



## Lawrence County Young Leaders Pig Wrestling

Lawrence County Fair – Sunday, July 12th at 6:00 p.m.

**You MUST be signed up by no later than 5:00 p.m. the day of event!**

Pre-Registration ends at 4:30 p.m. on July 10th **\$50.00 per team**  
Day of Registration ends at 5:00 p.m. on July 12th **\$60.00 per team**

**Participants under 18 years old MUST have a parent sign a release form.**

### Rules/Information

- All competitors are required to sign a release form. Forms for minors must be signed by a legal guardian.
- Teams must consist of 4–5 participants.
- Teams with mixed ages will compete in the division of the oldest team member.
- Co-ed teams will compete in the male division—no exceptions.
- All competitors must remain outside the designated roped area until their team is called. At that time, only team members will be permitted in the event area. (Exception: Division I teams may have one parent remain with them until they enter the arena.)
- Division I and II teams will have 60 seconds to complete the event. Any time exceeding 60 seconds will result in a scratch. Divisions III, IV, and V will have 45 seconds; any time exceeding 45 seconds will result in a scratch.
- Participants should dress appropriately for muddy conditions. Females should not wear white t-shirts, white shorts, or spaghetti straps. Proper footwear and attire are required; failure to comply will result in disqualification.
- Wet clothing is not permitted in any areas of the fairground outside of the designated cleanup area.
- A wash station will be provided for cleanup. Fairground restroom facilities may not be used for cleaning. Muddy participants will not be permitted inside buildings; violations will result in team disqualification.
- No mud throwing or similar behavior will be permitted inside or outside the arena.
- Participants are not permitted in the grandstands or building restrooms unless they are clean; violations will result in disqualification and potential suspension from future events.
- No artificial catching devices are allowed. Gloves, spikes, hooks, or any other tools designed to assist in catching the pig are strictly prohibited.
- Any form of unnecessary roughness, including hitting or kicking the pig, will result in immediate disqualification. The pig's head must not be submerged under water or mud.
- The Fair Committee will open the gate to release the pig into the arena. Timing will begin once the pig enters the arena. The clock will stop when the pig is fully placed in the designated area and all team members raise both hands to signal completion. The fastest time wins. In the event of a tie, a tiebreaker will be held.
- Teams are encouraged to seek sponsorships to help cover entry fees; sponsors may be recognized on team shirts, though participation is not required.
- No pit passes will be issued. All spectators must remain in the grandstands.
- A minimum of two teams is required per division. If only one team is present in a division, it will be moved to another division.
- The Lawrence County Young Leaders reserve the right to refuse participation or disqualify any team at their discretion.

**Please call the Lawrence County Farm Bureau at 618-943-2610 with questions.**



## **Pig Wrestling – Important Information**

1. At least one member of each team must pick up the team wristbands on July 12th between 5:00–5:30 p.m. at the barn near the grandstands.
2. All teams are required to attend the rules meeting at 6:00 p.m.
3. All required paperwork must be fully completed prior to the event.
4. All signatures must be submitted and finalized before participation will be permitted.
5. All participants under the age of 18 must have a completed and signed consent form.
6. One adult per Division I team may accompany the team to the pit area. This individual must have a grandstand wristband. Due to safety concerns, we will only allow one adult to accompany them. There will be no exceptions this year.
7. Payment must be submitted at the time of form submission.



## Pig Wrestling Registration Form

Pre-Registration Entry Fee: \$50.00  
Day of Registration Entry Fee: \$60.00

Ends: July 10th at 4:30 p.m.  
Ends: July 12th at 5:00 p.m.

**Team Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Team Contact Person:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Phone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

### Age Divisions:

- All co-ed teams will be placed in the male division.
- Your team's age group is determined by the oldest participant on your team.

<b>Division I</b>	Boys	Ages 5-8
<b>Division I</b>	Girls	Ages 5-8
<b>Division II</b>	Boys	Ages 9-13
<b>Division II</b>	Girls	Ages 9-13
<b>Division III</b>	Boys	Ages 14-18
<b>Division III</b>	Girls	Ages 14-18
<b>Division IV</b>	Men	Ages 19-30
<b>Division IV</b>	Women	Ages 19-30
<b>Division V</b>	Men	Ages 31-UP
<b>Division V</b>	Women	Ages 31-UP



## Participant Information

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Name (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**All team members must sign a participant release form and those under the age of 18 MUST have a parent's consent/ release form signed. No Exceptions.**

### **Winner Pay Outs**

Winnings will be determined by the number of participants.

