BECOME AN OFFICIAL WATERMELON RACER !

Gather your pit crew and get your watermelons to the 1st Annual Airway Heights Festival Kiwanis Club Watermelon Race! Enjoy the spectacle of Sunset Park transformed into Watermelon Pit Row, where creativity runs wild and cheaters never prosper. Make your own Watermelon Racecar and feel the thrill of competing in this fun-spirited event.

WHAT IS THE WATERMELON RACE?

Handcrafted watermelon racecars racing side-by-side in unpredictable and dramatic style! Families and friends race for fun and the coveted Championship Trophy. Businesses can compete against one another!
Prizes are awarded for:

Grand Champion
Most Innovative Design
Best Crash
Best Decorated
Best Team Spirit

THE RULES

The Official Watermelon Race Rules have been established to promote fair play and inspire good old-fashioned American Ingenuity. All Watermelon Racers must design and race their Watermelons according to these few important rules to ensure that the Watermelon Race is fun and fair for everyone.

- **RULE #1 Craft your Watermelon Racecar using a single watermelon.**
- **RULE #2 Insert two independent axels through your watermelon and attach wheels to the axels. Spice up your racer with style. *(hint: the race course will be a section of the pathway at Sunset Park, plan your wheels accordingly to handle the terrain)***
- **RULE #3 You may not attach your watermelon onto a pre-fabricated chassis of any kind (skateboard, stroller, Tonka truck, etc., etc...) A.K.A. The "Anti-Stealth" Rule.**
- **RULE #4 NO EXPLOSIVES or PYROTECHNICS.**
- **RULE #5 No pushing or "helping" your Watermelon Racer on the starting line. Our Race Officials have seen it all - the last minute shove, the hidden thumb flick, the early release, the remote control chassis, etc. etc. See Rule #6.**
- **RULE #6 NO CHEATING. Feel great about being honest and fair. Don't be tempted to be a Cheater Watermelon. Use the honor system and obey the spirit of these rules. Our Race Officials have a keen eye and the Mallet-O-Justice ready to bring a Cheater Watermelon down. It's not pretty but it is funny!**

JOIN THE RACE - it's fun and it's easy! Compete in single elimination Open Qualifying for your chance to race in the Championship Finals. **BECOME A PART OF THIS NEW KIWANIS ANNUAL TRADITION** – This event is intended to bring families and our community together for a celebration of creativity, ingenuity, diversity and fair play. **It's all about the fun no matter what your age is!**

1ST ANNUAL WATERMELON RACES FRIDAY AUGUST 26TH

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

5:00-6:00pm Check In & Watermelon Racers on display in Pit Row for Judging

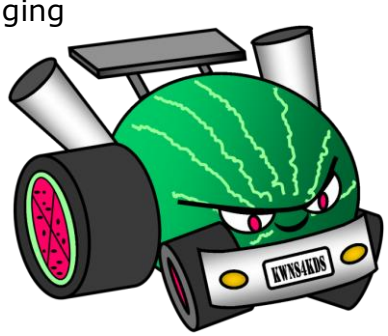
6:30pm Open Qualifying Races & Business Head to Head Challenges

8:00pm Semi Finals

9:00pm Watermelon Race Finals

6:00pm - 9:00pm Sunset Concert with The Honey Buckets!

After the Concert: Summer Moonlight Movie, Alice in Wonderland



Be sure to arrive on time and after you register your Watermelon Racecar make sure to place it on display on Pit Row for judging. Prize awarded for best-decorated, most innovative design, best team spirit.

WATERMELON RACE TIPS

Wear a costume
Bring the whole family
Get your Watermelon Racecar ready and enter the Race!
See The Cheater (he only races in the finals)

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Corporate Cup Challenge $20 Registration Fee $25 Day of Event Businesses race head to head for the chance to earn bragging rights and the coveted Corporate Traveling Trophy

Community Challenge $5 Registration Fee $10 Day of Event The Community Challenge gives families and friends the chance to challenge each other, race for fun and a chance to win the coveted Championship Trophy.
Pre-Registration is highly recommended and a more affordable way to enjoy this unique community event.
Simply fill out the information below, sign the waiver and mail your completed application along with payment to: Kiwanis Club of Airway Heights/CO Inland Northwest Bank, Attn: Janet Dibler VP,11917 W. Sunset Hwy, Airway Heights WA 99001

This is a release of liability. Read it carefully before signing. I acknowledge that I voluntarily choose to participate in this Activity which is organized, co-organized, operated or administered by the City of Airway Heights and the Airway Heights Kiwanis Club.

I assume all risks and hazards incidental to participating in the Activity and do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify and agree to hold harmless the City of Airway Heights and the Airway Heights Kiwanis Club, their supervisors, participants and instructors for any claim arising out of any personal injury or property damage. I am fully aware of the potential dangers and risks inherent in this Activity, including physical injury, death or other consequences that may arise or result directly or indirectly from participation in this Activity.

I certify that I am of sound mind and at least 18 years of age. I have read this document in its entirety and sign this agreement freely and voluntarily, as an individual and on behalf of my heirs, executors, and agents, and agree to abide by all the provisions set forth in this document.
►► ALL TEAM MEMBERS MUST COMPLETE THIS FORM; WE WILL HAVE FORMS AVAILABLE AT CHECK IN FOR YOUR ADDITIONAL TEAM MEMBERS AND WAIVERS FOR PARENT/GUARDIANS PARTICIPATING IN THE COMMUNITY DIVISION WITH MINORS

PROVIDE ALL REGISTRATION INFORMATION, READ AND SIGN THE RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND CERTIFY THAT ALL INFORMATION IS ACCURATE.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Team Capain: First Name_____Last Name_____

☐ Male ☐ Female Age_____ Phone:_____ Address:_____

City/State_____Zip:_____Email Address:_____

Signature of Participant_____Date_____