

Fountain Tire ST. ALBERT **SOAP BOX DERBY**

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10th St Albert Soap Box Derby Gravity powered car racing for kids ages 6 to 12 since 2011!

St Albert, AB (December 22, 2021)

The St Albert Soap Box Derby, presented by Todd's Fountain Tire St. Albert, is excited to announce the 10th Anniversary St Albert Soap Box Derby planned for Father's Day weekend in 2022!

Boys & girls ages 6-12 will be able to build (with assistance from an adult), then race in their gravity powered cars. Participating in Soap Box Derby provides racers the opportunity to sharpen their STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) skills. Mechanical knack, along with an appreciation of physics and mathematics define a successful racer. A family fun St Albert community event developing life skills.

New for 2022, Todd and Liz Lesenko at Fountain Tire are adding a limited number of rental carts to allow more kids the opportunity to participate. Also added for 2022 are two technical and build sessions at Todd's Fountain Tire in February and April. A techbuild email for questions has been setup to answer build and or technical questions.

St Albert Soap Box Derby requires carts are built using a [GoKit®](#). New GoKits® are available for \$90 by contacting Todd's Fountain Tire at 780 459.6716 or you can order directly from GoKits® at a current cost of \$103.75.

Interested in racing? See our new website at www.stalbertsoapboxderby.ca
Would you like to volunteer? Please contact info@stalbertsoapboxderby.ca
Technical or build questions?? Please contact techbuild@stalbertsoapboxderby.ca

For St Albert Soap Box updates, please click on StAlbertSoapboxDerby.ca website.

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With the cancellation of St Albert Soap Box Derby in 2020 and 2021, a number of **past racers** will have "aged out". The organizing committee is investigating the possibility of a special approach for these **specific past racers** to race in 2022.

The event is free for spectators. Please mark Father's Day weekend on your 2022 calendar so you can bring your chair and take a seat along the course to cheer on the racers.

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