

ELKHART LAKE VINTAGE FESTIVAL XXXIV ®

ELVF September 11 - 15

Join the competitors from across the globe as VSCDA and Elkhart Lake Vintage Festival celebrates 34 years of racing at Road America and Formula Ford's 50th Anniversary in North America. Open to Kent and Cortina powered Formula Fords of all ages, there will be two exclusive race groups for these legendary single seaters. Formula Ford feature races will highlight Saturday and Sunday and a "bonus" invitational will close out the weekend. A once in a lifetime event, the FF50th is expected to attract 200 drivers from across the US as well as Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and the UK. For more information contact steve@stevebeeler.com

The rules are the same and so is the amazing amount of track time offered. The Cup races are back. These races have become very popular and 2019 will be the 10th year for the "Cup" races. Kimberly, Sheldon and Elkhart Lake Cup races are based on the original "Cup" races held from 1950-1952 on the roads around Elkhart Lake. Your grid position is based solely on times; not your class. This gives drivers the opportunity to race against cars they normally do not. It also guarantees close racing.

Registration begins, for Formula Fords only, on Wednesday with regular registration Thursday afternoon. Formula Fords will begin their practice sessions Thursday afternoon. For the first time VSCDA will be handling the Test and Tune Sessions on Thursday. Friday is a practice day for most groups, with each group getting two sessions. That should give you ample seat time to get reacquainted with the longest and fastest road course in North America. **The traditional one-hour enduro, sponsored by Jeff Porasik/Raymond James, benefiting Disabled American Veterans, will be held late Friday. This race always has a full grid of diverse cars.** In the evening we look forward to seeing you at The Friday night "Welcome to the ELVF" party a long standing tradition.

Saturday we have qualifying sessions and sprint races. If your schedule permits, you may want to participate in the original Road Course Re-enactment. This will be a police escorted tour of the original public road race course, for race and street cars. These roads are listed as a national historic monument. Along with Watkins Glen, these are the only two sets of roads to be listed as such. We have been doing the re-enactment tour for twenty-seven years and it can attract up to one hundred cars. The cars finish the tour and are parked on part of the original street course in the heart of the Village of Elkhart Lake. This event is thoroughly enjoyed by the participants and the spectators.

Our Saturday evening banquet will be held at The Osthoff, which borders the original road course and overlooks Elkhart Lake. "Gather on the Green" will be on the grounds of the Osthoff Resort. This is a concours in a wonderful and relaxed setting. Last year we displayed over 140 cars and motorcycles. There was an eclectic group of cars, many of which were Pebble Beach quality. For the past ten years everyone has listened to live music while enjoying a cocktail and some conversation. The, by invitation only show, begins in the mid afternoon and ends when the banquet starts. If you would like to display one of your cars please contact us early with your interest. Don't wait until the last minute because space is limited. This has become a must do event.

Sunday morning the group races begin. Mixed in throughout the day will be the "Cup" races. There is also lunchtime touring available to spectators on both Saturday and Sunday.

The ELVF provides something for everyone both on and off the track. You cannot find a better value in vintage racing. More track time for the money! Put it on your calendar!

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