



# BLACKBIRD QUARTER MIDGET RACE CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

**NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE TRACK UNLESS YOU ARE A NEW 2023 ROOKIE**

**FULL MEMBER** – \$125.00 (Family: Parents/Guardian/Siblings/Driver(s)) \*after March Club Meeting a \$50.00 late fee will be added

**ALTERNATE HANDLER** – \$50.00 PER PERSON (FOR ON TRACK ACTIVITY A USAC MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED)

**BQMRC LIFETIME MEMBER** – NO BQMRC MEMBERSHIP FEE REQUIRED (FOR ON TRACK ACTIVITY A USAC MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED)

### MANDATORY CLUB FUNDRAISING:

**1<sup>ST</sup> FUNDRAISER:** Sell (50) \$2.00 raffle tickets *PER DRIVER*; distributed to member upon turning in membership application. Funds for the first 50 tickets (\$100) **must be turned in with Membership Application.**  
*(this goes to fund your drivers' banquet gifts)*

**2<sup>ND</sup> FUNDRAISER:** Choose **ONE** option below; funds **due to Treasurer by the July Club Meeting**

\$100.00 – Buyout (out of pocket expense)

\$150.00 – Sell additional (75) \$2.00 raffle tickets (contact BQMRC Secretary for tickets)

\$250.00 – Bring a Track Sign Sponsor (501c3 non-profit donation receipt available; see Treasurer)

\$350.00 – Bring a Race Sponsor (501c3 non-profit donation receipt available; see Treasurer)

*\*Detailed sponsorship form provided within membership forms; additional sponsorship options available (\$50 goes towards the banquet, remainder goes to club fund, trophies)*

**3<sup>RD</sup> FUNDRAISER:** \$50 donation towards banquet Chinese Auction baskets OR provide your own basket valued at \$50 & A Bottle of Alcohol for the "Basket of Cheer"

**\*please write all information clearly and legible, thank you\***

**MEMBER NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SPOUSE/SIGNIFICANT OTHER NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CELL PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **CELL PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **HOME PHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you hear about BQMRC?:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Occupation/Skills that could Benefit Club Operations:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ALTERNATE HANDLER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DRIVERS NAME** \_\_\_\_\_

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**DRIVERS DOB** \_\_\_\_\_

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**CAR #** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Weekly Trophies vs. Banquet Plaque**

**\*please check desired boxes for each instance\***

DRIVER: \_\_\_\_\_ WEEKLY TROPHY:  OR BANQUET PLAQUE (not applicable to Rookie Division):

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(Not applicable to Rookies) **Returning Members: You can opt to choose both, weekly trophies and to receive a plaque at the banquet, but you will be responsible for the cost of the plaque, \$120.00.**

**Social Media Release**

- I **GIVE** the club permission to post racing photos of my driver(s) on the website and social media.
- I **DO NOT** give the club permission to post racing photos of my driver(s) on the website and social media.
- I **GIVE** the club permission to post my driver(s) race results weekly during race season on the website, social media & in the newspapers (Name, Car #, Class and possibly a picture)
- I **DO NOT** give the club permission to post my driver(s) race results weekly during race season on the website, social media & in the newspapers (Name, Car #, Class and possibly a picture)
- I **GIVE** the club permission to use my driver(s) information for promotional items to promote .25 midget racing.
- I **DO NOT** give the club permission to use my driver(s) information for promotional items to promote .25 midget racing.

**I, the undersigned, by granting Blackbird Quarter Midget Racing Club (referred to as 'the club') permission to place on the internet all provided information as marked above and/or photos if you choose to add to the website.**

## Bylaw & Racing Rules and Procedure Acknowledgement

By signing this application, I am acknowledging that I, along with the persons under my membership have received, read, and fully understand the BQMRC Bylaws & Racing Rules and Procedures. I understand that it is my responsibility to comply with the policies.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### RACE DAY COMMITTEES

**Race Director:** (3 Members) In charge of the overall running of the event; Must be experienced, well-versed in all USAC racing rules and regulations; Makes any DQ determinations if needed, including flagrant calls; May consult with other officials if needed to make determinations; Approves of all other officials.

**Flagger:** (3 Members) Runs the flagging of the race; Falls under the jurisdiction of the Race Director; May be called upon by Race Director when trying to determine a call; Flagger will be located in the flag stand during green flag racing

**Pit Steward:** (6 Members) In charge of the staging lanes. Coordinates with RaceDirector to send cars out to the racing surface; Checks safety items in staging lanes to make sure cars and drivers are ready to race; To include, but not limited to: brakes are functioning, Raceceiver is functioning, arm restraints and seat belts are fastened properly, pad in center of steering wheel, etc.; Pit Steward will be located between staging lanes and hot chute.

**Tower:** (5 Members) In charge sign ins, lineups, keeping track of positions throughout the race, determine finishing order. Communicate with Race Director, Flagger, Pit Steward, Tech/Scales and Secretary.

**Tech/Scales:** (6 Members) In charge of inspection of racing vehicles when they exit the racing surface, check cars weight is in accordance to the class. works together with the safety director to ensure chassis are within specifications. Reports to Race Director & Tower.

**Track Prep:** (4 Members) Manage the track and equipment, to create an ideal racing surface each week.

**Safety:** (4 Members) In charge of ensuring safety rules are followed, including ensuring that all cars and drivers follow all safety rules; Works together with Technical Director to ensure chassis are within specifications; When required a proof of loss statement must be sent to USAC (NASCAR YOUTH SERIES) within 30 days of all incidents.

**Novice:** (4 Members) Works with new drivers and handlers to instruct drivers in the basic procedures of .25 Midget racing, promote driver safety from a driver's viewpoint, Offer all drivers an opportunity to improve their driving techniques and skills through non-competitive practice sessions with qualified adult supervision, train new drivers AND handlers in driver safety and track safety.

