

# Riverview Summerfest

## Tug-of-War

### Open and First Responders Divisions

Saturday June 15, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. – Young Patriots Park

### Information – Rules

Summerfest Tug-of-War will be competed over Reflection Pond in Young Patriot Park to find Summerfest's strongest team in both Open and First Responders divisions.

- Entry Fee:** \$25 Per Team, Must Pre-register with Riverview Recreation by June 11, 2019
- Team Size:** 10 person team + coach – 8 members of the team will pull at a time (Participants Must be 18 or older)
- Tournament:** Single elimination – One pull per match
- Prizes:** Winning team will receive trophy  
All finalists will receive a prize from the Riverview Summerfest

#### Rules:

**Rope:** Will be 1 ½ inch manila rope with proper length for teams and to stretch over the pond

**Number of Pullers:** 8 pullers per match. Team may have ten members and one coach.

**Shoes:** Must wear athletic shoes with no spikes. (Gym, Tennis, Running, Cross training, etc.)

**Hold:** All pullers must use bare hands. Hold shall be with both palms face up and the rope must pass between the body and the upper part of the arm. Rope may not be wrapped around hands, arms or body. No loops or knots can be made in the rope. Anchor may not wrap the rope around them.

**Stance:** All pullers must be standing on feet. Feet must be extended forward of the knees and the team members should be in pulling position at all times.

**Marks:** Each side of the pond will have a mark that the first puller in line must start on.

**Side:** A coin flip will take place before each match. Winner will chose which side they will pull from. The final match team will switch sides after each pull.

**Winning:** The rope will be marked in the middle. The winning team will pull the middle mark past the markers in the pond in order to win or if a member of the opposing team goes in the pond.

**Judge:** The judge will have final say of rules and match decision.



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Entry Form – Entry Deadline Tuesday, June 11, 5:00 p.m.

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Team Captain- Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Captain- Coach Contact; Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Entry form can be dropped off or mailed to the Riverview Recreation Office at  
14100 Civic Park Dr.  
Riverview, Michigan 48193

### HOLD HARMLESS/INDEMNIFY AGREEMENT

As a participant in the program I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury and I agree to assume the full risk of any injuries, including loss of life, damages or loss which I may sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with or associated with such program.

I further agree to waive and relinquish all claims, fully release and discharge and agree to indemnify and hold harmless and defend the City of Riverview and its officers, agents, servants and employees from any and all claims resulting from injuries, including loss of life, damages and losses sustained by me and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with the activities of the program. I also attest and represent that I am physically fit to participate in this program, which condition has been verified by a licensed physician.

BY SIGNATURE, EACH PARTICIPANT (HIS/HER PARENT OR GUARDIAN) ACKNOWLEDGES THAT HE/SHE HAS READ AND FULLY UNDERSTANDS THE ABOVE HOLD HARMLESS/INDEMNIFY AGREEMENT.

Captain-Coach Signature \_\_\_\_\_

All participants will be asked to sign a Hold Harmless/Indemnify Agreement at the event to participate.