

SCCA Southern Indiana Region Monthly Newsletter October 2007 Volume 54 Number 10

October **RE**port

As I write this I'm trying to get everything together for my fourth trip to the Solo Nationals. I've made my list and now I just have to get it all done before we leave Saturday morning. We'll get to Topeka late in the afternoon but early enough to get the car Tech'd, I hope. We, Terry Davis and I, will run the Sunday warm-up event to get a feel for the asphalt. Monday will be "walk the courses" day and I'm we'll walk both courses a number of times. Monday's forecast is for rain but the rest of the week should be pleasant. Terry and I will run in the first heat while Bob Sonntag is running in the third heat. Naturally we are working Bob's heat and he ours. We're going to see if we can move our work assignment so we can crew for Bob. One of our frequent autocross visitors, Elizabethtown's Gary Niles, is also entered in the Nationals. He's entered in the huge Super Stock class. There are 67 entries in that class, enough to make up one whole heat on Tuesday and Wednesday. We'll be sending out daily updates via email so know you know the rest of the story.

The Rally season restarted in early September with the Bob Sonntag "Saturday Sillyness" rally. A decent turnout of 6 teams took to the roads of northwest Kentucky to test their problem solving skills and their ability to follow instructions. Who won? Bob's written a piece to give you all the details so just keep reading.

Originally the September autocross was a fun event but the cancellation of the Civic Center event in July made the Board change it to a points paying event. 35 drivers showed up on a pleasant Sunday afternoon to try another course version made possible by our patch party back in April. Kent Schonberger drove down from Terre Haute with 8 of his Rose-Hulman schoolmates and they made up for the handful of missing club members. Cathy Christy's been trying to get a quicker run than husband Allen for a long time and she finally did it on the last run, beating him by more than a tenth of a second, finally! While I'm on the subject of wives beating husbands, © Teresa Bailey put together 6 very consistent runs to beat hubby Darrin. And on a lot of her runs she was hauling a passenger! (I have to admit I didn't notice if Darrin took anyone for a ride but never the less, he was slow) The Street Tire class was a close contest with Tim Brown topping Jim Cannon. Those two have claimed 5 of the 6 top spots so far this year with only Don Kelley able to break into the top spot at the Owensboro event. I picked up my third top spot in the race tire class besting Barry Beaman and Bob Sonntag. A list of points contenders should be later in this newsletter.

Club Officers will be nominated in October and voted in at the November meeting. If you'd like to be part of the governing body let a current Board member know and we'll tell you what it takes and how to get your name on the ballot.

The Owensboro airport will have a working airline again in October. Why is this news to us? Because it will affect our autocrosses at the airport. This year we were able to set up early or even the day before an event. Now we'll have to wait for the plane to leave before beginning setup or at the worst we'll loose the site. I have mixed feelings because I like having events in Owensboro but it certainly is convenient when I have to travel to visit my boss in Maryland.

Recently I got an email from the National office announcing a new "Weekend Member" policy for our events starting in 2008. In order to provide insurance coverage for all entrants, the SCCA is invoking a weekend membership program. Non-club members will pay an extra fee to be a member for the weekend. The face value will be \$15 and may be applied towards an annual membership. Up to \$30 may be applied towards the annual cost of a membership. The details of the program can be read at the SCCA website at:

http://ams.scca.com/netforum/eweb/scca_content/newsletters/InsideLine/2007_09/IL_09_20_07.pdf

The Board will have a discussion about the change and put out our opinions in future editions of Pit Stop.

In the coming months I will hold a club meeting in Owensboro in addition to Evansville. It'll be on the second Thursday of the month, just 2 days after the Evansville meeting. I'd like to see all the Owensboro members attend. If enough people show interest we'll keep having meetings in Owensboro. As soon as I find a meeting place I'll announce the site via email.

That's it for this month. Check our on-line calendar at www.sirscca.org and register for our events at www.myautoevents.com.