**Trophies 50/50:** (2 Members) Communicate with secretary and tower for race day finishes, award drivers with trophies at the end of Race Day, organize race day specific trophies (sponsored/theme races), inventory & restock trophies. Organize and carry out, and reward weekly 50/50.

**Concession:** (3 Members) Organize weekly Menu, Inventory & restock as needed, complete weekly shopping & cooking if needed. Provide customer service, and collect/ provide change for purchases.

**Opening/Closing:** (4 Members) Perform posted list of duties necessary to carry out the race day, and make sure list of duties are completed at the end of the night.

**Trash:** (Rookie Families) Collect all trash from all cans, tower, and concession and dispose of them in proper Dumpsters. Must be completed at end of night

Each Family is responsible for a being on a Race Day Committee, and completing their Tower and Concession duties (number of duties will be based on the number of members) Rookie Members Must Choose a Race Day Committee and are also responsible for trash. A Race Day Committee Head will be appointed by the President. Race Day Committee Heads will be responsible for organizing their committee, creating a schedule and providing it to the members of the committee and the Club Secretary. Committee Heads must notify the Club Secretary if a member does not complete their duties, or fails to find a replacement.

**RACE DAY COMMITTEE CHOICE:**

#1: \_\_\_\_\_ #2: \_\_\_\_\_ #3: \_\_\_\_\_

**Interested in Heading a Committee? Yes / No**

\*Volunteers will also be needed to help with the following events/tasks:

Weekly Themes: Decorating & organizing pill draw items to coordinate with each weekly theme

Banquet: Assist in organizing all aspects of the annual banquet, including by not limited too, the Venue, trophies, Drivers Gifts, Decorating, Programs, Chinese Auction, etc.

Photography/ Yearbook: taking weekly photos, organizing/designing/ordering the yearbook.

Please list if you are interested in Volunteering, and which you are interest in:

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**Membership Obligations:** By signing this application to join BQMRC as a full member, you are accepting all requirements of membership. The requirements include but are not limited to; membership application dues, fulfilling the three mandatory fundraisers listed above, completing tower/snack stand/etc dates as required\* (the total of dates needed depends on annual club membership totals), a minimum of 10 hours of work party duties, and being an **active** participant in one of the club race day committees.

**Signature(s) of Agreement:**

**SIGN:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGN:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

As a full member of BQMRC, I will attend work parties, perform tower/track duties and complete other scheduled jobs for the dates I am assigned. I am responsible to perform my duties as required; if I am not able to work on the dates assigned, I am responsible to find a member to fulfill my duties. Failure to do will result in a \$75.00 fine for each offense, place me and my family as "members in bad standing," and possible suspension. I will participate in the mandatory club fundraisers. I will abide by all club and USAC(NASCAR YOUTH SERIES) rules and regulations and attend race day training as required. (Note: Alternate Handlers are not required to do work parties or fundraisers, and do not have voting privileges)

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DATE REC'D: \_\_\_\_\_ REC'D BY: \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT PAID: \_\_\_\_\_ CASH:  CHECK:  VENMO:

MEMBERSHIP TYPE FAMILY: \_\_\_\_\_ ALTERNATE HANDLER: \_\_\_\_\_

USAC MEMBERSHIP \_\_\_\_\_

FUND #1: \_\_\_\_\_ FUND #2: \_\_\_\_\_ FUND #3: \_\_\_\_\_

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# USAC MEMBERSHIPS MUST BE DONE ONLINE

Upon completion of the above membership form, please follow the steps below for USAC registration. Please note that your membership with BQMRC will not be in full force and effect until all dues are paid to Blackbird QMRC, USAC and all paperwork is submitted to the club: [secretarybqmrc@gmail.com](mailto:secretarybqmrc@gmail.com)

\*For insurance purposes, you cannot be permitted into any racing area including BQMRC without USAC membership\*

## Family Membership Information (steps must be completed as follows):

1) Go to <https://usacracing.redpodium.com/2023-nascar-youth-series-membership>

2) Click Annual Membership

3) Select Family Membership

4) **Primary Application Information** (click on family if have drivers, click individual if no drivers)

Enter - parent information; Enter - spouse's information

5) **Membership Options**

Click on USAC Primary membership

**I DO NOT RECOMMEND TO DO AUTO RENEW**; in case you don't come back, you retire, etc for the following year and you forget all about the auto renew and it gets renewed I am not sure if they will refund you.

6) **Choose your home track:** Blackbird New Castle DE

7) **Drivers**

Click # of drivers you have, fill in their information; each driver has their own section for their information

\*\*\*Must complete all asked or will not let you continue on

8) **Alternate Handlers**

Click on number Alternate Handlers you have

If have any alternate handlers, fill in required information they ask

\*It asks for their email address; if you don't have you can use your own as all fields need to be filled in to continue

9) **Total Fees**

Insurance Total should already be clicked; but if not click Insurance total on box

\*This is for the insurance of 10.00 per person listed on your application

**Online processing fee is automatically checked and cannot remove it**

10) Click next page

11) **Primary medical insurance**

Click you do or you don't and fill in required information

12) Click next page

13) **Agreements and Waivers**

Read information and click you read and first and last name of primary person on application

14) Click next page

15) **Total Fees** - nothing you need to do there

16) **Billing Information** - fill in required information and hit submit

Once your payment is approved **you have to electronically sign your annual event waiver**

\*\*\*Your membership is not valid until you take care of this step.

It also gives you an option to create an account. Totally up to you if you create one or not.

Any questions please email [secretarybqmrc@gmail.com](mailto:secretarybqmrc@gmail.com)