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MICHIGAN SPORTS CAR CLUB  
2007 ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE

		Planner	Co-Planner
ICE RUN- none scheduled.....			
DAYTONA PARTY	2/18/07	B. WATKINS	
ANNUAL BANQUET	3/10 /07	J. SIESS	A. HINDS
AUTOCROSS (CHAMP)	6/10/07	B WATKINS	DK. WATKINS
AUTOCROSS (CHAMP)	7/1/07	B. SIESS	JF COWALL, DKWATKINS
AUTOCROSS (CHAMP)	8/12/07	DK WATKINS	B MCNAMARA
AUTOCROSS (CHAMP)	9/30/07	PLANNERS NEEDED- CONTACT BRIAN MCNAMARA	
AUTOCROSS (CHAMP)	10/21/07	"	"

More to come. Call the Hot Line for the most up-to-date information- # 313-388-3301

This is a tentative schedule subject to change this early in the season depending on weather and site availability, mostly. Always call the HOTLINE for the most current information.

**MSCC/DCSCC HOTLINE - 313-388-3301**

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL  
2007

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ \$20 Single Membership

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ \$25 Husband & Wife

\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Mail to: Judy Siess  
762 Marengo  
Troy, MI 48085

Phone: (AC) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO : MSCC**

**TO BE USED ONLY FOR RENEWALS OF CURRENT MEMBERSHIPS**

2007 AUTOCROSS SCHEDULE

Date	Day	AROC	CCM	MSCC	DRSCCA	Division	
Sep 3-7	Mon-Fri						
8-Sep	Sat-Sun					GASS Solo	
9-Sep			DCSCC Champ			Flint, Mi.	
Sep 10-14	Mon-Fri						
15-Sep	Sat-Sun						
16-Sep		DCSCC Champ			Bring on Nationals		
Sep 17-21	Mon-Fri						
22-Sep	Sat-Sun						
23-Sep							
Sep 24-28	Mon-Fri	SCCA Solo 2 National Championships, Topeka					
29-Sep	Sat-Sun						
30-Sep				DCSCC Champ			
Oct 1-5	Mon-Fri						
6-Oct	Sat-Sun						
7-Oct			DCSCC Champ		Solo DTE		
Oct 8-12	Mon-Fri						
13-Oct	Sat-Sun						
14-Oct							
Oct 15-19	Mon-Fri						
20-Oct	Sat-Sun						
21-Oct			Rain Date	DCSCC Champ			
Oct 22-26	Mon-Fri						
27-Oct	Sat-Sun						
28-Oct							
Oct 29- Nov 2	Mon-Fri						
3-Nov	Sat-Sun						
4-Nov				Rain Date			
Nov 5-9	Mon-Fri						
10-Nov	Sat-Sun						
11-Nov							
Nov 12-16	Mon-Fri						
17-Nov	Sat-Sun						
18-Nov							
Nov 19-23	Mon-Fri						
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**MSCC Championship Autocross #7 at Great lakes Crossing**  
**August 12, 2007**