Racingly, Paul Dornburg Regional Executive

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Name	Pts
Bob Sonntag	77
Terry Davis	64
Paul Dornburg	64
Gene Young	60
Gary Heck	47
Jim Cannon	44
Darrin Bailey	43
Julie Seeber	43
Tim Brown	42
John Coen	37
Teresa Bailey	35
Steve Backer	33
Kyle Bledsoe	32
Tim Green	30
Jane Bridges	25
Barry Beaman	22
Don Kelley	22
Kent Schonberger	18
Tom Bootz	16
Allen Christy	16
Cathy Christy	16
Rachael Bledsoe	15
Cathy Heck	15
David Mooredock	15
Myles Grant	14
Barry Schonberger	14
Mimsie Coen	13
Glenn Wior	12
Eric Provost	11
Andy Grayson	10
Matt Guzowski	10
TJ Secord	10
Adam Totten Frank Totten	10
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Mike Freeman	9
Ryan Bootz	8
Bill Brown	8
Jim Barrow	7
John Esche	7
Mitchell Seeber	7
Nathan Breivogel	6
Jonathan Scott	6
Tom Tipsword	5
Jan Bootz	4
Carolyn Dornburg	3
Glenn Deno	2
Joshua Lester	2
Greg Lukach	2
Jim Sutton	2
Lori Bootz	1
Darlene Cannon	1
Paul Condi	1
Angie Schonberger	1
Kate Schonberger	1

Autocross Poi	nts
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Name	Pts
Paul Dornburg	5956
Bob Sonntag	5791
Barry Beaman	5784
Tim Green	5453
Allen Christy	5304
Cathy Christy	5181
Jim Cannon	4969
Tim Brown	4964
Terry Davis	4536
Julie Seeber	4427
Gene Young	4400
Darrin Bailey	4315
Teresa Bailey	4175
David Mooredock	4132
Kyle Bledsoe	3751
Steve Backer	3612
Rachael Bledsoe	3374
Don Kelley	2970
John Coen	2760
Jane Bridges	2671
Bill Brown	2548
Ryan Bootz	1963
Kent Schonberger	1884
Myles Grant	1757
Mitchell Seeber	1557
Eric Provost	1476
TJ Secord	962
Mike Freeman	909
Glenn Deno	886
Nathan Breivogel	855
Adam Totten	850
Jonathan Scott	837
Matt Guzowski	832
Frank Totten	813
Joshua Lester	810
Andy Grayson	804

Rally Points	
(as of Septembert 21)
Name	Pts
Bob Sonntag	20
Terry Davis	20
Paul Dornburg	14
Gene Young	14
Gary Heck	14
Julie Seeber	14
Cathy Heck	14
John Coen	7
TJ Secord	7
Jane Bridges	5
Mimsie Coen	5
Don Kelley	2
Allen Christy	2
Cathy Christy	2
Rachael Bledsoe	2
Glenn Wior	2 2 2 2 2 2 2
Frank Totten	2
Jim Barrow	2

Rookie Points												
(as of Septembert 21)												
Name	Pts											
Kyle Bledsoe	.492											
Mitchell Seeber	.318											
Rachael Bledsoe	.231											
Allen Christy	.180											
Cathy Christy	.180											
Joshua Lester	.091											

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Tuesday Friday Saturday Saturday	DECEMBER	Sunday	Saturday	Tuesday	Sunday	Monday	NOVEMBER	Sunday	Saturday	Sunday	Sunday	Saturday	Friday	Thursday	Wednesday	Tuesday	Tuesday	Monday	Sunday	Monday	OCTOBER	Day
Board Meeting Awards Banquet & Holiday Party Pit Stop Deadline Holiday Light Tour - It's A Possibility		Pt Rally (7 of 7)	Pit Stop Deadline	Membership Meeting	Food Rally (Fun Event) & Z Car Party	Board Meeting		Pt Rally (6 of 7)	Pit Stop Deadline	SCCA Runoffs	"Closing Bookend" Pt Autocross (7 of 7)	SCCA Runoffs	Membership Meeting	SCCA Runoffs	"Sunday Sillyness" Pt Rally (5 of 7)	Board Meeting		Activity/Event				
Paul Paul/Mary/Gary Gene		WHO???	Gene	Paul	Mike	Paul		WHO???	Gene		Darrin						Paul		Terry & Bob	Paul		Event Marshal
Paul's House Rolling Hills County Club		WHERE???		Lone Star Steakhouse, Evansville		Bob's House		WHERE???		Heartland Park, Topeka	Mid-American Air Center, Lawrenceville	Heartland Park, Topeka	Lone Star Steakhouse, Evansville	Heartland Park, Topeka	Washington Sq Mall (back lot), Evansville	Paul's House		Location				

