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## **COMMUNICATOR-JULY 2021**

### **NASCAR Thank You**

Thank you to everyone that help make the NASCAR weekend successful. It was a great team effort by everyone and NASCAR/ARCA and the other series were pleased with the work we provided.

### **COVID Update**

As restrictions have been pulled back in the State of Ohio, Mid-Ohio has been following along with the dropping of mask mandates while on-site. LEC will resume doing cookouts on spectator weekends and going back to normal operations. We thank you for your understanding as we maneuvered through something unprecedented for all of us. We look forward to seeing many people back and enjoying being around our race family in a more normal atmosphere.

#### **Pre-Race Information**

The LEC website contains all the information you will need for upcoming race events. The Pre-Race area contains events schedules, meeting and registration times along with other valuable information prior to your arrival at the track.

#### SVRA w/ Trans-Am (June 25-27) Flag Chief: Kevin Young

The cars from the past return to Mid-Ohio with our annual visit from SVRA. This year joining SVRA will be Trans-Am along with F3 and F4. Should be a fun and fairly laid-back weekend of vintage racing. To register for SVRA go to: <a href="https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/t-a-svra-vintage-grand-prix-f-c-mid-ohio-sports-car-course-lake-erie-044590">https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/t-a-svra-vintage-grand-prix-f-c-mid-ohio-sports-car-course-lake-erie-044590</a>

#### Honda 200 IndyCar (July 2-4) Flag Chief: Kevin Young

The annual stop by IndyCar along with all three rungs of the Road to Indy ladder will be returning to Mid-Ohio Fourth of July weekend. We always need a lot of help for this one as we are currently short 5-7 workers for Friday to meet minimum staffing and 2-3 short of meeting minimum staffing for Saturday and Sunday. Hope to see you there. To register go to: <a href="https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/honda-indy-200-indycar-f-c-mid-ohio-sports-car-course-lake-erie-communications-971203">https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/honda-indy-200-indycar-f-c-mid-ohio-sports-car-course-lake-erie-communications-971203</a>

## SCCA NEO Regional (July 10-11) (Nelson Ledges) Flag Chief: Randy Alheit

Finally, our first LEC event of 2021 at Nelson Ledges. We can really use the help to make sure we are well covered for this event. NEO always does a great job of taking care of the workers. The car count looks decent. There will be a Saturday night party for everyone. Plenty of camping, We are currently in the single digits both days for F&C. To register go to: <a href="https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/scca-reg-back-home-at-nelson-2021-f-c-ledges-lake-erie-communications-734956">https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/scca-reg-back-home-at-nelson-2021-f-c-ledges-lake-erie-communications-734956</a>

#### AMA Vintage Motorcycle Days (July 23-25) Flag Chief: Ron Long

This one is always a tough one for us to staff. This year will be even more challenging as we usually get some help from Mid-Ohio staff but this may not be much of an option for us this year as their weekday staff has been spread to other areas of the facility during spectator events. We only need to keep a minimal staff of around 15 per day to cover. We are currently running 5 each day. Any help would be appreciated. I understand bikes are not for everyone but it is an entertaining weekend with the swap meet and all of the things going on in the infield. To register: <a href="https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/ama-vintage-motorcycle-days-f-c-mid-ohio-sports-car-course-lake-erie-575518">https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/ama-vintage-motorcycle-days-f-c-mid-ohio-sports-car-course-lake-erie-575518</a>

#### SCCA Cincinnati Double Regional (July 31-August 1) Flag Chief: Kurt Stevens

The annual Todd Cholmondeley IT-SPECtacular Double Regional will be here before you know it. This is always a fun event and a great way to remember Todd for all his hard work he did for this race and also for LEC. This should be a good weekend with good car counts and Cincinnati brings the party to the LEC campground. Still early, but the worker count is still light but if you are thinking about coming register today at: <a href="https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/scca-regional-cincinnati-f-c-mid-ohio-sports-car-course-lake-erie-communications-084631">https://www.motorsportreg.com/events/scca-regional-cincinnati-f-c-mid-ohio-sports-car-course-lake-erie-communications-084631</a>

