

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- World of Wheels recap and pictures
- Membership awards and recognition
- Event Schedules

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Note from the (Substitute) Editor

I want to give a big shout out to Maggie Vang. I, Stefanie Brake, am standing in for Maggie for this months issue. This is not easy work and everyone should thank her for the great amount of effort that she puts into these issues every month.

I hope you all enjoy the issue I have put together, and if you don't this should be my last one.

If there is something you would like to see in the Clutch Chatter issues please contact Maggie Vang. [Stefanie Brake]



Regional Executive - Chris Brake

This month was another good month for the club, we were well represented at World of Wheels, another great turnout at our karting league event, and programs are going the right way for a good year.

I would like to particularly say thank you to everyone who helped with world of wheels. Those of you that know me well know how frantic I get the week of world of wheels. The amount of help we had on the ground getting everything

setup, at the show and tore down was phenomenal. I don't want to start naming names because so many people did a lot for us this year, but I will single out Vinnie Taibi and Dan Froemming for being with me from Wednesday

when load in started and helping getting things handled when I couldn't be there on Friday.



Rally Report - Wendy Harrison

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| June 23rd | Indians Game Rally |
| July 7th | National Rally |
| July 8th | Divisional Rally |
| September 22nd | Rally - TBD |
| October 27th | Halloween Rally |
| December 1st | Toys for Tots Rally |



Activities - Vinnie Taibi

The annual O'Reilly World of Wheels car show took place on Feb 9-11. The region participated in event with an 8 car club display and a vendor booth.

We always challenge ourselves to improve our display every year, and we did just that. We were a little worried when we

found out they had us in a different room than normal, but it ended up working in our favor. It was a great layout for our display, and we were able to keep all of our cars together.

All of our cars placed in their respective classes, which is always exciting. The best part

was winning the Best Club Display for the second year in a row. Everyone really seems to enjoy seeing us every year.

Planning is already starting for next year, and we hope to make the display event better.

Solo Report - Stefanie Brake

The start of the 2018 Season is sneaking up on us quickly. There will be a Operations Training Meeting on March 17th in Brownsburg (4446 High Street). We will be going over all the aspects of putting on an event, along with Safety Steward training and Junior Driver Program training.

The season will kick off with an event that we are hosting for the Purdue Automotive Performance Association (PAPA). They are holding their annual Wounded Warrior Project Charity Event and

have asked us to help them host it again this year. Event will be held at Grissom Aeroplex on April 7-8. This is a two-day event (you can do either day or both days). Registration is up on MSR.

Indy Region will kick off the official season on April 14-15 at Grissom Aeroplex. We will be holding a DragCross on Saturday and a Fun Event on Sunday. The Fun Event we will run like a normal event. This help stand as a "practice" for the rest of the season and get everyone back on track after the long winter.

On May 5th we will be holding a Novice Driver's School at Grissom Aeroplex. If you are a novice with less than 2 years of experience in autocross feel free to sign up and get some great one-on-one instruction.

This year we are doing rotating course designers. You must be approved by me, and I may require you to have a mentor. If you would like to design a course for one of our events please email me (indyscasolo@yahoo.com) with the event you would like to design.



Membership - Matt Adams

Membership held steady for February. Numbers are 549 with a lot of renewals & four new members offsetting a group that elected not to renew for 2018. Apologies for the confusion last month about getting Region Anniversaries and Involved member awards recognized. They've been included in this month's edition below.

New Members:

- Will Edwards - Greenwood, IN
- Kole Grove - Indianapolis, IN
- Ryan Kowalewski - Indianapolis, IN
- Samuel Lesjak Jr. - Fortville, IN

Involved Member awards 2017

- Carol Burger
- Ted Drummond
- Jamie Gronkowski

- Joel Harleman
- Lee Miller
- Dick Powell
- Vinnie Taibi

Congratulations to those members who have been with us 5 years or more. Check page 6 for a full list of anniversaries.



Track Events - Michael Young

The new Time Trials/Track Events program is starting up and our first event is on April 7th at Putnam Park. Here is the event link with all the info: www.motosportreg.com/events/scca-pdx-springtime-in-park-putnam-road-course-indianapolis-307316

Registration is now open for the event! Sign up and don't miss out!!! National Time Trial Championships at NCM will be in September. Please contact me for more information.

