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MAY MEMBERSHIP MEETING

NEXT MEETING WILL BE ON
TUESDAY, May 1, 2012

WEST FORK ROADHOUSE
3850 BELMONT AVE
YOUNGSTOWN, OH
just south of I 80

Meeting Time: 8:00pm

Come early for dinner.

REmarks - Reed Kryder

If you missed last month's membership meeting you missed something very special. About thirty members met at Ahsen Yelkin's race shop. The facility was amazing. We were also treated to a meal you would not believe. A very big thank you to Ahsen for inviting us and Paul Morrison for all his work in arranging it.

The upcoming May meeting is also very special. We will be discussing many upcoming club functions, including our Double National scheduled for the Memorial Day weekend. We will also receive reports on our "Street Survival" event and Regionals scheduled for later in the year. If you want to know what's going on you need to attend.

There is something special happening during our Double National which could help all of us in the future. A local gentleman has initiated a program to combine various car clubs in several activities, both track related and social. There have been two meetings so far with these clubs and the reception to his ideas have been positive. This is the start of a multi-year strategy with some dramatic goals in the future. But it needs it get off to a good start. Their first joint activity will be a visit to Nelson Ledges during our Double National weekend. Besides watching the races and visiting with drivers and teams, the group will be allowed to take parade laps during lunchtime. A few of them may be asked to give rides at slow speeds to workers at the end of the day. You might ask: Why would a worker delay their participation in the beer party for a slow lap around the track? The "make" of the vehicle may have something to do with it. These clubs include Ferrari, Jaguar, Corvette, Porsche, BMW, Lotus, and a few others. Please treat these people as your friends and thereby encourage them to become involved with MVR and Nelson Ledges activities in the future.

I also want to use this column to remind people of the Alternate Driver's School program initiated by the SCCA. The basic idea is to offer an alternative path towards acquiring a Competition License for those individuals who may not be able to do it through the scheduled SCCA Driver Schools or an approved professional school. I am an approved Alt DS instructor. I already have a student who has completed part of the program. If you know of someone who is interested please have them contact me ASAP. One big advantage of the program is it can be spread out over several months and done at the student's convenience. One disadvantage is it cannot be rushed. The first known Regional in our area where a student can "complete" the program is scheduled for June 23-24 at Nelson Ledges. There are a couple of steps which need to be completed "prior" to the Regional. Anyone wishing to target this Regional event with me needs to be starting the other steps no later the first of June.

Make sure you are at the May meeting if you would like to voice your opinion on a date for our annual picnic. See you then,

Minutes of the March Membership Meeting

March member meeting opened 8:00pm by R.E. Reed Kryder. There twelve members present. Motion by Sandy Kryder,, correction to the minutes Chris Bell was elected not appointed as Chairman of the Trustees. Seconded Chris Bell.

Treasurers report was approved as read.

Membership report was in Track.

Old Business:

Safety day April 21. Reed Kryder discussion , changes in rules in the future , revue of convention , SCCA will be involved F1 race at Austin ,Texas. Sandi Kryder - Discussion Member Meeting. SCCA John McGill award given to Connie Peplowski . . John Gingery - site in Boardman possibility for Street Survival Course. 2012 Races- John McGill Double National , two day Sat and Sun ,car clubs invited .

MARRS regional & enduro , Double Regional in Sept.

New Business:

April membership will be held at Everclear Racing. 7:00 dinner arrive 6:30.

Sandi Kryder made a motion to lower the family membership region dues from \$20.00 to \$15.00. Chris Bell seconded. Motion passed.

Motion to adjourn made John Gingery 2nd Brad Morris. Motion passed. Meeting was adjourned at 9:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted by Greg Alley, Secretary

Minutes of the April Membership Meeting

April membership meeting called to order at 8:25 by R.E. Reed Kryder. 28 members present.

Minutes will be in next Track.

Treasurers report was approved as read.

Tech & physicals April 7th ,safety day April 21st at Nelson's .

Old Business Round Table high lights in Track. Street Survival parking lot in place. 2012 MVR race sponsors needed, Memorial day national racers can park rigs at Nelsons that week before Mid-Ohio. Online registration 9 entries so for.

MARRS race & enduro August 4-5 , Double Regional in September.

New Business Carl Holbrook presented Driver of the Year award to Jim Royal.

Motion to adjourn made by Sandi Kryder 2nd Scott Lane 8:40 pm. Motion passed.

Membership Report

We have approx. 136 members including dual memberships.

A reminder to the following members who are up for renewal in April:

Jon & Cindy Beck
Matthew Carson
Dean Daugharty
Edward Hofstrum
David Klein
Allen Milarcik
Kellen Miller
Mike & Pam Petrusko

Happy Birthday Wishes to:

Barbara Barnhart	5/5
Jon Beck	5/17
Alesio Caruso	5/10
Nick Doinoff	5/28
Jim Morgan	5/28
Paul Morrison	5/20
Tom Nutter	5/30
Jerry Palmer	5/21
Hobie Platt	5/25
Bryan Salchak	5/21

John McGill Double National

Schedule

Friday – May 25, 2012

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Registration
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm	Tech Inspection

Saturday – May 26, 2012

7:00 am - 9:30 am	Registration
7:30 am	Tech Inspection
8:00 am	15 Minute Practice Sessions by Groups followed by 20 Minute

Qualifying for Saturday Races

Lunch

20 Minute Qualifying Sessions by Groups for Saturday Races continues. Followed by 23 Lap Races (max 30 min for inclement weather).

End of Day

Party for **ALL WORKERS, DRIVERS, AND CREW** to be held under Timing & Scoring Tower.

Sunday – May 27, 2012

7:00 am - 9:00 am	Registration
7:00 am	Road Race Ministries
7:30 am	Tech
7:30 am	Flag Ceremony
8:00 am	15 Minute Practice Sessions by Groups followed by 20 Minute Qualifying by Groups

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CLASSIFIEDS

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