

# Hancock County Fair School Bus Race Rules

Saturday, July 25, 2009  
7:00 p.m.

**If these rules do not say you can do it, then don't do it!!**

Be sure to check the general rules. All interpretations by the track are final. You are responsible to know the track position on all rules. **Ignorance is no excuse!!**

**Drivers must have a valid driver's license.**

**Drivers age 18 & younger MUST have a signed Parental Authorization Form NO EXCEPTIONS!!!!!!!**

## **Safety Rules Mandatory**

- The fair officials will inspect all buses and or equipment before competing. All buses must be safety inspected before they race. If and when deemed necessary, officials shall have the authority to insist upon a physical or eye examination of any participant.
- No bus shall have any passengers and or riders at any time.
- Racing helmet with min. snell 95 rating and neck brace.
- Minimum one shoulder and lap seat belt (5 point harness recommended)
- No recoil seat belts allowed.
- All belts and installation shall be approved by safety personnel. Sternum straps are okay.
- All required belts must be in use at all times the bus is in motion on the track.
- All buses must have fire extinguisher (minimum 2 LBS) securely mounted within easy reach of the driver.

## **Safety Rules Recommended**

- Fire suit with SFI min rating of "1"
- Aluminum racing seats mounted in stock location.
- Four point roll bar.

## **Bus Body Rules**

- Open to any 54 passenger buses or larger. **NO** mini or small buses.
- Body and interior must remain completely intact. Seats may either be removed or secured. All glass and plastic light lenses must be removed.
- All bus glass must be removed except windshield. If windshield is removed, it must be replaced with approved metal screen ¼" mesh or smaller. No glass or plastic may remain in the bus.
- Nothing may be painted on the bus which might be considered offensive.
- All buses will be screened before entry to track surface and buses not conforming to the rules shall not compete.

**Decisions of the officials are final!!!**