



# CHECKPOINT

*Kansas City Region SCCA*

*February Newsletter*

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# Editor Comments



Last month we shared a wonderful video from Tony Giordano's grandson highlighting his passion for racing. Every single one of our members shares this passion in one way or another. Sometimes this passion comes in the form of getting behind the wheel of your race car, sometimes this passion comes in the form of cheering on the sports cars and admiring the skills of the drivers, and sometimes this passion comes in the form of loving the Club so much that you raise your hand to volunteer.

I encourage you all to ask yourself what you can do to help us continue our mission to "encourage the preservation, ownership, and operation of sports cars and other fine

automobiles." Even just a few minutes a week can help us keep our calendars updated, help us create events on social media, help us pick up the water and ice needed for that morning's event. These seemingly little things can add up to big things and help us get back to simply enjoying the race and those we get to share it with.

Look at the phenomenal following that Matthew Sebelski has gained in the sim racing league he orchestrated the past few years. His passion led to him creating the racing format and updating our members with posts on Facebook. His sacrifice led to our members being able to enjoy tracks and cars they wouldn't typically be competing in. And ultimately, it gave our members a way to keep racing in the off season. Thank you, Matthew Sebelski, for putting this all together.

Thank you, Clarissa Votipka for taking over the KCRSCCA Twitter and Instagram accounts. Clarissa adds new content and keeps them up to date to help us reach other sports car enthusiasts.

As I type this, we are seeking someone or a group of people to take over the webmaster duties. Currently, Mike McGinley is serving in this role. In the past, Doug Patterson has served. If you have any experience with WordPress websites, and can find some time to help out, please let us know. Doug Patterson always used to say, "many hands make for light work," so the more people who can help out, the better.

# Training for SCCA Workers and Local Firefighters at Ozarks International Raceway

**March 19-20, 2022**



**This will be comprehensive training for all experience levels.**

Donuts and coffee will be provided each morning.

Water, soft drinks, and lunch will be provided around noon.

If you are not a current SCCA member, contact Chris Kern at [chriskscra@gmail.com](mailto:chriskscra@gmail.com) or (913) 284-3227 and he will register you.

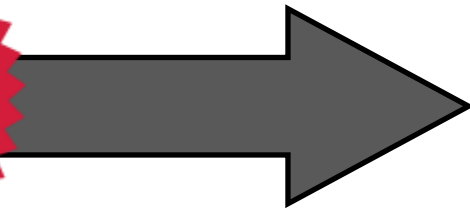
## Crash-Fire-Rescue Agenda:

7:00-8:00am	Registration
8:00am	Welcome—Introduce Staff
8:30am	SCCA Membership
8:45am	Equipment to Take to Track
9:10am	Corner Set Up
9:40am	Communication
10:15am	Flags and Hand Signals
10:50am	Steward Talk
11:20am	Q&A Session
12:00-1:00pm	Complementary Lunch
1:00pm	How to Work an Incident
	Medical
	Extrication Practice
	Fire Training



**Register now**





# SCCA RALLYCROSS 2022

**When:**

**Sunday, April 10th**

**Sunday, May 15th**

**Sunday, June 26th**

**Sunday, July 10th**

**Sunday, August 28th**

**Saturday, Sept. 24th**

**Saturday, Oct. 22nd**

**Sunday, Nov. 20th**

**Sunday, Dec 11th**

**Where:**

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KCRX Events sponsored by:

**bob hindson racing**

# **2022 KCR SCCA Autocross Schedule**

We have a Solo schedule! All events are at MCC Precision Driving Center in Independence, MO.

<b>March 26 &amp; 27</b>	<b>Test &amp; Tune and Event #1</b>
<b>April 30 &amp; May 1</b>	<b>Solo School and Event #2</b>
<b>June 18 &amp; 19</b>	<b>Event #3 and Event #4</b>
<b>July 16 &amp; 17</b>	<b>Starting Line School and Event #5</b>
<b>August 21</b>	<b>Event #6</b>
<b>September 17 &amp; 18</b>	<b>Event #7 and Event #8</b>
<b>October 16</b>	<b>Event #9</b>
<b>October 30</b>	<b>Event #10 Halloweenie</b>

We need event chairs, chiefs, and other additional help to run our events. If you are interested in volunteering or have questions, the Solo Advisory Committee can be reached at [solo@kcrscca.org](mailto:solo@kcrscca.org).

