



Race With Respect Initiative

Purpose

The *Race With Respect* initiative at Santa Maria Speedway is designed to promote good sportsmanship, mutual respect, and positive representation of motorsports—both on and off the race track. Racing is built on passion, competition, and community, and this initiative reinforces the standards of conduct expected from everyone who participates in or supports racing at Santa Maria Speedway.

Our Commitment

Santa Maria Speedway is committed to providing a safe, inclusive, and respectful environment for drivers, teams, officials, staff, fans, sponsors, and the surrounding community. *Race With Respect* exists to protect the integrity of the sport while ensuring that competition remains intense, fair, and enjoyable for all.

Who This Applies To

This initiative applies to:

- Drivers
- Crew members and team personnel
- Officials and track staff
- Media representatives
- Fans and Spectators

Participation at Santa Maria Speedway signifies agreement to uphold the principles of *Race With Respect*.

Core Values

Sportsmanship

- Compete hard, race clean, and respect fellow competitors.
- Accept race outcomes with professionalism, whether winning or losing.
- Disagreements should be handled through proper channels, not through confrontations.



Respect On and Off the Track

- Treat officials, competitors, staff, and fans with courtesy and professionalism.
- Verbal abuse, harassment, discrimination, or intimidation will not be tolerated.
- Physical altercations or threats of violence are strictly prohibited.

Positive Representation of the Sport

- Actions on social media, in public, and at the racetrack reflect not only the individual but also Santa Maria Speedway and the motorsports community.
- Participants are encouraged to promote racing in a positive, respectful, and sportsmanlike manner.

Accountability

- Individuals are responsible for their conduct and the conduct of their team members.
- Unsportsmanlike behavior may result in warnings, penalties, fines, suspensions, or removal from the facility.

Enforcement

Violations of the *Race With Respect* initiative may result in disciplinary action at the discretion of Santa Maria Speedway management and officials. Disciplinary measures may include, but are not limited to:

- Verbal or written warnings
- Loss of privileges
- Race penalties or fines
- Suspension or removal from competition or premises

Repeated or severe violations may result in escalated disciplinary action.

Our Goal

The goal of *Race With Respect* is not to limit passion or competition, but to elevate it. By holding ourselves to higher standards, we ensure Santa Maria Speedway remains a place where racers are proud to compete, fans feel welcome, and the sport continues to grow in a positive and respectful direction.