

April 6th, 2023



Opening

- The meeting of the Tennessee Region SCCA was called to order at 7:04 PM by MD
- 20 Participants
- Meeting was virtual

Regional Executive's Report [Mike Donovan]

- Smyrna Airport sent to SCCA Nat'l office to help book location
 - National contacted Airport manager but haven't heard back yet
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Solo Event Chair Report [Logan Altmeyer]

- July 30th event location changed from NSS to NCM
- March 5th Test 'n Tune – Wilson County Fairgrounds – 73 Drivers
 - Thank Ron Barnes as chair, with a modified course from Tim L. 2022 season.
 - 1 Hour work shifts assigned at check-in and will be posted on trailer worked well, but we needed a few more workers (due to dropouts). Next year to cap at 90 entries to have more workers.
- April 2nd Points Event #1 – Wilson County Fairgrounds – 97 Drivers
 - Thank Court Fiore as chair, brand new course design with great applause
 - 5 runs each plus 30 minutes of fun runs after awards
- Event chairs are booked up
- Brady Sutton as Novice Chair/Coach doing a fantastic job showing Novice group the ropes and helping them learn!
- March 14th Points Event #2 (Mothers Day) – Nashville Superspeedway – Registration Open on MSR (2 regd)
 - Kraig Cline event chair, looking like a fun course design so far!
 - Member = \$85; Non-member = \$100; Paid non-work = \$150

Track Event Chair Report [Andrew Lewis]

- Flag school April 23rd 4PM – 10 volunteers needed. Andrew will post onto FB group.
- 3-4 volunteers needed for May 3rd Track Night in America for learning Grid, Timing and Scoring, Flagging.

RallyCross Event Chair [Eli Drennan]

- Location scouting ongoing, no success yet
 - Looking for locations 8-10 acres minimum
 - Proposing sharing on FB group as a feeler for potential locations
 - Possibly to get into Beech Bend Park in BG, KY.
- RallyCross Safety Steward online course this month

Treasurer's Report [Mike Donovan]

Account	Last Month	This Month	Difference
Checking	\$19,486.66	\$18,227.05	\$-1,259.61
Savings	\$30,190.75	\$30,191.01	+\$0.26
Sum	\$49,677.41	\$48,418.06	

- Profits from event will be reflected in next month report.
- Merchandise sales at event using Square, all items are inventoried and sales tracked.
 - Only accepting cash or card (99% of sales)
 - Sold 58 items at PE1 with \$241 in profit towards event cost.
 - ~\$3000 net profit from TNT and PE1
- Now have a work position for Merch Sales in the morning.

Webmaster's Report [Matt Phillips]

- Facebook: 2,466 followers on main page (+33 MoM), 1,441 members in group (+31 MoM)
- Total TN Region SCCA Members: 410 (+14 MoM) First time over 400, now considered a "Large" Region
 - From TNT to PE1 we converted 4 from Weekend memberships to Full SCCA Members
- Working on website updates for AutoX, RallyX, Track Events
- Filerun (background website infrastructure) currently broken, Matt reaching out to support. Matt needing to do everything manually currently.
- FB post for NSS event, should we have explanation why price is higher than normal to avoid angry responses?
 - Post like normal without info explanation of fee, if many questions can make a post for explanation. Or add to all events "Site if reflective of site rental fee"

Old Business (Previous meeting items, not removed until resolved)

- TRSCCA 75th anniversary (1948-2023)
 - Matt working with SCCA Foundation to get some History of TRSCCA. Plan for using with Oktoberfest
 - 75th year is the diamond anniversary logo, we can share the file for any particular needs
 - New Cars & Coffee banner ordered with our new logo through Chomp Shop
- SCCA 2023 Annual Waivers Available on my.scca.com [Online Store→License & Waivers→Annual Waiver Adult]
 - Minors must sign waivers on line or on site
 - CnC back to the outside of the stadium rather than infield
 - Brady has requested collecting video footage to compile for CnC advertising
- Looking to sell Suburban. Will post at \$3500 internally, \$4000 externally.
 - Eli had truck detailed, replaced the battery, now diagnosing hard to start issue and clearing out mice
 - Hoping to have it up for sale in next 2 weeks
- We are supporting C10 Nationals at end of September, will be looking for workers. Will be compensated for their time.
- Street Survival on October 8th at Wilson County Fairgrounds
 - Will need coaches to volunteer (requires an online course to certify)
 - Teaching how to practice safe driving in a controlled environment (not autoX)

New Business

- Tech Concerns – Need to make sure loose items are out of cars. Car must be empty in order to pass Tech. To inform tech inspectors.
 - To use sandwich board with Tech info (empty car, numbers/class on car, tight wheels, helmet available)
 - Hold tech sticker until they have everything good to go on their vehicle
- Class/Number confirmation – Grid worker with check sheet for everyone in the run heat. To confirm with all drivers at start that the car is labeled correctly.
- National SCCA pushing for insurance documentation to be absolutely correct, including waivers.
 - Double checking wrist bands at registration and weekend member forms. Add Waiver Check as a worker shift for each heat.
- Watch for Drone or Handheld videos by passengers.
- Club radios, Chris Martin offered to check our radios and confirm they're all good and ready to go.

Adjournment

- Meeting was adjourned at 8:36 PM by MD

Tabled for later action

- Site acquisition
 - Williamson County Ag Center update
 - Good w/ street survival, but expensive. Initial cost is 500\$ for the parking lot, 1600\$ for meeting room
 - Trying to discuss about us being a non for profit club to get a discount. No need for cleanup
 - Investigating Smyrna Airport for a large paved area, asking help from National about working with airports (Lincoln Airport)
 - Polecat Training Center track in Fayetteville, TN
- “New Racer Incentive”
 - \$5 discount to the new racer and to the person who promoted them as an incentive program
 - Give out a secret discount code at C&C for first timers
- Cars ‘n Coffee, idea to raffle 1 free race. Put name and email in a bucket. We get their email and name to advertise to for future events.
- Possibly have a shared photo album on our website, Matt looking into building it mid year
- License plate initiative on Facebook by Alcone. State rep to possibly help with getting it (through Alex H.) Minimum order will be needed, unknown quantity. Still following up with Alex.
- Once a Quarter have a TRSCCA Social Event (Car show, bowling, Mini Golf, Dinner, Sim Racing, MCIK, Axe Throwing, Escape Room [Court], Game Terminal [Tim], and other fun things
- Street Survival
 - Possible contact with Metro Nashville schools, awaiting follow-up from SD from SCCA. Jen working with Scott
- Trailer TBD items: Label cabinets for items that are inside them, get new tents and organize how to store safely, helmet storage improvement
- Request to study a new data plan to allow streaming events online for spectating
 - \$15/m for 4GB
 - RB mentions 720p streaming is likely 1GB per hour