## Tioga County ATV RODEO/ UTV/ Dirt bike Rodeo Rules

- 1. All riders must sign a waiver and all riders under the age of 18 must have a parent sign the waiver also.
- 2. Only low gear is allowed in pit area, and you are only allowed to ride from pit to arena for competition.
- 3. No alcohol will be allowed on the premises; any person who appears impaired will NOT be allowed to compete; anyone intoxicated or under the influence will be escorted off the premises.
- 4. Anyone competing and or operating an ATV, UTV, or dirt bike are required to wear a D.O.T helmet (helmet must be always worn while operating an ATV), eye protection (glasses, goggles, face shield). Riders must wear long pants and shirt. Over the ankle boots must be always worn while operating an ATV. Absolutely no shorts or open toe shoes will be allowed.
- 5. All participants agree to compete in a fair manner and follow all the rules. Unsportsmanlike conduct will NOT be tolerated. All riders will always conduct themselves in a respectful manner. For the safety of competitors and spectators alike there will be no rough housing, no racing, or any unauthorized use of an ATV or dirt bike.
- 6. All riders will control their own machines during operation. If a rider is deemed restless or lacking control, they will be disqualified.
- 7. All riders must follow New York State laws.
- 8. There will be absolutely no pit riding! You will be disqualified without warning and asked to leave the event without refund. No burn outs will be allowed in staging area, or between the staging area and start line. After completing a run riders will immediately proceed to the pit area.
- 9. Anyone with an ATV can participate. More than one participant may use an ATV. It is a competition between the participants NOT the ATV's.
- 10. ATV's cannot be ridden outside the arena, there are no exceptions.
- 11. In case of a breakdown, each rider is responsible for hooking the towrope to his/her machine; any and all damages incurred when being towed are the sole responsibility of the rider.
- 12.. Noncompliance with the rules of this event will result in a disqualification, expulsion, and forfeiture of all fees paid.
- 13. All riders wishing to compete MUST attend the riders meeting before the event begins.
- 14. All decisions made by the panel of judges are final.
- 15. The Tioga County Fair County Fair Board and Directors are not responsible for accidents, injury, or theft of property.