



LEHIGH VALLEY QUARTER MIDGET RACING CLUB

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June 2011 Newsletter

Next Meeting – June 2, 2011 at Famularo's Catering @ 7:30 pm

• From the General Meeting

The Spring 2011 Quarter Midget Driving Experience was a huge success. The weather finally cooperated. We had 20 new families come to the event with 30 drivers getting to drive on the track. Two families have joined the Club based on their Driving Experience participation. Steve Pados from the CARQUEST Gasoline Alley radio program sponsored 5 families and Ken Fetherman from Ken's Service Center sponsored 1 family. We thank them both for their support.

The Board has approved a \$100 assessment per active member. This \$100 assessment was due by the first race. All members can use funds generated thru the race sponsor advertising brochure to cover all or part of this assessment. Race night, billboard, web link, and banquet book advertising is available.

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.

The back gate fees will be on a per item basis for all races except the Kenny Hein events. The rate will be \$5 per item for Club members. Fees will be \$10 for guests as part of the 6 event Open program.

• From the Board Meeting

◆ Outside Event – The Board has booked an outside event at Big Diamond Raceway on July 22. 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.

◆ Guest Racer Program. Once again this year we will be offering a 6 race package to registered drivers/inspected cars from other tracks. There will be a \$20 family application to join the program and a \$10 per item (car, driver, adult) entrance charge at the back gate. All races except Opening Day and Kenny Hein are available for inclusion in the 6 race package.

◆ The June work schedule is now on the website.

◆ The first NASCAR race event at Pocono is coming up the weekend of June 10-12. We will be racing on both Friday night, June 10 and Saturday night, June 11 at our regular 6:30pm starting time. Proceeds from the Saturday night race will go to the LVQMRC Scholarship Fund. These races are open to guest racers as part of our 6 event Open Program.

◆ Coming up on June 18 is the Craig Ford Trophy Race honoring our friend and long time head flagman Craig Ford.

◆ If you are a corner person you need to help line up the cars for a restart while under the yellow flag. Please listen to the judges and PA for the restart order. This will help the flagman and speed up the show.