

Subject: driveWISE school details: Jun 25 @ RRC
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Hello and welcome to driveWISE! You are receiving this email because you registered for one of our Accident Avoidance Schools this coming Saturday June 25 at the Richmond Raceway Complex. Thank you very much for signing up, this will be a fun and educational day for sure. And huge thanks to everyone who has made this program happen - specifically McGeorge Toyota, Evolution Performance Driving School, and the National Auto Sport Association. It couldn't be done without support from such fine organizations.

My name is Jon Felton, myself and Mike Junior Johnson are putting on this event. Read more about us at http://www.drivewiseusa.com/?page_id=7 . You will meet our additional instructors and staff at the welcome meetings.

Here is more information to help you get the most out of your day with us...

When to be there (morning school):

7:30 am - Registration & Tech Inspection Open
8:15 am - Welcome Meeting
8:30 am - School & Driving Activities
est 12:30 pm - Course Completion

When to be there (afternoon school):

12:30 pm - Registration & Tech Inspection Open
1:15 pm - Welcome Meeting
1:30 pm - School & Driving Activities
est 5:30 pm - Course Completion

Where to go:

This event is held in the "Bus Lot" at the Richmond Raceway Complex. It is a closed gate/private event, for safety and insurance reasons. Only registered participants, parents, invited guests, and officials will be allowed - random spectators are not allowed.

Please enter through Gate 2 off Laburnum Ave - between the stoplights at the Richmond-Henrico Turnpike and Carolina Ave.

A facility map is here: <http://www.drivewiseusa.com/assets/rrc-facility-map.pdf>

And a customized map of the area we're using is here: <http://www.drivewiseusa.com/assets/rrc-map-june2011.jpg>

Gate 2 will be open from approximately 7:00am until 8:00am, approximately 12:00pm until 1:00pm, and approximately 5:00pm until 6:00pm. Once you go through Gate 2, drive straight for a few hundred feet (past the concrete barriers) and park. The covered arena will be on your right. Our headquarters will be a green "ez-up" canopy nearby. Restrooms are in the low building to your left. Please report to our headquarters (i.e. green canopy) when you arrive, for check-in and tech inspection details. Everyone on site will need to sign the insurance waiver and get a wristband immediately. Anyone on the lot without a proper wristband at any time will be removed from the facility immediately.

What to wear:

Outdoor summer clothes. Tennis/athletic shoes or other closed-toe/firmly-attached shoes are highly recommended (i.e. no sandals or flip-flops please.)

What to bring:

- your valid drivers license or learners permit
- the car you're using, preferably with at least half a tank of fuel
- completed tech inspection form, see http://www.drivewiseusa.com/?page_id=76
- completed parent & minor waiver for your under-18 child, see <http://www.drivewiseusa.com/assets/minorwaiver.pdf>
-(note: if you are under 18 and reading this, please make sure you bring a parent or legal guardian and that completed form)
-(note 2: if you are unable to print, fill out, and bring both pages of that form, it is essential that one is filled out and signed immediately upon arrival)
- folding chairs, optional but helpful for sitting in the shade, especially if you are a parent who is just watching
- tarp or blanket, optional but helpful to empty your car's contents out onto
- beverages and healthy snacks, optional but helpful

What to expect:

We try to make this program as laid-back and fun as it can be, while also being educational and useful. The best thing you can do is show up well-rested and awake, with an open mind and a positive attitude. The more you put into this school, the more you will get out of it. There is no safer or more legal place to learn and practice these advanced driving skills than in a private parking lot with cones and instructors. We want to give you the tools... so when the time comes, you can react in a safe and controlled manner. Please listen to your instructors in the car. And please ask them any and all questions you can think of - information is power after all.

Final thoughts:

More information can be found on our Frequently Asked Questions page:
http://www.drivewiseusa.com/?page_id=69

If you have any questions after reading everything above, please don't hesitate to reply. And if you need us for any reason on short notice, please dial 804-545-3949 or 804-397-3278.

We do still have a few spaces available in the morning or afternoon schools (as of Wednesday afternoon.) Please tell your friends, invite everyone you can think of to participate, etc. Online registration closes soon, but any remaining spots will be available that day. If someone is interested but unable to sign up online, please have 'em contact us directly so a spot can be held.

Thanks again and we will see you Saturday!

Sincerely,

Jon

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