



Houston SCCA Solo Committee Meeting Minutes 28 October 2019

Called to Order: Time 7:01PM

Attendees

- Ricardo Barnes, Robert Horton, Lynn Ketcham, Brian Maskrey, Daniel McCelvey, Laurie McCelvey, Shannon Saxby and Jeff Thomson
 - Matt Baum, Cody Brooks, Chris Humphries, Reymond Singson, Donna Trusty joined by phone
- Guests in attendance include: Rosa Lee Smart, Randy Smart, Tisha Strickland and Richard Tomlin
- Committee members not in attendance included:

2019 Committee Election

- Nominations are closed and we received no nominations. Ballots will go out Monday, November 4th and will close on November 18th

Fasttrack Review

- <https://www.scca.com/pages/fastrack-news>

Tech Chief's Report

- One helmet was confiscated
- One car failed for a missing lug nuts, but the driver fixed it and subsequently passed tech

Treasurer's Report

- 118 entries, plus 9 DB entries

October 5th Event Review

- Rookie School was sold out
- Good feedback from all students and instructors
- About half of the rookies came back on Sunday
- Brian Maskrey is working curriculum revisions for next year

October 6th Event Review

- 118 Entries plus 9 DB entries
- Course design: Zack Barnes
- Event efficiency:
 - First car: 9:23am/ Last car: 2:04pm
 - Three heats, very quick 12-13 min heat change overs
 - Grid needs to be setup before the first car is sent to the start.
 - Five runs, only three reruns all day
- Good feedback on the food truck, quick turnaround

November 2nd Event Planning

- Food truck: Southern Taste

November 3rd Event Planning

- Food truck: Food Music Life



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2020 Brainstorming Session

- Richard Tomlin is the new SCCA RE
- The main goal for the club for 2020 is growth.
- Cars and coffee – We have been given a tent and places to park autocross cars.
 - Focus on drawing participation for autocross.
 - Get an easy up and one autocross car to display there.
- Regions first Time Trial – Friday, November 22nd at MSRH
 - 45 cars needed to break even, no more than 50. Attempting to keep the entry fee under \$200.

Miscellaneous

- Truck/Trailer cleanup – Saturday, November 16th at Chris's shop. 9am.
- Axeware class: November 9th from 2-4pm at Ricardo's office.
 - Teach students how to create an event, run the event, audit the results, and upload the results online. Along with a summary of how the timing equipment is setup in the morning.
- Trial grid chief position at the November events, this person helps get grid up and running and instructs grid workers on how to run grid. This would be a normal day of work assignment.
- Grid workers needs to wait until they are full and ready before they send cars to the line. Grid should not be sending cars up to the start line while drivers and still pulling into grid.
- Speak with the food trucks about advertising that their customers are can come out to our event.

Meeting Adjourned: Time 9:13PM

Respectfully submitted by Shannon Saxby