



LEHIGH VALLEY QUARTER MIDGET RACING CLUB

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August 2011 Newsletter

Next Meeting – August 4, 2011 at Famularo's Catering @ 7:30 pm

• From the General Meeting

Bill Geeting has tendered his resignation as Head Judge, which was accepted by the Board. In the interim George Renz has been appointed as Head Judge. Nominations for the office of Head Judge were opened at the July meeting and George Renz was the only one nominated. Nominations will be re-opened at the August meeting and then the membership will vote on a new Head Judge.

Now that we have all the paper work in place, the Club will be applying for Small Games of Chance license from the county. We would like to have our first fundraiser in place for the August NASCAR race. George Renz has donated \$500 to the Club for the fundraiser committee to use in buying prizes. Thanks to George for getting this project moving. We would like to run our second raffle in conjunction with the Kenny Hein race on September 24 and 25. Please make your suggestions at the general meeting or via email to the Club.

The Club picnic is scheduled for Sunday August 14 at Knoebels Amusement Park. Please let Janice know if you will be attending and how many will be in your party so we can reserve the proper sized pavilion.

There have been a couple of schedule changes. The B's Automotive Trophy Race is being moved from July 30 to September 10. Our annual fun day race is now scheduled for August 20. As in the past, competitive activities will replace the heat races, and the result of the competitions will determine the feature starting order. Also this night the refreshment stand will be serving only pizza and drinks. This way more of our members can participate in the competitions.

Beth Dice is creating the racing work schedule, so if you will be on vacation please let her know so that she can schedule you on other days. Once the schedule is published, it is your job to be there when scheduled or find a substitute. We have a work switch form that both parties need to fill out so we know who is responsible on any given night.

• From the Board Meeting

◆ This Friday, July 22, is our outside event at Big Diamond Raceway. The ARDC midgets will also be there that evening along with the regular stock car show. This will be a non-running show for the quarter midgets. We will put several cars on display, the drivers and members will get a special admission package, and the Club will get a lot of PR.

◆ Kenny Hein Memorial Race – The Kenny Hein race is coming up on the 24th and 25th of September. T-shirt sponsorships are \$25 per item, just as they were last year. The 2011 application form will be up on the web site shortly. The program will be similar to last years with time trials, heats, and features on Saturday and double features on Sunday. The trophy presentation will take place after the conclusion of the last feature on Sunday. Racers need to be registered by September 12 to give us time to make sure we have enough prizes on hand.

◆ The second NASCAR race is August 7, and we will be racing both Friday and Saturday, August 5 & 6, in support of this event. The proceeds from the Saturday Craig Ford Memorial Race will benefit the American Cancer Society.