



2026 Open Wheel Showdown Tire Procedures

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Early Tire Sales begin on Wednesday November 4th with tech (Available for all classes).

You can still go through tech and purchase tires Thursday if preferred.

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2026 WINGED SPRINT CAR TIRE FORMAT

Below outlines the tire selection and format for the 2026 Open Wheel Showdown. Hoosier Tire West will be at the track for the event and will be able to help mount and dismount tires for the team should they need it.

- Each team will be allowed a maximum of 5 sets of tires. 5LF 5RF 5LR 5RR tires to be stamped for the event. Maximum of 4 tires per corner (besides RR) can be purchased.
- Left Front (LF) 2010 Right Front (RF) 2030 Left Rear (LR) M30 Right Rear (RR) 2045
- The “Event” starts officially with first practice on Friday 11/6
- Any solvents or any chemicals applied to the tire to alter the chemical makeup of the compound or have the effect of altering the tire durometer is prohibited.
- OWS officials can sample any stamped tires at any time of the event.
- You Must Run the OWS stamped tires across all 4 corners starting with the first practice on Friday and running through the balance of the event.
- You can use your stamped tires as you desire during the event.
- You may use ANY tire on Thursday 11/5 for Practice. No tire enforcement on Thursday. Can be tires brought from home or tires purchased for the Event.

SPRINT CAR TIRE SELECTION PROCEDURES

Tire selection is determined by the way entries were submitted. The official tire selection order will be delivered in the team packet closer to the event.

- We will allow up to 3 teams in the tire tent at a time to select their tires
- There will be a 5 minute time limit once in the tent
- You will pay for your tires before selecting them
- No open accounts. Must have Cash, Check, or Card
- Maximum of 2 people per car allowed in the tire tent at one time
- If you miss your spot in line, you will go to the end of the line
- When the line is empty from selecting your 4 sets of tires for the event, we will then open the tire tent up for any additional tires.

2026 SUPER MODIFIED TIRE FORMAT

Below outlines the tire rules for the 2026 Open Wheel Showdown. Hoosier Tire West will be at the track for the event and will be able to help mount and dismount tires for the team should they need it.

Mandatory tire requirements for RF, LR, and RR only.

- Right Front (RF) MUST be a M30, Left Rear (LR) MUST be a M30, Right Rear (RR) MUST be a 2045

o Must purchase a minimum of one RF, LR, and RR from Open Wheel Showdown at the Track

- Can preorder from Hoosier Tire West by calling 559-485-4612

o Tire will be stamped at time of purchase

o You must qualify and start the feature on the stamped tires purchased from the track

o You may use ANY tire on Thursday for Practice or Friday practice.

Mandatory tires for the RF, LR, and RR. LF is an open tire rule and not mandatory. The below are the mandatory compounds and recommendations for the teams.

- LF 2030 (Recommended)
- RF M30 (Mandatory)
- LR M30 (Mandatory)
- RR 2045 (Mandatory)

- Teams can preorder from Hoosier Tire West

• All 4 corners will be stamped after qualifying and you must start the race on those 4 tires

- You may use ANY tire on Thursday for Practice. No tire enforcement on Thursday.

2026 OPEN WHEEL MODIFIED TIRE FORMAT

Below outlines the tire rules for the 2026 Open Wheel Showdown. Hoosier Tire West will be at the track for the event and will be able to help mount and dismount tires for the team should they need it. Tire Sales begin Wednesday.

- Each team will be allowed a maximum of 4 sets of tires. 4 LF 4 RF 4 LR 4 RR tires to be stamped for the event. Maximum of 4 tires per corner can be purchased.
 - All 4 corners will be 970
- All 4 corners will be stamped after qualifying and you must start the race on those 4 tires
- You may use ANY tire on Thursday for Practice. No tire enforcement on Thursday. Can be tires brought from home or tires purchased for the Event.
- Starting Friday MUST be on Stamped Tires from OWS
 - You will pay for your tires before selecting them
 - No open accounts. Must have Cash, Check, or Card
 - Maximum of 2 people per car allowed in the tire tent at one time
 - You may call Hoosier Tire West and pre order your tires for this event
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2026 LEGENDS AND BANDOLEROS TIRE FORMAT

Below outlines the tire rules for the 2026 Open Wheel Showdown. Hoosier Tire West will be at the track for the event and will be able to help mount and dismount tires for the team should they need it.

There is NO tire rule or requirements for Legends or Bandoleros

- With the acception, Tires MUST be Inex approved tires.
- IF anyone needs tires they can be purchased from Kevin Terrell at LVMS or pre order at Hoosier Tire West 559-485-4612 to bring to the event with them.

2026 NON-WINGED SPRINT CAR TIRE FORMAT

Below outlines the tire selection and format for the 2026 Open Wheel Showdown. Hoosier Tire West will be at the track for the event and will be able to help mount and dismount tires for the team should they need it.

- Each team will be required to purchase a minimum of 1 full set at the track. Maximum of 4 tires per corner can be purchased. Tires you qualify on MUST be a set purchased at the track.
- Left Front (LF) 2010 Right Front (RF) 2030 Left Rear (LR) M30 Right Rear (RR) 2045
- The “Event” starts officially with first practice on Friday 11/6
- Any solvents or any chemicals applied to the tire to alter the chemical makeup of the compound or have the effect of altering the tire durometer is prohibited.
- OWS officials can sample any stamped tires at any time of the event.
- You Must Run the same OWS stamped tires across all 4 corners for qualifying and the race.
- You may use ANY tire on Thursday 11/5 for Practice. No tire enforcement on Thursday. Can be tires brought from home or tires purchased for the Event.
- Must start the race on the RR you qualify on.

SPRINT CAR TIRE SELECTION PROCEDURES

Tire selection is determined by the way entries were submitted. The official tire selection order will be delivered in the team packet closer to the event.

- We will allow up to 3 teams in the tire tent at a time to select their tires
- There will be a 5 minute time limit once in the tent
- You will pay for your tires before selecting them
- No open accounts. Must have Cash, Check, or Card
- Maximum of 2 people per car allowed in the tire tent at one time
- If you miss your spot in line, you will go to the end of the line
- When the line is empty from selecting your 4 sets of tires for the event, we will then open the tire tent up for any additional tires.