

## Event Details:

- We are in the Equine Arena and will be pitting the ¼ midgets inside the Equine Barn. Trucks and trailers will be parked outside. The map enclosed shows parking locations and you will receive another copy at Check-in Friday night (more information below on parking passes, etc.).
- **Hotel Check-In:** Check-In will be Friday, November 17<sup>th</sup> from 5pm – 8pm. If you cannot check in on Friday night, a member of the Tower will draw for your driver's(s) starting position(s) once Check-in closes (unless a different option is selected...see below). If you do not check in on Friday night, you **MUST** be at the Farm Show Complex by 8:30am on Saturday.

### Hotel Check-In

Hampton Inn and Suites  
30 Capital Drive  
Harrisburg, PA 17110  
717-540-0900

If you will NOT be making Check-In on Friday night, please let Michele Pinder know via cell @ 610.960.4061 (call or text is best) or email at [cownationals@comcast.net](mailto:cownationals@comcast.net) and advise of one of the following options:

1. Will not be making Friday Check-In and will have someone do pill draw for your driver(s). **(This option will not happen unless Michele Pinder was notified, using the contact information above, that you give a specific individual permission to draw for your driver(s).)**
2. Will not be making Friday Check-In and a member of the Tower will do pill draw for your driver(s).

At Friday Check-In, you will be able to buy extra wrist bands for admittance **ONLY** if the person is there to sign for their wristband (if not they can purchase morning of event), buy extra parking passes (if still available), sign waiver forms, and get drivers shirts.

- **Event Shirts:** Can be purchased at the Complex on Saturday and Sunday (limited sizes & styles available).
- **Unloading:** All cars/equipment/etc. are to be brought into the building at Door #65 from 7:00am - 8:30am **ONLY**. You must park and unload from your parking spot. **The Complex no longer allows vehicles to pull up to the Door to unload. You must park your vehicle in the designated location and unload from your parking spot.**
- **Vehicle Parking:** Parking map is enclosed so you know where you are required to park. At Friday night Check-In, you will receive your vehicle parking pass(es) along with your trailer parking pass. The trailer parking pass must be hung on your rear-view mirror and the vehicle parking pass must be on your dashboard. **Every vehicle must have a parking pass and trailer pass (if you have a trailer).** You may leave your trailers in the parking lot overnight.

You can **ONLY** get the parking passes that you ordered/paid for when you registered at Check-In on Friday night, unless you make other arrangements with Michele Pinder to get beforehand. Important Note: You will need the parking passes to enter the Complex. If you do not have them when entering the Complex, you may be required to purchase them at the gate

at a higher price than what you paid for at registration. If someone is picking up your passes for you at Friday night Check-In, please let Michele Pinder know ahead of time.

There will be a limited number of extra parking passes for sale at Check-In on Friday night and Saturday Check-In if anyone needs additional passes. 2-day (Saturday & Sunday) or 1-day (Saturday or Sunday)

If anyone is attending the event and plans to purchase a parking pass at the front gate, please note that it is a cashless Complex. A credit card would be required to pay for parking at front gate.

- **Wristbands:** Everyone must have a wristband and are required for admission. Each driver receives a FREE wristband, plus 1 handler wristband with their registration. All additional people are required to pay \$5.00 per wristband to gain entrance into the Complex and watch the races. Everyone is also required to sign a waiver form to enter the Complex. **If you remove or lose your wristband, you will be required to purchase another wristband for \$5.00.** If your wristband gets broken or falls off, you need to bring the wristband back to receive another one.

Additional Wristbands will be sold at Check-In on Friday night, but the person must be present as they need to sign a waiver for their wristband. If they are not present, they can purchase the day of event.

- **Entrance:** Participants and spectators must enter through Door #65, which is located at the Equine Barn. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- **Tech Notes:**
  - USAC Rules & MCQMRC tire rule apply.
  - **Fuel:** Bring your own 87 Octane ONLY. Fuel does not need to be purchased at any specific gas station but you need to have a receipt of your gas purchase available for Tech. All fuel jugs must be placed outside the Courtyard, which is the door in between the Equine Barn and Arena. All fueling must be done outside of the building!
  - **Starting of Cars:** Must only be done either outside in the Courtyard or in the Arena ONLY!
  - **Scaling and Tech:** For cars that need scaling following races, it will be the responsibility of the Handlers to load & unload accordingly. **PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE, do not** ask or expect our person(s) handling the scale to lift your car & driver. Please plan ahead & have help available to lift your car(s) on and off the scale.
- **Raceceivers:** We will be using raceceivers so please make sure you have one. If you do not have one, you can purchase one from our Parts truck for \$100.00. Channel 600
- **Transponders:** If you are renting a transponder from MCQMRC, you will receive that from the pit steward when you line up in the Hot Chute area. We recycle the transponders throughout the event, so there will be a bucket to put the transponder in after each race. If you are planning on using your own but forgot it, etc. and must use MCQMRC's transponder, you will be charged \$10.00.
- **Doors Open:** The doors open at 7:00am on Saturday and Sunday. Saturday's mandatory driver/handler meeting is at 9:30am and Sunday's mandatory meeting is at 8:30am. Please be prompt so we can start on time.

