

5th Annual Great Riverton Raft Race

Continuing
Riverton's
Maritime
Tradition



Saturday July 3, 2010

Bank Avenue North of Riverton Yacht Club

Check in 4:30 PM • Starting Gun 5:30 PM

Don't be late! We won't wait!

Again this year a not-so-elite group of participants will gather at the water's edge of the Delaware River to compete in an event that will test their ability in imagination, engineering, and staying afloat! Raft Race participants will compete for trophies and bragging rights to be the winner of this event.

Have Fun! Be Creative! Be Innovative!

Questions? Call Barb Smyth 829-8535 or Terry Rapp 461-0897 • Visit www.RivertonYachtClub.org to see past rafts!

NEW AWARDS 2010

The Iron Pier Trophy

The highest honor, awarded to the craft with the best harmony of creativity & engineering. Chosen from the first fifteen rafts to finish.

The Glamour Award

Awarded to the best dressed crew.

The Flotsam & Jetsam Award

Awarded to the raft more likely to cause a spectacle than win the race.

Tom Sawyer Award

Awarded to the most creative junior raft that finishes the race, open to ages 12 to 18.

Sadie Hawkins Award

Awarded to the most creative raft with an all women crew that finishes the race.

Riverton 4th Triathlon

Awarded to the most creative raft that participates in the Parade, the Downhill Race, and the Raft Race.

** No First to Finish Award **

RULES 2010

— Safety —

- All participants must wear U.S. Coast Guard approved lifejackets during the race.
- All participants must wear shoes or sandals at all times before, during, and after the race.
- For every two crew members under twelve, there must be one adult on the raft.
- Anyone acting without regard for the safety of others and themselves, will be disqualified and required to leave the race. This includes all fireworks.

— Construction of Rafts —

- All rafts must be homemade.
- Any type of boat or surfboard is not permitted. If you have a question about your raft being a boat, it probably is a boat. Sr. Race Judge, Terry Rapp (461-0897), will decide.
- Each raft must carry a minimum of four passengers.
- Rafts must be human powered.
- Commercially manufactured paddles are not permitted.
- Oarlocks are not permitted.
- Parts and materials commercially manufactured specifically for nautical purpose are not permitted.
- All rafts must have a flag staff to fly the Raft Race flag while finishing.
- The removal of the raft rubbish and raft itself are each team's responsibility immediately following the event.

2010 GREAT RIVERTON RAFT RACE REGISTRATION

Name of Craft _____

Captain's Name _____

Address _____

Phone () _____ E-Mail _____

Team Members:

Name _____ Age _____ Phone _____

Name _____ Age _____ Phone _____

Name _____ Age _____ Phone _____

Name _____ Age _____ Phone _____

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In order for a Raft Team to participate, the Captain's signature is required: I, _____, hereby state that all members of my raft team understand, and will abide by, the rules of safety and competition stated on this form.

Rafts and crews will not be permitted to enter the water without registering. Bring this form to the race or mail to Barb Smyth, 201 Howard St., Riverton, NJ 08077