

# Bare Cove Fire Museum's Firewood Derby

9<sup>th</sup> Annual Model Fire Apparatus Race Night

Friday, April 24, 2009, 6:00 P.M.

Open to all ages

No Divisions! Head to Head Competition

All are invited to join the only-one-of-it's-kind miniature fire related vehicle competition full of fun, food and excitement. For new comers, this is a spin-off of the Cub Scout Pinewood Derby Cars with some changes. So read these rules carefully:

"Firewood Derby" Apparatus specifications are as follows:

**The "car" must be a fire related design to compete.**

Use of the pinewood derby kit block is required

Maximum weight is 8 ounces

Length is 7 – 10 inches

Width between wheels is 1 ¾ inches

Bottom Clearance is 3/8 inch

Dry lubricant only

Use the kit's wheels or anything else you like just make sure it fits a standard Pinewood track.

No ball bearings – Axles must be the nails from the kit or similar

Cars must pass weigh-in and inspection on Race Night

Kits are available at most scout and hobby shops.

Trophies will be awarded for winners in many categories including the Golden Turtle". Your Firewood Car doesn't necessarily have to be fast to get a prize.

A sandwich buffet will be available throughout the competition including soft drinks and desserts (your donation of pastry trays are always appreciated).

There will be a **\$5.00** per person donation at the door.

The Bare Cove Fire Museum is located in Bare Cove Park at 45 Bare Cove Park Drive in Hingham. Follow the signs to the museum.

Please call **781-749-0028** to register so we will know how many people to expect. Kids with race entries especially welcome.

Only on the night of the event call **781-749-3535** if directions are needed.