Rules: Spring Meet Woodsmens' Weekend
April 21 & 22, 2017

Chief of Competition: Billy Adams

Overview: All rules for this meet will follow standard collegiate competition protocol. There will be no penalties for broken cookies or mismatched plaid. Chopping and sawing wood is white pine. 8x8 for all teams men, Jack & Jill, and women. Splitting wood, TBD. All events will be held at our new woodsmen's arena in front of the Forestry Club Cabin.

Singles:

Axe Throw: Distance: 20'; 6" max bit; one practice throw, three for score (5,4,3,2,1)
Do not cross line before axe contact target (penalty: 2 points). Double-stick may be tapped down by the competitor. The leading edge will count if it holds for five seconds.

Speed Climbing: 42' climb, time starts on go; time stops when climber strikes line with either hand or rope. Your team must provide at least one belayer. It is legal to begin with one leg in the tree. This event will be run head-to-head. Coin toss to determine which pole you climb. Toe or traditional gaffs may be used.

Single Buck:" starting kerf- dollar bill; wood will be white pine, diameter 16"-20"

Birling: 10 revolutions of the Key Log (18"), shortest time wins.

Boom run: Fastest time out of two runs on a 12 log boom. Calks are allowed (and encouraged). You may advance one log if you fall off. Five minute mercy rule.

Disk Stack: 6"x 6"white pine; 24"long. Most number of complete and fully severed disks cut in 1 minute. Stock or modified chainsaw allowed.

Doubles: Note- JJ teams must have one male and one female in each event.

Standing block chop: Shared block for two competitors, with each cutting one half of the block. Must wear foot and shin protection.

Crosscut to death: nine cuts on 8x8 for all compeatitors.12" wood allowance.

Obstacle Pole: Coin toss to determine station. The first competitor starts by Peavey rolling a 4' log into a V-notched bunk. Once the log is bunked, competitor one must run to the base of an incline log and mount before the line. The competitor then runs up the log to grab a choker, runs down the log without falling off (10 second penalty), chokes the log in the bunk and pulls it out. At this point the second competitor cuts a complete bowsaw cookie, hangs the bowsaw on the end of the log and splits the cookie in one swing. Failure to split the cookie in a single swing will result in a 10 second penalty. This event will be run head-to-head.

Triples: Note- JJ teams must have at least one female per event.

Underhand chop: axe on the wood 'til "one," time stops when the third block is severed. Foot and shin protection must be worn.30 second penalty for jumping the gun. DQ for blocks that are not completely severed.

Barrel Split: one bolt per person, pieces must be able to be passed through barrel without aid of axe. Random draw for barrels.

Canoeing: Note- JJ teams must have at least one female per event.
We will have a communal canoe for you to use, or you may bring your own (minimum length 14'). You must supply your own paddles and PFD.

Singles: two competitors on opposite sides of the shore. In-water hand-off.

Portage: similar arrangement as singles canoeing, plus an obstacle course through the woods.

Doubles: the most technical course with several wake-crossing elements including 360 degree turns and figure 8.

Team:
Pulp toss: 48 sticks, each division will have their own designated pit/pulp. One warning, then penalty for foot violation.

Log rolling: down and back with decking (30 second penalty for using hands, 5 seconds for intentional body contact)

Bow saw: one cut per person- must be full cuts, broken cookies ok as long as they can be reassembled.

Crosscut: two cuts per pair- broken cookies ok as long as they can be reassembled.

Packboard: 30lb pack- all teams; no fry pan required, standard packboard with no build in "shelf;" must hand off in designated area. Pack must cross line being worn on back with weight inside pack.

PENALTIES: general violations 5 seconds per occurrence unless otherwise noted.