

2021 Rising Star Rules

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NOTICE: Creative interpretation and/or anything that may not be covered by the following rules or racing procedures are the sole responsibility of the Driver. If a question should arise a Driver should inquire with a Painesville Speedway Competition Inspector and/or Race Director before proceeding. Any decision on questionable items about rules and racing procedures is up to the Competition Inspector and/or Race Director and their decision is FINAL! Remember: It is the responsibility of the Driver to keep his/her car legal and follow all rules and racing procedures at all times. Infractions of technical rules of any kind may result in an additional weight penalty, forfeit qualifying, or not being able to compete until infraction is corrected. Penalty will be determined by a Competition Inspector and/or Race Director.

1.0 ELIGIBILITY

- 1.1 This division is open for children ages 12-16.
- 1.2 Cars must be American made four cylinder cars only!
- 1.3 No turbos, no five speeds, no mitsubishi motors, no convertibles.
- 1.4 Automatic transmissions only, no manual transmissions!
- 1.5 All cars must remain stock (shocks, motor, transmission, computer, etc)
- 1.6 All parts are to be for year, make, model of the car.

2.0 SAFETY

- 2.1 All drivers must have: firesuit, gloves, harness, snell rated helmet, neck safety device, racing shoes
- 2.2 Harness and seat belts are required to be five point system with lower crotch belt (six point systems are recommended). Mounting attachment bar for shoulder harness must be at shoulder height of the driver and harness should not bend or change direction. Belt systems must be a minimum of (3") SFI approved units, dated within three years to date.
- 2.3 Snell rated helmet SA2015 or newer is required. Sticker must be visible and verifiable (no exceptions)
- 2.4 Full roll cage is MANDATORY
- 2.5 All cars must have a driver's side web style window net with a latch mechanism on the top front corner, and must fall down alongside the driver's door when released.
- 2.6 Neck safety device can be a HANS device or even a neck roll style device.
- 2.7 (2 ½) pound minimum B and C dry chemical fire extinguisher with gauge mounted within easy reach of the driver and in working order must be present at all times.
- 2.8 All doors must be welded or chained shut.

3.0 PAINT/LETTERING

- 3.1 All cars must be professionally painted, neat in appearance and professionally lettered at all times.
- 3.2 Numbers must be printed on both sides and on the roof of a car, readable from the right side, in minimum (24") height with a 4" stripe width in a color offering contrast to the car color.
- 3.3 A 4" number with the letters (RS) must be lettered in white or yellow located on the upper right side of the windshield must be present.

4.0 TIRES

4.1 14-16' tires, no racing rims, street tires only. No racing tires, no directional or asymmetrical tires allowed.

5.0 TECH RULES

- 5.1 Exhaust no bigger than 2'.
- 5.2 Fuel cell optional, must be mounted properly.
- 5.3 All suspension must remain stock. Can run a KYB strut or spring rubber in right front only.
- 5.4 All glass and flammable interior must be removed (dash must remain stock).
- 5.5 Transponders must be mounted behind the passenger side tire.
- 5.6 All cars must have a one way radio on track frequency 469.5000.

6.0 GENERAL

- 6.1 Car can be teched at any time for any reason decided by the Race Director. Any car found illegal will be disqualified until found legal.
- 6.2 This is a 2 year division. After 2 years you must move up into one of the regular divisions.