

Future Forestry Career Day Relay Rules

The relay will consist of 4 events with teams of 5 students.

Advisors are responsible for determining that the competitors are adequately prepared for the events they participate in. Advisors are responsible for making sure their competitors are wearing appropriate PPE. Minimum PPE requirements will be based on FNRL rules. **ALL CONTESTANTS MUST HAVE BOOTS!**

All FNRL PPE rules will be followed. If a student does not finish the event with the PPE they started with in proper form, then they will be disqualified.

The relay events will be Hose Lay, Choker set, Power Buck, and Crosscut.

Hose Lay will consist of one roll of a 50' section of hose toward a cone placed 45'. If the hose hits the cone, there is no delay. The hose must be completely stopped before the next relay person can start. Each school is responsible for rolling their own hose. There will be a 5-second delay for a hose that rolls past the cone without hitting it. There will be a 10-second delay for a hose that does not go past the cone. There will be a 20-second delay for a hose that does not completely unroll.

The Choker set will start immediately after the hose stops rolling. The competitor will start on the log, run-down, set the choker, and run back. There will be a 10-second penalty for a miss-set choker. Power buck will begin as soon as the choker setter crosses the starting log.

The power buck will be a hot start (saw running on the ground). The competitor will make one cut all the way through. The crosscut will start when the cookie hits the ground. There will be a 10-second penalty for a cutout on the power buck under 1" and a 30 second penalty for more than 1".

Time will end when the cookie from the cross-cut hits the ground. There will be a penalty for a cut out on the crosscut. The time penalty for a cut-out will be the same as power bucking.