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Race Car for Sale

Lee Miller would like to sell his Lotus 7

RE

by Chris Brake



I am tying this month's article as we prepare for the first track event and first autocross of the year. Mother Nature is being less than cooperative, but I am confident we will still put on great events. We are looking forward to a lot of fun happenings this year.

I am particularly pleased how a lot of members have stepped up to help make things happen this year. With having lives outside of the club, there is only so much each of us can handle. Thank you to everyone for everything you do. Without everyone pitching in, the club wouldn't be where it is today.

I would also like to encourage everyone to try part of the club they haven't tried before

to find out how awesome we really are, between Rally, Solo and Track Events we have a lot to offer during the season, plus some bonus Club activities through the year. Remember karting league for the off season and more club activities. Hope to see everyone at an upcoming event!!!!



Rally



By Wendy Harrison

June 23rd Indians Game Rally

July 7th National Rally

July 8th Divisional Rally

September 22nd Rally- TBD

October 27th Halloween Rally

December 1s Toys for Tots Rally

Activities

by Vinnie Taibi

* No Article this Month

Note From the Editor

By Maggie Vang

Hello all! I am so happy to be back! I have missed putting together this newsletter more than I though. So, the season has begun, and Mother Nature has decided to go crazy! Hopefully she gets herself together so we have a nice, sunny, warm season. Please enjoy this month's edition and make sure to give a shout out to Zach Perry for the AWESOME pictures! Until next month...happy racing!!!



Solo

by Stefanie Brake



Thanks to everyone that attended our training meeting. It's a great feeling knowing that I have plenty of people trained to do different specialties.

The season starts this month! We have a contracted event for Purdue Automotive Performance Association on April 7-8 at Grissom and then a DragCross and Fun Event on April 14-15 at Grissom.

In May we will be having a Novice Drivers School. This will take place on May 5th at Grissom hosted by Will Lager. Lunch will be provided. All students at the school will receive free entry into Points Event #1 on May 6th (must be used for this event), to test what you have learned. We will also have a three-day test n tune on May 18-20 at Grissom.

Let's make this an awesome year! If you are interested in volunteering to help with anything please email me at indysccasolo@yahoo.com.

****Schedule located at the bottom of this issue****



Secretary

By Joel Harleman

April 2018 Indy SCCA BOD

Meeting Minutes Attendee's – Joel Harleman, Colin Faucett, Sue Faucett, Bruce Faucett, Mike Young, Velma Boreen, Raleigh Boreen, Dick Powell, Sam Crites, Clemens Burger, Carol Burger, Catherine Justiniano, Daniel Froemming, Stefanie Brake, Chris Brake, Jim DaPuzzo.

Approval of February Minutes – Approved Old Business – Discussed alternate monthly meeting sites and region shirts. Both projects are ongoing. Suggestion to ask for the membership for design ideas for the region shirts to be sold at events.

Website – Via e-mail “First off thanks so much for all the help in sending me stuff to update the site for each of the programs. I think we have pretty much everything except any updates to any rules which have not been sent to me yet. Also, a reminder to please send me information to be posted on the site. We still have some items that seem to just get posted to Facebook or only sent to the Clutch Chatter for me to discover. I think it important to put everything in as many places as possible to allow our members to have several ways to get that information. So, I would most appreciate sending me an email and letting me get that info posted for you.”

Clutch Chatter – March edition looked great! Idea for future issues to have the SCCA anniversaries listed each month with a short interview of one of the anniversary members.

Membership – Via e-mail “February looked to have better outreach from the national office on membership renewals - many more were already registered than not. January, I understand was particularly bad based on feedback the Boreens got when they called. So, the numbers are 549 total, 4 new. Plus, I have quite a few from January that emailed back they will renew, probably closer to when

events start up in a month.”

Discussed a proposal to update the Involved Member Award rules with points added for Track Events. Motioned by Joel/Michael and approved. Region shirts once designed suggested to be a preorder price of \$10, regular price of \$15, and a \$5 off coupon for new members.

Treasurer – Normal preseason moneys going in and out. Banquet is still having a tentative date of January 26, 2019 being held for us by Mallow Run. National Convention does not appear to conflict with this date currently. They are asking for a small fee in addition to this year. Motion to increase the banquet budget was motioned by Colin/Joel and approved.

