



2017 Kishwaukee Kup Bed Race

June 25th, 2017 – 12:00 P.M.

ENTRY FORM

This year's theme: "Stroll Down Memory Lane"

Entry Name: _____

Contact Person (Team Captain): _____

Phone: _____ Address: _____

Your E-mail address is requested for prompt confirmation and correspondence:

*All entries must provide their own identification, signs, etc. to be adequately identified by the announcer and spectators.

Race Team

1. _____ (Captain)

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____ (Alternate)

**Please note waivers must be completed at time of registration.



Please complete this form and return it to:
City Hall, 401 Whitney Blvd., Belvidere, IL 61008
Questions – Please call (815) 544-2612

The Kishwaukee Kup Bed Race

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Bed Construction Rules:

- 1.) Twin bed size only (39" x 75"). Mattress or padding must be part of the design. No bed stripping before race. Parade bed is race bed!!
- 2.) Bed must have a minimum of four wheels, one in each corner, all must touch the ground. Wheels can be any size.
- 3.) Beds can be decorated in any way, be creative! Anyone can design and decorate the beds, not just the racers. Participants are encouraged to dress along with the bed theme decoration to win prizes. (Remember this is a family event!)
- 4.) All entries must provide their own identification, sign, etc., so as to be identified by the announcer and spectators.
- 5.) Bed cannot have any means of propulsion other than the team pushing it. No motors. No steering mechanism. Human power only. No brakes.
- 6.) Bed may have push bars not extending more than 12 inches out. Nothing sharp may be part of the bed.
- 7.) Any violations in bed design will have penalties, (up to and including disqualification). Beds that are not constructed according to the rules will be required to be modified to adhere to the rules.
- 8.) No sharp items, glass or obscene items on beds. Beds will be disqualified for any of these violations. Beds will be inspected.

Race Rules:

- 1.) Each team must have 5 people to a team who actually race (4 runners, 1 rider, and may have 1 alternate, just in case). Each team may have a "Pit Crew" to help prep the race bed and give encouragement getting the crowd to cheer for crowd favorite. The Pit Crew does not race.
- 2.) **The rider must wear a helmet.**
- 3.) The race course is approximately .05 miles across State Street Bridge.
- 4.) The race is a single elimination race with two beds racing at a time for the first heat. All 5 team members must pass the finish line with the bed to win.
- 5.) The first bed to cross the finish line in each heat will compete in the next heat until the final team has come across as the **Kishwaukee Kup** winner!
- 6.) Pushing the bed only during the race, **NO PULLING!**
- 7.) Judges decision is final. The judges have the final word in all matters pertaining to the race and reserve the right to disqualify a team at any time.
- 8.) All racers (and/or their beds) are invited to push/walk in the Heritage Day Parade following the **Kishwaukee Kup Bed Race.**

BED RACE 2017
RELEASE & WAIVER

In consideration of permission to participate in the 2017 Bed Race in the City of Belvidere, I, intend to be fully legally bound, hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators and voluntarily assume all risks of accident or injury and release and forever discharge the City of Belvidere, its officials, officers and employees from any and all liability for bodily injury (including death) or property damage of any kind sustained in with the 2017 Bed Race, whether such bodily injury, death or property damage is caused by the negligence of the City of Belvidere, its officials, officers, employees, agents or otherwise. I agree that the ability to participate in the 2017 Bed Race is adequate consideration for this Agreement.

I understand and acknowledge that the 2017 Bed Race may be inherently dangerous. I hereby warrant and certify that I am physically fit to engage in the activities of the Bed Race and that I have not been informed to the contrary by any medical personnel.

I further covenant and agree to indemnify, defend and hold the City of Belvidere, its officials, officers, employees and agents harmless from all liability, loss and expense, including but not limited to, damages, legal expenses, reasonable attorney fees and costs of defense in any matter arising out of my participation in the 2017 Bed Race.

Date: _____.

By: _____.

By: _____.
Print Name

Address: _____.

_____.

Phone: _____.

In the event the participant is a minor, a parent or legal guardian must sign below:

I hereby grant my child _____ permission to participate in the 2017 Bed Race. I further acknowledge the waiver identified above and by executing this document agree to each of its provisions with respect to myself and my child.

Parent or Legal Guardian