# PARENTAL CONSENT, RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

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## DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION OF EVENT(S)

IN CONSIDERATION of my minor child ("the Minor") being permitted to participate in any way in the EVENT(S) and/or being permitted to enter for any purpose any RESTRICTED AREA(S) (defined to be any area which requires special authorization, credentials or permission to enter or any area to which admission by the general public is restricted for prohibited), I agree:

1. I know the nature of the EVENT(S) and the Minor's experience and capabilities, and believe the Minor to be qualified to participate in the Event(s). I will inspect the premises, facilities, and equipment to be used, or with which the Minor may come in contact. IF I OR THE MINOR BELIEVE ANYTHING IS UNSAFE, I WILL INSTRUCT THE MINOR TO LEAVE IMMEDIATELY, THE RESTRICTED ARE AND REFUSE TO PARTICIPATE FURTHER IN THE EVENT(S).
2. I FULLY UNDERSTAND and will instruct the Minor that:
  - (a.) THE ACTIVITIES OF THE EVENT(S) ARE VERY DANGEROUS and participation in the Event(s) and/or entry into Restricted Areas involves RISKS AND DANGERS OF SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING PERMANENT DISABILITY, PARALYSIS, AND DEATH ("RISKS");
  - (b.) these Risks and dangers may caused by the Minor's own actions, or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Event(s), the rules of the Event(s), the condition and layout of the premises and equipment, or THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" NAMED BELOW;
  - (c.) there may be OTHER RISKS NOT KNOWN TO ME or that are not readily foreseeable at this time;
  - (d.) THE SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LOSSES and/or damages that could result from those Risk(s) COULD BE SEVERE AND COULD PERMANENTLY CHANGE THE MINOR'S FUTURE.
3. I consent to the Minor's participation in the Event(s) and/or entry into restricted areas and HEREBY ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, KNOWN AND UNKNOWN, AND ASSUME ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE LOSSES, COSTS AND/OR DAMAGES FOLLOWING SUCH INJURY, DISABILITY, PARALYSIS OR DEATH, EVEN IF CAUSED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" NAMED BELOW.
4. I HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the promoters, participants, racing associations sanctioning organizations or any sub-division thereof, track operators, track owners, officials, car owners, drivers, pit crews, rescue personnel, any persons in any Restricted Area, promoters, advertisers, owners and lessees of premises used to conduct the Event(s), premises or event inspectors, surveyors, underwriters, consultants, and other persons or entities who give recommendations, directions, or instructions or engage in risk evaluation or loss control activities regarding the premises or Event(s) and each of them, their directors, officers, agents, and employees, all for the purposes herein referred to as "Releasees," FROM ALL LIABILITY TO ME, THE MINOR, my and the minor's personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin, FOR ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, OR DAMAGES ON ACCOUNT OF ANY INJURY TO ME OR THE MINOR, including, but not limited to, death or damage to property, CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" OR OTHERWISE.
5. If, despite this release, I, the Minor, or anyone on the Minor's behalf, makes a claim against any of the "Releasees" names above, I AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE RELEASEES and each of them from ANY LITIGATION EXPENSES, ATTORNEY FEES, LOSS, LIABILITY, DAMAGE, OR COST THEY MAY INCUR DUE TO THE CLAIM MADE AGAINST ANY OF THE "RELEASEES" NAMES ABOVE, WHETHER THE CLAIM IS BASED ON THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE.
6. I sign this agreement on my own behalf and on behalf of the Minor.

**I HAVE READ THIS PARENTAL CONSENT, RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING IT I GIVE UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS I AND/OR THE MINOR WOULD OTHERWISE HAVE TO RECOVER DAMAGES FOR LOSSES OCCASIONED BY THE RELEASEES' FAULT, AND SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY AND WITHOUT INDUCEMENT.**

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SIGNATURE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN	PRINTED NAME OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN	DATE
SIGNATURE OR WITNESS	PRINTED NAME OF WITNESS	NAME AND AGE OF MINOR PARTICIPANT

# MINOR'S ASSUMPTION OF RISK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

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DESCRIPTION AND LOCATION OF EVENT(S)

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE RELEASE SIGNED

I have obtained my parent's consent to participate in the above event(s). I understand that I am assuming all of the risks if I get hurt during the event(s), and I state the following:

1. Both my parents and I believe I am qualified to participate in the event(s). I will inspect the premises and equipment and if, at any time, I feel anything to be unsafe, I will immediately leave and refuse to participate further in the event(s).
2. I understand that the ACTIVITIES OF THE EVENT ARE VERY DANGEROUS and INVOLVE RISKS AND DANGERS OF MY BEING SERIOUSLY INJURED OR HURT, MY BEING PARALYZED OR KILLED.
3. I know that these risks and dangers may be caused by my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the event(s), the rules of the event(s), the condition and layout of the premises and equipment, or the negligence of others, including those persons responsible for conducting the event(s).

**I HAVE READ THE ABOVE ASSUMPTION OF RISK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, UNDERSTAND WHAT I HAVE READ, AND SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY.**

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SIGNATURE OF MINOR PARTICIPANT

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DATE

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PRINTED NAME OF MINOR PARTICIPANT

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AGE

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WITNESS

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PRINTED NAME OF WITNESS