



**Lone Star Le Mans
Circuit Of The Americas / Austin, Texas
September 4 - September 6, 2026**

Provisional Schedule

<u>Registration Hours</u>	<u>Inspection: Mustang Challenge</u>	<u>Briefings: Mustang Challenge</u>	<u>Infield Care Center Hours</u>
Thu., 9/3 7:00am - 3:00pm Fri., 9/4 9:00am - 3:00pm Sat., 9/5 9:00am - 5:00pm Sun., 9/6 8:30am - 10:00am Location: Track Accreditation Center WEC Credentials required for access starting Thursday morning. Please contact Carol Mueller (cmueller@imsa.com) with questions.	<u>Pre-Event Inspection (By Appt.):</u> Thu., 9/3 10:00am - 2:00pm <u>Technical Inspection Hours:</u> Thu., 9/3 3:00pm - 6:00pm Fri., 9/4 7:30am - 12:00pm Fri., 9/4 1:00pm - 5:30pm Sat., 9/5 8:30am - 9:30am Sat., 9/5 3:30pm - 5:30pm Sun., 9/6 7:30am - 8:30am Tech Insp. closes during MC on-track sessions	<u>Driver & Team Manager Briefing</u> Thu., 9/3 2:15 pm <u>Driver & Team Manager Briefing</u> Sat., 9/5 12:15 pm Track Meeting Room	Fri., 9/4 8:30am - 6:45pm Sat., 9/5 8:00am - 8:15pm Sun., 9/6 7:00am - 8:00pm Outside of these hours call 911

Series Listing:

MUSTANG CHALLENGE NORTH AMERICA (MUSTANG CHALLENGE)

World Endurance Championship (WEC)

Radical Motorsport (RM)

Tuesday, September 1, 2026

1:00 pm IMSA Transporter park in Paddock
1:00 pm - 6:00 pm IMSA Setup in Paddock

Wednesday, September 2, 2026

8:00 am - 6:00 pm IMSA Setup in Paddock
8:00 am Mustang Challenge Series Transporter park and set up in Paddock
11:00 am Industry Suppliers (Airgas, Michelin, VP Fuels, etc.) Load-In

Thursday, September 3, 2026

8:00 am - 6:00 pm IMSA Setup in Paddock
8:00 am MUSTANG CHALLENGE COMPETITOR TRANSPORTER LOAD-IN - MUST NOT OPEN/UNLOAD UNTIL 9:30 AM THU.
9:30 am MUSTANG CHALLENGE COMPETITOR TRANSPORTER OPEN/UNLOAD
2:15 pm MUSTANG CHALLENGE - DRIVER AND TEAM MANAGER BRIEFING - TRACK MEETING ROOM
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm TRACK WALK - Walk Only
5:30 pm - 6:45 pm On-Track Activity (Hot Track)

Friday, September 4, 2026

8:30 am - 9:40 am T&S and Marshalling Checks
10:00 am - 10:30 am Practice #1 - RM
10:45 am - 11:15 am PRACTICE #1 - MUSTANG CHALLENGE
11:30 am - 1:00 pm Practice #1 - WEC
1:45 pm - 2:15 pm Practice #2 - RM
2:30 pm - 3:00 pm PRACTICE #2 - MUSTANG CHALLENGE
3:25 pm - 3:55 pm On-Track Activity (Hot Track)
4:00 pm - 5:30 pm Practice #2 - WEC
5:45 pm - 6:10 pm Qualifying - RM
6:30 pm - 8:30 pm TRACK WALK - Walk/Run Only



Saturday, September 5, 2026

7:45 am - 9:00 am	T&S and Marshalling Checks
9:30 am - 10:10 am	Race #1 - RM
10:30 am - 10:45 am	QUALIFYING - MUSTANG CHALLENGE
11:00 am - 12:00 pm	Practice #3 - WEC
12:15 pm	MUSTANG CHALLENGE - DRIVER AND TEAM MANAGER BRIEFING - TRACK MEETING ROOM
12:15 pm - 12:45 pm	Track Laps - WEC Hot Laps
12:45 pm - 1:15 pm	Track Laps - Media Hot Laps
1:30 pm - 2:00 pm	AUTOGRAPH SESSION - MUSTANG CHALLENGE - SERIES TRANSPORTER
1:30 pm - 2:45 pm	Car Corrals
3:00 pm - 4:10 pm	Qualifying - WEC
4:20 pm - 4:50 pm	Track Laps - Ford Hot Laps
5:20 pm - 6:00 pm	Race #2 - RM
6:25 pm - 6:30 pm	PRE-RACE - MUSTANG CHALLENGE
6:30 pm - 7:15 pm	RACE #1 - MUSTANG CHALLENGE - 45 MINUTES
7:30 pm - 9:00 pm	TRACK WALK - Walk/Run Only

