



# UNITED WAY OF GREATER WATERBURY 2026 TRIKE RACE RULES

Please read and understand the rules below, prior to entering the race. If you have any questions, or need further details, please contact United Way's Betty Bozzuto by email at [TrikeRace@unitedwaygw.org](mailto:TrikeRace@unitedwaygw.org) or by calling (203) 757-9855 ext. 112.

1. Each team member must be at least 18 years of age to compete in the race.
2. Each team member must sign a liability waiver, and assumption of risk agreement and consent to photography agreement in advance of the race.
3. Teams may be comprised of up to four (4) members. One (1) team member must ride on the trike at all times during the entire race. Any member(s) may serve as alternates during the race. A helmet or protective headgear must be worn by the rider at all times during the race. Failure to comply will result in immediate expulsion from the race for the entire team, and forfeiture of entry fee.
4. Closed-toe shoes must be worn by all team members during the race. Failure to comply will result in immediate expulsion from the race for the entire team, and forfeiture of entry fee.
5. Knee and elbow pads are recommended to be worn while riding the trike.
6. Only those who are riding the trikes are permitted to be on the track during the races.
7. The trike's length/width can not be increased through modification.
8. Motors, robotics, and other mechanical enhancements to the trikes are prohibited.
9. Objects cannot be thrown or discarded from the trikes while racing. Failure to comply will result in immediate expulsion from the race for the entire team, and forfeiture of entry fee.
10. All trikes must be inspected for safety prior to each race. The event committee reserves the right to disqualify a team if their trike is deemed unsafe by the judges. Disqualified teams will forfeit their entry fee.
11. All trikes, costumes, themes, and related paraphernalia must be appropriate for an audience of all ages.
12. In the event of a tie, the winner will be determined by a round of 'Paper, Rock, or Scissors.'
13. The judges' decision is final on all decisions, including race times and outcomes.
14. The races will happen rain, snow, or shine, so please plan for the weather. In the event of extreme inclement weather and safety becomes an issue, the event will be canceled. There is a rain date scheduled for May 30.
15. Each team is responsible for the removal of their Trike and any related materials, including decorations, at the end of the event.
16. Each team is encouraged to have a "Repair Kit" for their trike.