



## 2025 YOUTH WIRE COMPACT

Open to any factory 4- or 6-cylinder compact car

1. **Must be registered before inspection.**
2. **If the rules don't say you can, don't.**
3. **All batteries must be fastened, and fuel leaks must be taken care of prior to inspection**

### FUEL AND BATTERIES

1. Factory gas tanks may be left under car if in front of rear wheels.
  - a. If running factory tank, officials hold the right to have you add extra strap for safety precautions.
  - b. NO FACTORY TANKS MAY BE PLACED INSIDE OF THE CAR.
  - c. Any leaking fuel cell will be turned away and won't pass inspection until the leak is sealed.
2. Batteries may be moved inside the car on the passenger side floor and must be securely fastened upon inspection.

### BODY/CAGE

3. Mandatory passenger door protection required.
4. Hood must have a 12x12 hole for fire safety.
5. Hoods may be fastened shut in 6 locations using 9-wire, banding or chains.
  - a. There is to be no bolting.
  - b. No washer methods.
  - c. Must be open for inspection.
6. Wire may NOT go to frame in anyway.
  - a. (2) spots may go from hood/core support to bumper.
7. Trunk must be chained or wired in up to (6) spots of your choice.
  - a. No washer methods.
  - b. There is to be no flat decking or wedging of any kind.
    - i. Tucked trunks permitted.
    - ii. A simple 6" dip of the trunk/speaker deck permitted. This will be measured.
  - c. Minor creasing permitted.
8. Doors may be chained or wired in up to (6) spots of your choice PER door.
  - a. No washer methods.

- b. Driver's door may be welded solid and may also have another form of protection.
- 9. You may run a basic 4-point cage with a halo bar.
  - a. 4x4 or 2x6 max material size
  - b. Cage material must be no thinner than 1/8 inch and no perforated tubing.
  - c. Cage material must be 6 inches off the floor.
  - d. Sides (door bars) must be no longer than 8 inches past B-PILLARS.
  - e. No down bars or kickers permitted.
- 10. Gas Tank protectors are permitted.
  - a. May be no larger than 32 inches wide x 24 inches in length and may be no taller than 24 inches.
    - i. 24 inches in length starts at the seat bar.
  - b. Tank protectors must be connected to seat bar and maintain a 6-inch gap between all sheet metal.
    - i. Pre run cars will be at officials' discretion.
  - c. Anyone who does not want to run a tank protector off the back bar may bolt protector/fuel cell to the floor but must remain 5 inches away from cage material and 2 inches from package tray.
    - i. Only (4) 1/2 inch bolts may be used and cannot strengthen car in anyway.
  - d. Operating fuel cells must be placed inside of the tank protector to be permitted.
  - e. 1 fuel cell permitted per car.
- 11. You must have at least (1) form of protection going up and down in your windshield.
  - a. Strapping, wire, tubing.
- 12. Back window bars are NOT permitted.
- 13. FIX IT PLATES - There are NO fix-it plates permitted on fresh cars.
  - a. Pre run cars are at officials' discretion.
    - i. Ask first - Fix it plates MUST be used over damaged areas.
  - b. Fresh and pre ran cars may use 2 strands of 9 wire in 2 locations behind the seat bar.
  - c. This must be sheet metal to sheet metal only.
  - d. May not anchor to cage / tank protector
  - e. May not attach to suspension.
  - f. This means you are allowed (2) anchor points per location.
  - g. Point A to point B = 2 strands
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    - ii. Stitching 2 long continuous strands of wire will not be permitted. 2 points of contact per.

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## **BUMPERS**

14. Bumpers must remain stock. FACTORY PLASTIC BUMPER COVERS MUST BE REMOVED BEFORE ENTERING VENUE.
  - a. Bumpers swaps are permitted but must be another tin style bumper.
    - i. No chrome/homemade bumpers.
  - b. Bumpers may be welded on flush. No capping end of frame with plate.
    - i. You may use (1) 3x3 plate on the top side of the frame to help attach your bumper.
      - Must be connected to the frame and bumper only.
15. No hard nosing.
16. No seam welding.

## **TIRES AND WHEELS**

**OPEN TIRES WILL BE AT SELECT SHOWS. PLEASE CHECK FACEBOOK PAGE FOR UPDATES ON WHICH SHOWS WILL ALLOW OPEN TIRES.**

17. STOCK DOT TIRES ONLY. MUST HAVE A DOT STAMP.
  - a. NO AG/IMPLEMENT DOT TIRES.
18. Tires may be doubled or tubed.
19. Stock wheels must be used.
20. Side wall protectors, valve stem protectors, bead locks and bead protectors are NOT permitted.
21. All wheel weights MUST be removed. This is for the safety of fellow drivers, fans, and officials.
  - a. OUTSIDE ON DRIVEWHEELS
22. All tires must be air filled only. May run bare rim on back.

## **SUSPENSION/DRIVETRAIN/OTHER**

23. All suspension components must be stock.
24. No solid suspension
25. No spring risers
26. Aftermarket shifters permitted AT SELECT SHOWS.
  - a. This is to coincide with other "Stock/wire class shows around the area"
27. No solid motor mounts.
28. No altering of any parts period
29. No aftermarket parts permitted unless otherwise stated.
30. Factory radiators or looped systems only.
  - a. No water boxes.

- b. No rad guards.
  - c. No expanded metal.
- 31. Headers permitted.
- 32. Simplified harnesses permitted.
- 33. No aftermarket or modified trans coolers.