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### SEPTEMBER 21 - 25, 2022 SUPER SHOE XXXV

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21		
Camper parking begins	4:00 PM	
"Walk-in" camping reservations begin	4:00 PM	
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23		
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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It's the last Kalamazoo Speedway sponsored racing event of the 2022 season. Come on out for great racing and great company for the Super Shoe weekend. For many, it's a September tradition and the stuff from which memories are made.

The chart to the left (and continuing on the next page) capture the major event times.

Check out the website (home page 'Super Shoe Information') for driver registration forms, the rules for both divisions (FWD and RWD), payout, daily schedules, camping information, pit spots, maps and general information. Still can't find what you want to know? Call 269.355.4628.

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

Pit & ticket windows open	8:30 AM
Group Qualifying	10:30 AM – 4:25 PM
Racing begins	6:15 PM
Adult Grandstands	\$15
Youth (6-12) Grandstands	\$5
Kids 5 and under	FREE
Single day pit pass	\$30
Two-day pit pass	\$60
Alamo Fire Dept. breaklast	8:00 – 11:00 AM

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

Pit & ticket windows open	10:30 AM
Racing begins	12:30 PM
Adult Grandstands	\$15
Youth (6-12) Grandstands	\$5
Kids 5 and under	FREE
Pít pass	\$35
Alamo Fíre Dept. breakíast	8:00 – 11:00 AM







#### OCTOBER 15, 2022 \* AUTOMODIFIEDS DRIFT EVENT

A few drift cars participated in the Legendary Night of Destruction this past Saturday, and drift cars will be back for a drift car event of their own on Saturday, October 15.

The event is open to beginning and seasoned drivers and will offer drifting on the high banked oval as well as on an infield course.

Slidewayz is hosted by AutoMODIFIED. Look for more information in this space in the next edition of Track Talk.

Pictured from the Night of Destruction: Lead car Michael Sadem and Michael Dunn-Haley (Nightmare Racing).



#### OCTOBER 22, 2022 🕬 AWARDS PARTY

The 2022 Awards Party is scheduled for Saturday, October 22. Come out for one last visit with friends before the long off-season and offer congratulations to the top 10 drivers in each class. The schedule includes award presentations (no long speeches!!), food, fun and dancing under the big top (with heat if it's chilly) at Kalamazoo Speedway.

Tickets are on sale now. \$30 for adults/\$10 for kids under 12.

#### SEPTEMBER 17, 2022 \* THE LEGENDAY NIGHT OF DESTRUCTION

The Fall classic: The Legendary Night of Destruction. We had a full house (and then some). Fans had a chance to hop aboard one of the ride busses where fans on the yellow bus designated their driver (James Snell) the best for giving them a thrilling ride. Jack (who does the Speedway's invocation every week and sings the National Anthem) and Madelyn Goodrich were wished a Happy 57<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary.





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Franklin Rigsby (right) won the Spectator Drags. Michael Dunn-Haley (Nightmare Racing), Michael Sedam, Ben Schultz (Nightmare Racing) and Tucker Newsome (AutoMODIFIED) got the crowd fired up with a drift show (see earlier section).





At left, a monster truck photo opportunity. Above, a bit of a dust up on the backstretch during the Spectator Drags.



Scarecrow climbs out of his car (left) after racing down the roofs of three school busses and shooting himself off a ramp into a waiting stack of five cars. While the carnage of his launch was cleaned up so the show could proceed, Scarecrow signed autographs and chatted with fans.

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#### Tina Lewis (left) picked up the win in the Diva Enduro for novice women drivers. Jenny Brettin was the runner-up followed by Danielle Osborne, Amanda Egmer, and Margaret Warren finishing up

Jordan Gustin (middle) picked up the win in the Compact Cars Enduro for the more experienced drivers. Ryan Diamond was the runner-up, followed by Seth Gilbert, Dwight Anderson and

Two demolition derbies occurred at the same time on opposite sides of the track. Leonard Diamond (bottom left) was the winner in the compacts' derby with McKenna Mathews in the runner-up position and Frank Gasko coming in

In the minivan version it was Corey Mudd (bottom right) winning with Austin Dennis in the runner up position and lay



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Ryan Diamond and Colin Bozell took the checkered flag in the Stacker Car races where one tandem ended up on its side on the backstretch. What's a Night of Destruction without Monster Trucks?



Brock Sweeter (left) prevailed in the trailer race. Runner-up was Bob Richmond, followed by Donovan Kramer, Gavin DeKilder, Eric Raab, Lane Smous, Josh Zenstra, Austin McKee, James Snell and Tyler Brown.

And before the Speedway set off its fireworks, which concluded with a big fire bomb, Scarecrow and his motorcycle fired off their own pyrotechnics (with Kalamazoo Track and Safety close by).



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