

2011 UPDATE

Thought I would give everyone an update on some of the ideas we are juggling for end of the year awards, plans for next year and other stuff.

The economy has affected everyone this year, including karting and VDKA. The number of entries is lower, but the cost to run the races is not, so obviously the VDKA funds are substantially less than years past.

As much as we would like to present the champion with a custom made leather jacket, it is not possible this year.

We are working on designing a racing jackets specifically made for our VDKA champions and will be available only to champions. The style of the jacket is similar to the PRC jackets which I understand is comfortable for the driver and looks awesome!

Champions will also be awarded with the BIG EAGLE at the end of the year.

Banquet plans are undecided at the moment

Earlier this year we decided to give tires away at each race to different classes and finishes to spread the wealth so to speak and not have you wait until the banquet to collect prizes.....so if you come to the races you have the chance of going home with some extra rubber for your next race!

Speaking of rubber—we are also doing some heavy thinking, weighing the pros and cons of changing tire requirements for 2012.....tossed in the ring Maxxis—Firestone—Burriss....if you have any thoughts—send an email and let us know.

NEW TIMES FOR 2011 RACES

GATES OPEN: 1:00p.m.

VDKA registration: 3:00p.m.

PRACTICE: 4:00p.m.

with Qualifying and Feature races to follow.

Please send your pre-regs in early!

Capital City Speedway is the track for our next race September 17, 2011. We are going to try the afternoon/evening schedule for the last two races of the year. The final race of the year will be the at AMR on October 1st.

Ideas kicking around for 2012:

Trying new tracks—possibly Brunswick or Providence, both tracks in Va and both have asked for us to give them a try.....we will contact the track promoters and see what program we can put together. Maybe adding another race to the 2012 schedule.

New Classes—clones are coming on strong and we want to give all drivers every chance there is to race a class....so we are looking for new classes, maybe clones with a difference pipe/clutch/tire rule....whatever we do, we want to build up the classes, not just have one or two entries so give us some ideas of what you think might be of interest to everyone.

Money Classes: VDKA isn't a series that is going to go hog-wild and have BIG BIG money classes. Karting is a hobby and we like seeing people enjoy it for the sport of racing...but we may add some more payback classes...different entry fees and payouts...Stay tuned!