



"Fun, Competitive, & Affordable Racing"

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BULLETIN #1

Greetings V8 Road Racing West Racers!

Are you ready for the Summer break to be over? We hope you join us September 29th and 30th at Sonoma Raceway for ***V8 Thunder in the Vineyards***.

- We will be running the full 12 turn 2.52-mile road race course with Carousel. A map of the course is included in this bulletin.
- ***V8 Thunder in the Vineyards*** is a special 2-day event at a prestigious venue with over 3 hours of track time. This is a limited entry event so sign up early to ensure your spot. Register now for the special discounted event fees that are offered until August 24th.
- Online Registration is **NOW OPEN** at: msreg.com/V8RRW-SONOMA

EVENT VENUE LOCATION

Sonoma Raceway
29355 Arnold Drive
Sonoma, CA 95476
Phone: 800-870-7223

LODGING

- There are a variety of lodging options in the surrounding areas of Novato, Vallejo, and Petaluma.
- We encourage you to make reservations ASAP as it is a very popular area.

UNLOADING, CAMPING, & GATE HOURS

- The gates are open at 6am and close at 10pm. You may drop off your car/trailer after 5pm Friday, September 28th up until 10pm.
- Dry camping (no hook ups) is allowed, but if you leave the facility and try to return after 10pm you will not be able to get back in.

PITS IN THE PADDOCK & GARAGE RENTALS

- V8RRW members will have a reserved area for Pits in the Paddock.
- If you would like to pit with us in the V8RRW compound, please let us know the combined length of your tow vehicle and trailer. You can do so online at msreg.com/V8RRW-SONOMA or send an email to info@V8RoadRacingWest.com.

- Garages are available for rent at \$200 for the weekend. They can be shared as they fit two (2) cars lengthwise. You can purchase these when registering online via MSREG.com or via traditional entry form.

V8RRW MEMBERS SPECIAL HOOSIER TIRE PRICING ORDERS

- Tire orders for this event will be shipped to your specified location.
- We encourage you to place your tire orders with us ASAP to ensure availability and timely delivery.

BRAKE LIGHTS

- **Brake Lights are now required on ALL V8 Road Racing West race cars.**
- Minimum of two (2) and no more than four (4) fully operational rear facing red brake lights whenever on track.
- Must have a total illuminated area of at least 22.0 square inches.
- Must be unobscured and visible from the rear so that all competitors have ample warning when the brakes are being used.
- Any method of turning the brake lights off, or delaying the time when they come on, is not allowed.

SOUND LIMITS

- The sound limit at Sonoma Raceway is 103db measured at 50ft.
 - V8RRW can assist you in finding muffler solutions if necessary.
- Sonoma Raceway will randomly spot check.
- One (1) warning will be given to the driver of any vehicle that measures between 103db and 106db.
- After warning, if the vehicle measures over 103db again it will not be allowed to participate further.
- Any vehicle measuring over 106db will be immediately disqualified from participation.
- While these sound restrictions won't affect most cars, they may affect some.
- Please be prepared as refunds or credits for cars that do not make sound are not available.
- Also note that race car engines are not allowed to be run until 8am and must be shut off after 6pm.

SCHEDULE

- A detailed event schedule will be sent out the week of the event.
- ***Please register ASAP! The sooner you register, the quicker we can finalize and distribute the schedule.***

FRIDAY TESTING

- Sonoma Raceway is offering a ½ and full day test session on Friday, September 28th.
- Please email the track directly for more information at: testing@sonomaraceway.com

DECALS

The V8RRW Membership provides you with official series decals for your vehicle. If you do not have your decals already, please email or call us.

All V8RRW racecars must have the following decals on their vehicles:

- The following are provided with your V8RRW annual membership:
- V8RRW Sun Visor Banner
- V8RRW decals – 1 on each side of vehicle
- V8RRW Class Designator decals – 1 at the top left of the driver's side number and 1 on the rear bumper
 - **AT** – American Thunder, **E** – Elite, **T** – Touring, **V8ST** – V8 Sport Truck, **V8M** – V8 Muscle, and **VV8** – Vintage V8

TRANSPONDERS

Transponders are required for ALL entrants. Rentals are available via online registration at MSREG.com on a first come first served basis.

TRADITIONAL PRINTED EVENT ENTRY FORMS

If you would prefer to fill out a traditional entry form instead of online, please request one from us via email at: info@V8RoadRacingWest.com and we will send one to you.

QUESTIONS?

Please email us at Info@V8RoadRacingWest.com or call 619-500-8648. Looking forward to seeing you at the track!

