

**“Inaugural St. Johns Soap Box Derby”**

**After a 43 Year Pause,**

**The St. Johns Soap Box Derby**

**Has Returned!**



**Presenting The 1st Annual**

**St. Johns Soap Box Derby**

**Sunday June 16, 2019**

# Program

\*\*\* Parents, please make sure your driver is where they need to be at the specified time.

**Take time to visit our History Tent located on the third block!**

**7:00am** – Drivers & Car Handlers get cars out of quarantine and line them up near the History Tent.

**8:00am** – Chuckie D's breakfast will be served at the Rotary Pavilion by the Depot, compliments of the Soap Box Derby Committee. Rotarians will be serving breakfast to the Drivers/2 Car Handlers per car/Volunteers & Committee Members. There will also be a Drivers meeting during breakfast. All Drivers and Car Handlers **MUST** be present.

**9:00am** – Drivers line up for the parade on Maple Street, between the Court House and the Congregational Church.

**9:30am** – Parade Starts

**9:55am** – National Anthem sung by Kelly Bitz  
Invocation by Pastor Tim Trommater

**10:00am** – Cars start rolling... Each driver will have an opportunity to get one practice run down the track before the actual racing starts.

**Immediately Following the Practice Runs** – Let the Racing begin. We will run the first heat of the Stock Division first, followed immediately by the first heat of the Super Stock Division. Then alternate Divisions each heat the same way.

**Following the Final Race (Approximately 5:00pm)** – Awards Ceremony at the Wilson Center. One block South of the starting ramps, behind the Court House. An announcement will be made for a specific time as we get closer to the end of the racing.



## Stock Car Drivers Ages 7-13



**Adrienne Grochulski (8)** – Perrinton, MI

Adrienne attends Fulton Elementary in Fulton. Her sponsor is **Price Construction in St. Johns.**



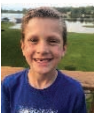
**Bridger Havaland (9)** – St. Johns, MI

Bridger attends Riley Elementary in St. Johns. His sponsor is **JC Electric in St. Johns.**



**Chelsea Moinet (10)** – St. Johns, MI

Chelsea attends Oakview Elementary in St. Johns. Her sponsor is **Young Chevrolet in St. Johns.**



**Dylan Phillips (8)** – Laingsburg, MI

Dylan attends Laingsburg Elementary in Laingsburg. His sponsors are **Avery Eye Car & Chuckie D's in St. Johns.**

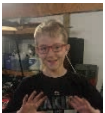


## **Stock Car Drivers** **Ages 7-13**



**Griffin Roberts (7)** – Sherwood, MI

Griffin attends Union City Elementary. His sponsors are **Roberts Dairy Service & The Mint Door in St. Johns.**



**Gus Kaiser (12)** – St. Johns, MI

Gus attends the St. Johns Middle School. His sponsors are **Research Tool in Ovid/RJK Recycling in St. Johns**



**Jackson Rewerts (9)** – Mason, MI

Jackson attends Steele Elementary in Mason. His sponsors are **Andy T's Farm Market in St. Johns & Spartan Printing in Lansing.**



**Jacob Harr (10)** – St. Johns, MI

Jacob attends St. Joseph Catholic School in St. Johns. His sponsor is **Butler Financial in St. Johns.**



## Stock Car Drivers Ages 7-13



**Jameson Halsey (10)** – St. Johns, MI

Jameson attends Riley Elementary in St. Johns. His sponsor is **The American Legion Family, Post 153 in St. Johns.**



**Jayden Mardigian (10)** – DeWitt, MI

Jayden attends Herbison Woods Elementary in DeWitt. His sponsor is **Big Boy in St. Johns.**



**Keegan Hamilton (8)** – St. Johns, MI

Keegan attends Oakview Elementary in St. Johns. His sponsor is the **Hub Tire Store in St. Johns.**



**Logan Patterson (7)** – St. Johns, MI

Logan attends Riley Elementary in St. Johns. His sponsor is **Bob's Auto Body in St. Johns.**



