August Newsletter

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Next Meeting: Thursday: August 18th: 7:30, Knights of Columbus, Neptune

President's Message:

Dear Garden State Members,

Welcome to August! We have a busy month with lots of trophy races, the Back to School Race and a camp out! Please be sure to let me know if you plan to attend the camp out. We have a magician scheduled for 7:30 and lots of fun activities planned.

Our summer Novice Class will begin on August 13th. Please let anyone you know that is interested to get in touch with Tammy for membership forms. We are also planning a promotional day in September. We will need some volunteers to help run this.

I would like to see more people up in the tower learning how to score. You must remember that the newer members are the future of this club and we count on you to keep it running in a smooth fashion. Spend some time in the tower and learn how to score. This is the time to learn and practice so that you start to feel comfortable.

Congratulations to all of our members who traveled to the Western Grands in Kansas. A special congrats to Dana LaMothe and Kyle Reinhardt who came home champions! We are very proud of all of you.

This is also the time to start thinking about who is going to run for board positions next year. I cannot speak for the other board members, but I know for sure that the position of president is open. I will be more than happy to sit and talk to anyone who thinks they might be interested. It is important that there is more than one person running for each position so that the club gets to vote in who they believe will be best for that position.

Keep up the good work...you should all be so proud of your club!

Sincerely, Jill Forrester

Safety News: Please be sure all novices contact the novice director or read the QMA rulebook on line before buying any equipment. All cars must be safety inspected before they are able to race.

The NJ State Law regarding the 2-year seatbelts will be strictly enforced. Your seatbelts must have dates on them and cannot be more than 2 years old. Steel braided fuel line is no longer required in the State of NJ.

Please remember to let your drivers know that in NJ it is not allowed to hang out of the car. The helmet may not be passed half way of the Jersey Bar, and seat belts need to be tightened. If you have any questions about this or any other safety issue, please do not hesitate to ask. It is ultimately your responsibility to make sure that your driver is safe.

Tech News: Any new novices or anyone else that bought a motor from someone should have it teched before racing. Anyone who is unsure of whether or not their motor is legal should also have it teched. Please contact Rick Mauriello. It is better to be safe than sorry.

Web-site News: Sebastian Font is the GSQMRC web master. Please get in touch with him if anyone needs anything posted.

August Birthday's: Jonathan Laureigh: 17th, Joe Ryan Osborne: 29th, Brianna Page: 8th, Wyatt Ruggiero: 17th Happy Birthday Everyone!!!

Classified: The GSQMRC web site has a classified section. Please feel free to post anything you have for sale or might be looking for.

Novice Information: Anyone interested in joining our summer novice class should contact our secretary for information. The class will begin on August 13th.

A directory of officers can be found on the officer's page.

Please keep in mind that everyone in this club is a volunteer when it comes to working. We all make mistakes but do our best in everything from scoring to sign in's to judging, to everything else that takes place at the track. Let's try to remember to set a good example for the kids and show our support for one another.