- **Electric:** Electric is available ONLY if you paid for it. The cost is \$75.00 per outlet. If you do not pay and get caught using it, your cords will be unplugged, and you will have to pay for electric, which is \$75.00 plus a fine of \$20.00. These are the Complex rules. You will have use of electric after the fee and fine are paid for a total of \$95.00. If you did not request electric on registration and would like to purchase it, you can do so at Check-in on Friday night or day of event. (\$75.00 for the weekend, regardless if you use it for both days)

For those that purchased electric, you will receive a tag with your name on it, which MUST be placed on your electric cord. Important Note: Please make sure you pit by an electric drop-down cord.

- **Smoking:** The complex is a NON-SMOKING FACILITY so you must go outside door #65 to smoke.
- **Elevator in the Equine Arena: THIS IS OFF LIMITS TO CHILDREN UNLESS THEY ARE WITH AN ADULT. IF CHILDREN GET CAUGHT PLAYING AROUND OR USING ELEVATOR WITHOUT AN ADULT, THEY CAN LOSE THEIR RACING PRIVILEGES AND/OR BE ASKED TO LEAVE FOR THE WEEKEND.**
- **Signs: OBEY ALL SIGNS ON DOORS. ENTERING AREAS THAT YOU ARE NOT SUPPOSED TO BE IN COULD RESULT IN LOSS OF RACING PRIVILEGES AND/OR BE ASKED TO LEAVE FOR THE WEEKEND.**
- **EZ-Ups/Canopies:** These items are **NOT** allowed inside.
- **Concession Stand:** Information attached. **NO OUTSIDE FOOD IS ALLOWED**
- **Hotel Behavior:** If you are staying in the host hotel, there is a pool. Please make sure you bring your swimsuit if you are planning on using the pool.

**EVERYONE MUST RESPECT THE HOTEL AS THERE ARE OTHER GUESTS STAYING AT THE HOTEL THAT ARE NOT PART OF OUR GROUP. IF YOUR CHILDREN WILL BE USING THE POOL AREA, IT IS THE PARENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE SUPERVISION IN THE POOL AREA AS WELL AS ANYWHERE ELSE IN THE HOTEL. IN ADDITION, PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOUR CHILDREN ARE NOT BEING DISRESPECTFUL TO OTHER CHILDREN/HOTEL GUESTS/STAFF/ETC. AGAIN, WE ARE NOT THE ONLY ONES IN THE HOTEL. THERE ARE OTHER GUESTS!**

- **Schedule and Race format:**
  - **Saturday**  
Mandatory Driver/Handler meeting 9:30am sharp  
Heats 10:00am (or as soon as ready)  
Heats for all classes  
Features for Rookies ONLY
  - **Sunday**  
Mandatory Driver/Handler meeting 8:30am sharp  
Features 9:00 AM (or as soon as ready)  
Features for all classes (NO Rookies features)

- Race Order is attached and subject to change.
- Your driver will race the same group of drivers for heat and features.
- Telegram will be used (as long as have signal) Telegram Q-Code attached
- **Track:** There could be track work throughout the day, so please be patient with the track crew when this is needed.
- **Tower:** There could be pause in racing if the tower needs a brief break.
- **Track Break Down:** At the end of racing on Sunday, we must put everything away and put the arena back the way it was when we arrived. If you can stay to help out that would be greatly appreciated so the race workers, that were there all weekend long, do not have to stay any longer than needed.
- Remember we are all there for the same reason so let's make this a fun and enjoyable race weekend. It will be a LONG weekend for EVERYONE.
- If you know you will not be able to make the event before the weekend, please contact Michele Pinder so she can contact anyone on the waiting list. Just a reminder, there are NO REFUNDS.

If you have any questions, please ask away!

Please confirm you received this email so we know you got the information.

Thank you,

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