## Stock Car Drivers Ages 7-13



**Maddox Munger (8)** – Perrinton, MI

Maddox attends St. Joseph Catholic School in St. Johns.  
His sponsor is **Bee's Sports in St. Johns.**



**Phillip Kidd (8)** – Elsie, MI

Phillip attends Leonard Elementary in Elsie. His sponsor  
is **Mahle Engine Components in St. Johns.**



**Trevor Harr (9)** – St. Johns, MI

Trevor attends St. Joseph Catholic School in St. Johns.  
His sponsor is **Harrs Jewelry in St. Johns.**



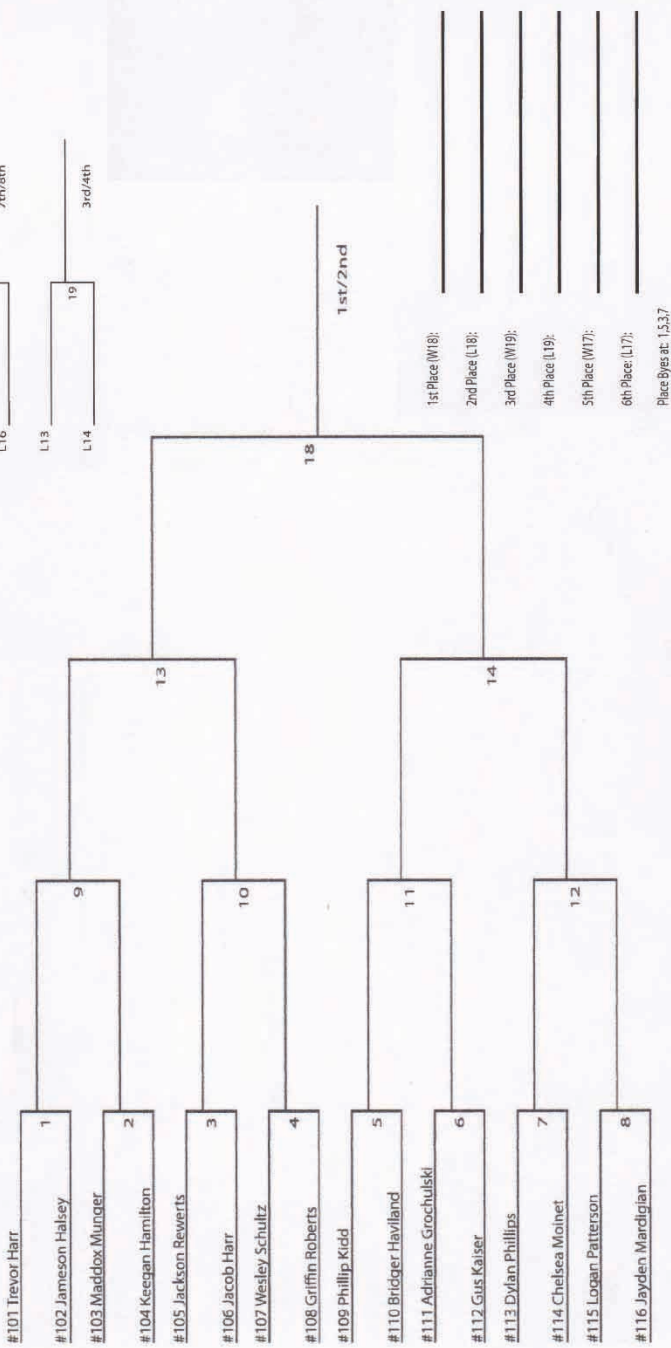
**Wesley Schultz (13)** – St. Johns, MI

Wesley attends St. Johns Middle School in St. Johns. His  
ponsor is **Smith Lawnsapes in St. Johns.**



