

Eureka Rendezvous Bed Races 2019

Rules

Registration

- TEAMS MUST PRE-REGISTER BY APRIL 24, 2019 (late registrations to be approved by Race Officials)
- Team registration fee is \$50 per team and may be made online through the Chamber web site. If paying by check (made payable to Eureka Chamber of Commerce) please return completed form to: Eureka Rendezvous / ATTN: Bed Races / PO Box 186 / Eureka, MT 59917.
- Bed race information is available on the Chamber web site, or by emailing [**bakenwake@gci.net**](mailto:bakenwake@gci.net), or calling Borderline Bed and Breakfast at: 406-889-8832.
- Teams must have a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 5 participants (pit crew is optional).
- Participants must be at least 16 years of age. Minors must have parental consent.
- Teams can be self-sponsored, or sponsored by an organization or business. It is a great opportunity to advertise on the beds.
- Team members may participate in multiple bed teams.

Race Day

- Race Day is Saturday April 27, 2019 - immediately after the parade (parade starts at noon).
- In order to promote a more safe bed race, the race will be held on mostly flat ground. Starting Line is at the Town Hall, and the Finish Line is Second Avenue by the liquor store and Wade's.
- Beds must be inspected and approved by a Race Official prior to the start of racing. Teams need to check in from 10:00AM -12:30 PM.
- Check-in and staging area is at the Eureka Town Hall.
- All team members must be in contact with the bed at the start and the finish line.
- Beds must not cross the center line during the race.
- Any bed parts or debris lost during a race must be picked up prior to the next race.
- Heats will be timed. The best overall time will be declared the winner.
- Judges decisions are final.
- The over-all winning team will be presented with the traveling Bed Race Trophy and a \$50 cash prize.
- There will also be a \$50 cash prize for the team with the best costumes / team spirit.

Bed Specs

- Unique bed design and costumes are encouraged to promote team spirit, and make the races more exciting.
- Beds are powered by the runners - no motors, pedals, chains, roller blades, etc.
- Steering mechanisms are allowed.
- Wheels may be of any size or style (air-filled tires are allowed).
- Beds must include a mattress.
- One team member must ride on the bed.