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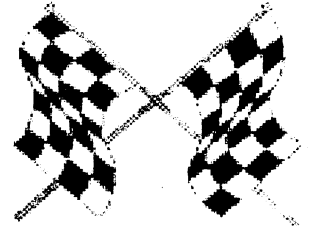
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# Fast Times

## Meeting Minutes: Yellowstone Region 108 - June Meeting

Meeting was called to order by RE Kurt Schulz. The minutes were approved as published in the *Fast Times*. Secretary/Treasurer Mark Richlen gave a financial report.



Old Business: There has been no contact with the Metra concerning an event. Scott Cranston, Assistant Regional Executive, reported that the Auto Auction lot is not available. Chris Brewer offered to talk with them again.

New Business: The timing van inverter is giving some problems; Mark Richlen and Scott Cranston will check this out. Steve Gruver is concerned that there is no advantage to being a member of SCCA. The entry fee structure does not justify the cost of being a member. The non-member entry fee should be set high enough to encourage membership. It was suggested that the organization consider this for discussion at the next meeting. Steve has liked the use of three run groups and will continue to use them along with assigned course positions.

Meeting adjourned.

Minutes by Secretary/Treasurer Mark Richlen



## Venue Woes

Finding venues for the 2007 season has been quite difficult and this problem needs to be addressed before the 2008 season. We need to decide if we want to have a few big events during the season or if we want to have more smaller ones.

We also need to discuss interacting with Bozeman, Great Falls, Missoula, and Idaho clubs to coordinate schedules and encourage

inter-club participation in events. This would be a benefit for everyone because it would increase the number of participants and also fix the lack of course workers.

Event dates would also not conflict which would promote a better turn-out.

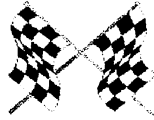
Please bring any ideas to the August 1 meeting at Fud-druckers in the Heights.

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### YRSCCA Schedule 2007



<b>July 29</b>	TBA
<b>August 5</b>	TBA
<b>August 19</b>	TBA
<b>September 3</b>	Skyview (Labor Day)
<b>September 15-16</b>	Driving School with Porsche Club Lewistown Facility

### Thoughts in the Fast Lane

During the past few events, various interested individuals (workers, spouses, etc.) have taken runs over the noon break to "test the waters." This might be a good way to get more people involved.

It might also be fun to do more "car swapping" after a certain number of competitive runs have been completed.

In the past, it has always been difficult to find course workers

late in the day. However, are as many workers needed when the runs don't truly "count"?

Another thing that could be tested is a two-tier registration where drivers could choose to take a limited number of runs for less than full price. This might encourage more people to get involved. Also, there are some days when even the most avid driver can't stay the whole day at the event.

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### EICC Schedule

<b>Aug 4</b>	Highland HS Pocatello
<b>Aug 18</b>	Idaho Falls Site TBA
<b>Oct 5-7</b>	Pocatello Airport **Test & Tune Friday 2pm

**Meeting August 1, 2007**  
Fuddruckers  
875 Main St., Billings  
6:30 P.M.

### Websites

- Yellowstone Region 108**  
yellowstonescca.com
- Southwest Montana Region**  
www.swmtscga.org
- Montana Region (Great Falls)**  
www.geocities.com/montanascca/
- Eastern Idaho Sports Car Club**  
www.eiscc.com
- Big Sky Region (Missoula/  
Kalispell)**  
www.users.qwest.net/~sharpguy/
- Northwest Hill Climb Association**  
www.mbahillclimb.org/

From the Webmaster

I think it might be fun to have members section on the website where each member could provide a little information about themselves and their car(s). Please drop me a line if you would like to be included. (If you don't volunteer to provide information, the Webmaster just might make it up!) There has also been some interest in posting awards on the website for class winners at events. Please send your ideas!

