

2021 WCBMW Autocross Participant Safety Notice and Reminders

Please read the following event guidelines in their entirety. Changes to our operations are necessary to hold events this year, and our approval to have an autocross season is contingent on these updates. ***FAILURE TO FOLLOW ANY OF THESE CAN RESULT IN REMOVAL FROM THE EVENT AND EXCLUDE YOU FROM FUTURE EVENT PARTICIPATION. THESE GUIDELINES ARE NON-NEGOTIABLE, AND FAILURE TO MEET THESE CRITERIA WILL RESULT IN YOUR REMOVAL FROM THE EVENT WITHOUT A REFUND.***

PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19

- **YOU ARE REQUIRED TO SOCIALLY DISTANCE AT THIS EVENT.**
- **PARTICIPANTS MUST BRING THEIR OWN FACE MASK AND PEN TO THIS EVENT.**
- Do not attend if you are or have been sick with COVID-19 type symptoms in the past 14 days. We have expanded our refund policy from 24 hours prior to the event to 1 hour before driver's safety meeting. We will deny entry to anyone who is sick or displaying symptoms. Participants must email autocross@windycitybmw.com to request a refund or roll their registration to a future event.
- You must Preregister and Prepay for events. To maintain social distancing, onsite/walk up registrations will not be allowed or accepted.
- Participant registration packets and waiver signing will be handled in a no-contact manner, with social distance markers laid down if a queue develops.
- Participants are highly encouraged to bring their own hand sanitizer for their personal use, if possible. A hand wash station and hand sanitizing locations will be provided, but participants should bring their own to ensure you have an adequate supply for your safety.
- Masks are required when not wearing a helmet and social distancing is not possible. If you are in grid and are not driving at the time (IE assisting with tire pressures, etc), you must wear a mask.
- The following worker positions will require you to wear a mask during the entirety of your work shift:
 - Timing
 - Spotter/Worker Check-in
 - Grid Worker
 - Starter
 - Waiver
- For the very limited equipment that needs to be shared (radios, safety flags, and timing equipment) we have spray disinfectant, sanitizing wipes, and hand sanitizer for those users. Shared equipment will be sanitized before and after use by each participant

- Drivers safety meeting and awards will be held over PA, with social distancing measures in place. Trophies will be sanitized and placed out for participants on a table for their collection
- BOTTLED WATER, CAR NUMBERS, LOANER HELMETS, AND COOKIES WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE. Please plan accordingly! You must bring your own helmet, and helmets must be SNELL SA or M 2010 rated or newer.
- No passengers are allowed in car under any circumstances.
- Co-driving is permitted as long as social distancing and appropriate safety measures are taken.
- Spectators are **NOT** allowed on the venue parking lot. Because of the safety and attendance requirements set forth by our venue hosts, event attendees on the parking lot are limited to EVENT PARTICIPANTS ONLY.

SPECIAL NOTE FOR NOVICES

If you are a novice attendee who has little to no prior autocross experience, **please arrive no later than 8:15 a.m.** We will be taking extra measures to assist new drivers with having the best day possible, which will include several novice course walks with our novice liaison, a novice parade lap (if time allows), and meeting some instructors who will do their best to assist with out-of-car coaching.

OTHER EVENT REMINDERS

You are on your own for food and water. Be sure to stay hydrated throughout the day!

If you have changed your car or class - please email change to autocross@windycitybmw.com right away.

Bring clothing layers, light coat, and rain gear just in case.

If you there is a minor (under 18) attending a driving event as a participant, they will need to have a minor waiver signed by both parents and a legal guardian onsite as well as a participant. You can download the waiver from <https://windycitybmw.org/wp-content/uploads/PDFs/minorwaiver2016.pdf>

We reserve the right to restrict anyone's access to the areas we control (paddock, grid, course, and all access lanes to those areas). Thank you for your understanding.