

RSI Newsletter

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Note from the Secretary/Newsletter Editor: Please excuse the informality of this newsletter issue; however, it was more important to get the information out as quickly as possible than to have it “look pretty.” I look forward to seeing everyone next week.

President's Corner

Well, we survived the Wine Fest this year. I want everyone who showed up to know that you all did a great job! A few people stick out that I would like to thank. Let's start with John Paul Wolf. Every year he sets the tables up with the numbering system. As always, he does an excellent job at that. John, thank you for your dedication with that duty. We really appreciate it. There are two others that I would like to thank. They would be two kids I watched all weekend who really worked hard. They are Justin Shaw and AJ Wolf. For two kids, they kept the carts going to the bus tent. Thank you very much.

Now, it's time to gear up for NASCAR. Please get in touch with your specialty chief and be sure you know your duties for the weekend.

The weekend before NASCAR is PCA Riesentoter. RSI members can come in Friday and work that event, and then stay right through the week until the end of NASCAR weekend. If you do stay, we need you to do some work details around the track on Monday or Tuesday for a couple hours each day. The track always counts on us to help out with a few assignments. We also do some work around the campground before the stampede comes through for that weekend. Please clean up around your camper so it is looking nice.

Please remember, from Wednesday on during NASCAR weekend, we will be using Gate 1A. If you bring a guest or a vehicle without a parking pass, you will need to leave the vehicle outside the gate to our campground.

Also, remember that you are responsible for your guest. Please make sure everyone watches their kids and knows where their kids are at all times. There will be a lot of traffic through the campground. Please leave the bicycles at home.

We are off the weekend after NASCAR so everyone can wind down and relax.

We will see you all there next week. Be safe and take care.

Terry Lush, President

News from the Board

For NASCAR weekend, Gate 1A will open on Thursday at 7:00 a.m. and will be open 24/7. Go to registration and then come into the track via Gate 1A.

Gates must park outside Gate 1A. They should be able to redeem their guest passes for tickets at Gate 1A.

Guests are not permitted to take their cars infield. RSI members who take their cars infield during NASCAR weekend must have a special vehicle pass. (Your RSI parking sticker will not work.)

RSI is working with Jeff's to try to arrange to have campers dumped Monday, Thursday and Saturday of NASCAR weekend.

Also, the restroom in the campground may be open for NASCAR weekend, although it will most likely open after NASCAR. The track is making some changes to the water system. They will try to get the bathroom on-line as quickly as possible, but there is no set date for reopening.

See NASCAR Weekend schedule at the end of this newsletter. Keep in mind, however, that it is subject to change so stay in touch with your Chief. Bring your NASCAR training badges to the morning meetings to get your continuing education credit.

We know we sound like a broken record, but PLEASE BURY YOUR POWER CORDS!!! And, PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR PETS!

All of the electric camping spots are now full.

From Recruitment and Retention

Hi, everyone!

I would like to start with welcoming all the new recruits that we have had join us. I hope you all enjoy yourselves and have as good a time as all the rest of us. I would also like to thank everyone who helped at the Wine Fest. We made it through another year. Also, thank you to all who have helped recruit new people this year. Keep it up! We need more great people!!

Always remember to be safe.

Yvonne Lush, Recruitment and Retention Chief

PCA Riesentoter Weekend (August 2-3)

RSI will be providing Sausage, Peppers & Onions and Spaghetti for dinner on Saturday night of Riesentoter weekend.

If you have any questions about the content of this newsletter, please contact

Ramona Cunningham, RSI Secretary, at Ramona@htva.net.

NASCAR Sprint Cup Event Weekend

Private Event Schedule

August 7 - 10, 2008

Saturday, August 2nd

All Day Gate 2 Open 24 hours

Morning Earl Tisdale Arrives

All Day ROT Tour at Spiedie Fest in Binghamton

Monday, August 4th

8:00am – 6:00pm Driver / Owner RV Load In

12:30pm Grand Am Teams Allowed into Paddock (Next Move-In Date is Wednesday)

3:00 – 5:00pm ROT Tour at Camp Ithaca

Tuesday, August 5th

8:00am – 5:00pm Ticket Office Hours

4:00pm – 8:00pm WGI Registration

Wednesday, August 6th

All Day Gate 1 open 24 hours

All Day ROT Tour at Waverly Fan Fest

6:00am Gates 1 & 7 Open for Campers Only

8:00am – 5:00pm Ticket Office Hours

8:00am – 7:00pm WGI Registration

9:00am – 5:00pm Pyramid Hours

11:00pm Gate 7 Closes

TBA Grand Am Rig Parking

Thursday, August 7th

All Day Gates Open (G4: 9am-8pm; G4a: 8am-6pm; G5: 9am-8pm;
G6:6am-11pm; G7: 6am-11pm)

