# 2024 St Albert Soap Box Derby Update #1

## **2024 Registration is open – For Past Racers**

Your 2024 Soap Box Working Group (the volunteers who organize Soap Box) are pleased to announce the opening of registration for the **2024 Fountain Tire St Albert Soap Box Derby** *for PAST racers*.

#### New racer registration opening will be announced to St Albert Soap Box Derby subscribers through a second update the coming weeks.

If you know of potential new racer parents, please pass on this email and ask them to subscribe for updates on the home page of <u>stalbertsoapboxderby.ca</u>

## 2024 Fountain Tire St Albert Soap Box Derby Key Information

- 2024 St Albert Soap Box Derby is scheduled for Friday June 14 and Saturday June 15.
- The 2024 Soap Box Derby participation goal is 200 racers up from 128 racers in 2023 and 86 racers in 2022.
- <u>Mandatory</u> cart inspection and Driver orientation is Saturday June 8.
- Registration is unchanged at \$35 per racer. Build kits and parts will be offered at the same prices as 2023.
- Info Build sessions are planned for March 23 and May 11 at Fountain Tire more details will follow. 1
- Information on Build Kit and part availability (Base and Plus Build kits, Go-Kits, brakes, tow hooks) will follow. Please checkout the <u>Build Options</u> <u>chart</u> to understand what **2024** options are available and costs.
- 2024 allows all Soap Box payments to be made via e-transfer.
- St Albert Soap Box Derby <u>Resources page</u> has all the build information reference materials including the build video created last year.
- No major changes to Rules and Recommendations for 2024. Note: A single cart can be used by racers in the same family provided racers are in different age categories (6-8, 9-11,12-14) and each racer is registered separately.
- Stay tuned for additional updates to the StAlbertSoapBoxDerby.ca website

## Past racer parents, you can register for 2024 at this link.

## 2024 Soap Box Working Group needs additional volunteers

Most of the 2023 Working Group (WG) volunteers are back for 2024 ! The WG meets monthly for 2 hours (maximum) to move forward required tasks to make Soap Box successful. Between monthly meetings, volunteer Directors (for example Finance) works with others on the committee interested in a specific area and bring recommendations to the next WG meeting.

Soap Box are in need of additional volunteers to help - Volunteer Coordinators (communicate with the 80+ volunteers from 2023), Food Director (race day food), Secretary (minutes and admin), and Safety Director. If you have time and want to contribute your knowledge and enthusiasm to the St Albert Soap Box Derby community event, please send a note for more information on the open positions to INFO@stalbertsoapboxderby.ca

# Soap Box Derby Sponsorships

2024 has a new Sponsorship Director. Good news is most of the 2023 sponsors are returning. The 2024 sponsorship chair has already found and signed some new Sponsors with interest expressed by other potential sponsors. If you are interested or have a business that should be contacted as a sponsor, please email <u>Sponsorship@stalbertsoapboxderby.ca</u>

## **Questions??**

Got a question not covered by the FAQ or other information the resources page, please email <u>info@stalbertsoapboxderby.ca</u>

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We are excited to be back with 2024 Fountain Tire St Albert Soap Box Derby!!

#### Fountain Tire St Albert Soap Box Derby Working Group