Sunday, September 6, 2026

6:55 am - 8:15 am	T&S and Marshalling Checks
8:40 am - 9:20 am	Race #3 - RM
9:45 am - 9:50 am	PRE-RACE - MUSTANG CHALLENGE
9:50 am - 10:35 am	RACE #2 - MUSTANG CHALLENGE - 45 MINUTES
10:45 am - 11:15 am	Track Laps - WEC Hot Laps
11:20 am - 11:55 am	On-Track Activity
12:00 pm - 12:50 pm	Pre-Race - WEC
12:50 pm - 12:55 pm	Pre-Race - WEC Formation Laps
1:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Race - WEC

GENERAL

9.4.4 -	Event Facility:	Circuit of the Americas 9201 Circuit of the Americas Blvd. Austin, TX 78617	Ph: 512-301-6600
9.4.7 -	Length of the Racetrack:	3.4 mile, 20-turn Road Course	
9.4.9 -	Direction of the Race:	Counterclockwise	
9.4.10 -	Pole Position:	On the Left	
9.4.20 -	Location of Race Control:	At Pit-In end of Garage Building behind Pit Lane, 1 st Floor	
25.8 -	Start Line:	On the Front Straight	
25.9 -	Finish Line:	On the Front Straight	



MUSTANG CHALLENGE NORTH AMERICA SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

ADDITIONAL REGULATIONS

9 -	EVENT:	Rounds 9 and 10 of the Mustang Challenge North America at Circuit of the Americas are sanctioned by IMSA and held under the IMSA RULES.
9.4.6 -	Entries Closing:	Tue., Aug. 18, 2026. Late entries per Art. 4.3.
9.4.11 -	Number of Cars admitted	
	A. Practice sessions:	40 Maximum
	B. Qualifying sessions:	40 Maximum
	C. Race:	40 Maximum
9.4.13 -	Impound:	Mustang Challenge Series Trailer in the Paddock per the Technical Department.
19 -	Event Logistics:	Exclusively under the direction of and assigned by IMSA. Refer to schedule for Series paddock load-in times.
	Pre-staging:	Team Transporters must not arrive on track property before 8:00 am on Wed., Sep. 2 for pre-staging. Pre-staging is exclusively in Lot R at 7736 Kellam Rd., Del Valle, TX 78617 beginning Wed., Sep. 2. Refer to IMSA Transporter Staging map. Pre-staging elsewhere is prohibited.
	Staging:	Staging for load-in is in Lot R at 7736 Kellam Rd., Del Valle, TX 78617 beginning on Wed., Sep. 2 (map). Transporters must be in the designated staging area a minimum of one (1) hour prior to the scheduled load-in time of 8:00 am, Thu., Sep. 3.
	Load-In:	Transport drivers must be at truck and monitoring CB channel 40, no later than 7:00 am, Thu., Sep. 3 for the scheduled load-in time of 8:00 am, Thu., Sep. 3.
	Load-Out:	Transporters must not move in the Paddock until the end of the WEC race, scheduled to 7:00 pm, Sun., Sep. 6.
20.2.11.A. -	Paddock Teardown:	Teams must not begin to dismantle per Art. 20.2.11.A until 10:40 am, Sun., Sep. 6. Dismantling is prohibited from 12:55 pm to 2:00 pm on Sun., Sep. 6 and may resume at 2:00pm.

