

**Port Rowan Home Building Centre
& Mike Scruton Marine
Build-A-Boat 2018**

Saturday, September 1st at 9:30 a.m. Port Rowan Harbour

Names of Team Members - Max. 3 (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY):

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3)

Contact Phone #:

Entry Fee Paid: (\$15 per person; minimum 2, maximum 3 per team):

Please return completed forms, payment and a signed waiver (1 for each participant) to **Port Rowan Home Building Centre** by Monday, August 27th, 2018.

* Open to the first 16 registered teams. *



RULES:

The object of the Build-a-Boat Contest is for individuals or teams to attempt to build a seaworthy craft within a three-hour time limit, using **ONLY** the materials provided. Teams are responsible for providing their own hand and/or battery powered tools. Safety glasses **MUST** be worn by all participants at all times in the boat building area.

The boat must then successfully navigate a course laid out in Port Rowan Harbour. Building teams will consist of a maximum of 3 people, but the constructed boats must be able to carry the entire team minus one. (E.g. a three-person team's craft must set sail with a crew of at least two on board.)

All participants will receive identical "surprise" packages of building materials from **Port Rowan Home Building Centre**. The packages will be available on site at the start of the contest. Teams may trade their materials with other teams, but no extra supplies may be used.

At 9:30 am the building starts with the unwrapping of the packages. All teams must stop building at 12:30 p.m. All contestants should then carry their craft to the launch area, assemble at the start line, and at the signal begin the race. The race will start at 1:00 p.m. Multiple heats will be run, the winner of each heat advances to the finals and must then race one final heat.

Awards will be given in the following categories:

* First, second & third "craft" to finish the course

* Best design

Awards will be presented at the dock area after the completion of the race.

Registration fee: \$15.00/per person.

Please fill out registration form and waivers and return by Monday August 27th, 2018 to: **Port Rowan Home Building Centre** by 4 pm with payment.

All team members taking part in the race must wear appropriate P.F.Ds. (Not provided!)

Questions? Call Brandon Vermeersch at 519-586-7336.

****MUST SUPPLY OWN TOOLS. NO CHAINSAWS OR GAS POWERED TOOLS ALLOWED****