

N.Y.S.S.C.A

Official Newsletter of The New York State Stock Car Association

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November 2011

Next Meeting:

Election of Officers

December 13 7:30pm

Boulevard Bowl

Erie Blvd Schenectady NY

A letter from the NYSSCA President: I would like to congratulate all the race teams, race tracks and NYSSCA members on a very entertaining and exciting 2011 racing season. While most of you reflect on your accomplishments during the past year and look forward to a little relaxation, we here at NYSSCA are preparing for our very eventful "racing season".

Our 2nd Annual Bowling Tournament will be held Sunday, Nov.27th at Boulevard Bowl on Erie Blvd. in Schenectady, NY. (See ad on pg.4) 1st place prize is a pair of tickets to the Awards Banquet, 2nd place prize is a pair of 2012 NYSSCA memberships. Trophies to the top 2 teams and there will also be a 50/50. Those that attended last year's inaugural event had a great time and we are hoping for more bowlers to join us this year. The next NYSSCA meeting will take place on Tuesday, Dec.13th at 7:30pm at Boulevard Bowl. Please try to attend this meeting as it is Election Night for Board Members and Officers. Complimentary pizza, soda and coffee will be provided for all of those in attendance. Please join us for this very important meeting.

The 43rd Annual NYSSCA Awards Banquet is just around the corner on Jan.28th at the Polish Community Center on Washington Ave. Ext. in Albany, NY. There are only 500 tickets available for this event. Last year's banquet sold out early so if you plan on attending please make your reservations as soon as possible. The banquet reservation form is on page 3 of this newsletter. A big thank you goes to Cheryl Catman who has graciously volunteered to handle all of the ticket

reservations this year. On Sunday, Jan. 29, the NYSSCA Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony at the Saratoga Auto Museum takes place. This year's inductees are, Dave Lape, Jim Shampine, Walt Mitchell, Mike Budka, Don Ackner and Rich Ricci SR. Thank you to Boomer's performance (Bedell family) for your continued passionate support of the NYSSCA Hall of Fame. Please visit the NYSSCA web site www.nyssca.com or our Face book page, Facebook/NYSSCA for the upcoming press release on this year's Hall of Fame Inductees. A big Thank you to Hall of Fame committee chairperson John Keegan, and the rest of the Hall of Fame committee for their tremendous efforts on a great 2012 class. We are diligently working on the 2012 NYSSCA Yearbook. Last year's edition was very popular and we almost "Sold Out" of all the books. The yearbook committee is busy selling advertising, getting the "Year in Review" stories from our member tracks along with working with the track photographers to obtain all the pictures that make the yearbook so popular. The deadline to get all of this year's information to the printer is Jan. 6th. If you, or someone you may know might be interested in placing an ad in the 2012 yearbook please contact me at 518-894-0197.

The 4th Annual NYSSCA Nationals will take place Sat. March 3rd at Checker's Out Speedway in Johnstown, NY. Clem DaBiere who has done a great job with the first 3 NYSSCA Nationals is once again hard at work making this fundraiser bigger and better. Sponsorships on the wings of the carts are available starting at just \$25.00. Please come join the fun, entertainment, racing excitement and great food at this year's event.

The 10th Annual NYSSCA Golf Outing will take place on May 17th at The Fairways of Halfmoon in Mechanicsville, NY. Details of this event can be found on the NYSSCA web site, Facebook page in January or in the next newsletter to be sent out in February. NYSSCA will once again award 4 \$250.00 scholarships for members and their immediate family attending college full time in the fall. See application on pg.2

All these events would not be possible without the hard work and dedication of the volunteers, sponsors and event hosts that I truly can't thank enough for all they've done to help promote this organization and the sport of auto racing. In closing, as we near the Holiday Season and we spend time with our family and friends, please take a moment to think about all of our service personnel, veterans and their families, especially to those that have given the ultimate sacrifice so that we can enjoy all the freedoms of this great country that they fight for us to have every day. They are the true heroes and role models of this country. May you all have a safe and enjoyable Holiday Season and I look forward to seeing you at the upcoming NYSSCA events. If you can help us in any way with the events listed above please contact me at the phone number above.

Sincerely,
Mark Krosky, NYSSCA President

NYSSCA will be awarding 4 \$250.00 scholarships for the Fall 2012 semester.
Please complete the application below and submit by March 31,2012.

Eligibility: Anyone who is a full time college student for the 2012 fall semester is eligible. You must be a NYSSCA member or you must be an immediate family member of a NYSSCA member.

Application for New York State Stock Car Association (NYSSCA) Scholarship Assistance

For Fall 2012 college semester

Name of Applicant:

Last First Middle

Address:

Street

City Zip Code

Telephone # Date of Birth

Attach to this form your essay of no more than 250 words on "What Auto Racing Means To Me".

