

BALLOONFEST, AIR SHOW & SO MUCH MORE

HEAVY EQUIPMENT RODEO

Track Hoe Softball

A track hoe will be used for this event. The objective is to set 2 softballs in PVC pipe without dislodging either one once one ball has been set. The balls are attached to strings of different lengths. When viewing the balls and string you will observe that you must set the ball with the longest string first, then carefully swing the boom and set the 2nd ball without dislodging the first ball you set. There will be a 2 minute maximum time limit.

Rules: RPM to be set @ 1800. Time begins when the bucket move from the block of wood it was resting on. Time ends when the second ball lands in the PVC pipe and the operator's hands are in the air signaling you are finished. (You will be shown the signal). The balls must not come into contact with the ground after the bucket starts to move and it passes the painted line on the ground. Leave your hands in the air until such time as the judge's assistants have removed the balls and signaled you to return to the starting position. Remember you may continue to try and set the balls even if the one pops out of the pipes up until 2 minute time limit.

Penalties

1. You will be disqualified if the balls come off the bucket at anytime.
2. There will be 30 seconds added to the total time for each time the balls touch the ground.

Participant: _____

Contact phone #: _____

Time: _____