



Houston SCCA Solo Committee Meeting Minutes 01 October 2019

Called to Order: Time 7:10PM

Attendees

- Ricardo Barnes, Matt Baum, Robert Horton, Chris Humphries, Lynn Ketcham, Brian Maskrey, Daniel McCelvey, Laurie McCelvey, Shannon Saxby, Reymond Singson and Jeff Thomson
 - Cody Brooks and Donna Trusty joined by phone
- Committee members not in attendance included:

2019 Committee Nominations

- Call for nominations.
- Nominations in October, elections in November, new members shadow previous committee member in December.

Fasttrack Review

- Member Advisories
 - Street Touring Category
 - Installation of the factory 3rd radiator on a M/T Porsche 987 Cayman may not be done as part of a Street category legal option package conversion. At this time the SEB is not aware of a Street category legal option package that allows this configuration.
 - Street Modified Category
 - Carbon Brake Rotors. Standard parts to be excepted from the requirement that brake disc surfaces be 100% ferrous metallic. If the rules can be adhered to while utilizing a standard part from a later model car then the part is legal for use in SM via the SP update/backdate rule.
- Change Proposals
 - Street Touring Category
 - FRS/BRZ Dual Radiator/Oil Cooler Clarification
 - An explicit allowance to utilize combination radiator/oil coolers which are available for multiple popular cars within ST Category.
- Tech Bulletins
 - Street Touring Hatchback (STH)
 - SAAB
 - 9-2x (2005-2006)

Tech Chief's Report

- No failed helmets or cars

Treasurer's Report

- 132 Entries & 7 DB drivers
- Suggestion on Ricardo Barnes and Mike Jiang to be signers on each other's bank accounts.

August 4th Event Review

- 132 Entries & 7 DB
- Muggy, but no rain. Thunder/lightening in the area, but no need to shut down.



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- Course was quick, good feedback
- GSS grid usually ends up with novices all in the back of the grid because they are usually slower to grid.
- Event Efficiency
 - First car: 9:31am/ Last car: 2:26pm
 - 3 heats, 14 min change overs
 - 4 runs
 - Timing issues 1st heat, resolved and was fine the rest of the month

August 25th Practice Event Review

- Weather was fine all day then down poured in the afternoon for cleanup

October 5th Rookie Skool Planning

- 8 instructors, not including Brian Maskrey or Daniel McCelvey
- Chair, tech, and food are not set.
- Safety is set. Lee Trusty, Donna Trusy, Roger, Ho
- Volunteers needed for cone shaggers
- Robert is bringing the timing truck

October 6th Event Planning

- We need a driver for the truck/trailer after the race
- Robert Horton is tech chief on Sunday
- Course map was approved, with minor adjustments made during setup and safety runs
- Oh My Gogi! food truck

November 2nd-3rd Course Map Review

- Courses approved with a couple minor adjustments

Miscellaneous

- Conversation about an annual truck/trailer clean up.
- New truck/trailer batteries are needed.
- Conversation about sending all timing equipment in for a once over.
- Grid workers try and pay attention and organize grid and not have all fast people group together and all novices grouped together.
- To be announced at drivers meeting and rookie walk through: Novices/those that want instruction if possible should come into grid with their flashers on.
- Planned to do more practice events. Make it well known that anyone is welcome to chair a practice.
- Is there any interest in an Evo School?

Meeting Adjourned: Time 8:45PM

Respectfully submitted by Shannon Saxby