Workshops

AT THE IDEA FOUNDRY

Build your car with help from the pros at the Idea Foundry. Workshops are on Saturday, July 21, 1–4pm ***and*** Saturday, July 28, 1–4pm. Cost is only $15 for ***both*** days.

Email CSCApinewood@gmail.com to sign up.

NEW! **OPTIONAL WORKSHOPS AT COLUMBUS IDEA FOUNDRY:**

July 21 & 28, 1–4 pm

Your bags are packed, tank is full, and the road is wide open. Here's a map for the trip ahead.

2018 CSCA Pinewood Derby

OFFICIAL RULE MAP

See you there!

Thursday, August 9, 2018

Columbus Idea Foundry
421 W. State St, Columbus, OH 43215

Learn more: **CSCArts.org/pinewood-derby-2018**

Entry

A fee of $30 per registered car is required to race.

Each registration includes an official Boy Scouts of America build kit, event merch, and entry for one to the event. There is no limit to the amount of cars registered to an individual or business. **This is a fundraiser—all proceeds benefit the CSCA Student Scholarship fund.**

Bring Your Friends!
Spectator admission: $5

Derby FAQs

WHO CAN ENTER?

Anyone of any age may enter—CSCA members or non-members.

HOW DO I REGISTER?

To register and purchase a Pinewood kit, sign up at the next CSCA event or contact **CSCApinewood@gmail.com.**

CAN I ENTER AN OLD CAR?

Previously raced or entered Pinewood Derby cars from other events may be entered provided they use wheels and axles from the kit and must comply with the technical standards set forth by CSCA. Entry Fee for previously-raced cars is $30.

Awards

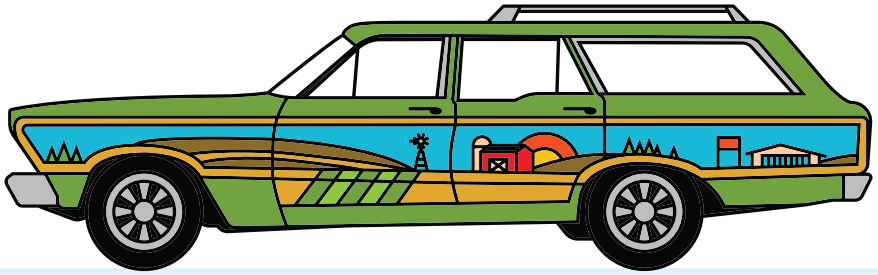
BIG IDEA
Awarded to the car with the most outstanding creative idea. Decided by popular vote on race day.

BEST DESIGN
Awarded to the car with the best mix of originality, proportion, shape, line, details and craftsmanship. Decided by popular vote on race day.

FASTEST
Awarded to the top two cars to cross our fancy electronic timer at the fastest speeds.

THE PIT CREW CUP
Awarded to the group (big or small) that shows the most team spirit from now, all the way up through the night of Pinewood Derby. Turn up the collaboration with a team name, group costumes, and social media bragging. Start your tweeting! #CSCAPinewood18 #cscarts

SPIRIT OF THE DERBY
This award is presented at the discretion of the Derby Leaders and given to the participant or volunteer who embodies the spirit of the derby, bringing more than just a car to the event.



Car Standards

MATERIALS
If you dream it, you can build it. All cars entered shall be constructed from the official kit that you purchased from CSCA. You do not have to use the wood from the kit but it does have the handy pre-cut axle slots. Add-ons of plastic, metal, paint, fur, etc. are allowed. Have fun with your design—aside from these pesky rules, your journey is your own.

SIZE
Race cars may be no longer than 7 inches, and no wider than 2 3/4 (2.75) inches, and no taller than 4 inches, as determined by the official gauges during race day inspection. Underside clearance of at least 3/8 (0.375) inches and inside wheel to wheel clearance of 1-3/4 (1.75) inches is recommended for the car to be able to roll on the track.

WHEELS & AXLES
The car must roll on the wheels and axles from the kit we sell you. The axles shall be firmly affixed to the wood of the car body.

WEIGHT
Race cars may weigh no more than five (5) ounces (total weight) as determined on the official Pinewood Derby scale during race day inspection.

LUBRICANTS
Only dry/powder lubricants such as graphite may be used. Use of any wet lubricants will be means for disqualification.

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