

**KICKING HORSE  
COUNTRY  
FALL FAIRE  
2009  
BACK SEAT DRIVER  
COMPETITION  
SPONSORED BY  
GOLDEN GOLF  
&  
COUNTRY  
CLUB**

## 2009 Back Seat Driving Rules

### Back Seat Driving

A backseat driver is a vehicle passenger who is not controlling the vehicle and seems to be uncomfortable with the skills of the driver and/or wants to tutor the driver while the driver is at the wheel.

Some backseat drivers exhibit this type of behavior simply because they feel unsafe or out of control since they are not driving the vehicle and therefore are nervous and jumpy and overly eager to give suggestions and criticism about the driver's actions. Being a Backseat Driver means it is okay to be noisy or distracting to the driver as long as you are giving them safety tips.

Which of us who has graduated to the status of driver enjoys a passenger, especially one out of reach in the back seat, who seems to know how to drive better than we do?

### General Rules

1. The objective of the event is to see which couple can complete the course in the shortest amount of time possible with the fewest moving violations in their class.
2. Any couple over the age of 19 is eligible to enter, but must compete according to the Wedded Couple list below.
3. Entrants will drive a golf cart on the designated course set up by the Backseat Driver Committee.
4. The driver will be blindfolded. Either Spouse may drive the golf cart.
5. The other spouse will be the passenger. The passenger will direct the driver through the course verbally. The passenger will be sitting in the passenger seat. The passenger is not allowed to touch the steering wheel, handle, gear shift or driver during course.
6. The couple will have 3 minutes to complete the course. If you don't complete in the allotted time you will be disqualified.
7. Couples are to have good sportsmanship. The use of profanity, vulgar language, and/or reckless driving will result in disqualification.
8. No one races without a signed waiver. Signed waivers and entry forms must be in to the Golden Museum office no later than September 4th, 2009. Museum address is 1302 - 11th Ave South, Golden, B.C. or Box 992, Golden, B.C. V0A 1H0

### Wedded Couple List

- Unwed couples: Committed but not married.
- Newlyweds: 5 or less years married.
- Doublets: 6-25 years married.
- Lifers: 26 years or more married

There will be a limit of 4 couples per class. Cost per couple will be \$10. Winners of each class will receive a round of golf for 2 - with cart rental.

Names of Couple \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone \_\_\_\_\_



## **Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair - Back Seat Driver Competition Liability Waiver & Medical Treatment Consent**

(In order for us to process your registration, you must sign the Liability Waiver/Medical Treatment Consent after you have read and agreed to the terms. Registrations where the waiver/consent has been altered will not be processed.)

I hereby acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to participate/have my minor child participate in Back Seat Driving activities associated with the Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair.

I AM AWARE THAT SERIOUS ACCIDENTS MAY OCCUR DURING THE BACK SEAT DRIVING ACTIVITY AND THAT GOLF CARTS ARE HAZARDOUS EQUIPMENT AND RACING THEM IS A HAZARDOUS RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY. I AM AWARE THAT PARTICIPATION IN THIS ACTIVITY MAY RESULT IN PERSONAL INJURY INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO SKIN DAMAGE, SCRAPES, CUTS, BRUISES, BROKEN BONES, BRAIN DAMAGE, CONCUSSIONS, PARALYSIS, DEATH OR OTHER SERIOUS INJURY. I understand that included among dangerous elements of the back seat driving competition is the risk of injury as a result of the inexperience of the undersigned or any other participants, the risk of being colliding with bales of hay and, being struck by other objects. I understand that the racing surface cannot be insured to be smooth or free from defects and debris and that there is a risk of injury as a result of the golf cart running over or into an unknown hazard.

I understand that participation in the Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair program (s) and any and all use of the Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair Race Track is at my own risk. I fully understand the dangers involved in this activity and hereby agree to accept any and all risks including those enumerated above and I hereby RELEASE on behalf of myself, my spouse and any all family members, and WAIVE any and all claims against and will INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE KICKING HORSE COUNTRY FALL FAIR, TOWN OF GOLDEN, GOLDEN AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY, THEIR PARTNERS, THEIR RESPECTIVE AGENTS, OFFICIALS, VOLUNTEERS AND EMPLOYEES from any and all liability, actions, causes of action, debts, claims, and demands of every kind or nature whatsoever which I now have or which may arise out of or in connection with my participation in the KICKING HORSE COUNTRY FALL FAIR program(s) and or use of the Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair Race Track.

Participants Initials \_\_\_\_\_

This release is intended to discharge, in advance, the KICKING HORSE COUNTRY FALL FAIR, TOWN OF GOLDEN, GOLDEN AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY (including their respective partners, agents, officials, volunteers, and employees) from and against any and all liability arising out of, or in any way connected with my participation in the Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair program (s) or use of the Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair Race Track, even though the liability may arise out of active or passive negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or entities mentioned above.

Furthermore, I hereby agree that I, my heirs, and assigns will not make claim against, sue, attach the property of, or prosecute the Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair, Town of Golden, Golden and District Historical Society (including their respective agents, officials, employees and volunteer), for negligence, carelessness or their acts however caused, as result of my participation in Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair program(s).

I understand the risks involved in back seat driving and participating in this event. I also acknowledge that Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair has strongly recommended that I wear a safety glasses, helmet, and other protective gear as a safety precaution.

I hereby authorize qualified physicians to render medical treatment or care that they may deem necessary for me or my family members in case of illness or accident during such program(s). I agree to accept and abide by the rules and regulations of the Kicking Horse Country Fall Fair Program(s).

By my signature below, I signify that I have read, understand and voluntarily agree to be bound by each of the terms stated above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participants Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Participants Signature