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3.7.2 -	Driver Deadline/Fee:	CoB Tue., Aug. 25. Until close of Sporting Checks (Art. 11.2), an expediting fee is charged. No applications (or related documents) processed after close of Sporting Checks (Art. 11.2) except per Art. 3.7.2.
4.3.6 -	Event Confirmations:	Event Confirmation Declarations must be submitted via MERG no later than 4pm Mon., Aug. 17. \$500 is charged for late Declarations or Driver changes made after this deadline until the close of Sporting Checks. Driver changes after close of Sporting Checks per Art. 3.7.2 and Art. 11.2.1.A.
9.4.14.A -	Fuel Schedule:	The VP depot is located in the paddock at the fueling island between main and upper paddock. VP will deliver fuel to the Paddock in the afternoon, Wed., Sep. 2.



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- A. Driver/TM Briefing:** Briefings distributed Aug. 3.
It will be available on the Event page of the Competitor website.
For questions regarding the briefing please contact the following as appropriate:
Chelsey Vickery - MC Racing Related, t-cvickery@imsa.com or 812-431-7716
Duane Sampson - Dir. Single-Make Platforms, dsampson@imsa.com or 386-285-7021
Paul Walter - Sporting Regulations, pwalter@imsa.com or 614-598-6783
David Pees - Timing and Scoring, dpees@imsa.com or 386-308-8866
Cory Posocco - Logistics, cposocco@imsa.com or 386-566-8313
Scott Ellison - Technical, sellison@imsa.com or 734-621-9130
Roy Spielmann - Track Services, rspielmann@imsa.com or 414-702-0905
Robert Bosworth - HV Safety, rbosworth@imsa.com or 704-728-8087
Shannon Glasshoff - Medical Liaison, sglasshoff@imsa.com or 386-585-9390
- B. Track Walk:** The Track Walk is for Credential Holders Only, Walk Only. Must not embark later than 45 minutes remaining.
- 1. Nitrogen Supply:** Airgas is the exclusive nitrogen supplier, motorsports@airgas.com or 800-367-4273. Order deadline is Fri., Aug. 28. Bottles placed at back of Paddock, labeled with Team names. Mark McCulloch mark.mcculloch@airgas.com or 737-207-0938.
- 2. Motorsports Ministries:** Terry Borcheller, terryborcheller@aol.com or 678-677-5861.
- 3. Telephone/Internet:** Edgar Martinez, edgar.martinez@thecircuit.com or 512-584-4995.
- 4. Security:** Ryan Harder, ryan.harder@thecircuit.com or 737-899-5475.
- 5. Team Food Service:** For food & beverage options, contact Elaine Rizzuto, Food & Beverage Sales Executive at CotA, erizzuto@proofpudding.com.
- 6. Catering:** Elaine Rizzuto, erizzuto@proofpudding.com or 804-731-6037.
- 7. Hospitality:** Bailey Hansen, bailey.hansen@thecircuit.com or 512-655-6291.
- 8. Motorhomes:** Jade Callahan, jade.callahan@thecircuit.com or 505-430-7640.
- 9. Equipment Rental:** Ian Bazan, ian.bazan@thecircuit.com and orders@thecircuit.com or 512-787-2778.
- 10. Truck Washing:** **Not available on site.**
- 11. Golf Cart Rentals:** KC Golf Cart, Andy Leiker, andy@kcgolfcartco.com, <http://www.kcgolfcartco.com> or 785-925-0006 or 913-745-6259.
- 12. Pit Vehicles:** Pit vehicles must be operated by a licensed driver 18 years or more in age. Motorscooters and bicycles permitted in the Paddocks only.

ATV's / Motorcycles / Pit Vehicles / Golf Carts: Must be registered and stickered by CotA for use and required to operate the vehicle on CotA property or it will be impounded. Road-licensed vehicles not subject to this process.
- 13. False Grid:** **Adjacent to Support Paddock per Map.**
- 14. Spotter Information:** N/A. CotA Tower access is only permitted within the same parameters as the general public.
- 15. Parking Procedures:** Three (3) passes per entered Car, Lot A.
- 16. Additional Information:** Additional maps, forms and information specific to this Event at imsacompetitors.com.
- 17. Track Shipping:** Packages shipped to CotA can be picked up at Building Y outside Tunnel 1 on the top of the hill. Building Y is open from 8:00 am - 5:00 pm daily, 7 days a week.
Packages must be addressed as follows:

