**Modified 4-14-2025**

**OLYMPIC PENINSULA ANTIQUE TRACTOR AND ENGINE ASSOCIATION**

**TRACTOR PULLING RULES FOR ALL CLASSES**

1. **Absolutely no consumption of alcoholic beverages or non-prescription drugs until after your last pull of the day. Anyone who is found to be intoxicated before their pull will be disqualified and not allowed to pull. Your pulling fees will not be refunded.**
2. When a driver registers and pays his/her hook fees, they certify that they have read, understand and agree to the rules for pulling. All drivers must register and weigh in before pulling.
3. Persons caught cheating will automatically be disqualified.
4. A family membership qualifies one of the family members for a one first free hook fee. All subsequent hooks by members of the same family will be charged the $20.00 fee.
5. All drivers must attend the driver’s safety meeting held within ½ hour of the start of the contest.
6. The track official’s decision is final during the pull.
7. Drivers must be 14 years of age or older. Those under 18 years of age must have parental/guardian permission. These persons must be able to demonstrate the ability to safely operate the tractor.
8. Any tractor or puller found to be unsafe or illegal will be disqualified during the pull.
9. Any tractor/driver combination can pull in a maximum of three weight classes(one hook per class/ NATPA DIVISION). The pull director may add or subtract the number of hooks allowed per pull based upon the number of registered contestants.
10. The first puller in each class has the right to repull at the end of the class. He must choose which pull he wants to count as his/her official distance. His decision must be made to the track official before leaving the track at the end of his first hook.
11. Speed will be checked at the 150-foot mark. If the speed limit for the class is exceeded beyond this point, the puller will be disqualified.
12. A puller may stop within the first 25 feet of the pull to change gears without penalty. The puller must then return to the starting point to continue the pull. No jerking of the chain allowed.
13. In the event if a tie, a pull off will determine the winner. The pull-off contestants will not be charged for the extra hook.
14. Any tractor parts falling off the tractor ( a weight, flywheel cover, etc.) while hooked to the sled will be disqualified.
15. Wheelie bars are required. Materials used must be strong enough to support the

weight of the tractor when a jack is placed under the pad. Each pad must be a minimum of 5 square inches. The pad on the bottom of the wheelie bar must extend past the edge of the tire diameter by a minimum of 2”. The distance between the wheelie bars must be at a minimum of 24” from the outside edge of each pad.

1. The drawbar must have at least a 2 ½” hole to accommodate the sled chain hook.
2. The driver must remain seated in the tractor seat for the entire pull. No one except for the driver is allowed on the tractor while it is moving
3. All tractors must be over 50 years old from the current date.

**NOVICE CLASS**

This class is for anyone over the age of 14 that have never participated in a tractor pull.

1. This class is limited to a 3 MPH speed limit and first gear only.
2. A coach will be provided if the operator does not already have a coach to walk beside the tractor to coach the operator.
3. Several tractors will be available for the contestant to use if they do not have one.
4. One hook per contestant in this class.
5. The contest will still have to pay the $30 membership fee, but the hook itself is free.
6. Closed toed shoes and long pants are required.
7. Contestants under the age of 18 must have parent or guardians’ permission.
8. No steel wheels, no tracked vehicles. Two-wheel drive only. No duals

**Farm Stock Rules**

1. No front mounted fuel tanks allowed in the 3 MPH speed class.
2. Drivers must remain in the seat at all times. Hands must be on the steering wheel, hand clutch, or throttle. Feet must remain on the platform at all times during the pull.
3. Drawbars must maximum height of 20” and no less than 18” from the center of the axle to the hook point. The drawbar must be stationary in all directions. The hitch hole must allow the hook point to flow freely and must be parallel to the ground.
4. Weights must not extend rearward beyond the rear tires and cannot be more than 11 feet forward from center of the rear axle. All tractors must have a stock wheelbase.
5. No steel wheels or tracked tractors. Two-wheel drive only. No duals.
6. Tractors must be naturally aspirated.
7. Gas, diesel, or LP fuels only. No alcohol or nitrous fuels allowed in tractors. All tractors are subject to random fuel checks. Tractors manufactured to use diesel cannot be converted to LP or gasoline. Any AG type carburetor allowed.
8. Fan guards are required on all tractors.
9. Tractors must have stock AG engine, frames, transmission, rear end, and axle housing or a manufactures replacement. No adapter plates allowed for engine to transmission bolt up.
10. Front tires must be ag tires 10” in diameter or larger.
11. Speed will be checked at the halfway mark. If the speed of the tractor exceeds the speed limit for that class, the puller will be disqualified.
12. Massey Harris 33 and 44, Oliver 77, and like-sized tractors are not allowed below 4000 LBS. in the 3 MPH class.
13. Oliver 88, Farmall M, MM U, JD G, Case D, and like sized tractors are not allowed below 4500 LBS. in the 3 MPH class.
14. Max rear tire size in the 3 MPH class is 15.5-38 tires. Max tire size in the 4 MPH class is 16.9 -38 tires. No tire size restriction on tractors over 7000 LBS.

**MODIFIED FARM TRACTORS/EXHIBITION CLASS**

1. There is no limit on tire size, cut tires are allowed, but no duals.
2. There is no track speed limit but the speed limit when not on the track is limited to 5 MPH.
3. Wheelie bars are required. Minimum of two per tractor
4. Tractors of any age are welcome.
5. A kill switch is required.
6. A 2 ½ LBS. fire extinguisher is required to be onboard the tractor.
7. Hitch Height requirements are the same as for farm stock tractors with the following restrictions: 3” opening, 7/8” minimum thickness. No close than 8” from the center of the rear axle.
8. The tractor must have working brakes.
9. Tractor must not be longer than 12 feet from the center of the rear axle to the front most part of the tractor.
10. Rear Fenders are required.
11. A Deadman’s throttle is required ( it must be spring loaded to return the engine to idle when released)
12. No age limit on tractors
13. Limited to one V-8 engine, 1 carburetor only(any size) stock fuel injection.
14. Nox injection allowed.
15. No cubic inch engine limit
16. Must look like a tractor or at least have partial sheet metal and grill.
17. Side Shields are required. They must not be less than 1/8” thick and must cover from the bottom of the block to the head.
18. Clutch protection is required of any reasonable configuration. Transmission blanket is required.
19. Steel flywheels are required.
20. Wide front end is required.
21. Vertical exhaust is required.