CLASS	NO.	NAME	CAR	COLOR	CLUB	RUN 1	P	G	RUN 2	P	G	RUN 3	P	G	RUN 4	P	G	RUN 5	P	G	BEST
<b>Class AM</b>																					
AM	227	Cook, Dave	Supra			53.569			53.049			51.963			53.311						51.963 *
AM	228	Burley, Shaun	Supra	Blue		61.560			57.769			56.707			55.432			55.345			55.345
<b>Class AMT, TSS</b>																					
AMT	246	Mann, William	Subaru STI	Blue		52.979			51.096			50.371			50.997			50.778			50.371 T
AMT	19	Myers, Mark	Miata	Blue	MSCC	53.239	1		51.920			51.642			52.362			51.239			51.239 T
AMT	274	Crane, Stuart	Subaru, STI	Silver		54.035			DNF			DNF			51.811			50.596	1		51.811
TSS	436	Brown, Audley	Corvette	Black		59.890	1		56.112			DNF			53.186			52.594			52.594
AMT	249	Hedrick, Matt	Subaru Impre	Black		53.051	2		53.248	2		60.968	2		54.099	1		53.321			53.321
AMT	444	Hedrick, Andy	Nissan Sentra	White		60.169	1	1	60.921	2		56.760	1		55.600	1		55.134			55.134
AMT	204	Taylor, Brandon	Miata	Blue		63.228	1		57.310	1		57.263	1		56.789	1		55.370			55.370
AMT	300	Shinomiya, Daniel	Miata	Red		58.974			57.459	2		64.568	3		57.681	1		56.139			56.139
AMT	253	Hendrick, John Alle	Subaru Legacy GT		SCCA	68.358			62.682	1		61.032			59.612			58.810			58.810
<b>Class AS, BS</b>																					
AS	351A	Pena, Raul	Porsche	Black	SCCA	49.941			49.399			48.185			47.913	1		47.875	2		48.185 T
AS	27	Woods, David	87 Vet	red	MSCC	50.286	2		48.829			80.659	5		48.987	2		48.843	2		48.829
BS	132	Martynov, Dmitriy	BMW M3	Blue	SCCA	55.543	1	1	54.052			53.426			54.682			53.227			53.227
<b>Class BMT</b>																					
BMT	6	Sullivan, Nick	Conquest	Red	SCCA	57.177	1		53.493	2		52.570			51.796			55.830	2		51.769 P
BMT	777	Evrard, Alex	Subaru	Silver		56.642			53.995			53.933			54.736	1		53.234	1		53.933
BMT	220	Butryn, Tomasz	WRX	Black		DNF			DNF			69.756			67.227			62.294			62.294
<b>Class CMR</b>																					
CMR	35	Coleman, Fidel	Sciroco	Silver	AROC	51.606			50.608			50.139	1		50.086			50.841			50.086 P
CMR	57	Campbell, Roger	Sciroco	Red	MSCC	53.351			50.360			50.367	1		50.759			50.772			50.360
CMR	351B	Fowler, Jordan	Sciroco	Silver	AROC	58.184			55.342	1		53.782			52.683	1		51.904			51.904
<b>Class CMT</b>																					
CMT	165	Grogan, Sean	97 neon	Grape	SCCA	49.912			49.683	2		49.808			49.190			48.670			48.670 T
CMT	169	Krausch, Jessica	97 Neon	Grape	SCCA	55.324			52.917			52.129			51.488			50.813			50.813 T
CMT	717	Chen, Allen	Saturn SL2	Green		54.960			53.083			52.408			52.544	1		51.362			51.362 T
CMT	17	Aljawhari, Basel	Civic	Silver	AROC	53.420			51.839			51.398	1		52.246			51.966			51.839 T
CMT	218	Polan, Geoff	Neon	White	SCCA	55.199			52.435			52.126			51.952	1		53.230	2		52.126 T
CMT	212	Schwarz, Nick	VW GTI	Red		55.725	2		53.820			53.187			52.852			52.296			52.296 T
CMT	22	Moore, Charles	GTI, VW	Red	SCCA	54.061			53.099			53.133			53.418			53.014			53.014
CMT	247	Miles, Lane	BMW 318ti	Green	SCCA	58.918	4		55.045			53.364	1		54.081	1		53.877			53.877
CMT	248	Bigtacion, John	Celica	White		56.971			55.298	1		55.100			54.165	1		54.218			54.218
CMT	217	Callery, Jake	VW GTI	Grey		55.056	1		54.719			54.319			54.139	1		53.198	2		54.319
CMT	241	Miles, Ron	BMW 318ti	Green	SCCA	57.775			56.025	1		56.100			55.362			54.927			54.927
CMT	224	Carl, Brian	Focus	Red		56.304	1		56.768			55.602	1		55.122			54.359	1		55.122
CMT	211	Lazdinsh, Edwin	MS Protégé	Yellow		58.586			57.329			56.715			55.876			55.157			55.157
CMT	210	Milanovich, Greg	Focus SVT	Silver		57.774			57.180			56.137			56.843	3		55.337			55.337
CMT	666	Blumenstein, Eator	Mini Cooper	Silver	SCCA	55.689	1		57.678	1		59.487			55.395			55.840			55.395
CMT	231	Slodyczka, Stan	VW, GTI	Red		58.353			56.248			56.179	1		55.743			DNF			55.743
CMT	20	Rodier, Dave	Saab	Black	MSCC	57.583			56.194	1		56.783			55.776	1		54.467	1		56.783
CMT	710	Hubbard, Robert	Mini Cooper	Silver		59.600			59.504			58.528			57.525			58.080			57.525
CMT	222	Smerczak, John	VW Corrado	Green		58.900			57.748			57.109	1		56.596	1		55.835	3		57.748
CMT	215	Fathy, Dave	Audi A4	Gray		DNF			58.535	1	1	DNF			56.426	1		DNF			58.426
CMT	207	Berner, Michael	Honda	Red		59.662			58.694			DNF			DNF			DNF			58.694
CMT	713	Radziecki, Vincent	Beetle	Black		DNF			62.016	1		65.887	1		60.541			59.153			59.153
CMT	202	Larue, Glen	Ford Pinto	Blk/Red		68.284	1		65.047			62.894			62.377	2		62.157	1		62.894
<b>Class TAS</b>																					
TAS	111	Wentzel, Bruce	86 Vet	Yellow	CCM	50.210			50.606	1		51.371			50.820			50.566	1		50.210 P
TAS	226	Lincoln, Brandon	Corvette	Gray		53.823			50.560			57.808	2	1	51.655	2		51.533			50.560
TAS	180	Kopec, Mark	Camaro	Silver	MSCC	50.962	1		51.018	4		50.579			51.012	1		50.176	2		50.579
<b>Class TASL, TCSL</b>																					
TASL	11	Wentzel, Mary	86 Vet	Yellow	CCM	54.503			53.180			53.831			54.059			52.717			52.717 P
TCSL	26	Leckey, Liz	Toyota MR 2	Blue	SCCA	53.963			54.216	1		54.140	1		55.458			54.357			53.963

