

## BEECHWOOD BILLYCART CLASSIC

## 42nd Annual Beechwood Billycart Classic on Sunday 29th October 2023. Enquiries: James Wallis 0428 851 334 or visit the website.

**JURISDICTION** - Beechwood Cricket Club or any person delegated by the committee only, will vary regulations as deemed necessary. The committee's decision will be final with no correspondence entered into.

**ENTRIES** - Entries Close at 4:00PM Friday 13th October 2023. The organisers reserve the right to refuse late entries and entries will not be accepted unless accompanied by the entry fee. Terms effect all entrants with some exceptions for the Junior Races (eg. wheel size, entry fee, age) please refer to the organisers for more information. Please complete the Entry Form and Indemnification Acceptance on the back and mail with entry.

FEE TO: Beechwood Cricket Club - Cash or card payment available on the day.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE** - The Main Race is held over a 5 kilometre rural road which has an uneven surface, steep down-slopes and tight corners. An extensive safety briefing, cart scrutineering and track safety measures (including road closure, traffic control, radio operators, hay bales and flag marshals) are provided to ensure the safe operation of the event. The organisers advise competitors that the race is not without risk and the Rules and Regulations are in place to assist in maintaining safety. By signing this form, competitors acknowledge they have been advised of risks associated with the event and will conduct themselves in a manner which will not place themselves, other competitors, officials or spectators and the public at risk.

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1.	DRESS	Long Sleeves and long pants must be worn at all times
2.	WHEELS	Each cart must have 3 or 4 wheels with minimum 20 inch diameter for main race,a smaller diameter is allowed for junior race.
3.	CREW	A cart crew must consist of two people, who may change position on the cart, however, one person must remain wholly on the cart at all times whilst the cart is in motion. All crew must be at least 15 years of age for the main race.
4.	TIMES	Main race commences at 11:00am, Junior race commences at approx 11:30am. All Main Race competitors must be at the starting line by 10:00am, Juniors by 11.00am.
5.	HELMETS	Each crew member must wear a full face crash helmet properly fastened, Junior competitors may wear bicycle helmets.
6.	PROPULSION	Will be free-wheeling with one crew member pushing when required. Any other means of propulsion will lead to automatic disqualification.
7.	CARTS	Any cart considered unsuitable for safety reasons, or not considered categorised as a Billycart may be withdrawn from the race prior to the start by the committee representatives and no money will be refunded.
8.	BRAKES	Each cart must be fitted with an adequate braking system on each rear wheel and deemed to be satisfactory by the race organisers. Carts fitted with calliper type brakes only will not be accepted. A paddle brake pressing on both tyres is required.
9.	PROTRUDING EDGES	Carts may be deemed unsafe if sharp or protruding edges are not removed or suitably padded.
10. NUMBERS		Provision must be made on carts for a black number in a 23cm white square on the front, and both sides of the cart. Numbers will be allocated after the draw on the Saturday preceding the race.

11 CLASSES	A. OPEN CART CLASS:	Carts must not have sides higher than 500mm from the floor of the cart and no screens.
	B. FOUR-WHEEL CLASS:	Carts must have 4 wheels and may be open or enclosed.
	C. PRO-CART CLASS:	Carts may be fully enclosed and have 3 or 4 wheels.
	JUNIOR:	Carts may have 3 or 4 wheels and may be open or enclosed.

**INDEMNIFICATION -** I have read and agree with the "Terms" of the Indemnification hereunder: This entry will be accepted only on the condition that the vehicle entered, the riders thereof, and any person or persons connected herewith, whilst participating in the event or practising thereof shall do so at the sole risk of the entrant/competitor, and that the competitor or any person or persons shall not claim against the organisers of any official or servant appointed by, or acting on behalf of the organising committee, or in connection with the said contest, or for any injuries suffered by himself/herself or any other person or in respect of the vehicle entered, whether or not the same shall be caused or contributed to by an act, omission or negligence on the part of the organisers, the officials and servants and any person aforesaid, against any claim by any other entrant, or competitor, or other persons, whoever, for the injuries, damages, loss or other claim caused by his/her vehicle or other riders thereof, or arising out of participation of the vehicle in the race.

SIGNATURE OF DRIVER:	AGE:	
SIGNATURE OF THE CO-DRIVER:	AGE:	

PARENT/GUARDIAN (if under 18 years): .....

## **ENTRY FORM**

INCLUDING JUNIOR RACES - PLEASE PRINT IN BLOCK LETTERS

DRIVER'S NAME:					
EMAIL:	PHONE:				
ADDRESS:	POSTCODE:				
CO-DRIVER'S NAME:					
EMAIL:	PHONE:				
ADDRESS:	POSTCODE:				
ENCLOSED ENTRY FEE: Main Race: \$40.00 Junior Race: \$5.00					
SPONSORED BY:					
CART NAME:					
CLASS ENTERED: A B C Junior					
VETERANS (Each crew member over 30 years of age) YES NO					
WHEELS 3 4					
ALL FEMALE CREW YES NO					