

As part of **Manley's 125 Year Celebration** on September 20, 2008

See details below to participate in the...

Pillage the Village **BED RACES!**



RACERS START BUILDING!

HOW TO JOIN THE BED RACE???

1. **SIGN UP!**

The Pillage the Village Bed Race Entry Form, Waivers of Liability and acknowledgment of Bed Race Rules and Regulations must be completed and returned to Betty Meyer by **Friday, September 19th, 2008**.

2. **PAY UP!**

A \$50 donation to the Manley Park fund is required for each team entry.

3. **SHOW UP!**

Saturday, September 20, 2008

5:30PM Team Check in and inspection begins

-All Race beds & teams will line up at 6:00PM for inspection.

6:30PM Race Begins

-Beds will race by timed heats.

Immediately Following: After Party and Awards Ceremony at the Get-A-Way Bar & Grill.

To enter a bed, please contact event coordinator:

Betty Meyer, 402-234-5232

See more 125 Year Celebration events by visiting <http://www.manleyne.com>

We know you hate it...but we have to have them!

THE RULES:

1. Bed Design

- a. Beds should measure at least 3 feet by 6 feet but no more than 6 feet by 8 feet handles included.
- b. Beds should have minimum ground clearance of 10 inches and maximum 12 inches.
- c. Beds should include a mattress.
- d. Beds should be designed with four functional wheels (minimum 6'- maximum 21') making contact with the road surface at all times.
- e. No steering devices, no push/pull handles that protrude beyond the edges of the bed.
- f. No motorized and/or electronic devices

2. The Racing Teams

- a. Racing Teams shall consist of one rider, four runners/pushers and one alternate.
- b. Yes, you really must be an adult to participate. All team members must be at least 18 years old.

3. Safety

- a. All Bed Racers **MUST** sign the Waiver of Liability and acknowledgement of the Bed Race Rules and regulations before participating in the race.
- b. Racers are responsible for their own insurance.
- c. All teams should be properly attired.
- d. All runners/pushers should wear athletic shoes suitable for street running.
- e. Bed riders must be appropriately outfitted with safety gear.

4. During the Race

- a. Bed riders must sit or lay flat on the bed.
- b. All runners/pushers must be in control of the bed until it comes to a complete stop.
- c. Teams should respect opposing teams and not interfere or impede their progress.

5. The Course:

Pushers will push the bed approximately 100 yards down the course at which point they will stop and the rider will get off the bed and put on a pair of pajamas (tops & bottoms). The rider, once properly dressed, will get back on the bed and the pushers will push the bed to the finish line. The first team to cross the finish line while observing all the rules will win the heat. Top finishers will advance to semi-finals and finals depending to the number of entrants.

And last but not least... (it's okay - they're really not rules!)

6. CASH PRIZES will be AWARDED

- a. To the teams with the fastest time.
- b. Additional awards for:
 - Most Outrageous Bed
 - Broken Spring Award

BED RACING TEAM REGISTRATION FORM

Team Name / Team Leader / Contact Person

Contact Phone Number / Email Address

RACE TEAM REGISTRATION FEE: \$50.00 Donation

****If paying by check, please make payable to Village of Manely****

All Bed Racers MUST sign the Waiver of Liability and acknowledgment of the Bed Race Rules and Regulations before participating in the race. In no case will Bed Racers be allowed to compete without signing these forms. Team members must be at least 18 years of age or older.

RACE TEAM WAIVER OF LIABILITY & INDEMNITY AND RELEASE FOR RADIO, TELEVISION AND PRINT MEDIA

Village of Manley 125 Year Pillage the Village Bed Race Waiver of Liability

I know that running in a Bed Race is a potentially hazardous activity. I should not enter and run unless I am medically able and properly trained. I also know that there may be some hazards on the racecourse. I assume the risk of running on the race/obstacle course. I also assume any and all other risks associated with running in this event and participating in all other activities scheduled including but not limited to falls, contact with other participants, spectators or equipment, the affects of the weather, including high heat and/or humidity, and the condition of the roads, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. In consideration of your permitting me to participate in the Village of Manley 125 Year Bed Race, September 20, 2008, I hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators or anyone else who might claim on my behalf, covenant not to sue, and waive, release and discharge The Village of Manley, its members, volunteers, race officials and any sponsoring body, their successors and assigns, and the State of Nebraska, County of Cass and the Village of Manley, and its officials from any and all claims or cause of action I may have for all personal injuries or property damages caused by or arising out of the Village of Manley 125 Year Bed Race and its related activities. I also agree to abide within the rules and regulations issued by race officials.

Indemnity and Release for Radio, Television and Print Media

For sufficient consideration and the right to appear, I agree to protect and indemnify the Village of Manley, its officers, members and volunteers, and advertising agency, and their respective officers and employees, and to hold it and them harmless from and against all liability, loss, damages, expenses, judgments, counsel fees, costs and other charges, against it or them or for which it or they shall become liable by virtue of or arising out of or caused by any matter or materials supplied or spoken by me in the telecast of the Village of Manley 125 Year Celebration. I hereby give my permission for the Village of Manley to use my picture and/or name in any publicity deemed necessary for the promotion of this event at no compensation.

Rider Name D-O-B Signature

Runner (1) Name D-O-B Signature

Runner (2) Name D-O-B Signature

Runner (3) Name D-O-B Signature

Runner (4) Name D-O-B Signature

Alternate Name D-O-B Signature

The deadline for submitting this form is Friday, September 19, 2008.

Send this form and race team registration form to: Betty Meyer, P.O. Box 65, Manley, NE 68403 **QUESTIONS?** Call Betty Meyer, 402-234-5232/email info@manleyne.com