

# March 6, 2025

## **Opening**

- The meeting of the Tennessee Region SCCA was called to order at 7:07 PM by MD
- 11 Participants
- Meeting was virtual

## Regional Executive's Report [Mike Donovan]

- Banquet on February 15th in Lebanon at Austin Peterson dealer, Specialty Motors.
  - o Great location and good food. Plenty of space
  - Tell Austin Thanks!
- Porsche Club reached out curious about expanding into autocross
  - o Reached out again and shared schedule
- Weekend membership audits, we're OK just as an FYI
- Board approved price increases for NCM (55/70) and MCR (65/80)
- Polecat Training Center track reached out to bring tent and advertise at our TNT event.
  - Working to have SCCA track events (updating safety and infrastructure).
  - Building a Skidpad currently.
- C&C had good turn out with 13 people

### Solo Event Chair Report [Logan Altmyer]

- Schedule released at banquet
  - Music City Raceway 2 events
  - 2 SEDiv events
- Free event winners NJ and Austin gotten their codes
- Novice Graduates received their \$50 AutoX Digits giftcards
- Grid Cones (smaller cones) to order 50, still need to process with help of Ron
- TNT currently with 26 registered
- Need course designers, especially for TNT. Let LA know if you're interested
  - Possibly to split course designer and event chair roles. Course designer gets free event still.
  - Event chair responsible to run morning and afternoon meetings, not a stand-alone job but one of 4 or 5 people that are familiar with the meeting information.



## **Track Event Chair Report [Rob Hecox]**

- Tandem TNiA/AutoX- 25% discount for combo event, sign up for TNT first and will get the code
  - 1 used so far, checking how many TNiA has registered
- Rob to talk at TNiA meeting to share TRSCCA AutoX, to add business card to TNiA packet
- Possibly to get schedules printed to hand out on half sheet

## RallyCross Event Chair [Eli Drennan]

No news

## **Treasurer's Report [Ron Barnes]**

- Consider with board to move to a high yield savings account.
- Shared year over year growth in savings. +38% average YOY past 5 years.
- Discussed the possibility of needing to pay federal taxes next year if similar income this year.

Account	Amount
Checking	\$37,237.88
Savings	\$32,747.21

## Webmaster's / Social Media Manager's Report [Matt Phillips/Seth Cooper]

- Facebook: 2.6k followers on main page, 1,740 members in group (+38 MoM)
- Instagram: 1,186 followers, +11 MoM
- Total TN Region SCCA Members: 489 (+12)
- Using Buffer for automated posting to FB and Instagram

### Old Business (Previous meeting items, not removed until resolved)

#### **New Business**

- 2025 Tire Rack SCCA Shootout: Autocross meets Time Attack at NCM May 16-18th
- Merchandise for 2025 No new t-shirt order yet for this year. Discussed colors and styles.
  - Heat transfer logo shirt for ~\$7 with any shirt color.
    - Concern with quality of these type shirts and who will make the work. No Go
  - Rob to get order of heather gray shirts from previous supplier. Getting quote on 3/7/25.
  - o Print on demand website? Great to not keep inventory. To discuss with TVR on their store.
  - O New Volunteer Shirts?
    - Mike working with Chomp Shop to get new Event Staff shirts and add hat order on.
- QR code for live timing to laminate and put on trailer so people stop asking Tim for the link.

### **Adjournment**

Meeting was adjourned at 9:11 by MD



### **Tabled for later action**

- Site acquisition
  - Williamson County Ag Center update
    - Good w/ street survival, but expensive. Initial cost is 500\$ for the parking lot, 1600\$ for meeting room
    - Trying to discuss about us being a non for profit club to get a discount. No need for cleanup
  - Polecat Training Center track in Fayetteville, TN
  - Smyrna Airport sent to SCCA Nat'l office to help book location
    - o National contacted Airport manager but haven't heard back yet
- License plate initiative on Facebook by Alcone. State rep to possibly help with getting it (through Alex H.) Minimum order will be needed, unknown quantity. Still following up with Alex.
- Corner captain meeting right before sending them to course. Safety steward to run this meeting.
  - Also, mention in novice walkthrough how to setup cones when working.
  - Novice walk brief card with bullet points and laminated.
- Timing screen sun shield for monitor, Matt to look into it