



# **COMPETITOR INFORMATION**

## **NEWSLETTER #2**

November, 2009

**Racers:** The CSRA has finalized our 2010 race schedule. This winter CSRA will sanction or co-sanction a total of (9) races.

This newsletter has important information for the new race season including entry forms for the first (2) events. The rest of your entry forms will be included with your 2010 membership kit which you will receive at the first event you attend.

Entry forms may also be downloaded from our web site: [www.snowcross.com](http://www.snowcross.com)

**The following represents the latest information on our 2010 CSRA series.**

### **CSRA SEASON OPENER – SEARCHMONT RESORT DECEMBER 4-5-6, 2009**

The 2010 CSRA Snowcross race season kicks off at Searchmont Ski Resort near Sault Ste Marie, Ontario on December 4-5-6, 2009. Sign in and safety inspection will take place Friday morning. Friday afternoon the race track will be open for practice for all registered racers from 12:00 noon to 5:00PM. The race headquarters hotel is the Water Tower in: 1-800-461-0800.

### **CSRA – MICHIGAN – REGIONAL POINTS RACE DECEMBER 19-20, 2009**

The CSRA will co-sanction a Regional points race at the Ostego Club in in Gaylord Michigan on December 19-20, with the Michigan ISOC Regional Snocross racing series. CSRA racers that compete at this event will receive CSRA Regional Points in each race class.

**Racer entry forms for this event are available from the ISOC Michigan Regional race circuit [www.bay-racing.com](http://www.bay-racing.com) Phone: (231)-263-2366**

Be aware of the race classes and rules as some CSRA classes may not be available in Michigan and some specialty class rules may be different from CSRA rules. All racer entry forms for this event must be **sent directly to the ISOC Michigan race circuit.**

### **“NEW” CSRA REGIONAL POINTS:**

This year CSRA will co-sanction or sanction a total of (9) Regional races. (8) Regional points races in Ontario and (1) in Michigan. CSRA Regional points will be accumulated from your best (8) finishes throughout the season in each racing class for your overall season championships.

This new format will permit all racers to miss one event and still be in the points championship. If a racer chooses to race at all (9) events, CSRA will accumulate your class points from your best (8) weekends of racing.

**ISOC AMSOIL NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS – FEB. 19-20-21, SARNIA, ON.**

CSRA and ISOC will join forces to create one of Canada's largest Snowcross racing events on February 19-20-21, at the Hiawatha Entertainment Centre in Sarnia, Ontario. This International event will be a ISOC points race for the Amsoil Championship Snocross Series, as well as, a Regional and National points race for the CSRA Canadian Snowcross series.

The Sarnia event will feature all CSRA racing classes plus the ISOC National Semi-Pro and Pro classes. In addition to the CSRA classes, CSRA Semi-Pro and Pro racers that are ISOC affiliate members will have opportunity to race in the ISOC Amsoil National classes. The Sarnia event will feature hundreds of the worlds best Snowcross racers and Freestyle athletes.

The event will be televised throughout North America.

**ALL CSRA racers** are required to use transponders at the Sarnia event so your name etc. is picked up on scoring, live video screen, television, etc. ISOC needs all your info for this system so **all** racers are required to fill out the enclosed ISOC membership form with all your info.

You **do not** need to buy this ISOC membership to race in the CSRA classes at Sarnia but you do need to provide all your info on the ISOC Membership form and Fax it into the ISOC office.

**Note:** CSRA Pro & Semi-Pro racers that wish to race in the additional ISOC National classes at Sarnia, or race at Duluth or Lake Geneva **are required** to buy the ISOC affiliation membership.

**GEORGIAN DOWNS – ROYAL DISTRIBUTING CUP NATIONAL EVENT:**

**Note:** The fee for all crew members at the National Championship race at Barrie will be \$20 each. This is a General admission pass and will not permit seating in the enclosed heated grandstand or dining lounge area.

**Unfortunately indoor seating at this event is very limited.** If you have family, friends, or sponsors that want indoor seating they will be required to buy Indoor seating passes.

All advance ticket sales for this event include a Free Pit Pass.

Advance ticket sales are available at Royal Distributing or may be ordered from CSRA.

A Great Christmas gift idea!!! (See enclosed ticket order form).

**WEEKEND GATE ADMISSION FEES:**

Free weekend gate admission passes (Wrist bands) will be distributed to "**Racers only**" with your membership package. Each racer will receive (1) weekend pass for each event.

We have negotiated with our promoters to provide a reduced weekend admission fee for crew members of \$20 each for (2) day Regional events in Ontario. This cost also includes Pit Passes providing that your crew members purchase their wrist band Friday night and sign a waiver at the race headquarters hotel **or** before 9:00AM Saturday morning at the race site.