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## 2022 MidAm Championship Schedule

April 2-3	Majors @ World Wide (St. Louis)
April 23-24	Super Tour @ Hallett (AVRG)
May 21-22	Majors @ Heartland (KVRG)
June 4-5	Majors @ Ozarks (MiDiv)
July 23-24	MidAm @ World Wide (St. Louis)



## 2021 Time Trials Series Schedule

May 21-22	KVRG @ Heartland Motorsports Park
June 4-5	MiDiv @ Ozarks International Raceway
July 2-3	@ Brainerd International Raceway (tentative)
July 23-24	St. Louis @ World Wide Raceway
August 13	Nebraska & DMV @ Motorsports Park Hastings
October 15	Nebraska & DMV @ Raceway Park of the Midlands (2x points)



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## **2022 SPS and R&S Racing MiDiv Solo Series**

April 30-May 1	Wichita @ Sunflower Aerodrome, Yoder
June 11-12	Ozark Mountain @ Crowder College, Neosho
June 25-26	NeOkla @ Davis Field, Muskogee
July 30-31	Nebraska @ Lincoln Airpark, Lincoln
October 1-2	Kansas @ Heartland Motorsports Park, Topeka

## **2022 RallyCross—TBA**

# 2022 Track Night in America Schedule

## **Heartland Motorsports Park—Topeka, KS**

April 28

May 20

June 16

July 21

August 18

September 20

October 13



# Pop Tops for Kids

So far Paula has collected 600 pop tops from KCRSCCA members—so that is 10 hours of treatment for children!



Save you aluminum pop tops from beverage cans and from cans of soup, vegetables, cat food, etc and bring them to the KCR General Membership Meetings. Paula Diehl will be collecting them so we can donate them to the Ronald McDonald House. For every pop top donated, they will provide ten minutes of chemotherapy to a child.

## KCRSCCA Van Clean Out

**Saturday, March 19**  
**Starting at 9:30 am**

Contact Phil Meredith or the  
Solo Advisory Committee  
([solo@kcrscca.org](mailto:solo@kcrscca.org)) if  
interested in helping.



**Seeking a new webmaster  
for the [kcrscca.org](http://kcrscca.org) website.**

**If you are interested, let  
Mike McGinley know.**





# UPCOMING EVENTS

KCRX Test-N-Tune	March 13	Valley Speedway Grain Valley, MO
Crash-Fire-Rescue School	March 19-20	Ozarks International Raceway 29211 MO-135 Gravois Mills, MO
Annual Van Cleanout	March 19	TBA
KCR Autocross Test and Tune & Event #1	March 26 March 27	Precision Driving Center Independence, MO
Board Meeting	March 29 7:00 pm	The Bar 6101 Johnson Dr Mission, KS
Road Racing Majors	April 2-3	World Wide Tech Raceway Madison, IL
Solo Advisory Council Meeting	April 5 6:00 pm	The Bar
General Membership Meeting	7:30 pm	6101 Johnson Dr Mission, KS
KCRX Event #1	April 10	Valley Speedway Grain Valley, MO
KCR Autocross Solo School & Event #2	April 30 May 1	Precision Driving Center Independence, MO

# KCR MEMBER CLASSIFIEDS

## E PRODUCTION BMW E30

Race-winning SCCA EP car available. Longtime SCCA racer is retiring from Club racing and is selling his #64 BMW. 2.5 liter M20 engine showed 204.5 rwh and 180.5 lb-ft torque on Jesse Prather's dyno. Limited prep motor\_0.40" \_overbored, Schrick 288 cam, long-tube coated headers with new exhaust, and Electromotive engine management. 8-point welded cage with extra door bars, Kirkey aluminum seat, 5 point race harness, rear seat brace, window net, fire system, stock 5-speed transmission, 4.45 LS differential, stock brakes with stainless steel lines & Porterfield R-4 pads. Koni's, Eibach, Ground Control adjustable camber plates, urethane bushings throughout, adjustable swaybars, strut tower brace, ATL 12 gal. fuel cell. 2325 lbs at Heartland Park impound with 180 lb. driver. \$24,000 and many spares available. You've seen it race, and now it can be yours! Call or text Steve Bachenberg at 913-206-4677.



Are you a KCR Member with a race related classified? Email Jessica Dorn, and she will get it added to the next Checkpoint.

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