

Perkinstown Outhouse Race

Sponsored by Chequamegon Wildlife & Rec Club

February 26, 2011 Official Race Rules

- 1. THRONE SPECIFICATIONS:** Structure must be made of plywood, tin or any other sturdy material. Basic structure must be at least 4 feet by 4 feet wide (excluding handles and skis) and no less than 6 feet tall. There will be no cardboard, visqueen, tarp or tarp-like structures. The racing outhouse must have an open front or back, a roof, a seat with a hole inside and a full floor. No wheels and no motors. No glass. Not more than one half of any wall may be window. No explicit language or pornographic displays allowed on or in the outhouse.
- 2. THE TEAM:** Each outhouse must have exactly five people. One or more of the pushers/pullers may join the race at any point after the start or may cut the course short, but **all five team members must cross the finish line together**. Each person on the outhouse racing team must be 16 years or older and must provide proof of age. One team member must be riding in the outhouse at all times. The rider must wear a DOT approved helmet. The rider may switch with a pusher/puller as long as the outhouse has stopped and the rider is wearing a helmet while riding. Each person participating in the Perkinstown Outhouse Race does so at their own risk and must complete and sign a liability release form. This event is not for the weak-hearted.
- 3. RACE ENTRY FEE:** The entry fee is **\$20.00 per team**. All team entry fees received will be used as prize money (see distribution below). In addition, a \$5.00 donation is requested on behalf of each team member prior to participation in the event. This money will go to Chequamegon Wildlife & Recreation Club, a local non-profit organization. For more information on the mission of CWRC, please visit www.cwrclub.com. (\$20 entry + \$25 donation = \$45 per team)
- 4. AGE DIVISIONS AND PRIZE MONIES:** There will be four age divisions: (1) 16-39 years, (2) 40-49 years, (3) 50-59 years, and (4) 60 years and older. The total entry fee collected in each age division will be awarded to the fastest team in each age division. A team's age will be determined by averaging all pushers/pullers ages (years old on race day - no partial years/months will be counted). In the event that the rider will switch to pusher at one point during the race, their age will also be included in the average age. There will also be awards honored to the fastest women's team, farthest travelling outhouse and Prettiest Potty (most original). Prettiest Potty will be determined by spectator voting at the event.
- 5. TIMING/RACE START:** The race will begin at 1:00 pm. **Please be registered in the concession tent by 12:30 pm**. Method of timing will be on a hand-held stop watch. Each outhouse will depart from the starting line following the finish of the previous team and announcement. Race order will be determined at pre-race meeting by drawing numbers.
- 6. RE-USING A THRONE:** In the instance that two teams share a racing outhouse, there must be at least three new racers.
- 7. DISPUTE:** The Race Marshall will have the final decision concerning the inspection of the outhouses and interpretation of all outhouse rules. Questions and concerns must be addressed PRIOR to racing.
- 8. NO CARRY-INS PLEASE.** This is a fundraising event. Food, beer and soda are available on-site.

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUESTED. Please visit www.cwrclub.com or call Eric at (715) 427-1002 or Ron at (715) 785-7595 for more information or to register.