Reduced weekend admission passes for crew members **will not** be sold after 9:00AM Saturday morning. Any crew members arriving after 9:00AM Saturday or any time on Sunday will be required to pay the regular gate admission and Pit Pass fees. (No Exceptions).

**PIT PASSES:**

At most events, pit passes will be available Friday night at the race headquarters hotel between 7:00PM & 10:00PM. If you do not get Pit passes Friday night, there will be (2) sign in areas at the race site. The sign in areas are inside the main building, or at the CSRA concession trailer.

At the Barrie and Sarnia National events. Sign in will take place Friday on site at Georgian Downs and Hiawatha Horsepark.

**NOVICE / JUNIOR & 120cc RACER INFORMATION:**

Junior & Novice racers must have a Parent or Legal Guardian present at the race event at all times. An adult friend does not qualify as a legal guardian. Parents or legal guardians will be required to sign (2) waiver release forms on site, at each race event. All new Junior racers aged 10-17 must have their membership form notarized verifying age or you will not be permitted to race. If your membership was notarized last year, you do not have to do it again.

Junior racers can not race with adults unless they are a minimum of (14) years of age and have been approved by the CSRA race director. To be approved the racer must have a First place finish in a Junior 2 class final. You must also provide a note from your parent or legal guardian requesting the move, the letter must include written permission for you to race with the adults.

Safety rule: Trail Sport, Novice, Junior F1, Junior F2 racers will not be permitted to Double or Triple jump to pass other racers. Racers will be assessed a (1) lap penalty if they do.

**NEW JUNIOR F2 RACING CLASS:**

This winter the CSRA will introduce a “Junior F2” racing class for new racers aged 14-17 years. This class is designated for new Junior racers or current Junior racers who have never had a 1<sup>st</sup>. place finish in a Junior 1 or Junior 2 final.

The Junior F2 class is limited to 0–500cc Liquid Cooled full production sleds **or** 499cc– 600cc Fan or 4-Stroke snowmobiles. Limited Build race sleds **are not** permitted and studs **are not** permitted in the Junior F1 or Junior F2 classes.

**COUNTRY CORNERS.NET “JUNIOR F2” CHALLENGE:**

Country Corners Rent-All Inc. & Arctic Cat Inc. will sponsor the new Junior F2 class at all CSRA events this winter. As part of the CSRA sponsorship program, CSRA and local Arctic Cat dealers will give (2) new Junior racers a Free Snowcross race on a Arctic Cat SP500 each race weekend in the Junior F2 class.

In addition to providing (2) SP500 Arctic Cat snowmobiles for the Junior F2 Challenge, Country Corners Rent-All Inc. and Arctic Cat will also provide a Arctic Cat SP500 to raffle off to raise funds for the Junior F2 racing program. Snap-on Tools will provide a large Snap-on Tool Box for 2<sup>nd</sup>. Prize. The draw will take place at the CSRA Finals April 11, 2010 at Horseshoe Resort. Draw tickets are \$10 each or (3) for \$20 and will be available at each CSRA event.

**INFORMATION FOR 120cc KIDS RACING:**

Each race weekend there will be (3) 120cc /4 Stroke race classes for kids. These classes will race to finals on Saturdays and again on Sundays at most events. Entry fee is \$25 each day.

Racers may enter to race Saturday or Sunday or both days. All 120cc competitors are required to become CSRA members. The 120 membership fee is \$75 plus GST.

(Please review the rules for kids 120cc classes).

**Note to parents:** The children's races have been implemented to introduce kids to fun, safe and fair snowmobile racing. **Please be aware of the 2010, 120cc class rules.**

**STUDS NOT PERMITTED:**

Be aware that studs are not permitted in any of the 120cc classes, Novice classes, Vintage classes, or the Junior F1 or Junior F2 classes. Studs are permitted in all other racing classes.

**PRIZE MONEY & AWARDS PRESENTATION INFORMATION:**

All racers prize money will be mailed to the winners on the Wednesday following each event. Trail Sport, Sport, and Specialty class racers that win 1st. 2nd. 3rd. place Trophies or Medals will be able to pick up their awards from the CSRA concession trailer on the next race weekend or you can have another racer pick them up for you.

This procedure will allow racers to leave the race site to go home following their final race each weekend. Kids 120cc class awards will be presented to the winners after their final race each weekend.

**MANUFACTURER CONTINGENCY PROGRAMS:**

All Pro & Semi-Pro manufacturer contingency monies will be paid directly by the manufacturer. For information contact your manufacturer racing department.

