

The July Sprints

Attached are the results of the July Sprints, presented by the Glen Region SCCA, Inc. This event was held on the 3.4 mile Watkins Glen International road course July 25-26 in Watkins Glen, NY under sanction #09-R-694-S.

There were 265 cars on course divided into nine groups. Groups 1 through 8 ran 15 minute qualifying sessions (by group) on Saturday morning which set the starting grid for their seven lap qualifying races held that afternoon. The results of these qualifying races determined the grids for Sunday's 12 lap races. The event also included a Pro-IT race with a qualifying session on Saturday, which set the grid for a 45 minute race on Sunday. Temperatures were in the high 70's to low 80's on both days with moderate humidity. All sessions were run on a dry track under partly cloudy skies.

The AMB transponder system was used for timing the qualifying sessions, and scoring for the races was accomplished with three independent lapcharts. There were 10 workers in Timing & Scoring representing the Central New York, Finger Lakes, Glen, Mohawk Hudson, Northern New Jersey, New England, and New York SCCA regions. Senior members were: Marie Sheehe, Results; Carl Dresie, Timing Captain; and Mike Bruner, Scoring Captain.

The following three new lap records were set:

7/25/09	IT7	Jake Gulick	Mazda	2:23.685	85.186 mph
7/26/09	ITB	David Gran	Honda Prelude	2:22.838	85.691 mph
7/26/09	ITR	Robert Nimkoff	BMW	2:14.049	91.310 mph

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