

Basic Detail Report

Car, Coaster

Date

1979-1982

Primary Maker

Jessie Clarke

Medium

Wood/Paint/Rubber/Metal

Description

Soap box derby coaster car with red body, oval shape, and tapered front. Body made of wood panels, unpainted on inside cockpit while exterior is painted red with three pinstripes on both sides. Pinstripes are black, blue and medium gray and decrease in width toward base. There are numerous decals on the body. "U.S.A." flag decal in shield shape on back end. "Champion" red, black and white decal on back end. "Mr. Gasket Co., The Performance People" decal on both sides at rear. "Whitehead Hardware" hand painted decals on both sides at rear that covers previously painted sponsor names, "Chujko Bros." and "U.S. Rent-Alls". "Cam 2 Motor oil" red and black decals on both sides of cockpit. "Edelbrock Manifolds" red and black decals on both sides of cockpit. "Reed Cams" black, gold and white decals on both sides of cockpit. "Hays" red blue and white decals on both sides. "Special Thanks to, Dad" painted on top of cockpit front, in white paint outlined in black. "23" in black decals on both sides of front. Wheel axles are made of metal, with front axle being braced to body. Wheel hubs are made of metal and painted red. Tires are rubber and read "Official Soap Box Derby Tire". U-shaped carved foam collar attached to rear lip of cockpit. Steering mechanism is contained in cockpit and is comprised of metal cables running to the axles and a braking mechanism comprised of a dowel rod and rubber tubing used to lower a rubber covered plank in the base of the cockpit.

Dimensions

18.375 x 32 x 12.75 x 80 x 53 in. (46.7 x 81.3 x 32.4 x 203.2 x 134.6 cm)