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Bring with you:

- completed wood car body
- wheels and axles (nails) in their original condition
- weights (optional)
- cordless drill (if you have one)

You'll have the opportunity to race your car on the derby track while making improvements to it. There will be stations where you can use trial and error to find the best placement for additional weight, reduce the friction on axles and wheels, and experiment with lubricants. We'll have tools, drills, scales, etc. available for you to perfect your wheels, axles, and weight.

Show Up, no pre-registration required!

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