Saturday Sillyness														
Time/Speed/Distance Rally														
8-Sep-07														
Bob Sonntag & Terry Davis														
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Finish Team	Score	Score	Score	Score	Total									
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2 Glenn Wior / Georgia Wior	1800	1800	1800	1800	7200									
Class B														
1 Jane Bridges / Paul Domburg	369	188	3 -28	3 29	614 T									
2 Gary Heck / Cathy Heck	16	66	3 719	9 114	912 T									
3 Gene Young / Julie Seeber	58	1016	6 66	S -1	1141									
4 Don Kelly/Sandra Kelley	170	919	-1035	5 181	2305									
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20	ES	Barry Beaman	Red Miata	62.389		65.631	(1)	69.954	(3)	62.408		61.560		61.519		61.519	0.812	100.613	974
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14	STS	Ben Keefer	White Acura	92.538		79.052		72.606		69.778		70.764		71.850	DNF	69.778	0.805	114.619	831
72	STS	Evan Luscher	Silver Jetta	83.611	(1)	77.025	(1)	40.907	DNF	72.290		71.247	(1)	76.483	(3)	71.247	0.805	119.359	783
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55	CSP	Myles Grant	Black Miata	66.249		66.470		64.397		64.970		70.772		65.210		64.397	0.845	109.315	886
24	CSP	Teresa Bailey	Black Civic	69.083		67.398		66.615		67.224		67.999	(1)	67.019		66.615	0.845	112.921	849
42	CSP	Darrin Bailey	Black Civic	92.162		72.344		68.581		91.276		67.976		67.503		67.503	0.845	114.991	828
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227		Kyle Bledsoe	Blue WRX STi	61.912		62.173		61.353		64.957	(1)	64.519		62.449		61.353	0.834	103.251	947
27	ESP	Rachel Bledsoe	Blue WRX STi	70.904		67.612		70.949	(1)	67.957	(1)	67.276	(1)	69.241	(2)	67.276	0.834	112.497	853
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199	+	Paul Dornburg	Green 911	59.896	(1)	61.055	(2)	56.877		57.933		60.790	(2)	56.913		56.877	0.862	98.087	1000
99	SM2	Terry Davis	Green 911	66.555		63.974		64.995	(1)	68.010	DNF	64.488		62.001		62.001	0.862	108.590	893
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36	BM	Bob Sonntag	Blue LeGrand	56.305		55.824	(1)	52.786		56.877	(2)	56.694	(2)	55.627		52.786	0.944	102.342	957
43	DM	Tim Green	Primer Locost	58.662		58.974		71.166	DNF	60.994	DNF	57.928		58.024		57.928	0.889	103.649	943
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30	AM	Andy Grayson	Black FSAE	61.967		58.910		81.612	(1)	58.366		DNS		DNS		58.366	1.000	117.276	804
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18	F125	Kent Schonberger	Red 125	70.738	(1)	55.415		66.130		55.908		55.959		57.666	(1)	55.415	0.946	105.312	926
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9	SAS	Tim Brown	White WRX STi	66.646	(2)	61.621		63.295	(1)	61.979		61.695	(-)	61.589		61.589	0.838	103.250	1000
67	SAS	James Cannon	Yellow S2000	68.355	(1)	64.603		61.894		63.317		66.206	(2)	62.066		61.894	0.838	103.878	994
167	SAS	John Coen	Yellow S2000	70.307	(1)	68.116		67.515	(1)	65.904		66.738	(1)	65.508		65.508	0.838	111.473	920