# St. Johns Soap Box Derby

## 16 Car Single Elimination Stock Bracket





## **Super Stock Car Drivers Ages 10-18**



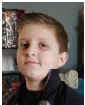
**Abby Thelen (13)** – St. Johns, MI

Abby attends the St. Johns Middle School in St. Johns. Her sponsor is **Swaney's Pub in St. Johns.**



**Anthony Kramer (11)** – Plymouth, MI

Anthony attends West Middle School in Plymouth. His sponsor is **Olympian Tool in St. Johns**



**Ayden Marchek (10)** – St. Johns, MI

Ayden will attend the St. Johns Middle School in St. Johns. His sponsor is the **Andrew Nelson Memorial Foundation in St. Johns.**



**Braden Pouch (12)** – St. Johns

Chris attends the St. Johns Middle School in St. Johns. His sponsor is **EdgeWraps in St. Johns.**





## **Super Stock Car Drivers Ages 10-18**



**Chase Vincent (12)** – St. Johns, MI

Chase attends the St. Johns Middle School in St. Johns. His sponsors are **Hammer & Hands Customs, Swap Specialties & Performance, and Vision Collision.**



**Cy Honeycutt (15)** – St. Johns, MI

Cy attends the St. Johns High School in St. Johns. His sponsor is **The American Legion Post 153 in St. Johns.**



**Emily Clapsadle (14)** – St. Johns, MI

Emily attends St. Johns High School in St. Johns. Her sponsor is **Michigan Graphics & Signs in St. Johns.**



**Emma Sickles (12)** – Laingsburg, MI

Emma attends St. Johns Middle School in St. Johns. Her sponsor is **Chasco Plumbing & Heating in St. Johns.**



## **Super Stock Car Drivers Ages 10-18**



**Hudson Smith (10)** – St. Johns, MI

Hudson attends St. Joseph Catholic School in St. Johns.  
His sponsor is **Barks Farms in St. Johns.**



**Jacob Trommater (9)** – DeWitt, MI

Jacob attends Herbison Woods Elementary School in DeWitt. His sponsor is **DeWitt Dental Associates in DeWitt.**



**Jason Hanses (12)** – Westphalia, MI

Jason will attend Pewamo-Westphalia Middle School.  
His sponsor is **Taco Bell in St. Johns.**



**Macy Kowatch (12)** – St. Johns, MI

Macy attends St. Joseph Catholic School in St. Johns.  
Her sponsor is **Allaby & Brewbaker Insurance in St. Johns.**



## **Super Stock Car Drivers Ages 10-18**



**Mattison Lynch (17) – St. Johns, MI**

Mattison attends St. Johns High School. Her sponsor is **Mahle Engine Components in St. Johns.**



**Myles Gruber (10) – St. Johns, MI**

Myles attends Riley Elementary School in St. Johns. His sponsors are his Grandparents **Adeline Feldpausch and John & Dot Anderson.**



**Owen Denovich (9) – St. Johns, MI**

Owen attends St. Joseph Catholic School in St. Johns. His sponsor is **New Look Computer & Data in St. Johns.**



