

# Valve Cover Racing

## 2025 NCCC Convention

As of July 1, 2024

### Rules for Construction of Valve Cover Race Car:

- The valve cover must be Chevy, from either a small block (283, 327, etc. cu. in.) or a big block (396, 427, etc.)
- The valve cover must retain its original gasket sealing surface.
- The race car can have a chassis, but nothing may extend beyond the gasket surface on the front of the race car. This applies to the wheels also.
- The center line of the rear wheels may not extend beyond the gasket surface on the rear of the race car.
- There are a maximum of 4 wheels allowed, either inside or outside of the valve cover.
- No engine, propulsion, or moving weights (weights must be secured). Gravity is your friend.
- The race car must be clean (no sludge). If the race car drips oil or grease, it will be disqualified.
- The dimensions of the race car are as follows:
  - Maximum Length = 26 inches
  - Maximum Width = 10 inches
  - Maximum Height = 9 inches
  - Maximum Weight = 8 pounds (official digital scales at the event will govern)
  - Maximum Wheel Diameter = 4 inches
  - Minimum ½ inch clearance to bottom of race car

### The Event will consist of the following:

- **People's Choice Show**
  - Voting takes place before the start of and/or during racing
  - There will be a People Choice 1<sup>st</sup> place award
- **Speed Race:**
  - The class races are double elimination drags so everyone will get at least 2 runs.
  - Top Eliminator race is single elimination.
  - Four classes:
    - Small Block-Men
    - Big Block-Men
    - Small Block-Ladies
    - Big Block-Ladies
  - Method for determining bye runs will be discussed at drivers meeting
  - Entrants will "stage" their own cars on the track.
  - Top Eliminator elimination rounds:
    - 1<sup>st</sup> place Men's Small Block vs 1<sup>st</sup> place Men's Big Block
    - 1<sup>st</sup> place Ladies Small Block vs 1<sup>st</sup> place Ladies Big Block
    - Top Man vs Top Lady
  - Awards:
    - Each class will have a 1<sup>st</sup> place award
    - Top Eliminator award