

NQS Pulling National Hot Stock Championship For 2011 season.

This will be a national championship for the "Hot Stock" tractors across the nation. Below is a summary on how the championship will work.

Member pulling clubs can sign up for participation in the Hot Stock classes, either one of the classes or both of them. Member clubs will conduct the local pulls using the NQS Hot Stock rules. Member clubs will track the class results and will award points to the class participants. Points should be awarded as 5 points for show, winners of a pull will get 50 points, 48 for 2nd, 46 for 3rd, 44 for 4th, etc. etc. Ties will be broken by the best finish at the last pull.

Member clubs sign up members from their club to participate in the classes. Member clubs will need to submit the participant list of pullers for the classes by July 15, 2011, to the NQS office.

Member clubs need to submit their club champions of the respective classes by September 20, 2011, to the NQS office.

Qualifying for the Club champions. They will be invited to the first 5 NQS series indoor events. The club champions will divide evenly amongst the first 5 events and will be selected by their proximity to the selected events. Participants will be notified at least 10 days prior to the qualifying event.

At each of the first 5 events, One day the one cylinder champions will be pulled and the other day the V-twin champions will be pulled.

The club champions will be divided into two groups. One half will be pulled first thing in the morning and the other half will be pulled at the end of the day. The winners from each heat will advance to the finals. (Depending on the number of participants we may elect to take the top two from each heat).

The finals will be held at the last NQS event to determine the National Champion. One day will be the one cylinder class and the other day will be the V-Twin class. The finals are made up of the winners of the earlier qualifying at the other 5 NQS pulls.

ENTRY FEES for the National Hot Stock Championship.

Member Clubs \$50.00 per year per class.

Club members participating in Hot Stock Championship \$20.00 per tractor.

These fees will need to be submitted to the NQS office by July 15, 2011, at the same time the participant list is submitted.

Club champions competing at the Qualifying events will pay a \$10.00 hook fee.

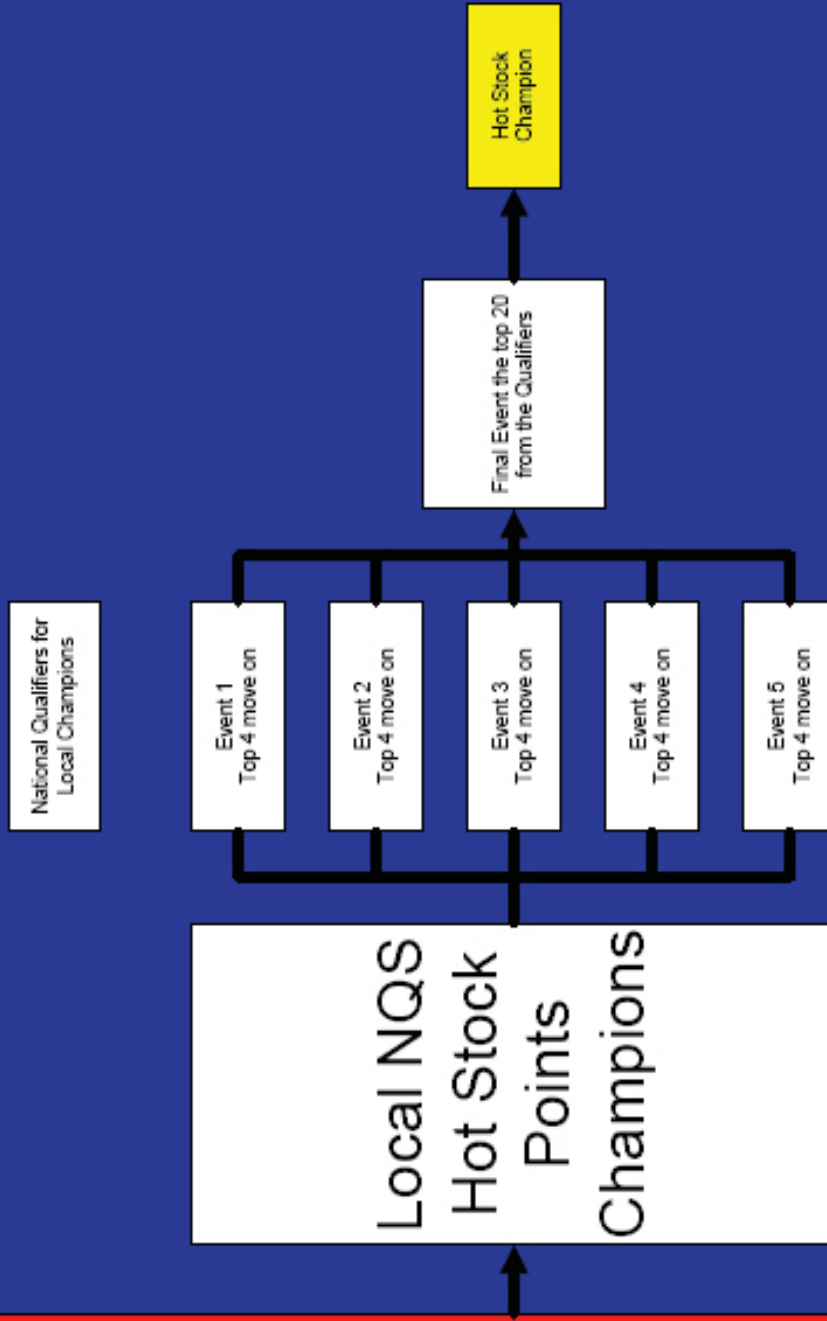
At the Championship Finals the entry fee will be \$10.00 per hook.

The National Hot Stock champions will be award cash prizes, trophies and display check and the awards banquet following the final pull.

