Participants will draw for races and starting position.
- Number and length of races and qualifiers from each race will depend on participation.
- **MAXIMUM 109" AND UNDER WHEELBASE ALLOWED TO RUN IN FIGURE 8 RACE. (NO FULL-SIZE CARS ALLOWED).**
- Purse Breakdown:
  - Heat Race Winner: \$300+trophy
  - Heat 2<sup>nd</sup> place: \$150+trophy
  - Final Race Winner: \$1,000+trophy
  - Final Race 2<sup>nd</sup> place: \$500+trophy



## Figure 8 Race

### OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

Mail To: Danville Pittsylvania County Fairgrounds • 2400 Cavalier Rd., Ringgold, VA 24586

Office: 434-822-6850 • Fax 434-822-5048 • dpcfairgrounds@yahoo.com

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the rules and accept the decisions of the Judges as final. I elect to use the ground or track in its present condition.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

CAR NO. \_\_\_\_\_

(Will notify if number is not available)

**MAX 109" ONLY**

**NO FULL SIZE ALLOWED IN FIGURE 8 RACES**

**Pit area wristbands must be worn at all times while in pit area.**

**Only four people per car allowed in pit area with issued wristbands.**

**\*WILL BE STRICKLY INFORCED, NO ONE UNDER 12 YEARS OLD ALLOWED IN PITS!!!\***

**NO ENTRY FEE FOR CARS, BUT EVERYONE PAYS ADMISSION.**

## \*RULES & REGULATIONS for Figure 8\*

**NEW: All drive tires MUST be straight tread only (NO EXCEPTIONS!) This rule is an extra effort to keep dirt and debris from being thrown into the stands.**

1. Drivers must be 18 years of age. 16- & 17-year-olds may enter with official release form signed by parent or guardian.
2. All drivers and cars must be entered and at the track 1 hour before the scheduled starting time of race.
3. Any driver not obeying the rules will be disqualified.
4. Your car numbers will be issued on approval of your application.
5. Each driver must fill out entry blanks.
6. All rules and regulations must be observed.
7. Only owners, drivers, and mechanics will be permitted in the pit area or on the track. This covers drivers and mechanics. No more than 4 people permitted per car in pit area. Everyone in pit area must have authorized wristband and a max of 4 per entry.  
**(NO ONE UNDER 12 YEARS OLD ALLOWED IN PIT AREA).**
8. No cars permitted on the track before the heat they are to participate in.
9. **NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES allowed in pits. A random sobriety test will be given to drivers – failure to take the test if asked, will mean immediate disqualification. Of course, if intoxicated you will not be allowed to drive.**
10. All cars must be removed from grounds by the owner no later than 6:00 pm Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup> or they become the property of the Fairgrounds – No Exceptions.
11. All glass and chrome trim and anything that might become imbedded in the track, must be removed from the car before bringing auto to the grounds. Also, car must be cleaned out including the trunk. Don't leave broken glass in doors, clean them out. Windshield is optional.
12. Safety belts and helmets are required. All doors must be welded shut or tied with rope or wire. If a driver's side door comes open, he will be disqualification.
13. No deliberate head-on collisions or deliberately ramming driver's door. This can lead to disqualifications.
14. Hood and trunk lids can be welded shut – But must have a minimum 6-inch inspection hole in truck lid.
15. A 12 by 15-inch hole must be cut in the center of the hood.
16. Safety rules and regulations are subject to change to fit the event. The decision of the judges is final.
17. A maximum of 5 gallons of gas will be allowed. Gas tanks must be moved inside the car and covered by a firewall only if originally located behind rear wheels. (ONLY 1 STOCK CAR BATTERY ALLOWED).
18. **REAR & FRONT BUMPERS** – You may use a homemade bumper – it must be no bigger than 6"x6"x3/8" wall for tube steel and 6-inch SCH 80 pipe 3/8" wall thickness. If you fabricate your own bumper, it must be a straight piece of metal – no V or sharp points. Ends must be left open. (Do not cap the ends of the fabricated bumper.) Bumpers cannot be wider than the car or fenders. (Measurement will be based off of the narrowest width part of the car). **No tempered steel.**
19. **Rear hump plates are allowed only on cars running coil springs and may not exceed ¼" thick, 4" WIDE, and 24" in length per each side of car.**
20. **KICKERS ALLOWED.** Kickers are allowed, but NO larger than 2" and must run from front dash bar to frame rail just behind the A-frame.
21. Minimum frame bracing (NO MORE THAN 12" BACK FROM END OF FRAME) allowed to hold on front and rear bumpers, **NO** additional metal will be added to frame except what is needed to securely attach bumpers. Any bracing or reinforcing deemed excessive may lead to disqualification. (INSPECTORS DECISION FINAL)

### **Additional Rules & Regulations for Figure 8 Only:**

22. It is recommended that all cars including compacts have some type of driver compartment safety reinforcing. **IT MUST BE OF PROFESSIONAL QUALITY AND WORKMANSHIP.** NOTE: NO GRADER BLADES OR TEMPERED STEEL THAT MAY SHATTER IS ALLOWED ANYWHERE ON CAR.
23. Max 109" wheelbase (NO FULL SIZE CARS ALLOWED IN FIGURE 8 RACE).

**\*\*\*Changes and updates made on 3/25/22 are noted in BLUE.**