THE TRACK CHAIR

1. The track chair shall have two rear wheels and one front wheel.
2. The track chair frame shall not extend in front of the center of the front wheel hub.
3. The track chair may have no mechanical gears or levers that would propel the chair.
4. The steering must be hand operated. NO electronic steering is allowed.
5. No part of the track chair or frame may protrude past the furthest point of the rear wheel.
6. Athlete’s lower limbs must be secured to the track chair. Any touch of the ground by the lower limb results in disqualification from the event.
7. Competitors are responsible for the proper functioning of the track chair. No event shall be delayed for equipment failure prior to event.

WHEELS

- The maximum diameter of the rear wheel and inflated tire is 70 cm.
- The maximum diameter of the front wheel and inflated tire is 50 cm.
- Each rear wheel may have one hand rim.

HELMET AND GLOVES

- All competitors must wear a CPSC certified helmet (Bike/Skate)
- All competitors must start each event using racing gloves.
- Athletes may only propel the chair forward by pushing on the wheels or hand rims.

THE RACE

- The Start: The Center of the front axle (axle plane) may not extend over the starting line.
- The Finish: The finish of the race occurs when the center of the front axles (axle plane) crossing the finish line.

WHEELING IN LANE

In the 200m competitors must stay in their designated lane. Touching or crossing the lane line for more than 10 consecutive feet is a disqualification. Crossing a lane line for any distance and impeding another competitor is a disqualification.

PASSING OR CHANGING LANES

Competitors must have full clearance of another athlete’s front wheel in order to pass or move into another lane. Failure to pass or change lanes correctly will result in disqualification.

OBSTRUCTION

Athletes may not touch or obstruct another competitor during an event. Obstruction of an athlete will result in disqualification.

Wheelchair Loaner Program
Please contact Randy & Pam Chiavaroli (727) 271-6411 or (727) 271-3568 for more information on the equipment loaner program.