**Zack Colthorp (16) – St. Johns, MI**

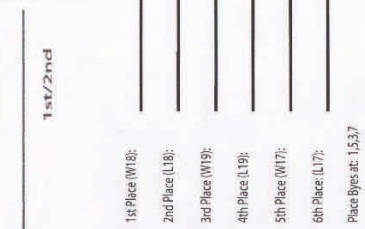
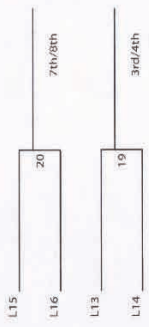
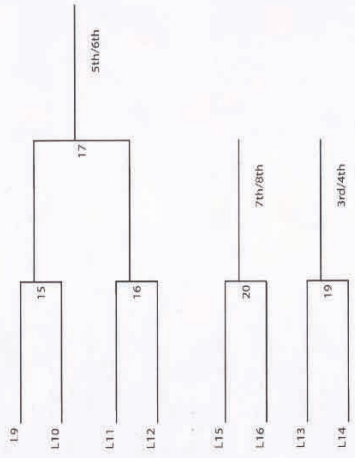
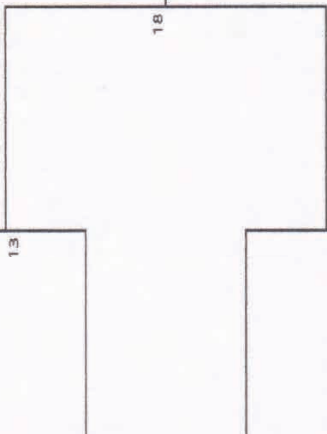
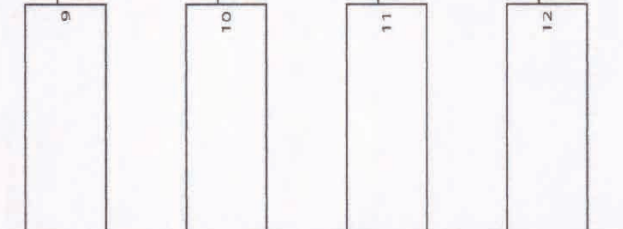
Zack attends St. Johns High School in St. Johns. His sponsor is **Ryan's Roadhouse in St. Johns.**



# St. Johns Soap Box Derby

## 16 Car Single Elimination Super Stock Bracket

- #201 Zack Colthorp
- #202 Chase Vincent
- #203 Hudson Smith
- #204 Braden Pouch
- #205 Jacob Trommator
- #206 Owen Denovich
- #207 Myles Gruber
- #208 Anthony Kramer
- #209 Macy Kowatch
- #210 Emma Slickles
- #211 Abby Thelen
- #212 Cy Honeycutt
- #213 Jason Hanses
- #214 Mattison Lynch
- #215 Emily Clapsadle
- #216 Ayden Marchek



- 1st Place (W18): \_\_\_\_\_
- 2nd Place (L18): \_\_\_\_\_
- 3rd Place (W19): \_\_\_\_\_
- 4th Place (L19): \_\_\_\_\_
- 5th Place (W17): \_\_\_\_\_
- 6th Place (L17): \_\_\_\_\_
- Place Byes at: 1,5,7

**A Special Thank  
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Would Not Have  
Happened!**



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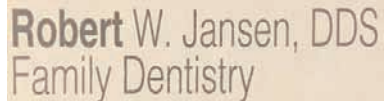


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# Bronze Sponsors



# In-Kind Donations

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Brent Brya

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Moon Drywall LLC

Postal Connections

Rotary Club of St. Johns

Specialized Deer Processing

Todd Dietrich

Woodbury's Flower Shop

## Wheel Swap & Lane Change

The All-American Soap Box Derby rules require that we do a “Wheel Swap” and “Lane Change” for every heat. What that means is Racer A and Racer B race in the first heat. Racer A would be in Lane 1 and Racer B would be in Lane 2. Now each Racer and their car are brought back up to the top of the hill and they will race a second time. Before they race for the second time, they will swap their wheels with each other. After the other seven first heats, they will race their second race. This time Racer A will be in Lane 2 and Racer B will be in Lane 1. If one racer wins both races, then that driver is declared the winner. If Racer A wins the first race, and Racer B wins the second race, then the winner will be decided by which racer had the greatest time differential based on the official timer. After the second race, the racers swap their wheels again, so that they get their original wheels back.



Make sure to buy yourself a souvenir Inaugural St. Johns Soap Box Derby Shirt. It’s sure to be a collector’s item! They are available through Custom Embroidery in St. Johns, located at 304 N Lansing Street. Call them at 989-227-9338.



## Our Announcer's

Art Wainwright & Mark Cowan

## St. Johns Race Director

Dan Matson

## Derby Committee

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Phil Hanses

Ron Matson

Alan Nelson

Eric Smith

Mark Smith

Art Wainwright

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