



# 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Ontonagon Labor Day Fest

## Rock-Skipping Championship

### **Date, Time and Location**

Friday, August 30 at 6pm at the Ontonagon Marina, Boat Launch Landing (following the Community Picnic).

### **Categories**

Division I A - Gerplunkers – Girls - 0-4 (if no skips occur, then best “gerplunk” score wins – 1-10 scale)

Division I B - Gerplunkers – Boys – 0-4 (if no skips occur, then best “gerplunk” score wins – 1-10 scale)

Division IIA – Young’ens – 5-9 – Girls

Division IIA – Young’ens – 5-9 - Boys

Division III A – Youth – 5-17 – Girls

Division III B – Youth – 5-17 – Boys

Division IV A – Adult – 18-39 – Women

Division IV B – Adult – 18-39 – Men

Division V A – BabyBoomers – 40-61 – Women

Division V B – BabyBoomers – 40-61 – Men

Division VI A – Senior – 62+ - Women

Division VI B – Senior – 62+ - Men

### **Judges**

There will be 2-3 judges for each throw; one behind the thrower, one to the left and/or one to the right. If there is a differing count between judges on a throw, the average will be taken (rounded to the higher number).

### **Rules**

- Each skipper will cast three stones.
- After all have thrown three times, the best skip will win.
- In case of a tie, the best second and/or third wins.
- If there is still a tie, there will be a sudden death skip-off – 1 stone, until a declared winner
- Judge’s decisions are final

### **Regulations**

- Skippers may bring their own stones\* – we suggest you bring your 7 best stones

- Stones cannot be mechanically altered
- No “greasing” or “waxing” of stones (no lubricating stones, although wetting them in the water at your throw is allowed)

\*Stones will be inspected and approved before throwing by a judge.

### **Divisional Winners**

1 – Bragging Rights

2 – Small Cash prize

3 – Trophy

Division I – Trophy – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and Cash prize - 1<sup>st</sup> - \$5, 2<sup>nd</sup> - 3, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$2

Division II – Trophy – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and Cash prize - 1<sup>st</sup> - \$15, 2<sup>nd</sup> - 10, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$5

Division III – Trophy – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and Cash prize – 1<sup>st</sup> - \$20, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$15, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$10

Division IV, V and VI – Trophy – 1<sup>st</sup> place and Cash prize – 1<sup>st</sup> - \$25, 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$20, 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$10

### **Registration**

Registration is FREE.

Registration takes place no less than 1 hour before the event begins and ends 5 minutes before your division begins. Registration will be at the Boat Landing/Rock Skipping site. Throwers will throw in order of registration.

You will register your first and last name along with your “Skippin’ Nickname,” e-mail (or phone), and Division.

For example: Kyle “Rocket Arm” Cogswell or Kyle “Lucky Lefty” Cogswell

**YES, I WILL THROW IN THE 11<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL ONTONAGON LABOR DAY FEST ROCK-SKIPPING CONTEST.** By my signature on the registration form, I agree to the rules and regulations stated above and understand that I will not hold the Labor Day Fest Committee, any individuals volunteering for this event (coordinators, judges, etc.) or the Village of Ontonagon responsible for any injuries or property damage sustained or caused by me during the contest.

### **Labor Day Fest Committee Cost and other needs**

Trophies – 24 (approximate cost = \$197)

Cash Prizes - \$500

Volunteers – 4; 4 sign-in, 1 announcer/coordinator, 3 judges, 1 scorekeeper.

3 tables at boat launch landing – 2 for sign in and 1 for announcer and scorekeeper

Sound System/money can/20 clipboard