

CHAINSAW CARVING ENTRY FORM & COMPETITION RULES

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EMAIL.....

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PHONE (optional)

SIGNATURE.....

BY COMPLETING THIS APPLICATION FORM YOU AGREE TO ABIDE BY THE RULES BELOW. YOU MUST ALSO READ AND SIGN THE DISCLAIMER.

YOU MUST BE OVER 18 YEARS OLD.

In order to enter the Chainsaw Carving Competition, you must be fully trained or be able to display adequate experience and competence using a chainsaw and must have public liability insurance for £5,000,000. The competition will run over all three days of the wood fair 20th, 21st & 22nd June. Each competitor will have 6 hours overall to work on their carving (2 hours each day).

If you have a copy of the relevant certificates for the use of chainsaws, please bring them with you to the event, or send them to us in advance through the post or via email. It is important that safe working practices are observed at all times in accordance with UK Health & Safety Law and recognised best practice. The Organisers therefore reserve the right to reject anyone who are considered to be unsafe or a danger to themselves or others. Competitors must provide a copy of their risk assessment for the event.

Participants of the Chainsaw COMPETITION will be required to provide their own Personal Protection Equipment (PPE), a chainsaw and blow torch (if you are using one). The event will provide the piece of timber for carving. Each competitor will have their own 16ft x 16ft area in which they can complete their carving.

If you wish to take part in the Chainsaw Competition, please ensure that you can provide the following PPE:

- Foot protection (chainsaw boots/steel-toe-capped boots with gaiters)
- Hearing protection (ear plugs/ear defenders)
- Eye protection (safety goggles/glasses/visor)
- Leg protection(chainsaw trousers)

The winner will be voted for by the public. The first prize will be a Chainsaw (make & model TBC). Prizes will also be given for 2nd and 3rd place.

Any carving may be produced, however must not be considered inappropriate or offensive in any way. If rules are broken, organisers have the right to disqualify and remove the carver from the competition.

COMPETITORS MUST NOT BE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL OR DRUGS.

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