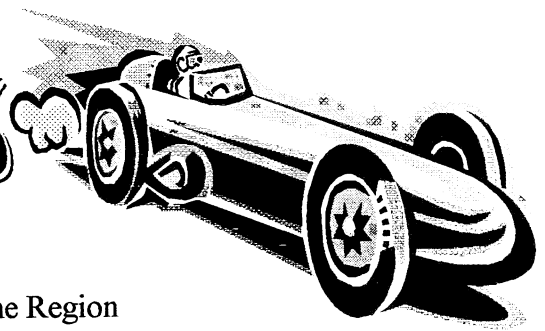


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SKYVIEW

The Skyview Solo II is scheduled May 31st, Memorial Day. The EVO Driving School is also scheduled for Skyview. There are a few spots left so if you are interested call Tammy or Mark. The Solo II will start set-up at 7:30 a.m. Registration from 8:00 to 9:30 a.m. Walk thru from 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. and drivers meeting at 9:45 a.m. First car out at 10:00 a.m. If you have not had your yearly tech, be early. Also help in setting up will be needed, because we will use both sides of the parking lot.

Take Main street in Billings Heights to Wicks, turn left and follow Wicks to the end and you will see the school.

MEETING MINUTES

The minutes were okayed as printed in *Fast Times*. In attendance were Mark Brown, Jeff, Dennis, Tammy, Dwight, Dave, Kurt, Char, and Ryan.

Mark was out of town so we did not have a treasurer's report. Tammy had received notification from national that the audit from the last event was in error and more money needed to be sent to National.

OLD BUSINESS: The continuing schedule additions and corrections: June 20th & July 25th have been added at West High School; the Medical Arts Bldg. is actually the Medical Oxygen Bldg.; Mark B. is still working on Red Lodge; Jeff will once again check with Powell Airport; Scott is working on Co-Tech; Columbus Airport and Billings Airport will be approached; and Tammy will follow-up on the National Guard.

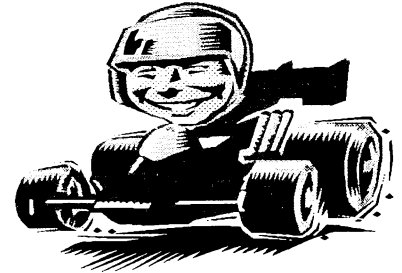
The trailer needs work, several people volunteered to help. **NEW BUSINESS:** The Porsche Club wants to use the timing equipment. A price of \$250. was quoted which includes an operator for the timing equipment.

Metra Park needs a \$90.00 deposit ASAP and the balance of \$810. by June 11th. The fees for the event will be \$25.00 for members and \$35.00 for non-members.

The old timing equipment has been put on E-Bay. Fred will take the schedule to InstiPrint for posters. Also Fred talked to Janell Slade, his neighbor, from Q-2. If we call the Friday before the event we can probably get coverage. The Corvette Club State meet is July 10-11 at Helena. Montana Region is working on a Divisional for 2005.

Char Schulz for Mark Richlen

From your RE



Well, I think we can officially say that the local autocross season has started. We just had a great event at the National Guard, had some new faces and plenty of familiar ones too. Thanx to Dennis, Tammy, and Mark for setting up this event. I hope everyone had fun.

Thanks to Mark and Dwight for their work on the club trailer. We now have secure shelving, a place to hang helmets, and lots more room on the floor for all those stinking cones!! Also, as a reminder, we have upcoming events May 23rd at Lewistown and the event at Skyview on May 31st. This may be our last year at Lewistown, so be sure to get out there some time this year!!

At my last count, we still have 4 spots available for the EVO Driving School. Please get your \$100. deposit to Mark or Tammy as soon as possible to secure your place!!

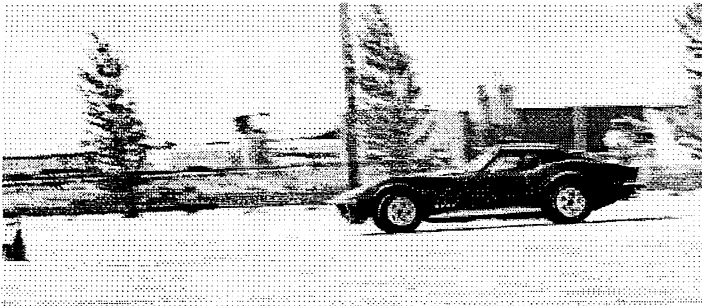
One final thing, someone called me in mid-April wondering about our PR position. Whoever you were, I had a power outage and lost your number!! PLEASE get a hold of me soon, and we can discuss the position. YOU KNOW WHO YOU ARE!!!!

