



## ISSA 2011 Contest Sanction Application Rev 1.0

<b>Name, phone, email of contest organizer:</b>		
<b>See status marshalls for contact info</b>		
<b>Dates of Contest:</b>	<b>Title of Contest:</b>	
6/18-19/11	Wiggle War	
<b>Location of Contest:</b>	<b>Number and type of events at this contest (hybrid, tight, etc):</b>	
Sun Prairie, WI USA	Straight/tight, Hybrid, G/S	
<b>Sanction status desired (check attachment)</b>	<b>Classes of competitors: (Open, Jr, Women, etc)</b>	<b># Of runs per competitor, qualification method, bracketing method:</b>
Prime	A,B, Juniors, Womens (if we have more than 1 show up)	2 Qualifying runs 2 runs/round (red-white)
<b>Permits, insurance, arrangements for road closures, etc:</b>		
Insurance covered under Clonial Club Strawberry Fest event Road closure permits obtained from City of Sun Prairie Public Works Dept		
<b>Prizes and value of prizes to be awarded:</b>		
Trophies for top 3 finishers each race and division		
<b>Venue description (surface, pitch, length, cone distance, etc). Please describe the hill and course as completely as possible:</b>		
All 3 events take palce in residential sections of Sun Prairie. Straight/tight – Nearly flat stretch of road 30-40 cones @ 6'. This is the most recognized event as it happens right at the Colonial Club location at the height of Strawberry Fest. Little used dead-end road. Good surface. Hybid – Straight, moderately steep hill a little more than a block long. Recently repaved. Great shape. Deadend at the bottom with a big turnaround circle. G/S – Long hill with an s-curve. Steep at the top and bottom with a not-as-steep section in the middle. We measured it at 800' from start ramp to last cone the 1 <sup>st</sup> year we ran there. Also excellent surface. No cracks.		
<b>Venue attractions (local attractions for non-skaters):</b>		
In Sun Prairie – The Strawberry Fest. Live music. Craft fair. Face Painting for the kids. 5K and 10K running races. Lots of strawberries. Pancakes and PIE! Madison Wisconsin 10 miles west – Large univesityt town. Malls. Theaters. Restaurants. Live music. Museums. Parks. Bike trails. Boating on 2 large lakes.		
<b>Media Coverage:</b>		
Varies. One year we got coverage from 2 madison TV stations. Butr mostly usually just the Sun Prairie newspaper The Star.		
<b>Competitor amenities (lodging, meals, gifts, etc):</b>		
Several hotels in Sun Prairie. McGoverns is right downtown. They have a nice restaurant there. McGoo's (as the locals call it) is centrally located to all 3 race venues. Some people stay at the Mangelsdorf house every year too. Saturday evening there is a legendary feast at the Mangelsdorf house for the racers and their traveling companions. Sunday morning those that stay at the Mangelsdorf's get a pancake breakfast.		
<b>Race Equipment (timing system, displays, safety gear, etc.):</b>		
<b>Dual-lane timing systems. Dan Gessmer's software run on a laptop. Racers times and standings</b>		

<b>posted on a whiteboard.</b>
<b>Starting Ramps description (height, width, s-shaped or straight, material):</b>
Start ramps 3' high. Straight incline, 4'wide. Wood. Described by Steve Lavin as "built like a brick sh*t house". ☺
<b>Race Personnel (experience, training, etc) Please include Contest Organizer and contact info:</b>
This is Tom's 5 <sup>th</sup> Wiggle War. Everyone chips in on race day in course setting and timer operation and ramp deployment. Regular attendees include Dave Larson, Jonathon Harms, Tod Oles, Steve Pederson, Steve Lavin, and many other Midwest slalom regulars.
<b>Spectators (expected number, other attractions for spectators, provision for, etc.)</b>
Since the races all take place in residential areas, the usual spectators are the home-owners along the race course. They sit in their lawnchairs and cheer us on. Of course the racers traveling companions watch too. The Saturday morning race at the Colonial Club itself draws the largest crowd because it's right there at the Strawberry Fest.
<b>Rules: Describe ALL exceptions to the ISSA rules, clarification of rules, competitors allowed or restricted, and any other special rules that will apply to this contest. <a href="#">ISSA RACING RULES</a></b>
1 <sup>st</sup> and foremost – HELMETS ARE REQUIRED. We have 3 extra helmets on hand in case someone shows up without one.

## **Contest Description:**

The Wiggle War is a CHARITY EVENT. 100% of the racer's entry fees goes to the Colonial Club Senior Center in Sun Prairie, WI. ([www.colonialclub.org](http://www.colonialclub.org)). We have 3 races at 3 separate locations over 2 days. The races are racer-friendly and encourage 1<sup>st</sup> timers to come out and give it a try. However, each year we draw a fair amount of the midwest's top racers too, so there is plenty of top-end action for those prepared to compete at that level. The more experienced racers are always quick with advice and tips for the beginners. We all bring more than one board so the new-comers can experiment with different set-ups and get a feel what a slalom board is.

## **Race Event #1 description:**

All 3 events take place in residential sections of Sun Prairie.

Saturday morning; Straight/tight – Nearly flat stretch of road 30-40 cones @ 6'. Dual lane. Start ramps. Everyone gets two qualifying runs, one in each lane. Based on qualifiers, adults are divided into A & B classes. Normal bracketing is used for the racing.

The juniors course is set at 8', and they have the option to push-start instead of ramp start.

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Saturday afternoon; Hybrid – Straight, moderately steep hill a little more than a block long. Recently repaved. Great shape. Deadend at the bottom with a big turnaround circle. Dual lane. Start ramps. We don't re-qualify for this race. A & B classes remain the same. Junior's class runs the bottom half of the course only. No ramp start for the juniors.

Sunday morning; G/S – Long hill with an s-curve. Steep at the top and bottom with a not-as-steep section in the middle. We measured it at 800' from start ramp to last cone the 1<sup>st</sup> year we ran there. Also excellent surface. No cracks. Single lane. Start ramp. We don't requalify for this race. Juniors run the bottom half of the course.