



# Kinetic Universe

## Code of Conduct



I solemnly swear (or affirm) to obey all the rules, and act in a respectful and honorable manner to all participants and spectators. I also acknowledge the following:

1. Kinetics is for everyone - as such:

- a. I will treat everyone within our Kinetic Community with respect, regardless of race, color, ethnic or national origin, disability, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, religion, or age.
- b. I will respect my neighbors at Crab Park and NOT play loud canned music and will quiet down by midnight.
- c. I will NOT interfere with timing or scoring officials while they are tabulating scores. Their job is hard enough as it is and messing with them could ruin everyone's fun.

2. Safety is paramount - as such:

- a. Fighting, physical/verbal abuse, and unwanted sexual advances have no place in Kinetics.
- b. While I am piloting a kinetic sculpture, bicycle, or motor vehicle, I will NOT consume alcohol or illicit substances during course hours.

3. This planet is on loan to us - as such:

- a. I will treat it with respect.
- b. I will clean up after myself and my team and will leave no trace behind.
- c. I will NOT leave any fire unattended.
- d. I will NOT light any type of firework along the racecourse, at Halvorsen Park, or Crab Park.

4. I have read the current rules for events I am involved in and I will follow them. If I am captain of a team or group, I understand that I am responsible for ensuring that my team/group reads and adheres to the Race Rules and this Code of Conduct.

Most importantly of all, I will always honor our Glorious Founder Hobart Brown's intention that we are "adults having fun so children want to grow up."

Should I violate any provision of this Code of Conduct, I acknowledge that I may be subject to loss of ACE, time penalties, disqualification, Banishment, possibly legal action, and definitely a bad reputation.

WAIVER AND RELEASE FORM

\*\*\* MUST BE SIGNED BY ALL TEAM MEMBERS \*\*\*

NAME OF SCULPTURE \_\_\_\_\_

I desire to participate in the 2024 Kinetic Grand Championship, and for the opportunity, I agree as follows:

- 1. I understand that sponsors and organizers of the Race have laid out a proposed race course and made suggestions regarding equipment, race vehicles, etc., but they do not guarantee or warrant the safety or condition of the course or of any race vehicle. I have read and understand all Rules relating to this race.
2. I assume for myself, full and complete responsibility for the course covered by me and/or my vehicle during the Race and for the construction, equipping and condition of my vehicle with which I participate. I understand there are risks involved and I assume all risks of participation.
3. I specifically waive and release for myself, my heirs and assigns, all sponsors, organizers and volunteers of said Race, from any and all claims, demands &/or cause of action for damages or injury that I may have against them incident to or arising from my participation.
4. I will assume and pay my own medical and emergency expenses in the event of an accident, illness or other incident to and arising from my participation in this Race. I give permission for emergency services to be given should it be deemed necessary by Officials.
5. I agree to pay all damages to property or persons which may arise from my participation in this Race and I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless the sponsors and organizers for such damages.
6. I grant rights to the sponsors and organizers of the Race to use, for promotional or fund-raising purposes, any photo taken during the Race in which I or my vehicle appear and waive any claims for financial reimbursement for said use. I specifically waive and release for myself, my heirs and assigns, from any and all claims, demands &/or cause of action for payment arising from my participation in the KGC, including the use of my image &/or kinetic sculpture for use in any film, TV, photos or other promotion which may result in income by the producer of said media.
7. The undersigned agree that no one else will participate as a member of this sculpture's team.
8. I have read and agree to the Code of Conduct.
9. All participants must be 8 or older. The Pilot in physical control of the sculpture (steering) must be 16 or older, Steering Pilots 16-17 must have a valid Driver License. Pedaling Pilots (not steering) must be 12 or older. Barnacles must be at least 8 years old. There must be an adult (18 or older) on the machine or traveling with the sculpture when it is on the course. All participants under 18 must wear a bike helmet while on the course.

Signed under penalty of perjury this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024
at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_
(TOWN) (COUNTY) (STATE)

SIGNATURE(S) OF PILOT(S), PIT CREW, PEON(S) and BARNACLE PASSENGER(S):

1 \_\_\_\_\_ 6 \_\_\_\_\_
2 \_\_\_\_\_ 7 \_\_\_\_\_
3 \_\_\_\_\_ 8 \_\_\_\_\_
4 \_\_\_\_\_ 9 \_\_\_\_\_
5 \_\_\_\_\_ 10 \_\_\_\_\_

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If participant is under 18 years of age, authorized parent/guardian must sign below: I have read the above statement and agree to its terms and conditions on behalf of myself and my son/daughter: \_\_\_\_\_
(MINOR'S NAME)

Signed under penalty of perjury this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024
at \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_
(TOWN) (COUNTY) (STATE)

(PARENT / GUARDIAN)

(PARENT / GUARDIAN)



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