Activities – One more event in the karting league. 28 at the last event.

Social Media – Starting boosted posts for the first track event. Solo – Training day this Saturday from 11am-4pm. Training for Solo Safety Steward, Junior Driver (kart) Steward, Timing and Scoring, and Tech. First event will be us helping with the PAPA charity autocross for the Wounded Warriors on April 7-8. The first region solo events will be the following weekend with a DragCross on April 14 and a Fun Event on the 15th. Bus is currently undergoing repairs. CAM Challenge and the May Test n Tune events could both use volunteers to staff these events.

Rally – The June 23rd social rally that will start at Eagle Creek and end downtown for an Indian's baseball game has a rally theme! Flyers for the rally will be out by the next board meeting. Starting to promote the National Rally in July. Workers for the July 7th National Rally will get a free entry into the July 8th Divisional Rally. 12 workers needed for the National Rally.

Track Events – Three weeks to the first event. Need workers to staff grid and registration. 15 have already registered! Worker driving sessions will be worked in during the normal event this year. Discussion of the

differences between our events and other groups that also do track events.

New Business – None
Respectfully Submitted,
Joel Harleman Indy SCCA Secretary



Membership

By Matt Adams



Adam	Flowers	Blanford	IN
Lilly	Flowers	Blanford	IN
Katy	Gray	Indianapolis	IN

Anniversaries

Joseph	Kniesly	Carmel	IN	15 yrs
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Happy Spring all, Hopefully we get some nice weather for the start of the event season here in Indianapolis this month. Just a reminder to download a copy of the involved member award log sheet. The rules have been updated for 2018 to include specific tallies for participating and supporting Track Events and Time Trial events that are hosted by the Indianapolis region. All this is updated on

<http://indyscca.org/information.html>

So, be sure to look at what those will do to help achieve receiving this award. We are also going to roll out a simpler way to get a new jacket or have an existing jacket updated for 2018. Keep on the lookout for details in the future.

Membership is 545 for March with 9 new additions. Per feedback from last month the significant anniversaries will be mentioned in the month directly after it occurred. So there was one for March and more will follow!

New members

Raymond	Brake	Fort Valley	GA
Ian	Ashland	Plainfield	IN
Rachel	Burch	Indianapolis	IN
Jacob	Hirsch	Indianapolis	IN
Charles	Phillips	Indianapolis	IN
Yao	Sun	West Lafayette	IN

PDX

By Michael Young



*No Article this Month

Solo Schedule

By Stefanie Brake

March 17	Operations Training Day	Justiniano Home, Brownsburg
April 7-8	PAPA Wound Warrior Charity Autocross (Hosted by IndySCCA)	Grissom Aeroplex
April 14	DragCross #1	Grissom Aeroplex
April 15	Fun Event #1	Grissom Aeroplex
May 5	Novice Driving School**	Grissom Aeroplex
May 6	Points Event #1	Grissom Aeroplex
May 18-20	Test N Tune**	Grissom Aeroplex
June 10	Points Event #2	Indiana State Fairgrounds
June 29	DragCross #2	Grissom Aeroplex
June 30-July 1	Points Event #3 and #4 GLDSS Events Charity Event Benefiting Peru PD K9 Unit	Grissom Aeroplex
July 15	Points Event #5	Indianapolis Speedrome
August 5	Hoosier Challenge (Points #6) Hosted by Indiana Northwest Region	Grissom Aeroplex
August 10-12	CAM Challenge East	Grissom Aeroplex
August 17-19	SCCA National Event Test N Tune** Nationals Preparation	Grissom Aeroplex

September 15	Solo Trial	Grissom Aeroplex
September 16	Points Event #7	Grissom Aeroplex
September 30	Points Event #8	Indiana State Fairgrounds
October 13	DragCross #3	Grissom Aeroplex
October 14	Final Fun Event Car Swapping Fun	Grissom Aeroplex

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**Test N Tune events and Driver's School are Pre-Registration ONLY and have limited spaces available.

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New members of Indy Region will receive Clutch Chatter in the mail for two months, after which they are expected to view or download from the website. They will be able to opt-in by filling out and mailing in the form below.

Non-members: Our plan is add non-member competitors to the mailing list for one month. If they compete in another event, they will be added for another month.

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