Are you a NYSSCA member?
Yes ___ No ___

If you are not a NYSSCA member, who in your immediate family is a NYSSCA member?

Member's name and address: _____

Relationship to applicant: _____

Purpose of Scholarship: _____

College to be attended during 2012 year? _____

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date _____

Signature of NYSSCA Member: _____ Date _____
(if applicant not a NYSSCA member)

To be completed by NYSSCA

This is to certify that _____ is an active member of the New York State Stock Car Association.

Signature of NYSSCA representative Title Date

DEADLINE FOR COMPLETED APPLICATIONS IS MARCH 31, 2012
MAIL TO: NYSSCA, PO BOX 1136, CLIFTON PARK, NY 12065

NYSSCA

DINNER RESERVATION FORM 43rd ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET JANUARY 28th, 2012

Polish Community Center - Washington Ave. Ext. Albany

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____

PHONE: (AREA CODE): _____

If you have a seating preference, please indicate below the party with whom you wish to be seated.
(Driver / Car# / Division)

PLEASE INDICATE DINNER CHOICES BELOW (TICKETS ARE \$40.00 PER PERSON)

Dinner Choice	Number of Tickets'
Prime Rib	
Stuffed Chicken	
Broiled Haddock	
Vegetable Lasagna	

Cocktail Hour - 4:00pm to 5:00pm

Hall of Fame Induction - 5:30pm

Dinner Served Immediately After Hall of Fame Program

Awards will be presented following dinner

For our out of town guests, we have reserved a block of rooms at the Best Western Sovereign Hotel at 1228 Western Avenue, Albany. If you'd like to reserve a room please contact them directly at 518-489-2981. Please ask for the *NYS STOCK CAR ASSOCIATION (NYSSCA) BLOCK*. Rates are \$82 (plus tax) and include a full breakfast. ALL ROOM RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY January 7, 2012 TO RECEIVE THIS RATE. (Please note: *There is no Flexibility with Room reservation deadline*)

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM WITH YOUR DINNER CHOICES AND CHECK

NO LATER THAN JANUARY 7TH

Seating is limited

ALL CHECKS ARE TO BE MADE PAYABLE TO *NYSSCA* AND RETURNED TO:

Cheryl Catman
10 Matthew Dr
Castleton, NY 12033

TICKETS WILL BE MAILED DIRECTLY BACK TO YOU UPON RECEIPT OF THIS FORM
THERE WILL BE A \$35.00 FEE FOR ALL RETURNED CHECKS

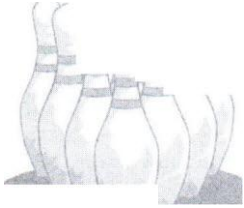
Should you have any questions, please contact Cheryl Catman @ (518)479-0607

NYSSCA

Bowling Tournament!!!

Sunday November 27th at Boulevard Bowl

1315 Erie ||



~ Doubles, 9 pin "no tap", Rock -N- Bowl!

\$10.00 per person -Includes shoes !!
Sign in starts at 1 pm!

Bobco Video - Bobco Video is your source for all the action from Albany Saratoga, Devil's Bowl, Fonda, and Glen Ridge Speedways.

Videos are GREAT holiday gifts for any race fan on your list!
Call (518) 399-0937

Come have fun and help support the New York State Stock Car Association!

- BOWLING TOURNAMENT NOTES-

Singles welcome! We will pair you up with a partner at Registration,

Bowlers are eligible for all Rock-Ne-Bowl prizes!

Winners will receive trophies and tickets to the upcoming NYSSCA banquet!

If you have any questions, contact

Bob James at (518) 399-0937,

Hope to see you there!

Upcoming Events:

- Nov 27th 1pm Boulevard Bowl Bowling Tournament
- Dec 13th 7:30pm Boulevard Bowl Elections Meeting
- Jan 10th 7pm Boulevard Bowl Meeting
- Jan 28th 4pm Banquet
- Jan 29th Saratoga Auto Museum
- Feb 7th 7pm Meeting
- Mar 3rd NYSSCA Nationals at Checkers out

It's time to renew memberships! You must be a member in order to be eligible for the Benefit Fund. As a reminder, our membership is comprised of drivers, car owners, crew members, fans, track officials, and media personnel.

If you know of someone who is not a member, please share this with them

Application for Membership

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (_____ E-Mail _____

Website _____

Car Owner (if other than driver) _____

Division _____ Car No. _____

Tracks where you race _____

Status: Driver _ Owner _ Crew _____ Sponsor _ Press _ Official _ Fan _____

Membership Application accepted only with payment of \$25.00

Signature _____ Date _____

16 & under (consent of parent or guardian) Mail to: New York State Stock Car Association P.O. Box 1136

Clifton Park, NY 12065