**MULTIPLE RACERS – ONE RACE SLED:**

If you are sharing your snowmobile with another racer, you must temporarily cover the sled race number and add your correct race number. You will be required to attach the correct number to each side of the sled with Velcro or Zip Ties.

Our scoring staff can not score you if your individual assigned race number is not correct.

Every racer has a independent race number.

**Race numbers must be 6" - 7" Black numbers on White number plates.**

**Numbers will be available at the CSRA concession trailers.**

**YOUR (VIN) VEHICLE IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS ARE REQUIRED**

Racers must include the last (4) digits of their race sled serial number beside each of their racing classes on every entry form. This will identify the sled that you are racing in each class at the start of each race weekend. Under ISR / CSRA rules you must race the same sled in qualifying and in finals. In Tech inspection your sled VIN number must match the number on your entry form or you may be disqualified.

**WEEKEND RACE SCHEDULE:**

At most CSRA Snowcross races, all classes will race once each weekend with the exception of selected specialty classes including Kids 120s, Novice, Trail Sport, Junior and Junior F1 & F2 classes. These classes will qualify and have (2) finals on most race weekend's, one on Saturday and one on Sunday. All classes will race once at Sarnia (See entry form's for specific details).

**RACE ENTRY FEE DEADLINES:**

All racers are required to register their entries by Fax to the CSRA office before 12:00 midnight on the entry deadline shown on the bottom of your entry form. (The Tuesday before each race). There is no on site registration at any CSRA events.

Please read the entry form carefully, print neatly and check off appropriate race classes.

**ENTRY FEE PAYMENT:**

All entry fees must be paid in advance by Visa or MC Credit Card when you Fax in your entry form. If the card is declined, you will be required to pay cash before you practice or race.

**LATE ENTRIES:**

Read the information on the back side of your entry forms carefully, and be aware of the sign in locations for Waivers and Pit Passes, also be aware of race entry deadlines as there will be a \$50 surcharge for late registration. No exceptions!! “Don’t leave your entries to the last day!!”

**RACE ENTRY CANCELLATION POLICY:**

There will be no entry fee refunds at CSRA events unless a race event is cancelled.

If a race has to be cancelled because of poor snow conditions, we will phone every racer that has **entered** the race (2) days before the event. If you do not receive a phone call from our office, consider the race to be on.

Race information will also updated on our phone system and at [www.snowcross.com](http://www.snowcross.com)

**CSRA SPONSOR INFO****SPONSOR DECAL REQUIREMENTS:**

CSRA has many sponsors that invest time and money supporting our events so that we can have a professional race series. When purchasing products, please support the sponsors, distributors, and dealers that support your race series, by sponsoring CSRA, they are also sponsoring each of you. Please take the time to introduce yourself to our sponsors, and thank the representatives for their support.

**All CSRA racers are required to apply decals from our “Primary” sponsors on their race sleds to be eligible to win awards and prize money.**

Our “Primary” sponsors are: Amsoil, Dayco, Choko, Vortex Brake Pads and Snap-on Tools. A CSRA safety inspection band will also be applied to all race sleds.

**SPONSOR DECAL LOCATION OPTIONS:**

(1) decal from each sponsor will be required to be applied **on the front** of your sled. **or** decals from each sponsor may be applied **to both sides** of your race sled on an area that is easily visible to spectators. Sponsor decals will be supplied with your membership kit or during safety inspection on site. If you have a conflicting sponsor and do not wish to install specific decals, you will be required to show a letter from your sponsor on letterhead stating they sponsor you.

**RACE EQUIPMENT INSURANCE:**

Jones Brown Insurance is the Official provider of Race Equipment Insurance for our CSRA Snowcross series. If you are looking for insurance for your race sleds, trailers, trucks, etc. Jones Brown Insurance can provide all your motorsports racing insurance requirements.

For more information, go to the CSRA web site and click on the Jones Brown Insurance logo to link to their web site [www.jonesbrown.com](http://www.jonesbrown.com)

**MBRP PERFORMANCE EXHAUST SYSTEMS:**

MBRP Performance Exhaust Systems has again joined the CSRA as one of our sponsors for the 2010 racing series. MBRP makes high quality Stainless Steel exhaust systems for Trucks, Cars, ATVs and sleds. MPRP is located in Huntsville Ontario and will provide all CSRA members with a 10% discount when you show your CSRA membership card.

For more information check out the MBRP web site. [www.MBRP.com](http://www.MBRP.com)

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**IMPACT CANOPY TENTS:**

Impact Canopies is a new CSRA sponsor for 2010. Impact has developed a new Heavy Duty Aluminum framed canopy tents for outdoor use. If your race team or any of your sponsors needs a high quality custom printed canopy tents be sure to check out the new CSRA tents and contact Sam at Impact Canopies: [www.impactcanopy.com](http://www.impactcanopy.com) Phone: 905-761-6662.

