2016 District 9 4-H Pinewood Derby

Car Specs:

• The car must be built for the current Pinewood Derby Racing Season. NO REPEATS or REPAINTS.
• The main body structure must be made of wood. The car design may be enhanced by the addition of other stable materials such as plastic or metal. Any additions must be firmly attached.
• Width: not to exceed 2 3/4 inches
• Length: not to exceed 7 inches
• Weight: not to exceed 5.0 ounces on a scale accurate to 1/10 ounce
• Height: not to exceed 3 inches
• Clearance: The wheels are the only part of the car allowed to touch the track.
• The following items are prohibited:
  o Springs
  o Starting devices or propellants
  o Electronic or lighting devices that interfere with the race electronics.
  o Liquids, wet paint, oil, sticky substance, or powders of any kind (other than axle lubrication)
  o Glass or excessively fragile parts
  o Bearings and or bushings
  o Hubcaps
  o Loose objects on car
• Each car must pass inspection by the Official Inspection Committee before it may compete. The inspectors will disqualify any car not meeting these rules.
• Good sportsmanship and behavior is expected. Race officials may ask anyone not following this rule to leave.

Competition Rules:

Each county will have the opportunity to race head to head on Day 1 and Day 2 of Big Time in D9 against another county. The match will be established by random draw and the winning car will advance in the competition leading up to a final race to be staged at the Award Assembly. It is up to the county to determine which car will be used in the head to head competition. All car specs listed above must be followed to have a qualifying entry.

Race Schedule for both days:

12:00 pm – practice runs and assembly time

2:00 pm – County match ups begin

Champion round to be run during award assembly!