

SCCA Solo Meeting Minutes - Monday, October 12, 2009  
Pompei Bakery, Oakbrook Terrace, IL

1. Call to order - 7:00 pm by Ed Locke
2. Minutes from Monday, August 10 - Moved to accept by Bill Crawford and seconded by Christy Vehe.
3. Financial Coordinator's Report - Had good attendance at the last event, should be doing well.
4. New people
5. Old Business -
  - a. Event #4 Review - grid could have been better. Should have had a separate kart grid, layout needed to be a lot better. Course was pretty bumpy. This may have been due to the fact that the course was set up the day of. In the future we shouldn't experiment too much with the layout when setup is the same day. We will learn from our mistakes and do better next time. Everybody needs to pay attention to the things that are going on around them.
  - b. Event #5 August 23 at Route 66 - Course is designed and trophy design is done. Standard setup for the event.
  - c. Event Cleanup - we need to make sure that the golf kart is used only for picking up cones.
  - d. Switching online registration.
  - e. Corner Workers, need to make sure that the captains attend the corner captain meetings and understand what they are supposed to be doing. We can also move the corner stations closer to the course, we set them way farther back from where they need to be, this would make it so that the workers do not need to run as far. Should try and keep friends and family from working together. Have a class at the Learning Curve on how to work a corner next year.
  - f. Set a standard for how loud a car can be, set to 103 db, this will start being measured at the next event.
6. New Business -
  - a. Event #5 review (August 23) - nobody remember this event ☺ so it must not have been bad. 160 for the turnout.
  - b. Event #6 review (October 4) - Liked racing into the solemn at an angle, also likes the turnaround. Disliked the maneuver before the finish. There were too many stand up cones. Overall it was good, could have just been a little more visually pleasing. Corner workers still need a little improvement, corner captains need to take charge. Need to also keep an eye on grid and watch for cars tripling up.
  - c. Event #7 and #8 upcoming (October 17-18) - hoping for better weather, course is laid out
  - d. 2009 Solo Nationals - Congratulations to everybody who took home a trophy!
  - e. Nominations for Solo Board - Donnie Bartalone was nominated by Greg Meier for financial coordinator. Greg Meier was nominated by Donnie Bartalone for Chairman. John Paul Johnson nominated himself For Vice Chairman.
  - f. Nominations for Specialty Positions - We would like a back up for Youth Stuart along with Pat Montelo in case he is not there. Bill Crawford volunteered. Need a Chief of waivers, possible Jim R. Malone. Need somebody to do trophies at the event, JP Johnson will pick them up. We would like to do another training group so in case Aruch Poonsapaya is not at the event there are more fill ins. Dan Vehe will take over timing and scoring. Need new chief of registration. We would like to bring back the Chief of Audit position and need somebody.
  - g. Year End Banquet - Banquet will be held at Chandlers in Schaumburg at 1pm. If you know anybody that might be able to help with door prizes lets get the balls rolling in this.
  - h. Winterizing Trailer - poison for mice laid out, need to count how many cones we have so we know how many we really need, improvements to the radio, rear tail lights are broken and need to get fixed, and the soft flooring in the trailer needs to get fixed.

- i. Trophies - May be some talk about getting rid of trophies and going to a t-shirt or mug.
  - j. Adding a pro class for next year. Need to find a way to make sure that it doesn't affect the way the event is run. Donnie Bartalone will be coming up with a proposal for this.
7. Announcements - Everybody
  8. Split pot drawing - No Tickets
  9. Adjournment - 8:18 pm by Kim Micilinic and Pat Montelo.
  10. Good and Welfare