

### **Event Supplementals**The Joliet Grand Prix

Autobahn Country Club Joliet. Illinois USA

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### **EVENT TIMELINE**

#### SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Friday June 14, 2024: ChampCar Load-In Day

7:00am Gates open for all participants
10:00am Tech, Gear Check, & Registration Begin
6:00pm Tech, Gear Check, & Registration Ends

Saturday June 15, 2024: 7-Hour Endurance Race 1

7:00am Gates Open 8:30am Cars to grid

8:45am Green Flag/Start Endurance Race 1

12:00pm Red Flag Quiet Hour

1:00pm Green Flag

4:45pm Checker Flag/End Endurance Race 1

4:50pm Post Race Inspection 5:30pm Awards at Impound

Sunday June 16, 2024: 7-Hour Endurance Race 2

7:00am Gates Open 8:30am Cars to grid

8:45am Green Flag/Start Endurance Race 2

12:00pm Red Flag Quiet Hour

1:00pm Green Flag

4:45pm Checker Flag/End Endurance Race 2

4:50pm Post Race Inspection 5:30pm Awards at Impound

7:00pm Participants must be offsite

### **EVENT SPECIAL NOTICES**

ESN 1 - Lights are required on the race cars per the BCCR.

ESN 2 - Max sound of 96dbA at 50-feet will be enforced per the BCCR. **Mufflers are required at Autobahn.** 

ESN 3 - Track damage fees will be passed onto the team responsible for the damage.

ESN 4 - Teams using the ESS Fire Bottle must remove them from the car and take them to Tech to have them weighed/inspected.

ESN 5 - Flagtronics & Transponders will be available for rent at \$50 each per event weekend.

Available at Race Central / Registration.

ESN 6 - Photo/Media Credentials: Cut-off for event credentials is 2-Weeks before event start. Please visit

https://champcar.org/web/media.php

ESN 7 - **Clothing Requirements:** Long pants and closed toed shoes are required on the cold and hot pit lane. No shorts or sandles. No matter the weather. This will be strictly enforced.

ESN 8 - Passenger Seat must be removed for the race.

Flagtronics FT-200 Firmware Version - v.0.7.0.1

Download and read the ChampCar Endurance Series BCCR: <a href="https://champcar.org/web/rules.php">https://champcar.org/web/rules.php</a>

Reading the rules is required by all CCES drivers, crew and car builders.



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### **Technical Information**

**ATTENTION:** All vehicles, drivers, and crew must meet the safety and equipment requirements of the  $\underline{2024\ BCCR}$ .

Stint maximum of 2 hours per driver with a minimum of 1 hour between stints.

All fueling is to be completed on pitlane race day.

Race Weekend Event Info - https://champcar.org#race

Community Chat & Info: https://forum.champcar.org/topic/29278-2024-the-joliet-grand-prix-autobahn-country-club/

**Driver & Crew Waiver and Gear Check Agreement:** Log into your membership portal and complete the Waiver. Once that is completed, continue to the Gear Check Agreement and complete it. Once done, you can collect your event wristband and helmet decal from registration. This waiver and agreement are done once a year.

**Race Car Tech Inspection:** All teams will be required to do the Online Tech Form.

The Team Captain will find a button link on your main login page. Three months before the race, the tab "Submit a Tech Form" will take you to an electronic form that looks just like the paper Tech Inspection form. Simply fill in all the boxes at the top, then fill in or click on the listed point value items on your car. Save the form and you are done. At the track the Tech staff will simply check the required safety items on the car. Once the Tech staff clicks save on the safety portion of your online form you will get your annual tech sticker and head to ChampCar registration.

Please verify your timing & scoring transponder and Flagtronics FT-200 serial numbers, and make certain to add your car class to the tech form.

#### Flagtronics FT200 Wireless Flagging Display:

Limited quantities of units may be available to rent. Rental fee is \$50 for the event. You may purchase your own FT200 unit at <a href="https://htmps:

Code35 will be in use at all ChampCar events.

As ChampCar test the timing and scoring capabilities with the Flagtronics FT-200, it is imperitive that your FT200 unit and the GPS is mounted within the rules and that the unit is working.

**Fire Bottle:** Teams using the ESS brand on-board fire suppression system must remove the bottle from the car and take it to the Tech Inspection area to have them weighed and inspected. This must be done at all events entered.

**Sound:** Sound readings will take place throughout the weekend. All ChampCars are required to have mufflers, and not exceed 96dBa at 50ft. Sound is strictly enforced at Autobahn Country Club.