169	SAS	Cathy Christy	White Corvette	72.053		71.018		70.383		68.946		69.154		67.246		67.246	0.838	115.333	883
25	SESP	Josh Mcdonough	Green Camaro	72.616	(0)	88.814	(1)	69.379		68.946		73.983	(1)	67.465		67.465	0.834	114.128	895
69	SAS	Allen Christy	White Corvette	72.761	(2)	68.528		68.123	(4)	68.861		67.596		67.595		67.595	0.838	113.732	898
7	SFS	Daniel Isbell	White Pontiac	71.428		70.053		73.887	(1)	71.260	(4)	68.943		68.830		68.830	0.809	112.356	912
71	SGS	Andrew Janik	Black Honda	79.612	(4)	73.717	(4)	75.601	(2)	74.292	(1)	71.383		70.753	\vdash	70.753	0.803	116.009	876
93		Matt Boron	Black Saab	76.219	(1)	74.315	(1)	70.791	(4)	72.306	(0)	71.503		71.349 DNS	\vdash	70.791	0.803	114.138	895
193	SGS	Douglas Hale	Black Saab	76.965	(1)	70.861	DNIE	74.287	(1)	76.296	(2)	DNS			\vdash	70.861	0.803	118.167	856
32	SAS	Dave Moredock	Yellow S2000	42.674	DNF	33.718	DNF	DNS		DNS	ш	DNS		DNS	ш	No Time	0.838	No Time	500
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		Sean Seamon		100.138	DNF	62.198		61.535	-	60.790	\vdash			72.180	DNF	60.790	0.789	54.	
191	GFM	Maurie Light	Silver & Blue FM		DINE		DNF		-			61.469							
	GAS	Kristopher Stuckey	Red S2000	84.581	DNE	67.871		66.317	├	65.917		65.064		72.495	(3)	65.064	0.838	54.5	
37	GGS	Steve Montgomery	Gray Mini	55.372	DNF	72.345	DNF	70.384	(4)	68.686		68.828		68.172	\vdash	68.172	0.803	54.7	
87	GEM	Yancy Smith	Silver CRX	65.015	DNE	63.587		64.846	(1)	62.906		63.623		62.548	\vdash	62.548	0.879	54.9	
11	GAS	Sam Grant	Black S2000	33.167	DNF	71.721		68.637	!	66.377		65.791		66.186	\vdash	65.791	0.838	55.	
91	GFM	Mark Hawkins	Silver & Blue FM	122.942	DNF	66.743		63.786	(5)	65.922	L	64.300	4.	63.933	-	63.786	0.890	56.7	
54	GAS	Steven Mardis	Black Sky	71.860	DNF	72.108	(1)	73.290	(2)	71.193	(1)	68.782	(1)	68.238	\vdash	68.238	0.838	57.	
130	GAM	Ryan Wills	Black FSAE	78.657	<u> </u>	57.360		62.061	DNF	DNS		DNS		DNS	\vdash	57.360	1.000	57.3	
132	GGS	David Kieffer	Silver Supra	83.248	<u> </u>	80.915		79.293		79.330		79.352		78.471		78.471	0.803	63.0	U12
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Rally Events: Membership Meetings: Autocross Events: 6:30 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. - Socializing 9:30 A.M. - Course set-up begins 12:30 P.M. -- Registration and Tech open 1:00 P.M. -- Registration and Tech close 7:00 P.M. - Dinner 11:00 A.M. - Registration and Tech open 12:30 P.M. - Registration and Tech close!!! 12:45 P.M. - Driver's meeting 1:00 P.M. – First car off 1:15 P.M. -- Driver's meeting 8:00 P.M. -- Business meeting 1:30 P.M. - First car off Arriving late? Contact Paul Dornburg in advance by E-mail or phone by 6:00 PM the preceding day or register at myautoevents.com Paul Dornburg - <u>a911sc@bellsouth.net</u> - (H) 270-685-4470 - (C) 270-570-4107 - (W) 270-683-6553 Lawrenceville Autocrosses are at Mid-American Air Park near Lawrenceville, IL

Centre Autocrosses are held at the Evansville Civic Center parking lot

Owensboro Autocrosses are at Owensboro/Daviess County Airport, Owensboro, KY