Ryan Coler

- 60 F125. Mark Brown CRG 0:23.744
- 24 GT1 Gordon Gollehon Corvette 0:26.589
- 78 EP Tye Jackson Mustang 0:26.771
- 23 SP Dennis McCollough Honda 0:27.477
- 22 SM Tammy McCollough CRX 0:28.034
- 11 SM Andy Pirami MG 0:28.249
- 46 SP Dustin Hansen Mazda 0:29.608
- 19X ST Eli Shafer Mustang 0:29.890
- 89 FS Scott Cranston Thunderbird 0:29.890
- 56 EP Mark Richlen TR4 0:30.143
- 49 ST Jeff Goff Conquest 0:30.334
- 5 ST Joe Bonini Mustang 0:30.618
- 64 AS Steve Gruver Corvette 0:30.701
- 555 SM Michael Card Imprezza 0:30.742
- 6 ES Fred Magers Porsche 944 0:30.802
- 19 SPTR Eli Shafer F150 Lightning 0:31.280
- 26 ST Steve Goff Nissan 300ZX 0:31.880
- 12 SP Shane Howard Honda 0:32.400
- 512 SP Philip Burrowes Mustang 0:32.560
- 64X AS Joanne Gruver Corvette 0:34.115
- 21 KART Jacob Brown Kart 0:36.172

Everyone I talked to had a good time. Fred felt really good about his runs. Joanne Gruver was bemoaning the fact that she was getting beat by an eight year old, but I see she did beat him in the end. I heard that the course was not favorable to the big bore machines, so Jacob may have had a bit of an advantage. But wait a few years and he won't be a kid anymore. Jacob is probably still grinning and chomping at the bit to race again.

Joe Bonini spent a lot of time going sideways - but he was having fun doing it. One of the other Mustangs tried to give him a run at that sideways running, but Joe holds the record. I also heard this rumor about Andy Pirami chasing the Mutant Hondas...it won't be long before he catches them. I see that Gordie was over from Bozeman and there are a lot of names I don't recognize. Sounds like it was a fun day.

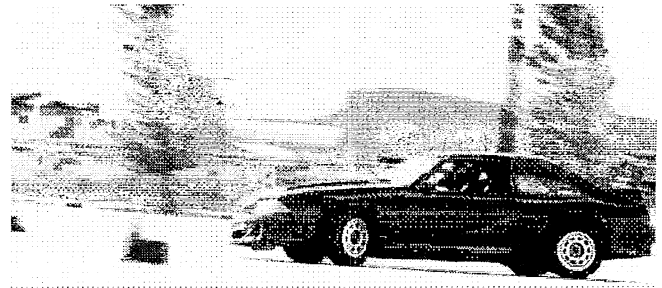


We have Gruver's Vette above, Fred Magers' Porsche below and Jacob Brown's Kart to the right.



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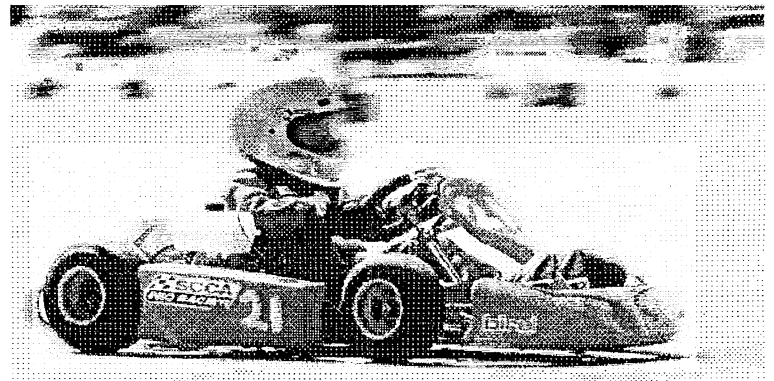
Now that the first couple of Solo II have been run we need to remind everyone that once the event is over to wait until the next race for your speed fix. The only thing that will happen if you race away from an event is a possible ticket and making SCCA look bad. So use the ole noggin and slow down when leaving an event. We have a full schedule of events planned and more may be added. So you should be able to have a lot of fun this summer.



Mark Brown was going so fast that Tammy could only get half a picture!!!



Pictures by Tammy McCollough



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EASTERN IDAHO SPORTS CAR CLUB

New Club Officers - President – Joe Kremer - Vice Presidents – Sandy Clark & Carol Hibbard - Treasurer – Dave Krekel

Club meetings are the first Wednesday of most months - February, March, April, May, June, August, September, and October. July is usually too close to the July 4th race to bother with a meeting. Meetings are held at Melina's Mexican Restaurant, in Blackfoot. The address is 321 N. Main. The meetings start at 7:30 PM. However, come at 6:30 and have dinner before the meeting. <http://www.ida.net/users/lewisr/eiscc1.html>

The Boise Region has a new web site check it out www.snakeriverscca.org
The Utah Region SCCA will be hosting many races this year. If we don't have a race for you to go to, check them out. www.team.net/urscca/.