**Alcohol:** Absolutely no alcohol may be consumed in the Paddock during the day's racing events. No alcoholic beverages will be permitted in the pit or main paddock areas until 30 minutes after the end of the final event of each day. Participants (and families or guests) shall comply with all state and local liquor laws.

### **Venue Specific Information**

**Clothing Requirements:** Long pants and closed toed shoes are required on the cold and hot pit lane. No shorts or sandles. No matter the weather. This will be strictly enforced.

**NOTE:** Testing, tuning, brake bedding, high speed accelerations or braking will be limited to the track, and not allowed in the paddock or surround public roadways. Doing so could result in event expulsion with no fees returned.

**2024 Tech Inspection:** Please complete your Web-based tech form and the car ready for safety inspection by ChampCar tech staff. Please have your number panels installed. All teams will be given new 2024 sponsor panels. They must be installed at Tech.

**Test & Tune Information:** Space is limited, pre-registration is mandatory. This event is open to Champ car Teams and Advanced Drivers only, 40 min ChampCar run group and 20 min Advanced run group each hour. fire suits are not required but long pants are closed toed shoes are. Pre registration cost is \$250/car on or before June 7th, and \$275/car after June 8, 2024. Enter your ChampCar member number for the SCCA license number. If renting a transponder from ChampCar, just enter a bunch of zeros. This event will run rain or shine, no refunds.

https://autobahncc.com/champcar-test-day/

**Quiet Time:** No racing or unmuffled engines may be run between 6:00pm and 8:00am, and 12pm and 1pm race days.

Paddock Speed Limit: 10mph

Pitlane Speed Limit: 20mph

Minibikes, Dirt Bikes and Four Wheelers: The use of unlicensed vehicles such as minibikes, four-wheelers and dirt bikes shall be restricted to their use as service vehicles for competitors and shall only be used in the paddock area. Only licensed drivers shall use such vehicles. Children are specifically forbidden to ride such vehicles in the paddock or in any of the public areas. Autobahn Circuit reserves the right to further restrict the use of these vehicles if, in the sole discretion of Autobahn Circuit, such use is in any way a danger or annoyance to other persons. No vehicles shall be ridden or driven by any person who is under the influence of alcohol or drugs. Autobahn Circuit reserves the right to remove any person who is in violation of this rule from the premises for the duration of the Event and to forbid their attendance at future events.

**Waiver and Wristbands:** Only the team captain needs to check in at registration to receive driver and crew credentials. More information will be avaliable as we get closer to the event.

**Pitlane Access:** The pitlane area gate is locked at the conclusion of the days race event. Please plan accordingly.

Pitlane Electric: Electrical hookups are limited along pitlane.

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### **Media Information**

**Lighting:** The paddock has minimal area lighting. Be advised that ambient lighting may not be sufficient for mechanical repairs. Therefore, teams are advised to consider alternate power and lighting sources. The use of EZ-ups on the "cold" side of the pit wall are also recommended for keeping out weather and hanging all lighting fixtures.

**Electricity and RV Hook-up:** Participants (and families or guests) are prohibited from using any Circuit electrical and waste hook-up facilities unless consented to by Autobahn Circuit, and the use of such facilities may be subject to a separate fee.

**RED FLAG Quiet Hour Procedures:** At 11:45am pit lane will be closed. The race will be red-flagged at 12:00pm. All cars will be brought down pit lane. All work must stop on cars in the pit and paddock.

Drivers will exit cars, and you may remove in-car data cards/ cameras. No work will be allowed on the cars.

You may cover your car.

Drivers will be called back to the cars at 12:45 pm. You may only re-insert data cards and cameras, and add ice to your cool suit boxes when the race restarts.

Driver stints reset.

Race cars can be restarted at 1:00pm or when directed by ChampCar staff.

The pace car will lead the field out of pit lane, and come in after one lap. You must do one lap before you can pit, unless car is broke on pit lane, then you can start your pit stop after the cars on track have taken the green flag.

**Weekend Memberships:** Weekend memberships can be purchased for \$20 at ChampCar Race Central.

**Pets:** All pets must be kept on a leash at all times and all pet waste must be removed and disposed of.

**Children:** No children under-18 allowed on pit road. All minors and children must be under the direct supervision of an adult at all times.

Campfires: No campfires will be allowed at the Circuit.

Restroom / Showers: Yes. / Yes. South paddock timing & scoring

building.

Gate: 24-hour gate coverage.

Concessions: Cafe. Times TBD

Fuel on site: Sunoco fuels. Credit card pumps.

