



## **2026 STAR SPEEDWAY RACE PROCEDURES** (2/4/26)

- ALL DRIVERS IN ALL DIVISIONS MUST HAVE A CURRENT 2026 STAR MEMBERSHIP
- ALL CAR OWNERS IN THE 350 SUPERMODIFIEDS, LATE MODELS AND OUTLAWS MUST HAVE A CURRENT 2026 STAR MEMBERSHIP
- ALL CARS MUST HAVE A VALID 2026 RACECAR REGISTRATION

NO POINTS OR PAYOFFS WILL BE DONE UNTIL THESE ARE ON FILE.

-ALL CARS IN ALL DIVISIONS MUST HAVE A WORKING RECEIVER AND TRANSPONDER AT ALL TIMES. IF YOUR CAR DOES NOT SHOW UP IN SCORING LOOP DURING A PRACTICE YOU WILL BE BLACK FLAGGED TO PIT AREA. IF TRANSPONDER DOES NOT SHOW UP DURING A RACE YOU WILL BE SCORED AS LAST REGARDLESS OF PLACE FINISHED. IT IS YOUR OWN RESPONSIBILITY TO MAKE SURE TRANSPONDER IS CHARGED AND SUBSCRIPTION IS CURRENT.

-RECEIVER MUST BE ON AT ALL TIMES. WE WILL NOT MOVE YOU UP SPOTS ON TRACK BEFORE A RACE OR DURING A YELLOW DUE TO YOU NOT HAVING A RECEIVER. WE WILL HOWEVER MOVE YOU BACK SPOTS SHOULD YOU TRY TO GAIN SPOTS THAT ARE NOT YOURS.

-FAILURE TO OBEY AN ON TRACK RACE OFFICIALS DIRECTION COULD LEAD TO PENALTY OR DISQUALIFICATION FROM RACE EVENT.

-HARASSMENT OF TRACK WORKERS OR OFFICIALS WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.

\*FIRST OFFENSE IS A WARNING AND \$50 FINE

\*SECOND OFFENSE IS 20 POINT YEAR TO DATE PENALTY AND \$150 FINE

\*THIRD OFFENSE IS ONE WEEK SUSPENSION, 50 POINT PENALTY AND \$500 FINE

-FIGHTING IN PIT AREA, ON TRACK OR ANYWHERE ON STAR SPEEDWAY PROPERTY WILL NOT BE TOLERATED:

FIRST OFFENSE \$250 FINE AND NO POINTS FOR NIGHTS RACING

SECOND OFFENSE \$500 FINE, LOSS OF POINTS AND ONE WEEK SUSPENSION

THIRD OFFENSE \$500 FINE, LOSS OF POINTS FOR YEAR AND SUSPENSION REMAINDER OF SEASON

-NO ALCOHOL IS ALLOWED TO BE BROUGHT INTO THE PITS OR GRANDSTANDS!

*Fines and removal from track will be highly enforced in 2026 for such actions*

-TECH IS AT THE SOLE DISCRETION OF TECH OFFICIALS. THEIR DECISIONS ARE FINAL AND MAY NOT BE DEBATED. FINES AND PENALTIES WILL BE AT DISCRETION OF OFFICIALS.

-ANY FINES MUST BE PAID BEFORE CAR WILL BE ALLOWED BACK ON TRACK FOR PRACTICE OR RACING.

**-DURING A YELLOW A CAR INVOLVED IN SAID YELLOW WILL HAVE THREE LAPS TO GET BACK ONTO THE SPEEDWAY AFTER IT HAS MADE IT TO THE PITS. CARS MUST PIT ON PIT ROAD. CARS THAT GO BACK TO THEIR PIT AREA WILL BE CONSIDERED DONE AND OUT OF EVENT. CARS NOT INVOLVED IN YELLOW THAT MAKE THEIR WAY TO PIT AREA DURING YELLOW WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR COURTESY LAPS.**

ONCE A HEAT RACE HAS STARTED CARS MAY NOT GO TO PIT AREA AND RE ENTER RACE. CARS THAT FAIL TO FINISH ALL LAPS IN A HEAT RACE WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR A HANDICAPPED FEATURE STARTING SPOT.

### **HANDICAPPING PROCEDURES**

All cars will draw for heat race starting spot

Chip 1- Pole Heat 1, Chip 2- 2nd Heat 1, Chip 3- 3rd Heat 1 and so on.....

Total number of cars per heat will be divided equally. No more than 9 cars per heat.

-1 heat, all cars finishing on lead lap will go to handicap

-2 heats, top 6 finishers will go to handicap

-3 heats, top 4 finishers will go to handicap

Heat points will be 10, 8, 6, 4, 2

### **FEATURE LINE-UP**

First week- Qualified cars will be handicapped by plus minus from heat race finish. First heat race will be inside row; second heat race will be outside row. Non qualified cars will start straight up according to heat race finish.

After week one- Qualified cars will be separated by winners and non winners. Non winners will start in first starting spots according to points, lowest to highest. Winning cars will start behind non winning cars, lowest to highest. If previous weeks winner is a qualified car, that car will be pulled from handicap and will automatically start in starting spot #12. Non qualified cars will start straight up by heats behind qualified cars. Heat one on inside row, heat two on outside row. If a new car that has no points finishes heat in a qualified spot for first week, they will be handicapped as a previous weeks feature winner. This car(s) will start behind all other winners and behind the previous weeks actual feature winner.

Cars that have earned points but have not attended 100% of races:

If 1 race event is missed and car qualifies for feature, car will be penalized 2 spots.

If 2 races are missed, car will be penalized 4 spots if they qualify.

More than 2 weeks missed, car will be handicapped as a new car.

If car returns without missing any additional weeks, car will return to normal handicapping.

Feature points to be awarded:

50, 45, 40, 36, 34, 32, 30, 28, 26, 24, 22, 20, 18, 16, 14, 12, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5

Feature winner will be awarded 5 bonus points

**\*\*\* ALL DRIVERS MUST ATTEND THE STAR SPEEDWAY BANQUET TO RECEIVE ANY CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHIES OR PAYOUTS. THIS IS NON-NEGOTIABLE! \*\*\***