All Day ROT Tour at Corning Race Fever

7:00am – 7:00pm WGI Registration

7:00am – 8:00pm GT Center Base Operation Hours

8:00am – 5:00pm Ticket Office Hours

9:00am – 5:00pm Pyramid Hours

11:00am Grandstands Open

11:30am – 12:30pm Grand Am Practice – Rolex Series

12:45pm – 1:45pm Grand Am Practice – Rolex Series

2:00pm – 3:30pm NNS Haulers Enter (Hauler Unload Only)

3:45pm – 4:15pm Grand Am Practice – Rolex Series

4:30pm – 4:45pm Grand Am Qualifying – Rolex Series

5:00pm – 7:00pm NSCS Haulers Enter (Truck Parking Only)

7:00pm – 8:00pm Grand Am Final Practice – Rolex Series

Friday, August 8th

All Day Gates Open (G4: 9am-9pm; G4a: 8am-9pm; G5: 8am-9pm;
G6:6am-11pm; G7: 6am-11pm)

6:00am NNS Registration Opens

6:30am NSCS Registration Opens

6:30am NNS Garage Opens

7:00am NSCS Garage Opens

7:00am – 7:00pm WGI Registration
7:00am - 8:30pm GT Center Base Operation Hours
8:00am – 5:00pm Ticket Office Hours
8:00am – 8:00pm Pyramid Hours
10:00am Track Services Meeting
10:50am NSCS Rookie & Spotter Meetings & Drawing for Qualifying Order
11:00am Grandstands Open
11:00am – 1 hour post race . Crown Royal Club Hours
11:00am – 3:00pm McDonald’s Family Zone
11:15am NSCS ***HOT PASS IN EFFECT***
11:45am – 1:20pm NSCS Practice
12:30pm NNS Rookie & Spotter Meetings & Drawing for Qualifying Order
1:30pm – 3:00pm NNS Practice
2:40pm NSCS ***HOT PASS IN EFFECT***
TBA Grand Am Driver Autograph Session – Team Paddock
3:10pm NSCS Qualifying (One Lap, All Positions)
5:00pm NSCS Registration Closes
5:30pm NNS Final Practice (45 minutes, Time Permitting)
5:30pm NNS Registration Closes
6:00pm NSCS Garage Closes
6:15pm Grand Am Welcome – Gatorade Victory Lane (Driver Introductions)
6:30pm Grand Am START – Crown Royal 200 – Rolex Series
7:30pm NNS Garage Closes
TBD Scott Pruett Autograph Session (Pyramid)

Saturday, August 9th

All Day Gates Open (G3: 8am-9pm; G4: 7am-9pm; G4a: 7am-8pm; G5:

7am-8pm; G6:6am-11pm; G7: 6am-11pm)
7:00am NNS Garage & Registration Opens
7:00am – 3:30pm WGI Registration
7:00am – 9:00pm Pyramid Hours
7:00am – 5:00pm GT Center Base Operation Hours
7:30am Track Services Meeting
8:00am – TBD Ticket Office Hours
8:00am – 1 hour post race Crown Royal Club Hours
9:00am Grandstands Open
9:30am NSCS Garage & Registration Opens
10:00am – 2:00pm McDonald's Kid Zone Open
10:10am NNS Qualifying (NASCAR Road Race Qualifying)
10:30 – 11:00am Kevin Everett book signing (Pyramid)
11:30am NSCS ***HOT PASS IN EFFECT***
12:00pm – 1:15pm TV Exhibition Run
1:00pm NNS Driver/Crew Chief Meeting (Media Center)
1:20pm – 2:20pm NSCS FINAL PRACTICE
2:30pm NNS Welcome to the Zippo 200 – Pre-Race Stage (Driver Intros)
3:00pm NNS START – ZIPPO 200 – NASCAR Nationwide Series (82 Laps,
200.9 Miles)
4:00pm NNS Registration Closes
4:30pm NSCS Garage & Registration Closes

Sunday, August 10th

All Day Gates Open (G3: 8am-TBD; G4: 7am-TBD; G4a: 7am-TBD; G5: 7am-TBD; G6:6am-TBD; G7: 6am-TBD)
7:00am – TBD Ticket Office Hours
7:00am – 2:30pm WGI Registration

7:00am – 5:00pm GT Center Base Operation Hours

7:00am – 6:00pm Pyramid Hours

8:00am NSCS Garage & Registration Opens

8:00am Public Church Service (Esses Grandstand)

8:00am – 1 hour post race Crown Royal Club Hours

9:00am – 1:00pm McDonald's Kid Zone Open

9:30am – 9:45am Clint Bowyer to PT Fan Hospitality w/announcer

10:00am Grandstands Open

10:30am Track Services Meeting

11:00am – 11:15am Kevin Harvick to PT Fan Hospitality w/announcer

12:00pm NSCS Driver/Crew Chief Meeting (Media Center)

1:00pm NSCS HOT PASS IN EFFECT***

TBD NSCS Welcome to The Centurion Boats at The Glen – Pre-Race Stage

1:30pm NSCS Drivers Introduction - Security – Clear Pit Road

2:00pm NSCS START – Centurion Boats at The Glen – NASCAR Sprint Cup (90 Laps, 220.5 Miles)

3:00pm NSCS Registration Closes