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SEPTEMBER 25, 2023



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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27	
Camper parking begins	4:00 PM
“Walk-in” camping reservations begin	4:00 PM
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 29	
Tickets windows open	Noon
Race car parking	12:00 – 5:00 PM
Open practice (free grandstands)	5:30 – 9:00 PM
Race car parking	9:00 – 10:00 PM
Single day pit pass	\$20
Three-day pit pass	\$75

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Come join us for a weekend of racing and a great time at Super Shoe XXXVI!!!

Saturday: Qualifying, heats and features. Sunday it’s all features!

Super Shoe information—driver groups, classes, rules, payout, reserved camping and pit stalls—is a click away at kalamazospeedway.com. Can’t find something? Give us a call and we’d be happy to assist you. (269) 355.4628.

There are a few reserved pit stalls left (\$100). There are a few 8-person skyboxes remaining (\$250 per night; \$500 for the weekend). Our golf cart supplier says he’s tapped out as of today.

Campsites may be reserved by phone until Tuesday, September 26 at 7:00 pm. After that time, reservations may only be made at the gate.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

Pit & ticket windows open	8:00 AM
Group Qualifying	11:00 AM – 4:55 PM
Racing begins	6:15 PM
Adult Grandstands	\$15
Youth (12 and under)	FREE
Single day pit pass	\$35
Two-day pit pass	\$65
Alamo Fire Dept. breakfast	8:00 – 11:00 AM

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1

Pit & ticket windows open	10:30 AM
Racing begins	12:30 PM
Adult Grandstands	\$15
Youth (12 and under)	FREE
Pit pass	\$35
Alamo Fire Dept. breakfast	8:00 – 11:00 AM

We will see YOU at Super Shoe XXXVI



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DRIFTING FESTIVAL (LEASED EVENT) RECAP

Over 24 hours of open drifting! Music. Camping. Good company. A very good time! Spectators were treated to a group of drivers who were captivating. Drifting under the lights was a different touch. Spectators were able to upgrade their \$5 grandstand ticket to a \$20 pit pass and talk to the drivers who are always happy to talk about their car and their sport—and offer ride-a-longs. Sophia posted: “First time going to see drifting and I got a ride!!! Best day of my life!!! Excuse my screaming!!!” It is an incredible ride given by skilled drivers. Think it’s a wild ride in a drift car? Try it in a cart. Pretty indescribable.

Open drifting returns on October 14. Drifting is a rain or shine event. Grandstands are \$5 for adults; no charge for 12 and under. Gates open at noon with the track going hot at 2:00 pm.

Clockwise: Michael Dunn-Haley (Dunn Drifting) leads off the Sunday session by running the course demonstration during the drivers’ meeting; Jarek Bruner won the \$200 and the GFL – 500 (aka the SOO 500) package in the burnout duel; Moe Aldhamen (right forefront) checks out his car after a tire blew causing him to collide with the safety tire; Nick Newcomb (security and general operations with AutoMODIFIED) finds a new use for Gary Howe’s bobcat. Aldhamen was able to bring the car back out later in the session.



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Clockwise: Ben Schultz (minus hood) and Michael Dunn-Haley demonstrate the precision of tandem drifting; Alex Field then Micah Lynch show their stuff; Tucker Newsome, who built a 4-seat ride car, gives track owner Randy Ritchey and two of his family members a demonstration of what drifting feels like; Levi Klosowski, Bryan Bennett and Chris Bowling take their turns on the course.

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