

# **Event: Speed Climb**

## **Chief Judge:** Jason Smith

**Event Time: 1:30**

**Drop Dead Time: 2:00**

### **Event Summary:**

**This event is the Journeyman Team Speed Climb. This is a timed event where two members from each team will climb a pole with an egg in a miniature Buckingham grunt bag. Time will start when the first climber's gaff hits the pole. The grunt bag will be carried up the pole with the lanyard in the first climber's mouth. There will be a grunt bag hanging from a J hook at a designated position on the pole. When the first climber reaches this position, he/she must remove the bag that is hanging on the pole and drop it in the designated circle (10ft diameter) located at the base of the pole. The first climber will then remove their egg (large Grade A egg) from their grunt bag and place it in their mouth. Next, the first climber will hang their grunt bag on the J hook and climb down with the egg in their mouth. Once the first climber reaches the ground, the time will be stopped (time will not be cleared). The second climber can begin the event after he/she properly adjusted their fall restraint device to the pole (time will be restarted when the second climber's gaff hits the pole). The second climber will repeat the process. Time will stop and be recorded when the second climber has reached the ground.**

### **Event Rules:**

- 1. 10 points will be deducted if an egg is cracked in any way**
- 2. 10 points will be deducted for going over the drop-dead time**
- 3. 2 points will be deducted for exceeding the mean time.**
- 4. 2 points will be deducted if any part of the grunt bag settles outside of the designated circle at the base of the pole**
- 5. 2 points will be deducted if climbers don't communicate before dropping grunt bags ("heads up" "headache", etc.)**
- 6. General Rules Apply**