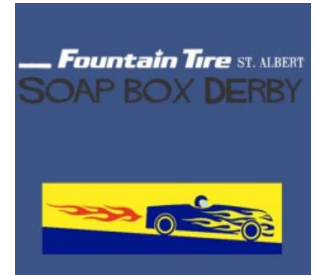


2023 Fountain Tire St Albert Soapbox Derby

June 13, 2023 UPDATE #10



Thanks to the record number of registrations, two of the age groups have more or close to the total number of full day racers from 2020.

******* Volunteers are needed. Please contact Volunteer@StAlbertSoapboxDerby.ca or take a look and see what is open and signup at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E4EACA628A4FCC61-2023> When you signup, you will receive a confirmation welcome to the Soapbox Volunteer team call**

If you have an issue from the safety inspection, Friday is the night to get it resolved so you can race on Saturday.

Look for the Safety area on Friday night to get your test completion **BEFORE** you go to **Registration**.

Race Pinneys will ONLY be given out to racer parents with completed Safety Tests. Saturday volunteer focus is on the racing - **No outstanding safety issue resolution time.**

Please note the published times may change during the day. Please plan to be at least 15 minutes early.

Friday

Soapbox gets access to St Vital Hill and area at 4PM. It takes 2-3 hours, depending on Volunteers, to setup the Soapbox Venue. We are expecting 6:30 practice Racing.

If you have any Safety issues, they need to be resolved BEFORE going to INFO tent.

Info/Registration setup should be open around 6PM. **Info Desk will have your location (ROW and SLOT (1.2 or 3) for your first race on Saturday.**

Racers go down the hill in groups of 3. Racers are staged into a que (randomly on Friday) in rows of three carts Parents stay with racers, push cart up rail on to ramp and then walk up on ramp and secure racer into his/her seat. Practice race happens !!! Races walk back up hill, carts are towed up and go back into the staging que at end of que.

Carts can be left on the hill Friday night - Makes your Saturday much easier.

Security will be present. Suggest you may wish to have a cart cover. Carts will be placed by age group in areas on the hill. If you have a shared cart (used by multiple racers) it will be stored in the Age Group that races first (see below). Community carts will be in the Community parking area.

Saturday

Please allow extra time to arrive and find parking.

Mandatory Age Group Racer meetings before your race. - Race ready, pinney on, all gear to race on.

You know how much time your racers need to get someplace and be relaxed when they get there. Parking WILL be a challenge especially during the day.

Info Desk will have your location (ROW and SLOT (1.2 or 3) for your first race.

Ideally, you arrive early, get your cart into your staging location BEFORE the Racer Meeting.

Age 9-10-11 7:30 **47 racers** **Race ready, pinney on, all gear to race on**

Ready to listen and then go to your carts. If you don't already have it, this is where you get your racing slot identified. Racer parents and racers get their carts to the staging area into the order for racing. 46 carts will take some time to organize !!! Don't be late please

Once the carts are organized, Racing will start ideally before 8AM.

Age 12-13-14 10:45 **16 racers** **Race ready, pinney on, all gear to race on**

Ready to listen and then go to your carts. If you don't already have it, this is where you get your racing slot identified. Racer parents and racers get their carts to the staging area into the order for racing. This group races right after the VIP's wrap up.

Race at 11:30 or earlier

Lunch break ~ 1/2 hour. Hot dogs and hamburgers and ice cream Food Trucks on site.

Age 6-7-8 13:30 **60 racers** **Race ready, pinney on, all gear to race on**

Ready to listen and then go to your carts. If you don't already have it, this is where you get your racing slot identified. Racer parents and racers get their carts to the staging area into the order for racing. 60 carts will take patience and time to get organized.

Race at 14:00 or earlier

Volunteers are always appreciated for setup during and after (breakdown).

Volunteer@stalbertsoapboxderby.ca for more info. Race day let the Info tent know you want to help.

Please note, no flipflops for racing. Running shoes or other closed toe shoes required. Its a safety rule !

Additional information will come out during this week. Questions, info at StAlbertSoapboxDerby.ca