



World Wide Technology Raceway Releases Drag Strip 2023 Schedule

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ST. LOUIS - World Wide Technology Raceway in Madison, Illinois, today released its 2023 schedule for its drag strip.

Exciting new events have been added to the 2023 schedule.

The St. Louis-Metro East area's Independence Day celebration kicks off on Saturday, July 1, with the KSHE Summer Fire & Speed Spectacular. The action-packed day at the strip includes fireworks, Jet Cars, and the Mid-West Pro Mod Series.

The 28th annual Mickey Thompson Million Dollar Race has a new home. In drag racing circles it's known as "The Million," and will take place September 12-16.

On April 29-30, obstacle course adventurers will invade the speedway for the grueling Tough Mudder 15k, 10k and 5k.

October 20-22 is reserved for the Schwartz Law Group-Full Throttle Fest Man Cup Motorcycle Drag Racing Series.

The 2023 schedule also includes:

- The annual NHRA Camping World Series Midwest Nationals (September 29-October 1), featuring the thrilling nitromethane-burning, 330-mph Top Fuel Dragsters and Funny Cars.
- The Ranken Technical College presents Midnight Madness fueled by NOS Energy Drink has eight events scheduled for the street-legal drag racing and drifting event.
- The 11-race Carl's 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Racing Series for local and regional racers and riders opens on April 1.
- The four-day NHRA Lucas Oil Drag Racing Series takes place October 4-7.

WORLD WIDE TECHNOLOGY RACEWAY 2023 SCHEDULE

Subject to change.

MARCH

11-12 (Saturday, Sunday) – NHRA chassis inspection (by appointment).

18 (Saturday) – Test 'n' Tune.

24 (Friday) – Ranken Technical College presents Midnight Madness fueled by NOS Energy Drink.

25 (Saturday) -- Test 'n' Tune.

29 (Wednesday) – Wide Open Wednesday; High School class.

31 (Friday) – Test ‘n’ Tune.

APRIL

1 (Saturday) – Carl’s 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 1; JEGS Super Quick.

2 (Sunday) -- Carl’s 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 2; JEGS Super Quick.

5 (Wednesday) -- Wide Open Wednesday; High School class.

8 (Saturday) – Super Saturday.

14 (Friday) – Ranken Technical College presents Midnight Madness fueled by NOS Energy Drink.

15 (Saturday) -- Carl’s 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 3.

16 (Sunday) -- Carl’s 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 4.

19 (Wednesday) -- Wide Open Wednesday; High School class.

22 (Saturday) – Super Saturday.

23 (Sunday) – M&H Tires Import Face-Off.

29-30 (Saturday, Sunday) – Tough Mudder event.

MAY

4-7 (Thursday through Sunday) – NMCA/NMRA Super Bowl of Muscle Car Drag Racing.

12 (Friday) – Ranken Technical College presents Midnight Madness fueled by NOS Energy Drink.

13 (Saturday) -- Carl’s 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 5.

17 (Wednesday) – Wide Open Wednesday; High School class.

JUNE

9-12 (Friday through Monday) – Frank Hawley Drag Racing School.

15-18 (Thursday through Sunday) – Twin 50s by TB Promotions.

21 (Wednesday) – Wide Open Wednesday; High School class.

23 (Friday) – Ranken Technical College presents Midnight Madness fueled by NOS Energy Drink.

28 (Wednesday) – Wide Open Wednesday; High School class.

30 (Friday) -- Mid-West Pro Mod Series qualifying; \$1,000-to-win Super Pro; True NSS. Event continues to July 1.

JULY

1 (Saturday) – KSHE Summer Fire & Speed Spectacular: Fireworks; Jet Cars; Mid-West Pro Mod Series eliminations; \$3,000-to-win Super Pro; True NSS, Jr. Dragster Outlaw 330.

7 (Friday) – Event TBA.

8 (Saturday) -- Carl's 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 6; JEGS Super Quick; Victory NSS Mopar Blast.

9 (Sunday) -- Carl's 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 7; JEGS Super Quick; Victory NSS Mopar Blast.

13-15 (Thursday through Saturday) – Formula DRIFT.

21 (Friday) – Event TBA.

26 (Wednesday) – Wide Open Wednesday; High School class.

29 (Saturday) -- Carl's 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 8; NHRA. tv Challenge; Jr. Dragster Challenge; FocusFest.

30 (Sunday) -- Carl's 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 9.

AUGUST

4-6 (Friday through Sunday) – Class Racer Revival by TB Promotions.

9 (Wednesday) – Wide Open Wednesday; High School class.

11 (Friday) – Ranken Technical College presents Midnight Madness fueled by NOS Energy Drink.

12 (Saturday) – Foam Glow 5k. <https://foamglow.com/>

18 (Friday) – Mid-West Pro Modifieds; NDRL qualifying; Victory NSS; Straight Axle Mafia.

19 (Saturday) – Heads-up Hootenanny: Mid-West Pro Modifieds; NDRL eliminations; Straight Axle Mafia; Victory NSS; \$3,000-to-win Super Pro.

SEPTEMBER

2 (Saturday) -- Carl's 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 10; NHRA. tv Challenge.

3 (Sunday) -- Carl's 4WD & Performance Center Bracket Series race No. 11.

8 (Friday) – Ranken Technical College presents Midnight Madness fueled by NOS Energy Drink.

9 (Saturday) – M&H Tires Import Face-Off.

12-16 (Tuesday through Saturday) – 28th annual Mickey Thompson Million Dollar Drag Race.

17 (Sunday) – Rain date for Million Dollar Race.

29-30 (Friday, Saturday) – NHRA Camping World Drag Racing Series Midwest Nationals (continues to October 1).

OCTOBER

1 (Sunday) – NHRA Camping World Drag Racing Series Midwest Nationals eliminations.

3 (Tuesday) – Lucas Oil Drag Racing Series Test 'n' Tune.

4 (Wednesday) – Lucas Oil Drag Racing Series Divisional.

5 (Thursday) – Lucas Oil Drag Racing Series Divisional.

6 (Friday) – Lucas Oil Drag Racing Series Regional.

7 (Saturday) – Lucas Oil Drag Racing Series Regional.

13 (Friday) – Ranken Technical College presents Midnight Madness fueled by NOS Energy Drink.

14 (Saturday) – Event TBA.

18 (Wednesday) – Wide Open Wednesday.

20-22 (Friday through Sunday) – Schwartz Law Group – Full Throttle Fest. Man Cup Motorcycle Drag Racing Series.

25 (Wednesday) – Wide Open Wednesday.

27 (Friday) – Ranken Technical College presents Midnight Madness fueled by NOS Energy Drink season finale.

28 (Saturday) – Event TBA.

NOVEMBER

1 (Wednesday) – Wide Open Wednesday.

4 (Saturday) – Super Saturday.

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