



June 2005 ~ Newsletter

Kart Drivers All Revved up!



Ever wonder what's up with those cute little Karts that are running on the autocross course while the "Big Boys" take a break from playing with their race cars? Well, here is a little bit about it.

For Karts we follow SCCA with one exception at this point. SCCA has FJ1,2,3,4 classes for kids and F125 shifter karts for adults. "At this point we simply run all kids under a

class we call Kart. Once we have enough kids we will break it into the FJ1-4 classes with ages 8 and up. Adults would all run under F125 class for ages 16-plus," says David Boyd,

We don't accept karts you can buy at GIJoes. All karts have to meet World Karting Association rules. The WKA was formed in 1971 and has become the largest sanctioning body for karting in the US, along with being one of the largest in the world. Events are promoted at hundreds of dedicated karting facilities each season, as well as established automobile racing circuits including Daytona International Speedway, Lowe's Motor Speedway and Road America. Drivers such as Indy Racing League Champion Sam Hornish, Jr., NASCAR® drivers Ricky Rudd, Tony Stewart and Casey Atwood began their careers racing in the WKA.

Do you know someone who might be interested in bringing their cart and giving it a try? Tell them about us! All level of drivers welcomed. Our more experienced drivers are always happy to give tips and suggestions; they'd love a little more competition out there!

Photo above: Gavin Heisser-Smith wins the Kart division May 21-22.

ACCO Meetings are monthly, 6:00 pm, 1st Thursdays at Papa's Pizza Parlor, Bend. Annual membership is only \$20!

May 14th MVHS Car Show. ACCO participated in our second fundraising effort this year. MVHS invited us to auction rides to help them raise funds for their school! Thanks for all those who came to display their cars and offer rides for high bidders and to make a difference in our community!

May 21st and 22nd Central Oregon Police Stampede and Practice Event was a success with guests from Big Brother & Big Sisters of Bend in attendance. The girls were very thrilled with all the rides they got. Thank you to all the drivers that gave rides! You've created moments to remember...that's what Big Brothers & Big Sisters is all about. Thank you to the Sunriver Police Department for showing up for the fun!

June 25th will be "All Revved Up!" in Lot C at DFEC

June 26th will be "Summertime Fun!" in Lot C at DFEC

EVENT LOCATION ~ ACCOMMODATIONS

Hoodoo Ski Resort ~ Parking Lot

Camp sites are available at Hoodoo Parking Lot (with or without hookups). Also, Big Lake has 35 first come, first serve campsites on the lake. For reservations call

541-822-3799 ext 6215 or visit www.hoodoo.com

Lodge and cabin accommodations are available 10 minutes east of Hoodoo at Suttle Lake Resort, for reservations call **541-595-2628**

Hoodoo Ski Area is easy to reach from the Willamette Valley. Take Hwy 22 from Salem, Hwy 20 from the Corvallis/Albany area and Hwy 126 from Eugene. From the east side of the mountains take Hwy 126 to 20 from Redmond or take Hwy 20 from Bend. From the valley it's about 90 min. and 45 min. from Central Oregon.

Remaining 2005 ACCO Events

Events 3 & 4	June 25-26	Lot C
Events 5 & 6	July 16-17	Hoodoo
Events 7 & 8	Aug. 27-28	Lot C
Events 9 & 10	Sept.17-18	Lot C
Oregon Shoot-Out Invitational	Oct. 15-16	Lots C & D
Oregon Autocross Championships		

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