Best regards,

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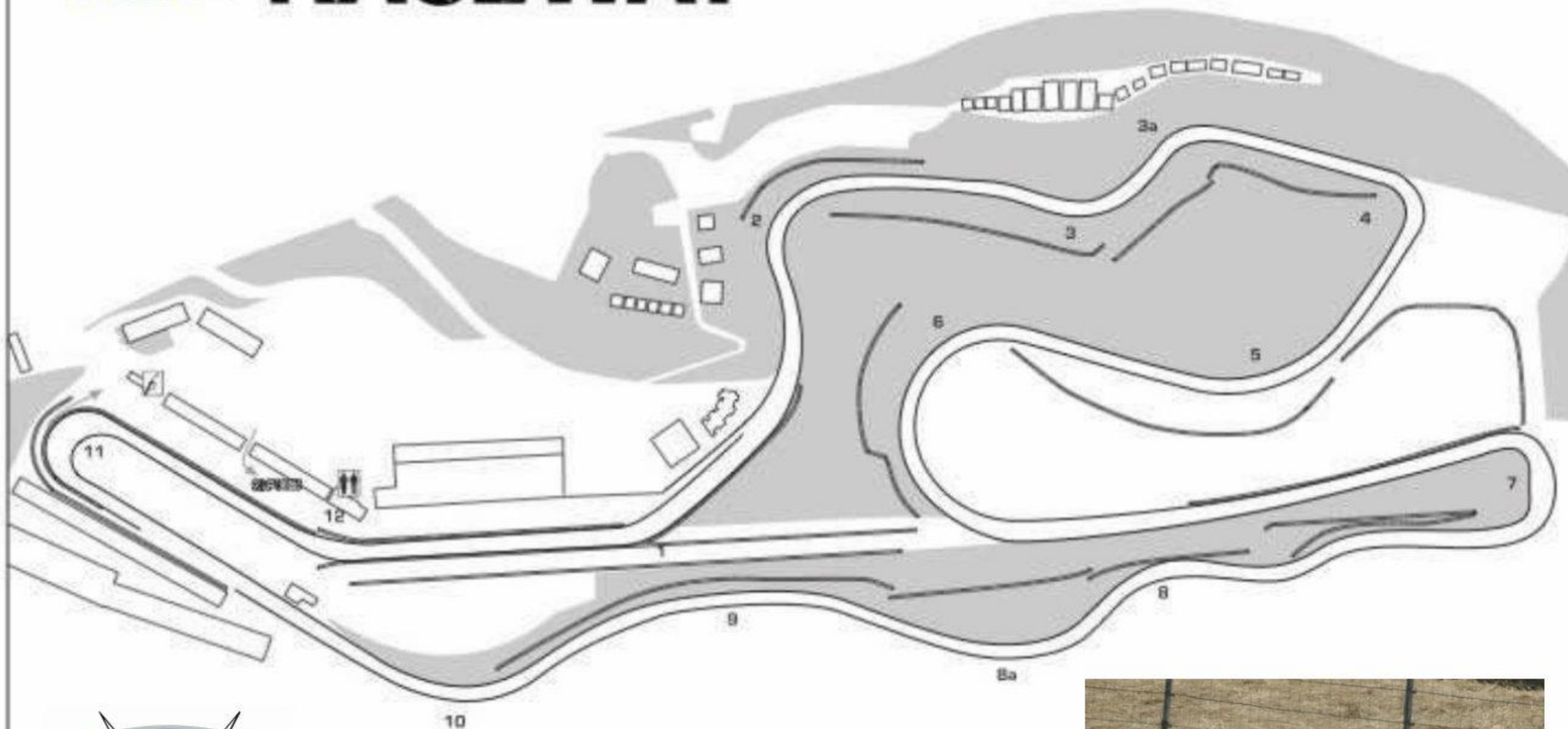
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V8 Road Racing West



SONOMA RACEWAY

V8 Thunder in the Vineyards Sept. 29 & 30, 2018



**Full Carousel Road Course
3+ Hours of Track Time
5 Track Sessions + 2 Races**





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FUN, COMPETITIVE, & AFFORDABLE ROAD RACING

- V8 Road Racing West brings the roar and thunder of V8 powered racecars to the best road racing tracks in the West.
- We provide a fun and competitive environment where affordable equalized performance on a level playing field rewards good racing techniques and skills.

ROAD RACING AT THE GREATEST TRACKS IN THE WEST

- Auto Club Speedway (formerly California Speedway)
- Buttonwillow Raceway Park
- Circuit of the Americas (COTA)
- Mazda Raceway Laguna Seca
- Sonoma Raceway (formerly Sears Point)
- Spring Mountain Motorsports Ranch
- Willow Springs International Raceway

WE HAVE A CLASS FOR YOU!

TOURING - Late Model, Super Late Model, and Southwest Tour type tube chassis race cars.

- ASC • ASA • GT2 • GTA • SRL Southwest Tour • Super Late Model • TA2

AMERICAN THUNDER - Vintage, Past, and Present NASCAR type full bodied Stock Cars and Trucks.

- ARCA • Busch Grand National • Camping World Truck • Craftsman Truck • K&N East/West • Nationwide • Sprint Cup • Winston Cup • Xfinity • West Coast Sportsman

ELITE - An unlimited class for the top echelon purpose built V8 Road Racing Cars.

- GT1 • IMSA GTO • Super Production • Super Unlimited • TA2 • Trans-Am

V8 SPORT TRUCK - Spec Chassied Trucks w/ Crate / Spec. Engines that have been designed for mechanical parity where driver's skill is rewarded over mechanical edge.

- ASA Speed Truck • Irwindale Truck • Spec Truck • Super Truck • SWTT

V8 MUSCLE - Steel bodied race cars which utilize their original frames / unibodies

- American Iron • SpecCorvette • AS American Sedan • CMC Camaro / Mustang Challenge • SMG Spec Mustang • T1 Touring 1 • T2 Touring 2 • World Challenge

VINTAGE V8 - Big Bore Production Sedans manufactured or raced through 1978.

- A Production (AP), B Production (BP), A Sedan (AS), Trans Am (TA)

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