



SPENCER TOWNSHIP FIRE RESCUE 4TH ANNUAL POKER RUN



POKER RUN RULES

The Spencer Firefighters Association President is the poker run commissioner

- Absolutely no alcoholic beverages during this event.
- This is not a race. All local, state, and federal laws must be adhered to during this event.
- Safety is key in this event. Please drive safely.
- A release form must be signed by anyone wishing to participate in this event.
- Riders \$20.00 Registration fee includes one five card hand.
- Passengers \$10.00 Registration fee includes one five card hand.
- Up to three extra cards can be purchased for \$1.00 each.
- Full deck of 52 cards will be used at each stop.
- Each participant will be given one tally sheet pre hand. Each participant is responsible for their tally sheet. No replacement tally sheet will be given for any lost or damaged sheets.
- At each designated stop the participant will be required to have their tally sheet stamped and initialed by the "dealer" in the appropriate place. Each participant is responsible for obtaining the stamp and initials of the poker stop "dealer" at each stop.
- High hand wins, best 5 cards only.
- No trading cards with other participants allowed.
- Any ties will be decided by a card draw, high card wins.
- All participants must turn in their tally sheets at the final stop by 4:30pm, no exceptions.
- **Failure to abide by any Poker Run Rules will result in immediate disqualification.**
- Other rules may be put in place the day of the run at the commissioner's discretion. Announcements will be made prior to the start if any changes are made.

How prizes will be awarded:

1 st Place:	Best 5 Card Hand \$100.00
2 nd Place:	Second Best 5 Card Hand \$50.00
3 rd Place:	Lowest 5 Card Hand \$25.00

Poker Hand Ranking- A poker hand consists of five cards. The category of hand, from highest to lowest are listed below. Any hand in a higher category beats any hand in a lower. Where a player has more than five cards, he/she must select five cards to form a hand. Poker ranks are always based on five cards ONLY.

- 1) Five of a Kind
- 2) Royal Flush: Consists of Ace, King, Queen, Jack, Ten of the same suit.
- 3) Straight Flush: Five cards of the same suit in sequence.
- 4) Four of a Kind: Four cards of the same rank
- 5) Full house: Three cards of the same rank
- 6) Flush: Five cards of the same suit
- 7) Straight: Five cards of mixed suits in sequence.
- 8) Three of a Kind: Three cards of the same rank plus two other cards
- 9) Two pairs: A pair is two cards of equal rank. Two pairs are of different ranks.
- 10) Pair: A hand with two cards of equal rank and three other cards which do not match these or others
- 11) High Card

The Poker run Commissioner has the final say in all situations.

THANK YOU for your support and good luck.