

Houston SCCA Solo Committee meeting minutes 29Mar2017

Tech Report:

- Five total helmets confiscated and held until the end of the event.
- Father and son brought a Euro bicycling helmet which was found not suitable. Tech withheld helmet until end of event and owner forget to pick up.

Fastrack:

- Proposal out for comment on allowing engine swaps within Prepared
- Combining the 350Z and 370Z to one line in Appendix A for F prepared
- Daniel McCelvey added to the SAC
- There is a very big proposal to eliminate STF in 2018 and the cars would be split between STH (Street Touring Hatch) and STS. STS would absorb the less competitive cars from STF. STX would no longer have turbo cars.
- Proposed changes to Prepared classes wheel width

Treasurer Report:

- At our last event there were 160 paid participants.

Last event:

- Last event went off great; very smooth with no safety issues or accidents.
- Event started on time and finished early. There were 177 entries with 37 rookie entries.

Next event (April 2)

- Roger did the course design and analysis
- There was discussion about minimizing cone count
- Set-up will be on Saturday starting at 10:00 a.m.
- Robert is to call owner to clear set-up time
- There was discussion on ordering Porta cans
- Wayne is to purchase 5 "12 packs" of Ivory soap for the course layout
- Safety crew will not be there on Saturday, but will be on Sunday
- Pete has Tech covered
- Not sure about timing crew

April 22, 23rd Event at Riverside Annex

- **Will be run by TAMSSC and our members will pay their fee of \$15.00 or \$20.** Since this will not be an SCCA event, there are no SCCA waivers or entry fees. Allison at A&M says the university club's insurance covers anyone on site including our participants.
- Timing, registration, tech, etc. will be run by TAMSSC with some assistance from us.
- April 22nd will be a practice.
- April 23rd will count as a HouSCCA regional
- There is a **\$5.00 discount for online registration. Cash only, and paid at registration.**
- Registration is from 8:00 -9:15; Tech from 8:00-9:30 and the 1st car starts at 10:00
- Registration will be at axwaresystems.com. When TAMSSC gets the event registration page set up they will let us know.
- HouSCCA is doing the course design. Course was reviewed but it needs an analysis.

June Double Header

- Does not look like we will get RPR for the June double header so we will switch to HPA
- June 10, 11th are the preferred dates at HPA.
- Ricardo is to check with HPA on availability of those dates and if HPA is not available then second pick dates are June 3rd or 4th.

4 Heat Schedule with morning and afternoon registration

- This is how we ran at GGP for quite a few years. Drivers would register for either morning or afternoon based on class schedule. X could run in morning or afternoon. DB could run after competition class heat. Popular because drivers don't have to be there the whole day.
- This is difficult with HPA because it requires two grids.
- Robert suggested that we table this for now and that someone put together a proposal for review at a later date.

We need to look for event sites. Regular members are encouraged to submit candidate sites for the committee to review. Regular members are discouraged from contacting site owners, we would prefer the