

Newsletter #1

February 10, 2022



Thanks for your interest in the St Albert Soap Box Derby sponsored by Fountain Tire St. Albert.

There is a brand new team in place excited to resume Soap Box Derby in St Albert after a two year absence. Led by Todd and Liz at Fountain Tire, the volunteer team is setting up the Soap Box Derby from scratch. Some parts are taking a bit longer than anticipated.

**Registration is on track to be available by Feb 15 but could slip into later in next week.
Look for an announcement when Registration is ready to go.**

Additions you can see and touch today.

- 1) Website - Visit www.stalbertsoapboxderby.ca to get information and the thrill of a downhill ride or two on video.
- 2) Display at City Hall. Flyers are flying off the table so people are interested. There until Monday. A great three week run.
The unpainted basic cart has the St Albert Tread brake installed.
- 3) Race HQ at Fountain Tire - four carts with different designs/brake systems.
- 4) More info on Website - resources, email for TechBuild questions (tech build only please)
- 5) Upcoming Info sessions in April and May
- 6) GoKit sets at Fountain Tire today for purchase* for \$90 plus GST. Wheels, steering mechanism, template, instructions.

Todd and Liz want to encourage more participation so have a "Build Kit" in the works. The "Build kit" will consist of the GoKit, Registration, PreCut plywood for basic cart and a Thread Brake for \$150 plus GST.

You can not BUY a Build Kit yet, but you could contact Fountain Tire and ask them to put your name in the Fountain Tire Soap Box Derby book found on Liz's desk. Limited to 20 Build Kits.

Race day has been moved to Saturday June 18 (Fathers Day weekend) to allow for an earlier start and long possible time on the hill (allowing more racers to participate)

- 1) Soap Box Team would be interested in finding out **how you learned about the 2022 Soapbox.**
- 2) From what we have outlined, is there anything else you are looking for to make your build and race day experience better?
- 3) Soap Box Derby are looking for volunteers and sponsors so if you are interested, please let us know at Info@StAlbertSoapBoxDerby.ca

If you have friends that are interested, encourage them to subscribe to get the info automatically.

Take cares, stay safe and active

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