

## 2021 Bed Race - TEAM ENTRY FORM

May 1, 2021 virtual event 9 am

**\*Please print clearly**

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

Team Category (Adult/Youth/ OR Official Pinewood Derby):  
\_\_\_\_\_

Team Captain: \_\_\_\_\_

Adult Sponsor (for Youth Teams): \_\_\_\_\_

**One RACER per entry will be provided (please circle your choice):**

### **A. Block pinewood derby racer**



Boy Scouts of America Official Pinewood Derby Car Kit  
Brand: Boy Scouts of America  
★★★★☆ 132 ratings | 18 answered questions  
Amazon's Choice for "pinewood derby kit official"

Price: \$10.95 ✓prime FREE One-Day & FREE Returns

- Official Pinewood Derby Kit from the Boy Scouts of America
- Official Race Legal Wheels Included

Report incorrect product information.

Wood Toy Wheels Treaded Style, 2-3/4 Inch Diameter, Pack of 12, for Crafts and DIY Toy Cars, by Woodpeckers  
★★★★☆ 234 | \$13.99 ✓prime  
[Shop now >](#)

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### **B. Predrilled holes you can push wheels in with no drilling**



Pinewood Pro Basic Derby Car Kit with BSA Wheels, BSA axles and pre-Cut pre-drilled BSA Block  
Brand: Pinewood Pro  
★★★★☆ 57 ratings

6% off Lowest price in 30 days  
Was: \$16.99  
Price: \$15.99 ✓prime & FREE Returns  
You Save: \$1.00 (6%)

Get \$70 off instantly. Pay \$0.00 upon approval for the Amazon Prime Rewards Visa Card. No annual fee.

- Official BSA pinewood derby car block, pre-cut into an aerodynamic wedge shape with pre-drilled axle slots for easy insertion.
- Official stock BSA wheels
- Official stock BSA nails
- FREE Speed Boat stickers with Numbers and USA ribbon stripes
- FREE bonus set of plastic Race Car parts, that includes an engine block, headers, roll bars, engine blower and race car driver helmet.

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### **C. No car kit needed – will use existing Pinewood Derby Car**

**Contact Information:      Team Captain or Sponsor (circle one)**

Phone: (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (cell) \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**T-Shirt Size:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail Entry Form and Entry Fee (\$100) to:**

(Please do not send cash)      Family Promise of Gainesville  
P.O. Box 5189  
Gainesville, FL 32627

**April 1<sup>st</sup> 2021 is the deadline to enter. Space is limited!**



# 2021 \*TINY\* Bed Race

## RACING DETAILS

1. Entry Fee: \$100 per team (includes one event t-shirt and one Boy Scout-approved racer kit of your choice (choices A or B above)). If you choose to race an existing Boy Scout Pinewood Derby car, the entry fee is \$75. Teams may build a racer independently, but it must meet size and weight requirements, noted below.
2. This is a fundraiser to support our homeless shelter and housing programs. Teams are encouraged to raise an additional \$150 each to benefit Family Promise of Gainesville. Members will receive a fundraising packet upon confirmation of registration. Outreach to corporate sponsors and local business owners for your team is highly encouraged.
3. Team Categories:
  - Youth (under 18)
  - Adult (age 18+)
  - Official Boy Scout Pinewood Derby Racer (premade – if you just want to show off your racer, bring it on!)

## 4. Family Promise \*Tiny\* Bed Race Awards 2021

### a) Trophy for highest team fundraising total

- b) Fastest Looking bed [note we hope all racers are transformed from cars/blocks of wood into beds or homelessness theme]
- c) Best bed with a sleeper (like a Lego guy)
- d) Best Use of Stickers or Decals
- e) Most creative BED theme (however you define a **bed** –seabed, nailbed, etc.)
- f) Best Paint Job
- g) Spirit of Family Promise Award (use of Family Promise logos, approved colors, theme that Every Child Deserves a Home, ending childhood homelessness, etc.)
- h) Good Sport Award (car crashed, etc.)

- i) Fan's Choice – online voting will occur the week prior to race
- j) Special Guest Judge's choice
- k) Fastest youth bed (designed and made by someone/team completely under 18)
- l) Fastest bed adult
- m) Fastest bed overall

The last three categories (fastest K,L and M) are determined by taking the lowest overall score – the average of two race times. The lowest score (down to the 10<sup>th</sup> of a second) for each category of racer is the winner.

## 5. Bed Race Schedule:

### **Wednesday April 21<sup>st</sup> through Friday April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2021**

Drop off beds at 229 SW 5<sup>th</sup> Street  
Gainesville, FL 32601 between 9 am and 4 pm

### **April 26 – 30, 2021**

Online judging for themed bed categories to determine themed winners.

### **Saturday May 1st**

9:00 am Racing starts  
Facebook live and virtual viewing information forthcoming

11:00 am (or when racing finishes)  
Closing Ceremony with Prizes & Trophies

Questions: Contact Family Promise (352) 378-2030

# 2021 Bed Race

## RACING INFO & GUIDELINES



### Bed Construction Guidelines:

Two kits are approved:

- A. Block that you design Choice A on page 1**
- B. Premade car that you embellish Choice B on page 1**
- C. This is a pre-made Boy Scout Pinewood Derby race**

### **For all three categories of tiny bed racers:**

1. Width shall not exceed 2-3/4 inches.
2. Length shall not exceed 7 inches.
3. Weight shall not exceed 5 ounces – strictly enforced.
4. Axles, wheels, and body shall be from the materials provided in the kit. Additional wheels can be purchased separately so long as size and weight limits are not exceeded.
5. Wheel bearings, washers, and bushings are prohibited.
6. No lubricating oil may be used. Axles may be lubricated with powdered graphite or silicone.
7. The car shall not ride on any kind of spring.
8. The car must be free-wheeling, with no starting devices.
9. **NO GLITTER** or materials that might harm or scratch the race track.

This bed race raises funds to help families experiencing the trauma of homelessness. Children experiencing homelessness are 9 times as likely to be held back a grade, AND the number of children in our schools has DOUBLED in the last five years.

Please *build* a team, and help *build* the lives of local children experiencing homelessness.

**Donate or register your team today at  
[familypromisegvl.org](http://familypromisegvl.org)**