Schedule:

- April 7th - Putnam Park
- August 26th - Putnam Park



Secretary - Joel Harleman

February 2018 Indy Region BOD Minutes

Attendees – Joel Harleman, Colin Faucett, Stefanie Brake, Chris Brake, Dick Powell, Raleigh Boreen, Velma Boreen, Sue Faucett, Bruce Faucett, Warren Todd, Daniel Froeming, Vincent Taibi, Wendy Harrison, Matt Adams, Jim DaPuzzo, Catherine Justiniano, Carol Burger, Mike Young

Approval of January Minutes – Omission of Track Events budget approval was noted to be fixed. Minutes approved with that correction to be made. Bruce 1st Matt 2nd Approved with none opposed.

Old Business – Discussed pricing for shirts for BOD Members. Matt 1st Bruce 2nd Approved with none opposed. Alternate locations proposed for the monthly board meetings were DIY garage, Big Woods, Dawsons, City BBQ.

Website – Chiefs please check their parts of the website to look for errors or omissions.

Clutch Chatter – New format looks very good. Suggestion to add the Great Lakes Division directors and program chiefs information.

Membership – 550 members, 6 new plus more coming from World of Wheels. Somehow the renewal letters from the National Office for January did not get received by those needing them. Working to get those done plus working with the National Office to find out why. There has been a change to the referral pro-

gram where the person being referred does not receive a credit towards their membership. Ideas given for a credit towards a solo, rally, track event or half price year end banquet.

Treasurer – Mallow Run has been contacted about the 2019 banquet tentative for Jan 26th. World of Wheels, Banquet, and National convention were all under budget. Budget vs actual sheet is attached. Taxes will be due in May. One of the club's CD's matures at the end of March and will be rolled over into a new one.

Activities – Banquet was well attended compared to previous years. Food was ordered for 100 people and we ended up running out of side dishes for the main meal. Discussed whether to use the same vendor next year or do something different. Karting league has sold out 2 of 3 events and FastTimes is happy with us. World of Wheels was able to sign up new members and give out lots of information. Track events was asked about a lot. The club won the Best Club Display.

Social Media – The National Office shared our World of Wheels video of the display.

Solo – Schedule is out. Change in the schedule is that 1 Lap of America will not be doing their autocross at Grissom so we will be doing a drivers school that day instead. Volunteers needed and lunch will be provided plus an entry into a solo event. Training day is March 17th and will be at the Justiniano's house this year. Food challenge is your best dish in a crockpot. First event of the season will be

hosting of the PAPA autocross challenge supporting The Wounded Warrior Project. Great Lakes Divisional meeting is March 10th and Kart steward training will be provided for new and those whose kart steward expired with the new program starting.

Rally – March rally will be canceled. Rally school which has happened the last few years will become an online training to be uploaded to the website. First rally will be a social rally starting at Eagle Creek and trekking to downtown near Victory Field where there will be an Indian's game that night.

Track Events (The program formerly known as PDX) – Signed contracts and deposit check have been mailed. First event is April 7th and is up on MotorsportsReg. Would like to try and include a dinner after the event to get people to stay around and socialize. There will also be an Early Bird discount again this year.

New business – Request for the 2019 season to have a women's only drivers school. Also discussed the need for having a central depository for the minutes and budget in both hardcopy and electronic formats.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Joel Harleman
Indy Region Secretary



Board Meetings
take place the
2nd Tuesday of
every month.
Currently we are
meeting at
Donatos in
Brownsburg, IN

2018 Solo Schedule - Stefanie Brake



Regular and Special Events

March 17	Operations Training Day	Junstiano 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 SCCA National Event (Will need volunteers and chiefs)	Grissom Aeroplex
August 17-19	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

