Thunder Valley Speedway

Mini Stock Class Rules 2024

PASSENGERS FOR ALL CLASSES INCLUDING DEMO IS NOT PERMITTED

Vehicle Type and Wheelbase

- Vehicle is required to be an American made or an import car with a front engine.
- Vehicle is required to have a stock wheelbase of 101 inches or less.
- Rear Wheel Drive vehicles are permitted
- All wheel drive vehicles and front wheel drive vehicles are <u>not permitted</u>.

Transponders & RACEceivers

- RACEceivers are not mandatory, but they are highly recommended.
- Transponders will be mandatory
 - Those running without one will not time in and will run in the rear.

Safety Equipment

- Fire Suit is **mandatory** for all vehicle occupants.
- All race vehicles are required to have fire extinguishers mounted within drivers reach when strapped into the vehicle.
- 5 Point restraint harness is recommended, at minimum 4 point harness or racing style restraints are required.
 - Harnesses are required to be securely mounted.
- All race vehicles are required to use a driver's window net.
 - Passengers are NOT permitted
- Drive shafts are required to be painted white or bright color and have a safety loop.
- Batteries are required to be securely mounted and covered.
- All switches are required to be securely mounted and labeled.
- All race vehicles are required to have functioning brakes
- Drivers are required to wear helmets with eye protection.

Roll Cage Requirements

- 4 Point full width cage minimum is required.
- Minimum tubing size is 1.25 inch ID schedule 40 pipe.
- Required to have a minimum of 2 horizontal bars on the driver's side and two horizontal bars on the passenger side.
 - o Passenger side is required to have a minimum of 3 horizontal bars if

equipped with a seat.

- Main loop is required to be over the driver's head.
- Roll cage is required
- If roll cage is mounted to a unibody, frame mounting plates are required to be used. Self tapping bolts or screws are <u>not permitted</u>.

Body

- All glass and plastic are required to be removed.
- May raise fenders for clearance. Sharp edges are <u>not permitted.</u>
- Aftermarket sheet metal or bodies, as well as aluminum body panels are permitted.
 - Wings, wedges or tunneling are <u>not permitted.</u>
- All bodies are required to be in stock centered location and panels are required to be present and securely attached at the start of each race day.
- Stock firewalls and floors are required to stay in their stock location.
- Side bars no bigger than 1.25 inch ID round pipe is permitted, and are required to return to the cage or frame.

Bumpers

- Bumpers are required to be stock or homemade using acceptable race car design.
- Bumpers are required to be securely attached,
- Bumpers may be reinforced with black iron pipe.
- Reinforcements are required to be a smooth radius that terminates at least 3 inches inside the body.

Frame

- Frame is required to be of parent manufacturer.
- Attachment points for wreckers are required to be present at the front and rear of the vehicle.

Front End Suspension

- Required to remain stock in appearance, and components are required to remain in stock location.
- Weight jacks are <u>not permitted</u>. Use of an adjustable sway bar is permitted.
- Use of panard bar or chain is permitted.
- Reinforcing is permitted and not considered a modification.

Engine

- Battery operated ignition or an MSD ignition is permitted.
- Engine is required to be 4 cylinder inline, front mounted.
- Engine is required to have a maximum displacement of 2.6 L
- Engine is required to use stock blocks and heads.
- Use of aftermarket headers is permitted

- Naturally aspirated single carburetor, factory fuel injection, or OEM electronic fuel injection is permitted.
- Aftermarket fuel injection, superchargers and turbos are <u>not</u> <u>permitted</u>.
- Engine is required to remain in stock location. Set backs are <u>not</u> <u>permitted</u>.

Transmission

- Stock automatic transmission with torque convertor or standard transmission with clutch and pressure plate is permitted.
- Functioning forward and reverse gears are required.
- Required to be self starting out of gear and must be able to shift into gear while running.

Fuel- Fuel tanks

- Gasoline only.
- Fuel cell use is recommended.
- Fuel cells are required to be securely mounted in the trunk area and have a spill check valve
- All vehicles are required to have a firewall between driver and fuel tank.

Tires and Rims

- Snow, studded, grooved or aftermarket racing tires are <u>not permitted</u>.
- Aftermarket DOT approved tires permitted. Maximum 8 inch width, with maximum 8 inch wide rim.
- Steel wheels only are permitted.
- Beadlocks are permitted.

Numbers

- All race vehicles are required to have numbers on both sides of the vehicle, and on the roof.
- Numbers must be legible from the timing tower and of contrasting color to paint scheme.

Weight

- Vehicles are required to weigh a minimum of 2000 LBS coming off the track with the driver
- Any weight added to the vehicle is required to be mounted and clearly marked with vehicle number.