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**Class TES, TCS**

TES	216	Frecentese, Tom	Mazda Miata	Blue	SCCA	52.543	1		51.746			51.540			51.138			55.398	5		51.138	T
TCS	62	Leckey, Don	Toyota,MR 2	Blue	SCCA	53.543			53.783			52.561			51.799	1		52.505			52.505	
TES	81	Scarpelli, Jim	Fiero	Black	SCCA	55.173			65.353	1		54.370			54.199	1		54.975			54.370	
TES	205	Taylor, Michael	Mazda RX-7	Black		63.237			60.628			60.483			61.605			60.765			60.483	

**Class TDS**

TDS	3	McNamara, Brian	MS Protégé	Grey	MSCC	50.314	2		50.103			50.567	2		49.576	2		49.536	3		50.103	T
TDS	1	Watkins, Bill	BMW 330 Ci	Silver	MSCC	53.043			52.414			51.614			62.173			51.522			51.522	
TDS	612	Oliveira, Marco	Crossfire	Black	SCCA	55.200	1		56.001			54.618			55.744			54.460			54.460	
TDS	301	Ikeda, Hideaki	Mazdaspeed3	Black		61.162			58.177			56.520			56.146			54.647	1		56.146	
TDS	250	Huang, Jason	Saab 9-2X	Red	SCCA	57.965			57.664			56.562	1		56.665			56.319			56.319	
TDS	611	Ashley, Scott	Crossfire	Black		73.717	1		67.107			62.666			61.498			59.836			59.836	

**Class TFS**

TFS	28	Doerr, Brad	F-150	Red	SCCA	55.890			56.614	4		55.392			54.269	1		54.634	1		55.392	T
TFS	79	McNeil, Brad	Camaro	Red	MSCC	DNF			58.397			58.668			56.475			56.480			56.475	
TFS	256	Alexander, Shawn	Mustang	Gray	SCCA	68.371	2		59.117			57.775			57.521			57.176			57.176	
TFS	223	Collins, Chris	Grand Marqui	Silver		60.708	1		60.482	1		60.836	1		59.854	1		DNF			61.854	

