## 2024 General Racing Rules

These rules pertain to all classes and spectators unless otherwise stated.

- **1.** All drivers (Both in Cruisers) must use a working raceceiver. No two-way communication devices.
- **2.** Must be 12-15 years old with parent signature and a copy of Birth Certificate on file in Junior FWD class. 16 years old with parent signature or older to run FWD, Cruiser, Stock Figure 8, Hobby Stock, & Open class.
- **3. Safety:** All drivers All Classes must wear approved safety equipment at all times on the track. Snell approved helmet, SFI approved Racing Jacket and Pants, SFI approved Racing Gloves, Leather Boots, Leather Shoes or Racing Shoes and Hans or neck roll is mandatory.
- **4. Post Race Tech**: All cars **to tech off the track**. One pit person per car **in the tech area**. Open hoods only upon the official's direction. Cars must pass officials tech. No riding on cars.
- **5.** After having registered, the driver has waived all rights to claim in case of injury received entering, on the track, or in the pit area.
- **6.** All cars must sign in and draw by 5:45pm. Any driver showing up late will be placed at the tail of the heat.
- **7. All Cars** must have a place to hook a chain front and back of your race car

8. Mandatory enclosure in the driver's compartment of all fuel, and oil in steel pipe.
<ol> <li>Window net on any driver's door. Both Sides on Cruiser Car. <u>Drivers</u> <u>must be able to lower window net</u></li> </ol>
10. No mirrors whatsoever allowed in any class.
11. IF IT DOESN'T SAY IT, DON'T DO IT.
Track Rules: Officials Decisions Are Final
1. All cars must stay on the traveled portion of the track.
2. Cars are only allowed on the track during a race, hot laps or as directed by officials.
<ol><li>Any car leaving the track before the end of a race, unless under a yellow light, will be disqualified for the rest of the night.</li></ol>
4. No work is able to be done on the cars once the race has started.
5. No profanity on cars.

**6.** All cars must take a green flag in a Heat or Feature to get pay for the night.

## 7. Substitution of drivers or cars must be done with a qualified car in your class

- **8.** FLAT TIRES Heat Race You may **NOT** run on a flat tire Mains You can run on a flat **IF** the tire stays on the bead. If the flat occurs in the final lap you can finish the race.
- **9.** If your car is smoking excessively under a green flag, according to officials, you will be Black flagged.
- **10.** Both bumpers must be on the car at the Start of the Race. Bumper covers are not considered part of your bumper if they come off during the race.
- **11.** Ignoring flags. If you chose to ignore flags, you will be disqualified for that night and lose all points and money for that night.
- **12.** No riding on cars. For the safety of all, riding on cars will not be tolerated. If you are caught with someone riding on your car you will lose pay and points for that night.
- **13.** During a race, if the same car is involved and/or causes 3 reds/cautions, they will be disqualified.
- **14.** During a race, if you intentionally pull into the main racing line and cause a red/caution, you will be disqualified.

**15. PROTEST RULE:** You may protest a car in your class by contacting the Track tech guy in the tech area. This will cost \$100 (cash only). If car protested is found legal, the driver will receive \$75 and Warren County Speedway will receive \$25. If the car protested is found illegal, the car will be disqualified, stripped of points and prize money for that event. Also, the person who protested will receive \$75 back and Warren County Speedway will receive \$25. All protests have to be made before cars leave the tech area. The officials will deem legal/illegal during this process.

## Race Rules: Officials Decisions Are Final

1. Flags:

Green – Race is under way.

Red – Stop! No questions.

Black – Leave the Race line, Rule Violation, Equipment Failure.

Yellow- Caution. Slow down. Can leave track under official's direction.

White - Final lap.

**Checkered – Race Completed.** 

- **2. Car Numbers –** Side Numbers Minimum of 20" tall. **Top Number sign for Figure 8 Cars**: Must have three-sided sign 12" tall securely fastened to the roof. Numbers must match on sides and top.
- **3**. In case of an accident before completion of the first lap, the race will restart with cars in their original position.

<b>4</b> . If an accident occurs during the race, the race will be judged by the spotters.
<b>5</b> . Cars involved in accidents, will be able to return to the back of the lineup if able to.
<b>6.</b> No deliberate door hits. This will result in immediate expulsion. If you push a car and it rolls over, you will be black flagged for the night.
7. Black Flags: If you receive a black flag in your heat, you are done for that race. You may advance to an LCQ or feature in last position only. If you receive a black flag in the feature, you are done for the night.
<b>9.</b> Only officials are allowed on the racetrack during and after the races. Drivers, Pit Members, and Family Members coming onto the track will not be allowed at the next event if violated.
<b>10.</b> If a yellow or red is displayed after the white flag we will have a green, white, checkered to finish the race.
<b>11.</b> The line-up will be posted on the line-up board. <b>YOU</b> are responsible to know when your race is and to be there on time. No one will come get you. Be lined up in the staging area one race prior to the white flag on the track. If you are not there, the line-up official has the right to place you in the back of that race.

## Pit Rules

- 1. Pit passes are mandatory.
- **2.** No intoxicating substances of any kind allowed in the pit area.
- **3.** All persons in the pit area will follow instructions of the Staff. No Exceptions.
- **4.** One tow vehicle and one race car allowed in pits.
- **5.** No racing or ramming around in the pits.
- 6. No engine claim in any class.
- **7.** Drivers are responsible for themselves, people in their pits, and their families. Drivers must keep all safety gear on while on track. Penalties will be disqualification for that night.
- **8.** Stay out of other people's pits and trailers. Absolutely No fighting.
- **9.** Any unsportsmanlike conduct; meaning physical assault, verbal assault, and any manner detrimental to our sport/race track will be judged by the track promoter. You will be escorted out and will receive no money or points for the night. If this happens twice you will be banned from the Warren County Speedway.