

Rules and Policies

Review this page before each registration. The rules and policies will evolve as the program grows.

Vehicle Eligibility

1. Street cars on street tires. Sorry, no SUV's or Truck's.
2. Roll bars are mandatory for all convertibles.
3. Functional factory or "pop-up" roll bars are acceptable such as Porsche Boxster or BMW Z3 with owner's manual that confirms that they are "ROLLOVER PROTECTION" not "Style" bars. Honda S2000, Dodge Viper, and Mazda MX5 convertibles are required to have an aftermarket ROLL Bar.
4. Historic cars must have a minimum of three point belts. Belts must be safely installed and well anchored.
5. Drivers and passenger's seat must provide IDENTICAL protection, including seat, seat belts and roll bar padding.
6. Sound levels will be monitored. Vehicles found to be over the limit will be asked to correct on the first offense, then not permitted to participate on subsequent offenses.

General Rules

1. Cars will be technically inspected for safety.
2. Helmets are required. Only DOT approved motor-sports helmet is acceptable.
3. Participants should keep safety equipment in proportion to performance modifications.
4. Gate opens at 6:30am.
5. Everyone must attend the driver's meetings. Students should plan to arrive one hour prior to allow enough time for technical inspection. Students will not be able to participate if they miss the driver's meeting.

Technical Inspection

Before each event, each participant's vehicle will be inspected by NYST staff. The purpose of the inspection is to assure that all vehicles permitted on the track are safe to operate at speed. Inspection at the track should be considered cursory in nature. Vehicles will not be jacked up, disassembled, or repaired during inspection. Due to these limitations, it is the responsibility of the participant to assure safe mechanical condition of the vehicle prior to the event. It is strongly recommended that vehicles be thoroughly and routinely inspected by a reputable technician. Participants should keep safety equipment in proportion with performance modifications.

Safety

We take safety very seriously. Driving Under the Influence (drugs/alcohol) is absolutely not allowed. The Pit Marshal has the right to end the day for anyone if this safety rule is violated. Paddock speed limit is 5mph and is strictly enforced. No one should walk/cross the track at anytime without the Pit Marshal's approval. Photographers must first obtain permission from Pit Marshal unless standing in designated spectator areas. Dogs on leash, Kids must be attended.