The NL Home Opener Time Attack TT

**Time Trial Regulations**

 NELSON LEDGES ROAD COURSE, 10342 Ohio SR 305, Garrettsville, OH 44231

**Held under the 2023 SCCA Time Trials & Track Event Rules**

**Event Date: 5/6/2023 Sanction Number: 23-**

This Sports Car Club of America (SCCA) event is Held under the appropriate 2023 SCCA Time Trials Rules (Rules) in effect at the time of the event. All participants are expected to read and be familiar with the Rules. The current Rules are available via the SCCA Website at https://www.timetrials.scca.com. The SCCA strives to ensure all participants at its events and activities enjoy a safe and welcoming environment.

**Event Organizers:** This event is hosted by Neohio Region, SCCA. If you have questions that are not answered in the Rules or these Supplemental Regulations, we’re here to help! Contact:

* **Event Lead:** Dave Lancaster Contact Info: TimeTrialChair@neohioscca.com
* **Co-Event Lead:** Joe Harbert Contact: joeharbert9@gmail.com
* **Lead Driver Coach:**  James Patterson Contact: jas2fast72@gmail.com
* **Ambassador (Registrar):** Jennifer Dietz Contact Info: jenniferdietz96@hotmail.com

**Time Attack Specifics**

**Event Description:**  This event will include Time Attack sessions only! Groups will include Novice, Intermediate, and Advanced.

* Gates open at 7:00 AM on 5/6/2023.
* On site Check In is open Saturday from 7:00 to 8:30 AM.
* A draft version of the session schedule is available. A final schedule will at check-in. We expect four on-track sessions per group during the day. The Event officials reserve the right to change before or during the event, so please listen for PA announcements.

**Time Attack Mandatory Meetings (To be held using State of Ohio Social Distancing Guidelines):**

* 5/6/23 @ 8:00 AM - Volunteers at Start/Finish
* 5/6/23 @ 8:00 AM –Driver’s Meeting in Tech Building
* 5/6/23 @ 8:30 AM - Orientation Laps (lead/follow) with Coaches (Mandatory for Novices)
* 5/6/23 @ 9:00 AM - Novice Meeting (Location to be announced during the Driver’s Meeting)

**Activities and Inspections:** Completed Self Tech forms must be submitted along with the participant’s helmet to the Tech Inspectors on Sunday from 7 to 9 AM in the Tech Building. Due to State of Ohio Social Distancing Guidelines, this plan is subject to change.

**Registration:** Registration requirements are as follows:

* Entry Fees:Early Bird Entry Fee: $265 by April 15, 2023, Standard Entry Fee $290, Non-members must purchase an SCCA Weekend membership for $25.00.
* Drivers may register for this event online at www.motorsportreg.com. On-line Registrationcloses at 11:59 PM on 5/4/2023. A $25.00 Late Registration Fee applies to entries submitted after 11:59 PM on 5/4/2023.
* If you require a paper registration form, please contact the Ambassador at jenniferdietz96@hotmail.com. \*\*PLEASE NOTE: ONLINE REGISTRATION IS HIGHLY ENCOURAGED AND WILL RECEIVE PRIORITY OVER PAPER REGISTRATIONS\*\*
* If more than 120 cars register, we will offer a wait-list. If space becomes available, wait-listed drivers will be contacted at least 48 hours prior to the start of the event.
* **Refunds & Withdrawals:** Refunds are available prior to on-track participation. Once a car has turned a wheel on-track, no refunds will be given

**Timing and Scoring:** Timing and scoring procedures for the Time Attack are as follows:

* Transponders are required for this event. If you don’t have a Tranx260 compatible transponder, you may rent one through [www.motorsportreg.com](https://triviumpackaging-my.sharepoint.com/personal/brian_vondran_triviumpackaging_com/Documents/SCCA/Time%20Trial%202021/www.motorsportreg.com) for $35 for the event.
* Scoring will be determined by each driver’s best-timed lap from each timed Time Attack session.
	+ Any driver not completing a timed lap during a timed session will be credited with a 2:00 (two minute) lap for that session.
* All cars must display a car number on both sides of the car. Numbers should be 8 inches high in a color that contrasts with the car’s paint. Masking tape numbers are acceptable if they are readable.

**Awards:** Awards will be presented after the completion of the Event. .

**2023 OPTT Challenge Presented by HAWK:** This event will be the first points event of the 2023 OPTT Challenge Series

**Grid & Pit Lane Rules:**

* All cars entering the track during “hot” sessions must have an appropriate Tech Sticker.
* Only participants with the appropriate wristband will be allowed in pit lane and on track.
* The Grid Steward positioned at the entrance to the Pit area controls traffic through the gate. Drivers must follow the instructions of the Grid Steward before proceeding into the Pit area.
* Be aware at all times of foot traffic in the Pit and Paddock areas.
* No uncredentialed minors are allowed on Grid or in the Pit Lane during activities.

**Paddock Rules:** The rules of the paddock area are as follows:

* Paddock speed limit is “walking speed” and it is strictly enforced. Speeding in the pit/paddock/access roads, and reckless driving (even on track) are strictly prohibited and could result in removal from the property.
* Only licensed drivers may operate any type of motorized vehicles in the paddock.
* Please place wood or other material between any jacks and the asphalt.
* If you have a fluid spill, please contact an event official immediately. Oil dry is available.
* The organizers and the track management are not responsible for damage or theft of equipment or belongings.

**Track Rules:** Once track sessions have started, all access to the paddock will be via the bridge over the front straight. If a vehicle exceeds the bridge weight limit, it will have to wait to cross at the crossover gate between live sessions.

**Services on or near the track:** 93 Octane Fuel will be available for sale at the track. Parts stores and other services are available in the towns of Garrettsville and Warren nearby.

**Camping & Accommodations:**

* Camping is available for participants (including volunteers) at the track. Arrangements should be made with track management by contacting the Track Manager (fredwolfe917@gmail.com).
* Area hotels can be found via the map function on MotorsportsReg.com.

**Pets:** Nelson Ledges is a pet friendly track. In fact, so pet friendly that your pet may get a biscuit when it shows up. That being said, pets must be on a leash or a lead at all times. Please clean up after your pet. The next person who has to slide under a car to make a repair doesn’t want to find the gift Fido left behind.

**Event Cancellation:** The organizers reserve the right to cancel or postpone the event when circumstances arise that are beyond their control. If at all possible, entrants will be notified in advance and refund arrangements will be made as needed. In the event of a National Emergency or severe weather situation, please contact the Event Lead or check the Motorsportreg.com website for event status updates.