**Class TGS**

TGS	2	Watkins, Derek	Mini Cooper	Silver	MSCC	54.420			53.229			52.236			53.219			51.900			51.900	T
TGS	29	Gernich, Juergen	VW GTI	Silver	MSCC	52.345			51.710	1		53.52	2		52.176			52.398			52.176	
TGS	711	Dettloff, Adam	Nissan Sentra	Silver	SCCA	60.130	1		56.120			58.912	1		54.133			53.530			53.530	
TGS	255	Canary, Mike	Mini Cooper	Yellow	SCCA	55.299			53.824			55.233	1		56.866	1		54.726	1		53.824	
TGS	511	Martynov, Oleg	Nissan Sentra	Green	SCCA	61.085	5		56.889	1		56.258			56.331			56.974	2		56.258	

**Class THS**

THS	5	Bohn, Rick	Civic Si	Red	MscC	63.182			54.055			54.450			53.491			53.401			53.401	T
THS	277	Bosa, Brandon	Mazda 3	Silver		55.275			54.291	1		54.887	1		54.337	1		55.785	2		55.275	T
THS	311	Hashizume, Naoya	Mini Cooper	Blue		64.940	1	1	60.004	1		61.537	2		57.455			57.207			57.207	
THS	901	Buglione, Tony	Cobalt	Red	MSCC	59.335			59.132			58.884			58.160			57.696			57.696	
THS	201	Squires, Jamie	Focus	Black		62.451	2	1	63.394			61.730			58.472			58.164			58.164	
THS	214	Whitmire, Thomas	Cobalt	Gray		63.696	1		59.683			60.513	1		59.614	1		58.775			58.775	
THS	206	Tan, Alfonso	Dodge Calibe	Black		63.447			60.949			61.976			60.195	1		59.242	1		60.949	
THS	236	Laing, Andrew	Saturn SL2	Red		78.257			68.863			66.383			64.518			63.479			63.479	
THS	95	Siess, Bill	PT Cruiser	Purple	MSCC	66.694			65.514			66.554			65.396			65.489			65.396	

**Class THSL**

THSL	219	Kurihara, Elizabeth	Mazda 3	Silver		61.029	1		59.424	1		59.910			57.346	1	1	61.418	3		59.910	T
THSL	601	Buglione, Ann Mari	Cobalt	Red	MSCC	81.817			70.187			67.106	1		65.371			65.669	1		65.371	
THSL	23	Siess, Judy	PT Cruiser	Purple	MSCC	105.924			92.436			85.436			122.122	1		82.315			82.315	

Thanks to all of you who came and worked, ran, or cheered your team mates!

Raw times are shown without penalties. Each Pylon (P) hit adds 2 seconds, each gate (G or OC) adds 5 sec.

FTD was Paul Rena with a 48.185. Ladies' FTD was Mary Wentzel with a 52.717. Index FTD was Brian McNamara with an indexed time of 39.481 (50.103 in TDS).

Only first place finishers qualify for a Khana Pass (equal to the value of an event entrance fee less the \$2 council sanction fee). We offer the option of a trophy or a \$10 discount on your next entrance fee, for every trophy position other than first place.

If you have a question please contact Derek Watkins (248) 549-7254 (dwatkinslaw@yahoo.com).

Trophies will be presented at the October meeting of the Michigan Sports Car Club.

Meetings are held at Warrilows's, 2140 Hilton (N of 9 Mile) in Ferndale. Meetings start at 7:30. Any of you who would like to join MSCC are most welcome.

Upcoming Events: Check the Hotline (313) 388-3301 and "myautoevents.com".

Drivers Entered- 80

T = Trophy

P = Pass

\* = Not Enough in Class

FTD = Fastest Time of Day

LFTD = Ladies FTD

IFTD = Index FTD



**MICHIGAN SPORTS CAR PRESENTS:**

# **GREAT LAKES AUTOCROSSING**

**SUNDAY, SEPT. 30, 2007**

**A Detroit Council of Sports Car Clubs Championship Event  
At the Great Lakes Crossing Remote Parking Lot  
I-75 at the Joslyn Road exit**



**Registration & Tech: 9:30 AM**

**First Car Out: 11 AM**

**Cost: MSCC Members; \$17, DCSCC Council Members; \$22, Free Souls; \$27**

**For more information call the DCSCC Hotline; (313) 388-3301  
or check online at "myautoevents.com"**

**Bring: Drivers License, Proof of Insurance and a Helmet (we have loaners)  
Your car must pass a technical inspection.**

MSCC GENERAL AND EXECUTIVE MEETING MINUTES August 1, 2007

Bill Siess called the meeting to order at 7:34 PM at Warrilow's in Ferndale. Members in attendance were Judy Siess, Tony Buglione, Dave Rodier, John Cowall, Derek Watkins, and Rick Bohn.

