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## MVR OCTOBER CALENDAR

### October 2

**Amen Corner Sports Bar & Grille**  
20 W Main St.  
Girard OH 44420

### October 7

**Street Survival - Boardman Park**

## WEB SITES

MVR - [www.mvrscca.org](http://www.mvrscca.org)

SCCA - [www.scca.com](http://www.scca.com)

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## REport – Brian Vondran

A couple of reminders about upcoming events:

- At our next membership meeting on Tuesday, October 2, we will hold our annual Region Board and Leadership elections. Our region is a reflection of you, and I hope you come out to participate in the meeting and help us elect next year's Board and Leadership members.
- On Sunday, October 7, we will host our next TireRack Street Survival at Boardman Park in Boardman, Ohio. We currently have 10 students and we're hoping for a couple more. We can always use your help, whether it is as a driving instructor, a course volunteer, or as a parent of a student.

It will be October before you read this. Soon we will start preparing our cars and ourselves for winter. It's a good time for us to sit back and remember the summer that was and think about what we're going to do better next year. Will we improve the car? Will we improve ourselves? How?

While I love race season, I really enjoy putting the car away for a few months and not thinking about it. As the old saying goes, "Absence makes the heart grow fonder" and it's so true for me when it comes to the race car. I feel a sense of relief and calm when I put the car away for the winter....and I feel like a kid on Christmas again when I get the car back out in spring. My offseason consists of a lot of reading, trying to figure out how to make myself a better driver, and how I translate that into my daily life. Two of my favorite books are:

- The Inner Game of Tennis by W. Timothy Gallwey: This book is all about mental performance, which has such a huge impact on your overall performance, whether it is driving, golfing, or bowling. I highly recommend The Inner Game of Tennis to improve yourself.
- Rich Guys, Fast Guys, and Idiots – A Racing Odyssey on the Boarder of Obsession by Sam Moses: Rich Guys follows Sam Moses (a writer from Sports Illustrated) on his assignment to go racing, from the old Rabbit Cup to serious pro racing, and it's hilarious!

If you have a favorite book that you like to read in the offseason, let me know, I'd really like to pick it up myself.

I hope your excited about fall and are already starting to make plans for next year!

## Minutes of the September Membership Meeting - Sandi Kryder

Eight members were in attendance.

Brian Vondran, RE opened the Meeting at Nelson at 8:13.

Brad Morris motioned to accept the treasurer's report as read. Mike Belopotosky seconded. Motion passed. .

Old Business:

Discussion was held on our upcoming Street Survival on October 7th.

Discussion Nelson Ledges update - not good. MVR will not be requesting a race date in 2019.

New Business:

The following were nominated and have accepted:

RE	Brian Vondran
Asst. RE	Brad Morris
Treasurer	Sandi Kryder
Secretary	Mike Belopotosky
2 Yr Trustee	John Gingery
2 Yr Trustee	Reed Kryder
1 Yr. Trustee	Susan Belopotosky

Motion to adjourn was made by John Ginger, seconded by Mike Belopotosky. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned.

## 2018 Street Survival

**When:** October 7

**Where:** Boardman Park, Boardman Ohio

**Cost to students:** \$95.00

Register at:

<https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/mahoning-valley-scca-18-2-boardman-park-tire-rack-street-survival-491638>

## October Membership Report - Sandi Kryder

We have about 150 members including dual members.

October Renewals:

Greg & Kathy Alley  
Josh Anderson  
Ray Boniface  
Sonny Libecco  
Patrick Madden  
Jim Shoemaker

Happy Birthday Wishes go out to:

Jennifer Badger	10/12
Bryan Bartzi	10/27
Beverly Nutter	10/4
Scott Nutter	10/24
Janet Pintaric	10/29
Lanny Ritz	10/5
Lucas Royal	10/5
Mackenzie Royal	10/10
Seday Yelkin	10/21