



Mine Cart Rally

Rules and Regulations

TEAMS

1. You will need a total of two people to make up your team. One driver and 1 rider.
 - a. The rider is to be dressed as a cowboy with correct attire including a wide brim hat, jeans, boots and a long sleeve shirt. This participant is to be dressed in the correct attire prior to the event.
 - b. The driver is to be dressed as a miner, this person will be supplied with a hard hat, boots and overalls to put on as part of the race. The driver may choose to bring their own hat, boots and overalls.
2. The team is to be nominated before the event in order to participate. Applications will not be accepted on the day of the event.
3. The team members are to remain the same members for all heats.
4. All participants must be 18 years or over to participate.

MINE CART SPECIFICATIONS

1. The mine cart must meet the following specifications in order to participate in the event:
 - a. Mine cart must have fully enclosed sides. Wall height from base inside must be a minimum of 70cm.
 - b. Construction of the cart may be built of any solid material (except fabric) and structurally sound to ensure it does not fall apart during the race.
 - c. There are not sharp objects or protruding pieces to be included in the cart.
 - d. The base size must be no smaller than 5016cm² (32") square. There is no restriction on making this larger but overall width (including wheels).
 - e. The cart must include only four wheels with the wheel diameter not to exceed 25cm.
 - f. Each cart should have a theme and have the name of the team clearly written on each side of the cart.

RACE RULES

1. The race will start with both driver and rider at the start line.
2. The course will be walked through with competitors prior to the race commencing. Each competitor will have an opportunity to ask any questions during this walk through.
3. All heats will have the same obstacles and are timed.
4. Teams will be required to race a minimum 30 metres for each heat.
5. Races will be held on Scarr Street road surface.

JUDGING

1. There will be a number of officials that will monitor the race to ensure each section of the course is completed. If the section is not completed the team will be stopped and asked to complete before moving to the next section.
2. The heats will run with the two fastest times which will go into the final. The first and second is then decided on the fastest time in the final round.
3. The most enthusiastic award will be judged by the officials for the team that has the best design and enthusiasm throughout the race.
4. Reasons for disqualification include, excessive use of alcoholic beverages, controlled substances, foul, abusive and unacceptable language.

Mine Cart Rally organisers reserve the right to make additional rules as the situation warrants. All decisions of the Mine Cart Rally organisers are final. The Mine Cart Rally rules and regulations may result in disqualification and expulsion from the grounds and/or disqualification from future participation.

PRIZES

1. First place winner will receive \$500 and a trophy
2. Second place will receive \$300
3. Most Enthusiastic will receive a trophy



**Mine Cart Rally – Friday 13 September 2019
Application Form**

Please return your application to Cloncurry Shire Council by Friday 30 August 2019.

If you have any questions and/or concerns, please feel free to contact Cloncurry Shire Council on 074742 4100 or council@cloncurry.qld.gov.au

Team Member 1: First Name:

Last Name:

Team Member 2: First Name:

Last Name:

Address:

Home Telephone: Mobile Telephone:

Email:.....

Name of Team:.....

I _____ have read the Terms and Conditions and understand and agree to abide by the event rules. I understand that my application to participate may be withdrawn by event organisers at any time if I breach any of the Terms and Conditions. I further understand that my application is not complete until I have signed the Acknowledgment, Waiver and Release form that forms part of my application to participate.

Signature: _____

Date: _____



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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, WAIVER and RELEASE FORM

1. I understand that I am competing in the 'Beat the Heat – Mine Cart Rally'.
2. I understand that competing in the 'Mine Cart Rally' involves my team creating and constructing a 'mine cart' that is fit to compete in an obstacle course.
3. I understand that competing in the event requires running, pushing and generally participating in physical activity. In my judgement I am physically fit to participate in the event. I consent to receive medical treatment from appropriately qualified personnel in the event I suffer an injury during the event.
4. I understand that during the event I may be photographed or filmed. I agree to allow my photograph or video to be used for a legitimate purpose by Cloncurry Shire Council. This may include promotional material, news stories and social media.
5. I agree to abide by the event rules and any reasonable directions given to me by officials of the event. I further understand that event officials may disqualify myself, my team or 'mine cart' for any reason should they choose to do so, and any registration fee may not be refunded.
6. I agree to use all reasonable endeavours to ensure that myself and my team compete in the event in the spirit of the 'mine cart rally'.
7. I understand that by signing this form I release and discharge Cloncurry Shire Council, event officials and volunteers from any and all liability for personal injury or property damage or any other loss whatsoever associated with my participation in the 'Beat the Heat – Mine Cart Rally'. Further, I indemnify event organisers from any and all claims or actions that may be brought against them in connection with my participation in this event.

I HAVE READ THE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, WAIVER AND RELEASE FORM AND ASSOCIATED TERMS AND CONDITIONS. BY SIGNING THIS FORM, I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO ALL TERMS AND CONDITIONS ASSOCIATED WITH MY PARTICIPATION IN THE EVENT.

Individual team members name:

Team name:

Signature:

Date:

Please note each team member is required to fill out the acknowledgement, waiver and release form.



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TERMS AND CONDITIONS – MINE CART RALLY

1. Information on how to enter the Mine Cart Rally forms part of these Terms and Conditions of entry. Participation in the event is deemed to be acceptance of these terms and Conditions, rules and regulations and any direction provided by the officials.
2. This event is run by Cloncurry Shire Council.
3. The Mine Cart Rally competition entries will open from 5 August 2019 to 30 August 2019, with the event to be held on 13 September 2019.
4. The competition commences at 7.00pm on 13 September 2019 with the winners presented following the final heat.
5. Participants will need to present their cart for inspection at 6.45pm.
6. Officers and immediate family of Cloncurry Shire Council are eligible to participate.
7. All entrants must be over the age of 18 years.
8. Teams will consist of one driver and one rider:
 - a. The rider is to be dressed as a cowboy with correct attire including a wide brim hat, jeans, boots and a long sleeve shirt. This participant is to be dressed in the correct attire prior to the event.
 - b. The driver is to be dressed as a miner, this person will be supplied with a hard hat, boots and overalls to put on as part of the race. The driver may choose to bring their own hat, boots and overalls.
9. The first and second places will be determined in the final heat with the first place going to the fastest time.
10. The most enthusiastic team winner will be judged by the officials for the team that has the best design and enthusiasm throughout their race.
11. Prizes are:
 - a. First place winner will receive a \$500 shop local gift voucher and a trophy
 - b. Second place will receive a \$300 shop local gift voucher

- c. Most Enthusiastic will receive a trophy
12. By entering the event the competitor agrees to indemnify Cloncurry Shire Council as per the Acknowledgment and waiver form.
 13. Entrants are required to fill out the application form and waiver by the due date in order to be eligible to enter the event.
 14. Prizes cannot be transferred, substituted, amended, exchanged, or redeemable for cash.
 15. Participants are responsible for constructing their mine cart to the specifications listed in the rules.
 16. Officials and judges reserve the right to disqualify teams for any of the following:
 - a. Not adhering to all directions given by officials
 - b. Teams do not turn up by the nominated time
 - c. Teams substitute a driver or rider
 - d. Unacceptable behaviour and language
 - e. Excessive use of alcoholic beverages
 - f. Consumption of controlled substances
 - g. Any other acts or behaviour that disrupt the reputation of the event