Team or Company Name / Contact Name & Cell Phone Number / Series
c/o Circuit of the Americas
9201 Circuit of the Americas Blvd.
Austin, TX 78617

MEDICAL INFORMATION

- FACILITY MEDICAL CENTER:** The Infield Care Center is part of the "Medical Center" facility located at the East end of the Competitor Paddock at pit out. Operating hours on P1. For after-hours medical, dial 911.
- HOSPITAL INFORMATION:** Primary/Trauma/Burn: (19 Miles) Dell Seton Medical Center at The University of Texas
1500 Red River St., Austin, TX 78701 Main 512-324-7000
- PHARMACY INFORMATION:** Walgreen's, (11 miles) 1920 E. Riverside Dr., Austin, TX 78741
Main 512-443-7534, 24 Hours

Walgreen's, (17 miles) 2501 S. Lamar Blvd., Austin, TX 78701
Main 512-443-7534, 24 Hours



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Thursday, September 3
9:30 am - 5:00 pm
Last set in 30 minutes before close
Friday, September 4
9:30 am - 5:00 pm
Last set in 30 minutes before close
Saturday, September 5
9:30 am - 6:30 pm
Last set in 30 minutes before close
Sunday, September 6
9:00 am - 10:30 am
Last set in 30 minutes before close

MAPS

TO IMSA TRANSPORTER STAGING

Directions

1. Take Elroy Rd to COTA Blvd / Kellam Rd
2. Enter Lot R and proceed to IMSA Transporter Staging (red shaded area)

Notes

- Pre-Staging and Staging available in Lot R
- Address: 7736 Kellam Rd, Del Valle, TX 78617
- Refer to Official Schedule / SR for detailed Staging and Load-In instructions
- Pre-Staging and Staging in any other location (COTA Blvd or other lots) is not allowed



TO IMSA REGISTRATION

Directions

1. Proceed to COTA Blvd from Elroy Rd or COTA facility
2. Enter Lot R and proceed to IMSA Registration (red shaded area, see inset photo)

Notes

- IMSA Registration located in COTA Accreditation Center
- Address: 7736 Kellam Rd, Del Valle, TX 78617
- Refer to Official IMSA SR / Schedule for Registration hours of operation



TO IMSA PARKING

Directions

1. Take FM 812 to COTA Blvd
2. Take first right to enter IMSA Parking in Lot A

Notes

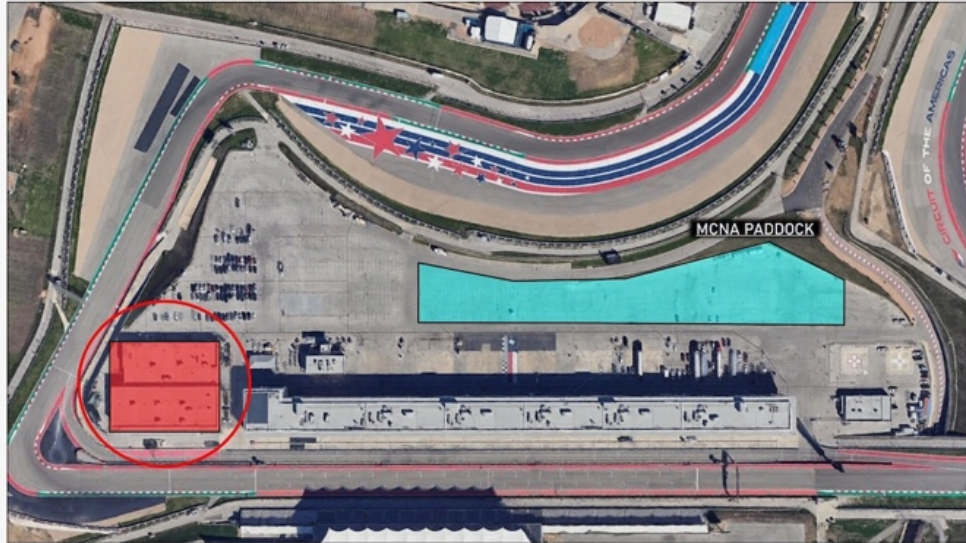
- Track-Issued Parking Pass required for parking entry
- Use Tunnel 1 to access MCNA Paddock and COTA Infield