***Schedule is subject to change. Please check the website for all updates and details.

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

Membership Anniversaries - Matt Adams



*Thank you for all
of your support
throughout your
many years of
membership!*

Fred Steinhoff	Indianapolis, IN	50 years
Simone Smiljanic	Cincinnati, OH	45 years
Sue Young	Indianapolis, IN	45 years
Jan Castelluccio	Indianapolis, IN	40 years
Julie Johnson-	Mooresville, IN	40 years
Partridge	Fort Worth, TX	30 years
John Rutherford IV	Indianapolis, IN	30 years
Richard Powell	Carmel, IN	25 years
Matt Curry	Vienna, VA	25 years
Howard Liebengood	Indianapolis, IN	25 years
Kerry Darrenkamp	Indianapolis, IN	20 years
J Spellman	Indianapolis, IN	20 years
Bill Baten	Brownsburg, IN	15 years
Mark Lamm	Indianapolis, IN	15 years
Dale Brier	Indianapolis, IN	15 years
Jeff Rapp	Indianapolis, IN	15 years
Paul Page	Carmel, IN	15 years
Stephen Ring	Lebanon, IN	10 years
Jeff Edmonds	Lebanon, IN	10 years
Robert Miller	Westfield, IN	10 years
April Broughton	Indianapolis, IN	10 years
Richard Strickland	Greenwood, IN	5 years
Lou Savino	Franklin, IN	5 years
Joshua Pertzsch	Martinsville, IN	5 years
Jessica Johnson	Martinsville, IN	5 years
Aaron Johnson	Noblesville, IN	5 years
Nathan Rodriguez	Poland, IN	5 years
Corrine Harleman	Hartford City, IN	5 years
Chris Jennerjahn	Hartford City, IN	5 years
Kristie Jennerjahn	Hartford City, IN	5 years
Adam Jennerjahn	Hartford City, IN	5 years
Alexander Jennerjahn	Hartford City, IN	5 years
Evan Jennerjahn	Hartford City, IN	5 years
Sophia Jennerjahn	Carmel, IN	5 years
Chris Arbuckle	Mooresville, IN	5 years
Kellie DeVault	Mooresville, IN	5 years
Donovan DeVault	Pendleton, IN	5 years
Craig Campbell	West Bloomfield, MI	5 years
Brendan Carr	Brownsburg, IN	5 years
Colin Faucett	Indianapolis, IN	5 years
Robert Perona	Indianapolis, IN	5 years
Ryan Roberson	West Lafayette, IN	5 years
James Weida	Greenwood, IN	5 years

Karting League Results



Event #4 Results

Position	Driver	Heat 1	Heat 2	Best Time	Points
1	Will Lahee	23.724	23.137	23.137	100.000
2	Nick Myers	23.668	23.226	23.226	98.846
3	Vinnie Taibi	23.890	23.244	23.244	98.613
4	Tyler Titus	23.722	23.276	23.276	98.198
5	Clemens Burger	23.815	23.280	23.280	98.146
6	Joe Doroff	24.058	23.378	23.378	96.875
7	Chris Finnigan	23.732	23.448	23.448	95.967
8	Lauren Streeter	23.625	23.455	23.455	95.877
9	Dallas Reed	24.104	23.465	23.465	95.747
10	Gabe Argenta	23.502	23.477	23.477	95.591

Season Standings

Position	Driver	Event 1	Event 2	Event 3	Event 4	Event 5	Total	Total w/ Drop
1	Vinnie Taibi	97.017	97.848	94.238	98.613		387.715	387.715
2	Dallas Reed	94.501	94.969	95.455	95.747		380.672	380.672
3	Jonathon Heck	96.537	96.434	89.856	95.151		377.978	377.978
4	Clemens Burger	92.944	99.066	84.784	98.146		374.941	374.941
5	Will Lahee	90.324	96.693	87.132	100.000		374.149	374.149
6	Kevin Berba	93.658	93.685	86.102	94.814		368.259	368.259
7	Joe Doroff	88.431	92.142	86.203	96.875		363.651	363.651
8	Alan Hamson	92.607	91.157	86.090	93.672		363.526	363.526
9	Aaron Liawang	92.114	87.954	87.044	91.935		359.047	359.047
10	Tyler Titus	85.318	91.766	81.432	98.198		356.714	356.714

Racecar For Sale

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*MUST BE 2013-206



If there are any questions, or if you are interested please call Lee Miller @ 765-779-3004

Thanks You!

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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.

OPT-IN FORM

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