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Newsletter

USFRA FOUNDED IN 1976 TO PRESERVE THE BONNEVILLE SALT FLATS AND TO PROMOTE THE USE OF THIS HISTORIC PLACE FOR MOTORSPORTS FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS.

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Dennis, Monte and a few others went to Wendover today to work on equipment. The 2 pictures were taken Aug. 19th at 12:31 PM. Monte says: There is no standing water on the courses. It appears that we will be okay by moving one mile down course toward floating mountain for our starting lines. The salt is still damp, but if we can avoid any further rain, it appears that we can put together a couple of good race courses.

This weekend the Bonneville Motorcycle Speed Trials will be on the salt to start prepping for their event at the end of the month. As soon as they are done Monte and Jason will go out and start dragging.

We are all watching the weather and hoping Hillary will not decide to follow the black line. So far her path seems to be farther to the west. We will be posting on our Facebook page as we get closer. Please follow us. Thank you. We look forward to seeing everyone in a few weeks.

Hillary just has to participate!
 Weather data says 0.001" as of Sat. night. Long range shows temps 70 - 88 and chance up to 40% a couple days the rest in single digits.



Sunday 20th @ 12:30 PM
 off weather camera



This was taken at the 4 mile on course 1, looking toward floating mountain.

Same spot on course 1. I turned around and looked South toward the starting line.

Schedule of Events:

NEXT MEETINGS

Aug 30th - Oct 4th - Dec 6th

@ Davis County Library in Bountiful @ 7:00 pm
 There will **not** be a meeting the first Wednesday in September as we will be on the Salt!

AWARDS BANQUET & CHRISTMAS PARTY

Nov. 4th

The Timbermine in Ogden @ 6:30

Always a good time and lots of bench racing!

This will also be our November meeting.

WORLD OF SPEED

Racing SEPT. 8th - 11th

Set up will start Tuesday the 5th with just a few.

Wednesday Sept. 6th we will need all volunteers on the Salt by 8:30 AM. Inspection will start about 1:00 pm.

Thursday Sept. 7th * Inspection all day and final Set-up.

Friday Sept. 8th * Drivers Meeting at 8:00 AM, drive the course, Rookie Orientation

Friday the 8th - Monday the 11th * Racing will start at 8:00 AM and end at 6:00 PM, except Monday we will start picking up and taking down and quit by 2:00 (unless we still have racers).

Monday the 11th * Class changes must be completed by 10 AM.

Sept. 8th - 11th * 130 and 150 clubs can be inspected, register, have rookie orientation and race. (If you wait til the 11th you will need to be on the salt at 8AM to complete your runs).

As in past years there will not be any gas or fuel at the World of Speed you need to bring your own gas and fuel. There are several options: Bring your own gas but if you qualify for a record the gas will be tested to see if it meets the specification set by SCTA. If the gas passes the test your tank will be sealed. Bring a sealed can of the approved VP gas and we will put it in your tank and seal the tank and the opened can of gas, if you need to add more gas to your tank we will break the seal on the tank and the can, add the gas and

reseal the tank and can. SCTA-BNI approved VP gas list is at:

<https://img1.wsimg.com/blobby/go/a0c5ccee-a57e-40cd-b11c-049ece37d91c/downloads/VP%20Official%20Fuel%20for%20Speed%20Week%202023.pdf?ver=1692384775555>

If you need to buy approved VP gas, Thomas Petroleum in North Salt Lake City is a VP distributor. They carry all of the SCTA-BNI approved gas in sealed 5 gallon cans. Their address is: 1117 North 400 East * North Salt Lake, Utah. Phone number 801-397-8302. Call them to insure the gas you use is on hand.