#### 2021 Event Schedule

June 25-27	SVRA (MidO)-Kevin Young	
July 2-4	IndyCar (MidO)- <b>Kevin Young</b>	
July 10-11	SCCA NEO Regional (NL)-Randy Alheit	
July 23-25	Vintage Motorcycle Days (MidO)-Ron Long	
July 31-Aug 1	SCCA Cincinnati Double Regional (MidO)-Kurt Stevens	
August 14-15	Porsche Club (MidO)-Matt Moritz	
August 27-29	NASA (MidO) (PD)-Randy Alheit	
Sept. 4-5	SCCA OVR Double Regional (MidO)-Kurt Stevens	
Sept. 22-23	Put-in-Bay Road Race Reunion (PIB Airport)-Kevin Young	
October 1-3	Road to Indy (MidO)-Randy Alheit	
October 16-17	SCCA OVR Double Regional (MidO)-Kurt Stevens	
October 30-31	SCCA MVR Regional (NL)-Brad Morris	

### Race Weekend Schedules Around the Region;

Travelling to other venues around the region is highly encouraged by LEC. This gives members the opportunity to experience other venues, organizations, and regions on how they operate F&C and make new friends and contacts. Several new ideas for LEC have come about from experiencing other venues. Below are the schedules for events at Indianapolis Motor Speedway, Grattan, Gingerman and Waterford Hills. Please consider travelling to other tracks in the region. This is the best way to thank those that come to Mid-Ohio and support our events.

# Indianapolis Motor Speedway

Date	Event
July 14-18	Ferrari Challenge
July 19-22	Ferrari Driving School
August 13-15	Brickyard GP (IndyCar/NASCAR)
August 31-September 1	SRO Test
September 10-12	Porsche Festival
September 14-17	Porsche Experience
October 13-17	SRO World Challenge/International GT 8 Hour
October 29-31	Road to Indy Test

Contact Bill Armitage at <a href="mailto:imsflagchief@ix.netcom.com">imsflagchief@ix.netcom.com</a> for registration and event information

## Michigan Turn Marshals

Start date	Event	Location
3/6/2021	Great Lakes Division Spring Training	Zoom
4/24/2021	New Flagger Training / Driver's School	Waterford Hills Road Racing
5/1/2021	Race Weekend 1	Waterford Hills Road Racing
5/7/2021	Formula SAE @ MIS (5/7,8)	Michigan International Speedway
5/15/2021	DET/SBR GingerMan Regional	GingerMan Raceway
5/29/2021	Race Weekend 2 / SCCA Regional	Waterford Hills Road Racing
6/12/2021	Detroit Belle Isle IndyCar Grand Prix	Belle Isle Park
6/5/2021	Detroit Belle Isle IMSA Race	Belle Isle Park
6/19/2021	SCCA Double Regional (WMR)	Grattan Raceway
6/26/2021	Race Weekend 3	Waterford Hills Road Racing
7/24/2021	DET/SBR Major at GingerMan	GingerMan Raceway
7/23/2021	Vintage Race Weekend	Waterford Hills Road Racing
7/31/2021	Race Weekend 4	Waterford Hills Road Racing
8/21/2021	SCCA Major (WMR)	Grattan Raceway
8/28/2021	Race Weekend 5	Waterford Hills Road Racing
9/18/2021	Empire Hill Climb Revival	Empire, Michigan
9/25/2021	Race Weekend 6	Waterford Hills Road Racing

# **Badges:**

If you need a new LEC ID badge, send the following information to <a href="mailto:lec@earthlink.net">lec@earthlink.net</a>:

- 1. Name
- 2. Year Joined LEC (Guess if not sure)
- 3. Emergency Contact Name
- 4. Emergency Contact Number
- 5. Emergency Contact Relation
- 6. Your Picture for the badge