MINUTES: John C. moved to approve, Dave R. seconded, all approved.

MEMBERSHIP: Judy reported we have 45 paid members. There is 1 pending member, Marie Gemnich. She attended and worked at the last event. All approved membership for her.

**NOTICE: The 2006 dues expired October 31, 2006. The 2007 dues are due.**

Tony B. won the coveted mylar badge. Judy owes Tony a badge.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Judy would like to pay the port-a-john company. John C. moved to approve, Derek W. seconded, all approved.

EVENTS: We had an event on June 10 and an event on July 1. Attendance was good. One entrant wanted a pass for a third place trophy position rather than a cone for a trophy. A first place trophy winner can get a pass for the full value of an entry less the \$2 DCSCC Championship Series fee. For second place and lower trophy winners, we offered a pylon trophy. The cost of the trophy is about \$10. The entrant preferred a pass over a trophy. Issuing passes increases work for Judy. John moved that we issue discount passes with a value of \$10 to trophy winners in second place or lower, Judy seconded, all approved.

Brian called Bill S. and offered to be the Planner or the Co-Planner at the next event, August 12. Derek offered to be the Co-Planner, even though he may not arrive early. We need more space for the paddock and the first run line, so we could have the entrance on the wider East side of the lot and the course on the narrower West side of the lot.

OLD BUSINESS: Bill reported that the person interested in setting up and maintaining our website moved to Washington, D.C., so we don't need to discuss hiring her. Phil Davisson did modify our current website, but did not respond to a letter from Judy. Derek found a web hosting company that has a very low cost. If we could put the Gudgeon Pin on the website, we could reduce our postage expenses, pay for the website, and still save money. Derek offered to set up a basic website. Bill recommended we put our entry form on the website. That would allow entrants to type and print the entry form before the event and bring the printed form to the event. Derek reported "michigansportscarclub.org" is available. We should try to set up the website before the next event so we can announce the new website name at the event. John C. moved to approve the cost of the new website, Judy seconded, all approved. Derek will e-mail the link to the rough draft of the new website. Please review the rough draft and reply to Derek by e-mail.

NEW BUSINESS: Bill brought up the issue of putting numbers and classes on the car and on the entry form. The tech inspector must ensure the numbers and class are on the car and on the entry form. Bill recommends the starter take the registration form to the timing van. If a new

person volunteers to work in tech or the grid, an experienced person should educate the new person. Judy has the registration form file. As we use up the current stock of printed forms, we can modify the registration form with tech inspection requirements for numbers and class.

Derek brought up the issue of free fun runs for members, like AROC has. This perk is a tool for attracting new members. The people at the meeting today are the ones who pack up the equipment, so the idea of waiting an hour for the new members to do fun runs was not accepted.

COUNCIL REPORT: No report.

SELL AND SWAP: None

**Spread the word that we have autocrosses. Some people buy sports cars and don't know what they can do with the cars until someone invites them to an event. We need to encourage more people to attend our autocrosses.**

**If Judy receives a Gudgeon Pin "returned to sender," Judy will stop mailing newsletters to that person.**

**We need more members to attend the monthly meetings. Please join us and get involved!**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 PM.

Submitted by Rick Bohn, Secretary.

### *classifieds*

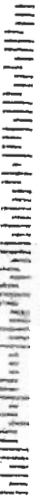
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**In case you haven't heard- the new MSCC T-shirts are in and available for purchase. Contact Judy at 248-879-9308 for more info. Sweatshirts and hoodies are also available with the new logo. Get yours today! Place an order to get one-we don't have a stockpile without orders.**

**If you renew your dues & membership before 9/30/07, you'll be eligible for an Additional enthusiast point to be added into the year-end points count for the Club enthusiast trophies. This point could make a big difference in the final count.**

**Return Address:**

**The Gudgeon Pin  
762 Marengo  
Troy, MI 48085**



**FIRST CLASS**

**DATED MATERIAL**

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