**Waste Oil:** Waste oil and other petroleum-based liquid must ONLY be placed in disposal collection containers located next to the North

Tower.

Weather: We're racing, regardless of the weather.

**ChampCar Live Timing:** App or web based timing and scoring - http://www.race-monitor.com

#### Race Control Logs:

https://champcar.org/web/raceloglive.php

Flagtronics Marching Ants Live: <a href="https://youtube.com/">https://youtube.com/</a>
playlist?list=PL9H2L9PBtH7SWEuth 3HEUpu K87-Qx61

ChampCar.Live: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/@">https://www.youtube.com/@</a> ChampCarEnduranceSeries/streams

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### **Track Damage Fees**

An invoice will be sent to the team captain. Payment plans can be worked out if needed. Unpaid track damage invoices could result in a membership hold until paid. A 4% service fee will be added for any track damage bill sent. Subject to change.

Guard Rails. \$875.00 per 25 per foot section for all guardrail damage.

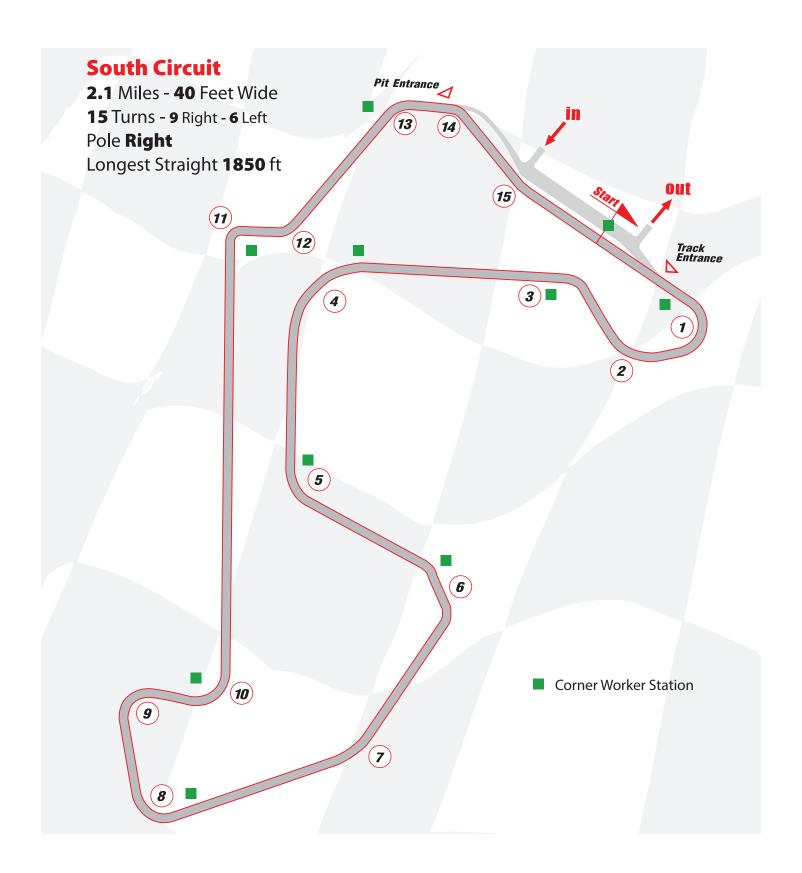
Tire Walls. \$30 per linear foot for all tire wall damage.

Fencing. \$35 per linear foot for all fencing damage.

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# Event Supplementals Track Maps

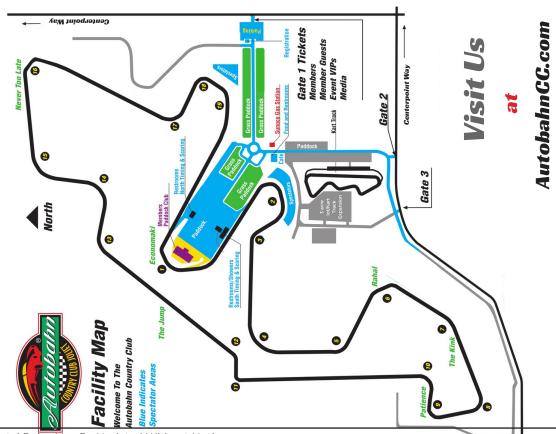




# Event Supplementals Paddock Maps



ChampCar utilizes the South Paddock E and Paddock F Grass sections only. The other areas are reserved for Autobahn Country Club members.



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# RACE LOGS

https://champcar.org#race

**NOTES:** 

2024 Sponsor Panel Free - Available at Tech

