



**2023 Race of Champions Weekend
Featuring the 73rd Annual Race of Champions 250
FAQs**

Q: What is the Race of Champions weekend?

A: The Race of Champions is a sanctioning body presenting Modified and Stock Car racing on asphalt and dirt surfaces throughout the Northeast, with events in New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey. The 73rd annual Race of Champions weekend will take place in 2023 at Lake Erie Speedway in North East, Pennsylvania as part of Race of Champions Weekend and is the second-longest consecutive auto-racing event in North America, second only to the Indianapolis 500.

Q: When and where will the Race of Champions Weekend take place?

A: Lake Erie Speedway- 10700 Delmas Drive, North East, PA 16428 – Friday, September 15, Saturday, September 16 and Sunday, September 17, 2023

Q: What is the total purse for Race of Champions Weekend?

A: Over \$100,000 in purse payout and contingency prizes are up for grabs.

TICKETS & SEATING

Q: Can I buy my ticket on the day of each show?

A: Yes, General Admission tickets will be available for purchase at the front ticket office, and pit passes will also be for sale at the pit window.

Q: Where do I go for “Will Call” at Lake Erie Speedway? A:

Will Call is located at the front gate ticket window.

Q: How much are Race of Champions Weekend Grandstand tickets and pit passes?

A: Friday, September 15th

Grandstand (G/S)

Adult General Admission Tickets Adult –

FREE

Senior- FREE Children 6-16- FREE

Children under 5- FREE

Pit Pass- Members \$30 – Also available on the PitPay App for contactless point of purchase.

Saturday, September 16th

Grandstand (G/S)

Adult General Admission Tickets – \$20 Senior General

Admission Tickets- \$17

Reserved Seat Tickets (Regardless of Age)- \$25

Children (6-16) General Admission Tickets- \$10

Children under 5 General Admission Tickets- Free

Pit Pass- \$45 – Also available on the PitPay App for contactless point of purchase.

Sunday, September 17th

Grandstand

Adult General Admission Tickets – \$35 Senior General

Admission Tickets- \$33

Reserved Seat Tickets (Regardless of Age)- \$40 Children (6-16)

General Admission Tickets- \$12 Children under 5 General

Admission Tickets- Free

Pit Pass- \$65

COMBO PIT PASS- FRIDAY/SATURDAY/SUNDAY

3-Day Pit Pass- \$130:

Q. How much is parking at Race of Champions Weekend?

A: There is no charge for general parking.

Q: What sections are designated as reserved seating at Lake Erie Speedway?

A: Section E rows J through T are marked for reserved seating.

Q: Are there any areas where smoking is allowed?

A: Behind the main grandstand at each end of the main concourse. There is no smoking or vaping in the stands or under the stands.

Q: What is the age limit for the pit area at the event?

A: There is no age limit, but all guests must sign a "release form" to enter. If you or anyone in your party is age 16 or younger, a minor release must also be filled out.

PARKING & ACCOMMODATIONS

Q: Where can I find accessible/handicap parking?

A: Accessible handicap parking is located behind the main entrance. The handicap spots are visibly signed, and you must display valid handicap parking credentials.

Q: Is there camping available at the Lake Erie Speedway?

A: Campsites are available for \$50 each for the duration of the weekend. This is dry camping. You can call the racetrack to reserve them in advance (814)725-3303

Q: Where do I register if I pre-reserved a camping spot?

A: When you arrive at the main parking lot, there will be an attendant that can direct you in the right direction.

Q: When does camper staging begin and when can I move my camper onto the property?

A: Campers can start moving in Thursday (9/24.) You must see the camping attendant upon pulling into the parking lot and picking out a camping spot.

Q: Are there any specific camping rules or regulations for the Race of Champions Weekend that I should know about?

A: The following are rules and regulations that you must adhere to while camping during Race of Champions Weekend.

- fires are permitted but they must be contained and off the ground.
- garbage bags will be distributed upon arrival, please leave it at your campsite at the end of the weekend and it will be picked up.
- All motorized vehicles (golf carts, ATVs, side by sides, etc.) must be parked one hour after racing is completed
- Noise level at campsites after racing must be kept to a minimum. Use common courtesy with generators, music, etc.
- In the case of an emergency, please call 911.

Q: Are there hotels offering a discounted rate for the event?

A: Below is a list of the hotels that have partnered with us for the event.

Days Inn

Address: 6101 Wattsburg Road, Erie, PA 16509

Phone Number: 732 749 0110

Email : daysinneriepa@gmail.com

www.wyndhamhotels.com/days-inn/erie-pennsylvania/days-inn-erie/overview

GENERAL QUESTIONS

Q: How can I meet the drivers during the Race of Champions weekend?

A: See the drivers and crews as they prepare up close by purchasing a pit pass, or by visiting the pits after the conclusion of the day's events.

Q: Will the pits be open after the races?

A: The pit area will be open for one (1) hour after the conclusion of each night of racing.

Q: Are coolers permitted at the Lake Erie Speedway?

A: They are not.

Q: What is the policy on pets?

A: Pets need to have medical paperwork, and they need to be service pets.

Q: Do drivers need to register their cars?

A: Yes, all drivers need to enter and register.

Q. Do Four-Wheelers, Golf Carts and Pit Vehicles require anything?

A. Yes, they will require a registration sticker and will be issued by Race of Champions Officials at the Series Trailer. There will also be a curfew for these vehicles

one hour after the completion of racing events.

Q: Are there any ATMs at Lake Erie Speedway?

A: No. They do accept credit at the box office and concession stands

Q: What do we do if we have an emergency?