NQS Hot Stock Flow Chart

(same for both classes)

Local
NQS
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Events



NQS National Hot Stock Rules

13.) Hot Stock One Cylinder Flat Head:

All General rules apply, except for the following:

- A.) Fire suits are not required, but helmets are required.
- B.) Engines are governor to a maximum RPM of 4,000 RPM for 15HP rating and below and 3,500 RPM for 16hp rating and above. RPM will be checked after the tractor makes its run, no tolerance. Stock Blocks only, no aftermarket.
- C.) Fuel is to be VP C-12 (green in color) with no additives. The NQS uses dielectric test, hydrometer test and acid test for the fuel check.
- D.) Steel flywheels are mandatory.
- E.) No portion of any tractor may exceed 7 feet forward of the center of the rear wheel, including weights. 52" wheelbase maximum.
- F.) No internal engine restrictions, except must be stock stroke for make and model being entered. Engine block must be stock OEM. Must run stock heads (no recast), no head hold downs, no all thread through cooling fins, no external cam pins. Aftermarket points and electronic ignition allowed. Engine block must be totally stock appearing on the outside of block, including head gasket.
- G.) Maximum tire size is 26x12x12. Tire cutting allowed.
- H.) Weight class is 1050 lbs.
- I.) Carb must be stock appearing. Velocity stacks allowed. Maximum carburetor venturi size 1.00", no air entering after 1.00" restriction, venturi must be round in shape. No stand off (ram tubes) permitted.
- J.) Must use stock garden tractor frame and transaxle, but may be modified for engine installation.

14.) Hot Stock V-Twin:

- A.) All General rules apply, except for the following: No fire suits are required, but helmets are.
- B.) V-Twin and Opposed Twin Engines Only. Engines with a factory horsepower rating of 25hp or less, they are governor to a maximum RPM of 4,000 RPM.
- C.) Fuel is to be VP C-12 (green in color) with no additives.
- D.) Steel flywheels are mandatory.
- E.) No portion of any tractor may exceed 7 feet forward of the center of the rear wheel, including weights. 52" Wheelbase maximum.
- F.) No internal engine restrictions, but engine must be stock appearing. Must run stock heads (no recast) with no external modifications. Engine must be stock appearing on the outside of the engine. Factory shrouding is optional.
- G.) Maximum tire size is 26x12x12. Tire cutting allowed.
- H.) Weight class is 1050 lbs.
- I.) Carb must be stock appearing for make and model being entered. Velocity stacks allowed. Maximum carburetor venturi size 1.00", no air entering after 1.00" restriction, venturi must be round in shape. 2 barrel carbs allowed if factory equipped and each venturi is smaller than 22mm. No external modifications to stock intake manifold. No stand off (ram tubes) permitted.
- J.) Must use stock garden tractor frame and transaxle, but may be modified for engine installation.

Club Agreement for club sancitoning of Hot Stock Class

AGREEMENT OF RELEASE

1. HEREBY RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE NATIONAL QUARTER SCALE PULLERS (NQS) AS AN ASSOCIATION, INCLUDING ALL ITS APPOINTED OFFICIALS, ALL MEMBERS OF COMMITTEES, REFEREES AND INSPECTORS, ITS INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS, ITS MEMBER CLUBS, AGENCIES OF GOVERNMENT WHICH CONTROL ESSENTIAL EVENT SITES, FINANCIERS AND FIRMS WHICH RENDER ESSENTIAL GRATIS, INCLUDING ALL OFFICERS, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE FOREGOING AND VOLUNTEER WORKERS ASSISTING IN THIS NQS EVENT ACTIVITIES, ALL HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS "Releases" from or for any and all liability to me, my personal representatives, heirs, next of kin, successors and assigns, for all loss or damage from bodily injury, or death or damage to property of the undersigned which in any way grows out of or upon alleged breach of any statutory duty or obligation; and

2. HEREBY AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS the releases and each of them from any loss, liability damage or cost they may incur due to the presence of the undersigned in or upon the restricted area or in any way competing, officiating, observing, or working for or for any purpose participating in the event and whether caused by the negligence of releases or otherwise.

3. HEREBY ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE due to negligence of releases or otherwise while in or upon the restricted area, and/or while competing, officiating, observing or working for or for any purpose participating in the event.

4. EXPRESSLY ACKNOWLEDGES AND AGREES THAT THE ACTIVITIES OF THE EVENT ARE VERY DANGEROUS AND INVOLVE THE RISK OF SERIOUS INJURY AND/OR DEATH AND/OR PROPERTY DAMAGE, THE UNDERSIGNED further expressly agrees the foregoing Release Waiver and Indemnity Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the Province or State in which the event is conducted and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full force and effect.

I HAVE READ THE AGREEMENT OF RELEASE ABOVE AND HAVE SIGNED THE RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY FOR ALL NATIONAL QUARTER SCALE PULLERS SANCTIONED EVENTS.

IN CONSIDERATION OF NQS PROMOTIONAL EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF THE SPORT, I HEREBY ASSIGN ALL COMMERCIAL PICTURES, MERCHANDISE SALES AND BROADCAST RIGHTS TO THE NATIONAL QUARTER SCALE PULLERS. There is no limits on the number of tractors your club has entered in the classes. This is a club sanctioning fee.

Entry for One cylinder flat head class sanctioning (\$50.00 per year) _____

Entry for V-Twin class sanctioning (\$50.00 per year) _____

Entry Fee: \$50.00 per class Total Amount Due _____

MEMBER CLUB NAME: _____

Signed by the following: Club President signature _____

Club Secretary signature _____

Club Treasurer signature _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: NQS PULLING, LLC.

MAILING ADDRESS: NQS Pulling, P.O Box 10 Welton, IA 52774

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: POST MARKED BY July 15, 2011