**AMSOIL INC.**

Amsoil Synthetic Lubricants, one of our major sponsors, offer's a business opportunity to our CSRA members. You can have a Amsoil membership, Retail or Commercial account depending on your business situation and order their products directly from the Amsoil product centre. For more information on this program contact Rob Hilditch at 905-623-7947.

**WISECO PISTONS / CAMOPLAST TRACKS:**

All Trail Sport division racers may use Wiseco replacement pistons and Camoplast replacement tracks in all classes. All other divisions may use Wiseco Pistons and Camoplast Tracks in the Open classes.

**TEKVESTS & SNELL APPROVED HELMETS:**

A limited number of Tekvests and Snell approved Helmets will be available to rent from the on site CSRA concession trailer.

If you would like to buy your own Tekvest or SNELL Approved Helmet.

Phone Tekrider 1-705-286-4462 or go to [www.tekrider.com](http://www.tekrider.com) for your local dealer and sales information.

Helmets with 2005 Snell Approval are available at Royal Distributing [www.royaldistributing.com](http://www.royaldistributing.com) and also at selected Gamma Sales dealers.

Contact [www.gammasales.com](http://www.gammasales.com) for more information.

**CHOKO DESIGN INTERNATIONAL:**

Choko Design International is our "Official Apparel" Sponsor for the 2010 race season.

Choko has designed some great new (PRO-X) Snowcross Racing suits for racers, mechanics, and spectators. For more information [www.chokodesign.com](http://www.chokodesign.com)

**VORTEX BRAKE BADS:**

OE Quality Friction Inc. is a new CSRA sponsor this year, each CSRA member will receive a certificate for a set of Vortex High Performance Brake Pads for your team Pick-up Truck.

The value of this sponsorship exceeds the cost of your CSRA membership. Please ensure that your race sled has the Vortex Brake Pads stickers applied.

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## **RACE HEADQUARTERS & HOTEL LOCATIONS**

**Race Teams:** Be sure to reserve your Hotel rooms as soon as possible as most hotels at many race sites will be sold out of rooms well in advance of our events. If a race is cancelled or you can't attend for any reason, you can usually cancel your reservation in advance at no cost to you. When you call to reserve your rooms be sure to mention that you are with the "Snowcross" races as we try to negotiate room blocks with reduced pricing when possible.

**Note:**

For preferred pricing you must book your hotel rooms a minimum of (1 month) before the race weekend. All Race headquarters room blocks for CSRA will be released (1 month prior to each event). Hotel website links for most race headquarters are available on the snowcross website.

<b><u>DATES</u></b>	<b><u>EVENT</u></b>	<b><u>RACE HEADQUARTERS</u></b>
<b>December 4-5-6 *</b>	<b>Stud Boy Pro Snowcross</b> Searchmont Resort	<b>Water Tower Inn 800-461-0800</b> Sault Ste Marie, Ont.
<b>December 19-20</b>	<b>CAN-AM Challenge</b> Otsego Club	<b>Otsego Club 989-732-5181</b> Gaylord Michigan
<b>January 16-17</b>	<b>Tim Horton's Georgian Cup</b> Victoria Park	<b>Days Inn 519-376-1551</b> <b>Best Western 519-371-9200</b> Owen Sound, Ont.
<b>January 23-24*</b>	<b>Amsoil Kawartha Cup</b> Lindsay Exhibition Grounds	<b>Super 8 Hotel 705-876-8898</b> Peterborough, Ont.
<b>February 13-14*</b>	<b>Royal Distributing Cup</b> Georgian Downs, Innisfil	<b>Super 8 705-814-8888</b> <b>Monte Carlo Inn 705-737-4084</b> Barrie, Ont.
<b>February 19-20-21*</b>	<b>ISOC/CSRA Amsoil National</b> <b>Hiawatha Entertainment Centre</b>	<b>Holiday Inn 1-519-336-4130</b> Sarnia, Ont.
<b>February 27-28</b>	<b>Northern-Tel Mobility Snowcross</b> Kirkland Lake Community Park	<b>Howard Johnson 705-567-3241</b> Kirkland Lake, Ont.
<b>March 27-28</b>	<b>Ryde FX Pro Snowcross</b> Chicopee Ski Club	<b>Holiday Inn 1-519-894-8520</b> Kitchener, Ont.
<b>April 10-11 *</b>	<b>Dayco National Championships</b>	<b>Horseshoe Resort 705-835-2790</b>

Horseshoe Valley Resort,

Craighurst, Ont.

**800-461-5627**

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