

HEY, KIDS !! LET'S GO RACING !!

New Berlin children ages 6 through 16 can design, build, and drive their own race car in the

55th ANNUAL NEW BERLIN SOAP BOX DERBY SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th, 2019 (First Sunday after Labor Day)

A full day of racing action will be held at our 1,000-foot paved track in Valley View Park

The Soap Box Derby has been an exciting event in our city for 53 years! Originally started by the New Berlin Police Department in 1965, the event is now organized and run by a nonprofit group of volunteers known as The New Berlin Soap Box Derby Commission.

Official Driver & Event Rules & Official Racecar Specifications and entry forms are available for download at www.nbsoapboxderby.org. Each driver must have his / her own car. We encourage this to be a FAMILY project! A limited number of loaner cars may also be available on a first-come basis.

We will loan four wheels and mounting brackets to entrants, and give out a free steering wheel for those families building new cars, in order to help keep the cost of the car as low as possible. Each driver will also receive a commemorative t-shirt on race day.

Each driver gets one practice run before racing begins. Racing is held on a triple-elimination basis: A driver must lose three times before elimination. Thus, each driver is assured a minimum of four runs down the track.

Drivers are divided into three age classes. The top six drivers in each age class will race against each other for the Class Championship. Finally, the three Class Champions will race against each other to determine who will become the Champion of Champions!

An awards ceremony is held two weeks after race day. All drivers and their families are invited to attend, regardless of how they finished. Refreshments are served. At awards night, all drivers receive a commemorative plaque and a color photo of them in their car. (The photo is taken on race day). The top six drivers in each class also receive trophies and other prizes to signify their racing achievement!

Racing also establishes your eligibility to apply for a New Berlin Soap Box Derby college scholarship upon graduating from high school. Basic eligibility requires three years of racing, with some exceptions. See www.nbsoapboxderby.org for a complete description of our scholarship program.

REGISTRATION OPENS WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 2019 & CLOSSES THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 2019

**FILL OUT THE ENTRY FORM ON THE REVERSE SIDE OR REGISTER AT
www.nbsoapboxderby.org**

JOIN US AT OUR OPEN HOUSE & CAR BUILDING SEMINAR:

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Watch videos of past race events, see racecars on display, get tips on building a car, meet Commission members and get your questions answered.

>>>>WEBSITE: www.nbsoapboxderby.org <<<<<

IF YOU WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION, please contact one of these Commission members:

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