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New Officers Elected

At the December club meeting elections were held for the club officers and three board positions. Your new officers and board members are:

President

Rod Heslor – withdrawn

Vice President

Bob Schabel

Secretary

Tammy Heslor - withdrawn

Treasurer

Yaani-Mai Gaddy

Membership Chairperson

Kelly Wolfe

Newsletter Chairperson

Greg Clarke

Board Members:

Jeff Oakes

Mark French

DJ Ortiz

While this article was true when written, since that time Rod & Tammy Heslor have decided to not hold these positions, as you will see in their note below. This means new elections for President & Secretary will need to be held, as well as probably Vice President, and possibly others.

Club Meetings

Held at the IHOP at I-35
& FM 304 in Lewisville
7:30 pm

- ❖ January 5th
- ❖ February 2nd
- ❖ March 2nd
- ❖ April 6th
- ❖ May 4th

Message from the President

After sixteen days of thinking and a few other things, Tammy and myself have decided not to run for President and Secretary this year.

Finding out from Bob Schabel just before calling the December meeting to order that he was willing to run for office, did not leave a lot of time too decide to run or not run so we decided too. This way we have had time to think about this and make a decision instead of a quick one. After thinking about it we decided. We will still be around and be at the track just not all the time.

Bob will make a good president and he is willing to hold the office. It is time for you members to step up and volunteer and to take on some of the responsibilities of your club. Make Bob's job

Upcoming Races

- ❖ January 8th
- ❖ January 22nd
- ❖ February 12th
- ❖ February 26th

Board Meetings

Held at Alforno's Italian Kitchen in Flower Mound
7:00 pm

- ❖ January 17th
- ❖ February 14th
- ❖ March 14th
- ❖ April 18th
- ❖ May 16th

Work Days

Held at the track 9:00
am

- ❖ January 14th
- ❖ February 11th

easier along with the Board of Directors.

At the January meeting we will be nominating for President, Secretary and probably Vice President and one Board of Director. We will also need a track manager as Weldon Wellborn has stepped down at that position. So make sure you are at the January General membership meeting.

Thank You

Rod & Tammy

New Elections to be Held

Due to the resignation of the club President and Secretary, we will need to hold new elections for these offices. We may also need to hold elections for Vice-President. Nominations will be opened at the January Club meeting to be held Thursday January 5th, with the elections actually being held during the February Club meeting, Thursday, February 2nd.

Please plan on attending both of these meetings as we want the entire club represented and able to voice their opinions.

Appointed Positions Still Need to be Filled

There are a number of positions that still need to be filled for the club to run effectively. These are appointed positions, so if you are interested please speak to one of the Club Officers. The positions that currently need to be filled are:

Track Manager:

Publicity Chairperson:

Sunshine Chairperson:

Year End Championship Banquet to be Held January 14, 2004

The year-end championship banquet will be January 14, 2006 at the Double Tree Ranch located at 310 Highland Village RD. Lewisville TX. 75077. Social hour will begin at 6:30 P.M. Dinner will be served at 7:30 P.M. with the banquet ending at 10:30 P.M. The cost is \$22 for adults and \$16 for children ages 5 to 11 years old. Please use the attached form to register for the event. Your registration will need to be received by the club secretary, Tammy Hessler, by January 5, 2006.

See you at the banquet.

Annual Rules Meeting

It is that time of year to once again to review the NTK Rulebook. Please see the attached proposed changes that will be discussed at the meeting. The rules meeting will begin at 9:00 am Saturday January 28, 2006. Lunch Reservations are required by January 16th, to Tammy Heslor. The meeting will once again be held at:

Chaparral Machinery
 3435 Roy Orr Blvd., # 100
 Grand Prairie, TX.

Polar Bear Series Announced

The 2006 Polar Bear Series has been announced with four dates in January and February of 2006. We will be using a race format of, four lap qualifying, eight lap pre-final, and a 12 lap final, with results of the final determining the winner. This includes Kid Karts, which will require transponders on their karts for the Polar Bear Series races. To qualify for series awards a driver must complete at least three of the four races. Racing will begin at 12:30pm during the Polar Bear Series. The race dates are as follows:

- Race 1: January 8th Sunday (Rain date: January 15th)
- Race 2: January 22nd Sunday (Rain date: January 29th)
- Race 3: February 12th Sunday (Rain date: February 18th)
- Race 4: February 26th Saturday (Rain date: March 5th)

Fall Series Awards

The presentation of the Fall 2005 Series Awards will be done at the Polar Bear 2 race scheduled for Sunday January 22nd. So please plan on attending to receive your award, and don't forget to bring your kart and join the racing.

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