A: Notify a Speedway Employee,

Q: What items are prohibited from speedway grounds?

A: Outside food and beverages, umbrellas, coolers, pocket knives, weapons, guns (even if licensed to carry), fireworks, inflatable devices (ex. Beach balls)

Q: Is there a “Lost and Found” drop-off and pickup location?

A: Any found items can be dropped off at the Box Office, and people can go there if anything is lost.

Q: Where are the closest medical facilities?

A: Saint Vincent Hospital/Allegheny Health Network

232 West 25th St

Erie PA 16544

UPMC Hamot

201 State St

Erie PA 16550

Presque Isle owns and Casino Race of Champions Weekend
73rd Annual Race of Champions 250
 Lake Erie Speedway, North East, Pennsylvania



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DATE	TIME	EVENT
Thursday - 9/14	5:00pm – 10:00pm	Early Arrival Camping, Pre-Paid Pit Parking, spot parking only. (Any other Haulers will be towed).
Friday - 9/15	9:00 am 10:00 am 1:00 pm 5:15 pm TBD Final Session of Night	Pre-Paid Pit Parking for numbered spot holders. Gates open for Campers and Hauler Parking Pit Gates Open for Practice – ALL DIVISIONS Practice by Division (Practice will continue during Four Cylinder Dash Series race) Race of Champions FOAR Score Four Cylinder Dash Series Draw Race of Champions FOAR Score Four Cylinder Dash Series Qualifying Races (6-laps) Race of Champions FOAR Score Four Cylinder Dash Series B-Main (8-laps) Race of Champions FOAR Score Four Cylinder Dash Series Feature (20-laps)
Saturday - 9/16	9:00 am 10:00 am 10:15 am 12:00 pm (Noon) 2:30 pm 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Gates Open for Campers and Hauler Parking Pit Gates Open Inspection and Draw for All Divisions Open Driver's Meetings by Divisions posted; Race of Champions Sportsman Modifieds; Super Stocks; Late Models; TQ Midgets; FOAR Score Four Cylinder Dash Series – Overall Meeting Grandstands Open Practice by Division (Two Rounds); Late Models Four Cylinder Dash Series Super Stock Series 602 Sportsman Modified Series TQ Midget Series Sportsman Modified Series Qualifying Races Begin Late Models (8-laps) TQ Midget Series (8-laps) Super Stock Series (8-laps) 602 Sportsman Modified Series (6-laps) Sportsman Modified Series (8-laps) Four Cylinder Dash Series B-Main (8-laps) Super Stock B-Main if necessary (8-laps) Sportsman Modified B-Main if necessary (8-laps) "KIDS RoC" Race of Champions Kid's Club (Activity TBA)
		Immediate Following the Conclusion of Qualifying; Invocation and Anthem Pre-Race: Late Model Feature "40" – (40-laps) Four Cylinder Dash Series Feature 2 (25-laps) 602 Sportsman Modified Series Feature (15-laps) Super Stock Series National Parts Peddler 40 (40-laps) TQ Midget Feature (20-laps) Pre-Race; Sportsman Modified Series Race of Champions "EMC 73"



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DATE	TIME	EVENT
Sunday – 9/17	9:00 am	Pit Gates Open (Haulers Enter)
	9:15 am	Inspection and Draw for Group Begins
	10:00 am	Modified Tire Sales Begin (Tire Sale Order; Group 3, Group 4, Group 1, Group 2)
		Driver's Meetings by Divisions posted; Race of Champions Modifieds Modifieds; Street Stocks; TQ Midgets; Four Cylinder Dash Series – Overall Meeting
	11:00 am	Practice by Division (Two Rounds);
		Modifieds Four Cylinder Dash Series Street Stock Series TQ Midget Series
	1:15 pm	Qualifying Races Begin
		Modified Series – Green-White-Checker Qualifying (Overall Top-6 locked in to the 72 nd Annual Race of Champions 250) Four Cylinder Dash Series B-Main (8-laps) TQ Midget Series (8-laps) Street Stock Series (8-laps) Modified Series (10-laps) Four Cylinder Dash Series B-Main (8-laps) Modified B-Main if necessary (12-laps)
	Followed by; Followed by;	TQ Midget Series Feature – "Harry Macy Classic" (29-laps) Victory Lane
	Followed by; Followed by;	Four Cylinder Dash Series Feature – (30-laps) Victory Lane
Followed by; Followed by;	Street Stock Series Feature – (30-laps) Victory Lane	
3:30 pm APPROXIMATE	Pre-Race, Cars begin to Stage for 73 rd Annual Lucas Oil Race of Champions 250	
3:45 pm	Race of Champions Hall of Fame Inductions (if any) and special awards	
3:55 pm	"KIDS RoC" on Front Stretch at Start / Finish Line	
4:00 pm	Driver's Introductions	
4:10 pm	"KIDS RoC" Pledge of Allegiance	
4:15 pm	Invocation / Anthem	
Command to Start Engines –	73 rd Annual Lucas Oil Race of Champions 250 (250-laps)	
6:30 pm	Pit Are Closed	



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**SEPTEMBER
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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

73rd Annual Lucas Oil "Race of Champions 250

**plus TQ Midgets - 4th Annual "Harry Macy Classic"
RoC FOAR Score Dash Four Cylinders & Street Stocks**

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

**Sportsman Modifieds, Super Stocks, TQ Midgets,
4 Cylinder Dash, Late Models, & 602 Sportsman Modifieds**

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 - FREE Grandstand Admission - Practice All Divisions 4:00 pm until dusk
PLUS Race of Champions FOAR Score Four Cylinder Dash Series 20 Laps**

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