SCHEDULE FOR 2004

May 22-23	Pocatello Airport	June 19-20	Pocatello Airport	July 3-4	Bonneville High School
July 10-11	Jerome High School	Aug 14-15	Bonneville HS	Sept. 25-26	Pocatello Airport

Region 52 has a newsletter now available on line. It's a real slick newsletter called the Shicanery. Check it out on their web site: www.swmtscca.org. Good job whoever the editor is.

Solo II - May 2nd - Medical Oxygen Bldg. -24th St. W. between Golden Corral & Barnes & Noble. Registration from 8:30 to 9:30, walk thru from 8:30 to 10:00; drivers meeting at 9:45 and first car out at 10:00. See you there.

Southwest Montana Region 52 Bozeman

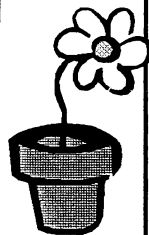
New officers were elected to the Southwest Montana Region 52. They are as follows:
Region Executive - Russell Kaiser - 586-8264
Asst. Region Executive - Nick Coate - 222-1578

Treasurer – Ardi Santosa
Secretary – Alexandra Hamilton -
Competition Chair – Robin Evers - 585-8447
Webmaster – Mike Wagner - 388-2379

web site: www.swmtscca.org

NOTE TO BOZEMAN-LIVINGSTON AREA MEMBERS

Those of you still receiving this newsletter are still a part of Yellowstone Region. If you want to change your region of record to Region 52 (Southwest Montana) contact Russell Kaiser 586-8764 and he will get the forms to you to change your region of record.



Annual Dues For Yellowstone Region

	Nat'l	Regn	Tot
Regular Member	\$55.00	\$15.00	\$70.00
Spouse	15.00	5.00	20.00
Family	85.00	20.00	105.00
1ST Gear (under21)	30.00	15.00	45.00

SWMT - Bozeman - Schedule

May 16 Valley Ice Gardens
June 13 Helena
June 27 Valley Ice Gardens
July 18 Valley Ice Gardens
Aug 8 MSU
Aug 22 Bozeman HS
Sept 12 Bozeman Deaconess Hospital
Sept 26 Bozeman HS
Oct 10 Bozeman Deaconess Hospital

If you get a chance take in a event in Bozeman.

Lewistown will be on May 23rd. If you haven't gone before, call one of the officers for directions or caravan up with someone. The cost will be determined by the number of entrants. It's west of the town about a mile or so, the old Hwy Patrol training grounds.

JIM KINSER EVO DRIVING SCHOOL

Deposits of \$100.00 are due to Tammy McCollough or Mark Richlen. Limited to the first 12 people who get their deposits in. Will be held on May 31st at Skyview. Any questions, call Tammy 861-2268.

SCHEDULE

May 5th	Meeting - Fuddruckers - 875 Main St. Billings
May 2	Am. Medical Oxygen Bldg.
May 23	Lewistown
May 31	Skyview
May 31	EVO Driving School
June 12-13	Lewistown 1st day practice 2nd day timed
June 20	West High School
June 27	Am. Medical Oxygen Bldg.
July 11	Metra
July 25th	West High School
August 8	Lewistown
August 29	National Guard Armory
Sept 6	Skyview

Anyone that has a possibility of a racing venue or questions concerning events, please contact the competition chairmen.

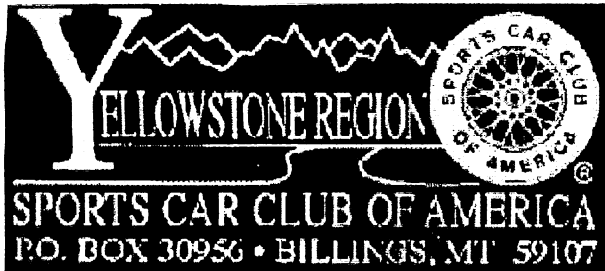
Tammy McCollough, 861-2268 for Yellowstone

The May 2004 meeting will be held only May 5th. at Fuddruckers, 875 MAIN STREET, Billings, at 7:30 P.M. See you there.

WEB Sites

Yellowstone Region 108
Yellowstone SCCA.org
 Southwest Montana Region (Pending)
www.swmtscca.org
 Montana Region (Great Falls)
 Eastern Idaho Sports Car Club
http://www.ida.net/users/lewisr/ciscc1.html
 Big Sky Region (Missoula/Kalispell)
www.users.qwest.net/~sharpguy/
 Montana Region
www.geocities.com/montanasca/
 Northwest Hillclimb Association
http://users.bitsmart.net/rainbowtees/nha.html
 Magic City Speedway (Billings)
http://www.magiccityspeedway.com/body_index.html
 Cars On Canvas
www.cars-on-canvas.com

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 July 11 - METRA SOLO II



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