



2026 PCA Chicago Region Celebrating 57 Years at Blackhawk High Performance Drivers Ed



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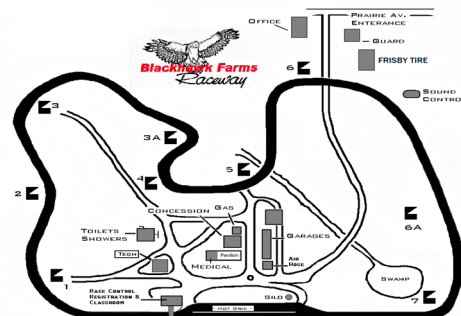
- ★ Friday, April 24 *Novice Day*
- ★ Thursday, June 11 *Ladies' Day*
- ★ Friday, June 12
- ★ Taco Tuesday, July 14
- ★ Saturday & Sunday, September 26 & 27

Looking for a little excitement in your life?

Experience the kind of driving your Porsche was designed for.

Come find out! Let our seasoned PCA instructors show you what you've been missing. We will teach you the skills required to drive your Porsche or other sports car at its limits in a safe and secure environment.

Blackhawk Farms Raceway is a challenging track incorporating a variety of undulating curves and straights that provide an ideal learning environment. Novice drivers get instruction throughout the day until they are ready to go on their own. Blackhawk is a 1.9 Mile, 7 turn track newly repaved at end of 2025.





Build skills, Big thrills



You will be amazed on how much you will learn and accomplish!

Friday April 24th, is our traditional Novice Day event dedicated to the novice driver. Attend this event if you are new to the club or have no Track experience. We typically have 30 or more novice drivers at this event so in addition to learning how to handle your vehicle, it is also a great way to meet fellow club members and their cars. For all our Experienced drivers we will have our standard run group dedicated for soloed drivers. This group sells out quickly so register early!

New this year Ladies' Day will be at Blackhawk June 11th. This is an event just for ladies, run by ladies. More details to follow.

The June 12 and our Taco Tuesday July 14 events are open to novice and experienced drivers. Run groups will be based on driver experience. A novice group with both on track and classroom instruction will also be provided.

Why Taco Tuesday? Easy day to take off and who takes off Tuesday's? Tuesdays are slow at work, fast on track with a relaxed atmosphere, Boss won't even know you are away. Keeps a weekend open and Tacos served at end of event!

The season ends with the Oktoberfest two-day weekend event. This is open to drivers with previous experience. No novice instruction will be provided. The weekend event includes our famous dinner party Saturday including a themed dinner and spirits. Fun for ALL with a bon fire closing the evening. Yes, pizza at the track on Sunday.

Friday, April 24 Novice Day DE1

This day is dedicated to novice drivers. Skilled instructors will provide the novice students with a full day of instruction including two classroom sessions. We will also have one experienced group for our more accomplished drivers.

Blackhawk Ladies' Day DE2

Thursday, June 11 The fourth annual Ladies' Day Driver Education dedicated to lady drivers only.

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Friday, June 12 & Taco Tuesday July 14
These events are open to all drivers. Run groups will be based on driver experience. A separate novice group with both on track and classroom instruction will be provided.

Blackhawk Oktoberfest Weekend DE5

Saturday & Sunday, Sept 26 & 27

Open to drivers with previous experience only. No novice instruction. Blackhawk will be open for entry and camping at 5PM Friday Sept 25th. Registration for Saturday includes our famous Dinner Party, Bon Fire & Sunday includes a Pizza Party for all.

Pricing & Registration at:
<https://clubregistration.net>

Want More Information:
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MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

Clothing for all drivers at these event includes: a Snell SA 2020 or 2025 helmet, long sleeve shirt, long pants, socks, all made of non-synthetic materials, and closed toe shoes. Recommended but not mandatory are: driver's suit, driving gloves, driver shoes and a protective neck brace all made of Nomex or similar fire-resistant material, and a properly mounted fire extinguisher. You will be required to show a valid driver's license along with a valid PCA Membership card at registration. If you or your car does not pass Tech Inspection, you will not be able to drive. You can save time at the track by bringing your car to a recognized Porsche Dealer or Porsche Specialty Shop for mechanical inspection and having them complete, sign and stamp the Chicago Region Tech Inspection Sheet. Pay particular attention to specifics concerning brake pads and fluid, since Blackhawk Farms is very hard on the brake system! Pay attention to "Hans Device" rules. **If you have a harness, a Head & Neck device is required.**

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