



## TRACK TALK

June 1, 2020

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Torrential rains made a warren of ruts in the infield last week. Not only will it need to be graded again before it can be paved, it also makes the infield questionable for use for the June 6 practice.

### SATURDAY, JUNE 6 PRACTICE



Get your racing fix while we wait to get back to racing. There's a practice session at the Zoo on Saturday, June 6. It's open to all racers but teams must be signed up in advance and we're space limited to 60 teams. If the infield isn't paved, that number will drop to 47. Each driver who requests pit space will receive a confirmation e-mail with all the June 6 practice details. Sign up is easy, keep reading.

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## PRACTICE FOR ALL CLASSES

Saturday, June 6

■ Pits open 11:30 AM

■ Practice from 1:00 – 5:00 PM

### PRACTICE PROTOCOLS

- ✿ All teams must pre-register
- ✿ 60 cars maximum which will be placed with one empty space between each team
- ✿ Maximum 5 team members per car (includes the driver)
- ✿ Masks must be worn whenever anyone is outside of their pit stall.
- ✿ Everyone must wash their hands before entering a restroom as well as after use
- ✿ Kalamazoo Speedway will provide hand wash stations with soap and towels
- ✿ Teams please have your own sanitizer on hand
- ✿ Teams must practice social distancing within their pit stall when possible.
- ✿ Team members using the pit bleachers to record lap times must wear a mask or sit 6 feet from anyone else using the bleachers. Teams lining up along the wall in the infield must do the same.
- ✿ No concessions will be open
- ✿ Tires will be available
- ✿ Fuel will not be available (the infield tank is being moved)
- ✿ Teams may not enter the scoring tower
- ✿ We regret that we are NOT able to allow spectators in the grandstands or pit areas yet

### TO SIGN UP

- ✿ E-mail [barbara@kalamazospeedway.com](mailto:barbara@kalamazospeedway.com) with the driver name and class – no phone calls, no Facebook messaging, faxing, etc.
- ✿ FIRST COME – FIRST SERVE
- ✿ Confirmation (or that capacity has been reached) will be sent via return email
- ✿ Expedited pit passes are available; details will be in the confirmation email
- ✿ Pit Pass \$25 per person
- ✿ Deadline to Sign Up: June 4 at 4:00 PM

## PHOTOS FROM THE MAY 23 PRACTICE – POP QUIZ #2

We included a bundle of driver and team photos from the May 23 practice in the last Track Talk with a promise to include more this week, and here they are. Answers are on the last page. There were a few camera shy drivers and we hope to catch them at an upcoming practice.

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WALL 700



**This artistic rendering of a motorcycle on the backstretch wall from the May 23 practice didn't do much for the car, but its contact with the wall left one of the most creative imprints we've seen in a long time.**

Answers to Pop Quiz II: Mike Gale, Aaron Anderson, Charles Anderson; the Blanchard family (Al, Ron, Jared); Tran Wallace, Mike Heinrich, Ted Wallace, Bob Bliss; the Carr family: Jim, John, Gabe, Josh; Brandon French, CJ French; Matt Corliss; Keegan Dykstra; Brandy Emerson, Ethan Anderson, Matt Elsey Jr, Christina Rantz, Matt Elsey, Scott Elsey; Erv Gambée, Dan Roodvoets, Ed Huizinga; Ryan Stutz; John Nyberg, Josh Nyberg; Jenny Martin, Keegan Letts, Renae and Chris Letts; Makena Snyder; Nick Failing, Tom Failing; Howard Patton, photobomber (take extra credit if you identified him), Rick Senneker, Brandon Lyons; Bill Hill, Steve Higgs, Zach Westdorp, Tim Bullis; Mark Shook; Chris Shannon

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