

THE IMCA OLD TIMERS INSIDER
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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Friends:

Fall has arrived, and as I look back on the past 9 months, I'm proud of how we successfully accomplished so many events in 2026. Thank you to each of you for your hard work and commitment to the club. We have added many new members and formed relationships with other clubs & organizations. This all shows how strong we are as a group and that we are "Green & Growing." We joined the Dakota County Heritage Group and expanded our Board of Directors. We have had significantly more board meetings this year and improved our overall communications.

- Spring swap meet
- Rice County races
- Dakota County Fair
- Mopars in the Park
- Chateau Speedway
- Elko racing events
- Two-day show in Faribault
- Cedar Lake racing events

We still have "Christmas in the Village" to look forward to on Dec. 5-6 & Dec. 12-13. Please sign up now so we are prepared well in advance!

Remember – This is your club! Come to events, participate, and consider joining the board or a committee. We need you and want your engagement.

Thank you.

Rob Caho, President

LOVE OF RACING

Racing is something that most people will never understand. It's not just a sport or something to do on a Friday and/or Saturday night. It's a way of life! Once you're in it, it's in your blood. Once you make your first run You just can't stop. The track is a home away from home. You smell that racing fuel, rubber and you hear those engines screamin ... its music to your ears. Also, it's the great love of the racing family!!!!

RECAP OF A BUSY AND SUCCESSFUL SUMMER

May 2 – Vintage racing at Cedar Lake Speedway



May 9 – IMCA Old Timers Swap Meet and Car Show



May 15 – Chateau Speedway Vintage Racing



May 15 – Chateau Speedway Vintage Racing (Cont'd.)



May 29-31 Mopars in the Park @ Dakota County Fairgrounds



May 29-31 Mopars in the Park @ Dakota County Fairgrounds (Cont'd.)



June 27 – Static Display at Elko (ARCA Night)



July 22 – Rice County Fair Races



July 22 – Rice County Fair Races (Cont'd.)



July 22 – Rice County Fair Races (Cont'd.)



August 10-16 – Dakota County Fair



August 10-16 – Dakota County Fair (Cont'd.)



August 10-16 – Dakota County Fair (Cont'd.)



August 28-29 – Rice County Fair Vintage Racing

ROLLING THUNDER DIRT LEGENDS
EST. 2024
MINNESOTA Micro Sprint Series
J.M.C.A. OLD TIMERS
PRESERVING THE PAST

RICE COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
★ FARIBAULT, MN ★
AUGUST 28 & 29
★ **PAYOUTS** ★

MICROS (WINGED & WINGLESS)	LEGENDS	WISSOTA MOD 4S (FRIDAY ONLY)	CROWN VICS (SATURDAY ONLY)
1 - \$250	1 - \$250	1 - \$250	1 - \$250
2 - \$125	2 - \$125	2 - \$100	2 - \$125
3 - \$100	3 - \$100	3 - \$100	3 - \$100
4 - \$100	4 - \$100	4 - \$100	4 - \$100
5 - \$100	5 - \$100	5 - \$100	5 - \$100
6 - \$90	6 - \$90	6 - \$90	6 - \$90
7 - \$85	7 - \$85	7 - \$85	7 - \$85
8 - \$80	8 - \$80	8 - \$80	8 - \$80
9 - \$75	9 - \$75	9 - \$75	9 - \$75
10 - \$65	10 - \$65	10 - \$65	10 - \$65

11-20 - \$65 11-20 - \$65 11-20 - \$65 11-20 - \$65

GRANDSTANDS
OPEN AT
5PM
BOTH DAYS

PIT PASS
\$35 SINGLE DAY
\$65 2 DAY PASS

AMERICA'S
250 YEARS
OF RACING!

★ TWO DAYS ★ TWO FULL SHOWS ★ ONE EPIC WEEKEND!
GREAT RACING ★ FAMILY FUN ★ BIG PAYOUTS ★ UNFORGETTABLE WEEKEND!



August 28-29 – Rice County Fair Vintage Racing (Cont'd.)



Sep. 12 – Vintage Racing at Elko Thunderstruck



Oct. 3 – Vintage Racing at Cedar Lake Speedway



Oct. 3 – Vintage Racing at Cedar Lake Speedway (Cont'd.)



BOARD MEETINGS

Board meetings are open to all members.

The next board meeting will be held in Skip's garage at 6:00 p.m. on Wed., Oct. 21.

■ In Memory of Race Car Drivers

The world of race car drivers has been shaped, lifted, and forever changed by the men and women who strapped into a race car and gave everything they had to the sport they loved. Some were legends whose names filled grandstands. Others were rising stars whose potential was only beginning to shine. All of them shared the same courage, passion, and unbreakable spirit that define stock car racing.

Today, we remember them not for the laps they didn't get to finish, but for the ones they ran with heart.

We honor the drivers who thrilled us, inspired us, and reminded us what bravery looks like at a very high speed on the track.

We carry forward their stories, their determination, and the joy they brought to fans across generations.

Though they may no longer stand on pit road or take the green flag, their legacy continues in every engine's roar, every checkered flag waved, and every young driver who dreams of racing under the lights.

May their memories always ride with us.

May their families feel the pride and gratitude of an entire racing community.

And may we never forget the drivers who gave their lives to the sport that unites us.

LAST LAP – We recently lost three of our members: Joe Auge, Bob Peterson, and Gary Stein. We extend our condolences to their families.

UPCOMING EVENTS

DAKOTA CITY HERITAGE VILLAGE ANNUAL MEETING

Dakota City Heritage Village's
Annual Meeting will take place on
Saturday, November 21 @ 10am
in Ahblerg Hall on the Dakota
County Fairgrounds.

**All are welcome!*



**Only current members may vote.*

Volunteers needed at Dakota
City Heritage Village!

Christmas in the Village

December 5-6 &
December 12-13, 2026

www.dakotacity.org

or

tinyurl.com/DCVillageChristmas



June 4-6, 2027 – Mopars in the Park - Dakota County Fairgrounds

Events are subject to changes or cancellations.

BOARD NOMINATIONS

The terms of a couple of board members will end on 12/31/26.

Please email your nominations for new board members to Rob Caho
at rwcaho@gmail.com