



East Coast Challenge (MAQMA, NCQMA, TBQMA)

Event #1	May 15	MAQMA		Batch Qualifying
Event #2	May 29	NCQMA	All Star Challenge	Batch Qualifying
Event #3	June 12	TBQMA		Batch Qualifying
Event #4	August 7	TBQMA		
Event #5	October 2	NCQMA	Tarheel Classic	
Event #6	October 23	MAQMA		

Schedule:

- **Friday**
 - 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM Registration
 - Open practice until 10:00 PM
- **Saturday**
 - 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM Registration
 - 9:00 AM One round controlled practice by class
 - Driver Handler Meeting following Practice
 - Batch Qualifying after Driver Handler Meeting
- **Sunday**
 - Raindate if needed

If needed local clubs can adjust these times, check the host club website for changes.

- The Sunday after the event will be used as a Rain Date, if possible. If all cars qualify before rain out is decided, points will be awarded based on qualifying.
- **Entry cost:** Entry fees will be \$40 per car for **all** participants. The host club will keep \$30 per car and \$10 per car will go to the region for end of year awards.
- **Qualifying:** We will batch qualify for the first 3 events. During the second round stops we reserve the right to change to heat races. Decisions will be made before the second half of the series and announcements will be posted on the websites for the 3 tracks.
- **Practice on Friday night:** Practice on the Friday nights before the East Coast Challenge dates will be allowed. Host tracks should have officials in place to assist with this.

- **Fuelling:** Each track will provide fuel for the regional events. Host club will pay for fuel out of the entry fees.
- **Tech for Races:** Host club will be responsible for Tech at the regional events. Members/Tech directors from other tracks can assist in the process. Cars will be impounded after A-mains. At the completion of the A-mains, a pill draw will be used to determine items to be inspected. Any car that is disqualified at the scales or after tech inspections will receive 0 points and this race cannot be used as a drop for that driver.
- **Drops:** In the 6 race series, there will be 2 drops allowed and drivers must compete in 4 events to qualify for the series points championship and awards.
- **Points:** Michelle Allison will keep track of the points for the series. The results and points standings for each event will be reviewed, compiled and sent to each track for posting. All participants will receive points since the entry fee will be the same for everyone. During the second half of the series, if we chose to use them, passing points will be implemented for the heat races. Any car that is disqualified at the scales or after tech inspections will receive 0 points and this race cannot be used as a drop for that driver.
- **Tires:** There will be no limit on tire use.
- **Trophies:** For the regional events the host track will be responsible for the following awards: A-main top 3 finishers, Fast Time for each class and T-shirts for all other participants. For end of year awards, we try to standardize so that each track does the same thing. We will look in to the possibility of a plaque with the East Coast logo, a photo of the driver and their accomplishments/finishes for the series. We will also check into jackets or hoodies for participants.
- **Banquet:** There will be no regional banquet. Each track will recognize their participants in the series at their local banquet.