Rough and Tumble Engineers Historical Association
Stock Garden Tractor Pull Rules

General Rules:

- All operators must be an active Rough and Tumble member.
- All operators must be a minimum of 10 years of age.
- All operators 10-15 years of age must have a guardian as a member of Rough and Tumble.
- Garden tractors are to be built to manufacturers specifications.
- The operator must be able to demonstrate they can operate the tractor safely.
- Both front wheels shall stay in contact with the ground. Unsafe conditions will be flagged.
- Hitch point shall be no higher than one inch below center line of rear axle and not exceeding 10 inches in height.
- No cut tires, chains, dual wheels, or four-wheel drive garden tractors.
- Engines shall be original make for the tractor.
- Engine RPM shall not exceed 4000 RPM (Tachometer will be utilized at pull to check if necessary)

Weight Classes:

- 600 lbs., 700 lbs., 800 lbs., 900 lbs., 1000 lbs., 1200 lbs., 1300 lbs., 1400 lbs.

Clauses for All Garden Tractor Pulling:

- Operators must always stay seated and have one hand on steering wheel at all times.
- All weights must be securely fastened.
- The pulling committee reserves the right to reject any tractor or driver for not complying with the published rules.
- The pulling committee’s decision are final.

We want all pulls to be safe and fun times for the spectators, pull operators and participants.
Experience indicates the necessity for establishing and publishing rules for everyone to follow to ensure that we do have a fun and safe time.

Tractor forward speed may not pass the flagman. Violations will cause immediate disqualification.

In the interest of uniformity, any participants interested in pulling in the Garden Tractor pulled that is held on the Saturday of Reunion, held in August, will be required to set up and display all four days of the show. This four-day requirement is already enforced for the large tractor pullers. We have grown to a point that we can no longer accommodate truck/trailer parking for Saturday only pullers. Thank you for understanding.

Thank you,
The Garden Tractor Pulling Committee

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