# National Outdoor Show

## 🪚 Log Sawing Contest Rules 🪚

### 📆 Event Details

📍 **Location:** Behind the tennis courts (weather permitting)

🗓️ **Date:** Saturday

🕐 **Sign-ups:** Begin at 1:00 p.m. 🏁 Competition Starts: 2:00 p.m.

## 👤 Eligibility

- Contestants **must be older than 12 years old**
- **Participants under 18** must submit a **parent permission slip/waiver**
- All contestants must agree to abide by the rules; failure to do so may result in disqualification

## 🪓 Equipment Rules

- Contestants **may bring their own saws**, or use saws provided by the committee
- **Logs are supplied** by the National Outdoor Show Committee
- **No preliminary cuts** are allowed
- **No saw preparations** may be made on school property
- **Saw blades must remain covered** while on school property
  - Covers may be removed **only when beginning a competition round**
  - Covers must be **replaced immediately after competing**

## 🏆 Competition Divisions & Requirements

| Division | Cutting Requirement | Prize |
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| **Business** | 3 clean cuts | $50 each (per winner) |
| **Civic Organization** | 3 clean cuts | $50 each PLUS<br>**$200 donation to the organization** |
| **School** | 1 clean cut | $50 each PLUS<br>**$200 donation to the school** |
| **Audience Challenge** | 1 clean cut | Trophy |

## ⏱️ Timing & Judging

- Contestants are **timed** from the **start of the first cut** until the **final cut hits the floor**
- The goal is to make **clean, complete cuts** as quickly as possible
- **Judges' decisions are final.**

## ⚠️ Safety & Liability

- The **National Outdoor Show Foundation** and its committee **are not responsible** for:
  - Personal saws
  - Injuries sustained during the event
- All participants compete **at their own risk**

## ✅ Reminder: **Parent permission/waiver is required for participants under age 18**

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