TRACK MEETING ROOM LOCATION

Notes

- Track Meeting Room located in Media Center by Main Paddock Garages
- Refer to Official Schedule / SR for Series Briefing times



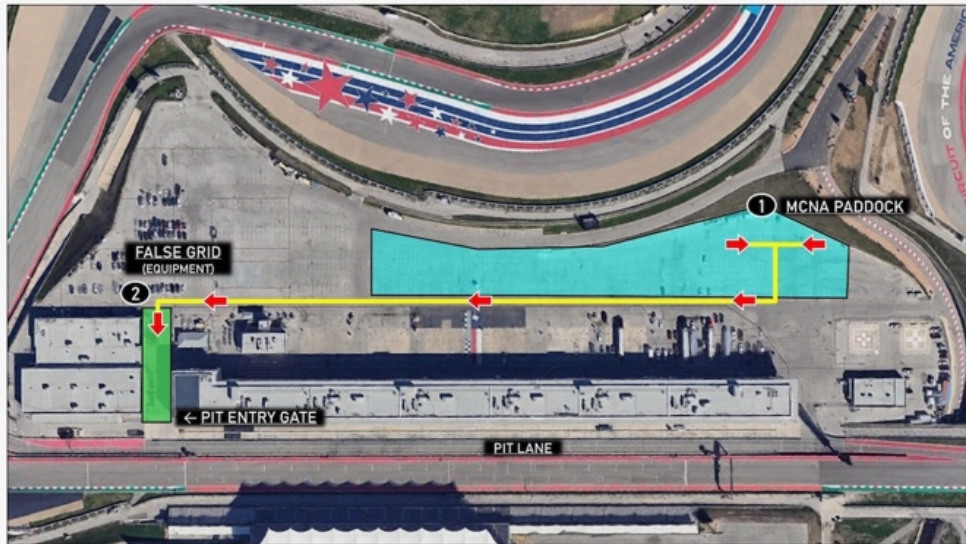
TRAFFIC FLOW | EQUIPMENT TO FALSE GRID

Directions

1. Exit MCNA Paddock and proceed on main thoroughfare towards Pit Entry
2. Enter Equipment False Grid (green shaded area)

Notes

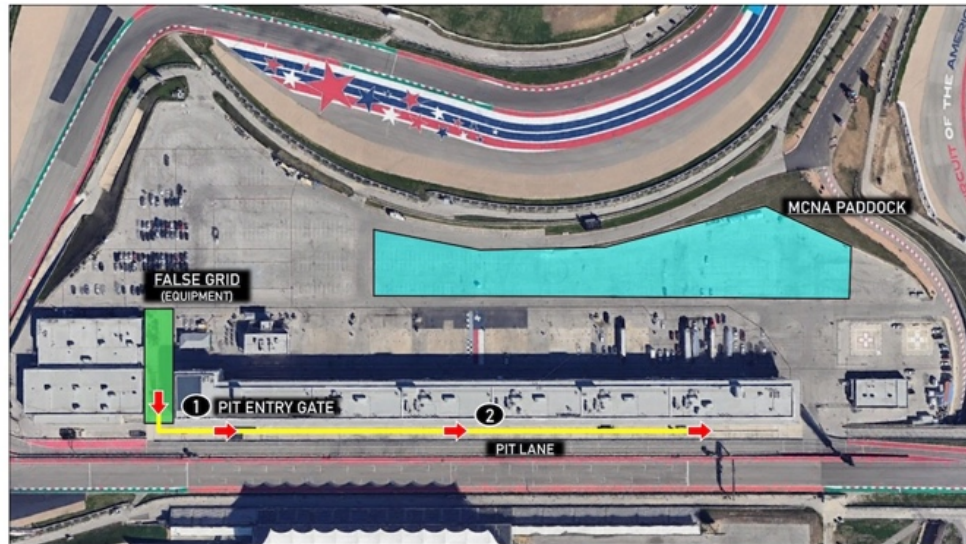
- Equipment and Race Cars have separate False Grid areas – see additional maps for more details



TRAFFIC FLOW | EQUIPMENT TO PIT LANE

Directions

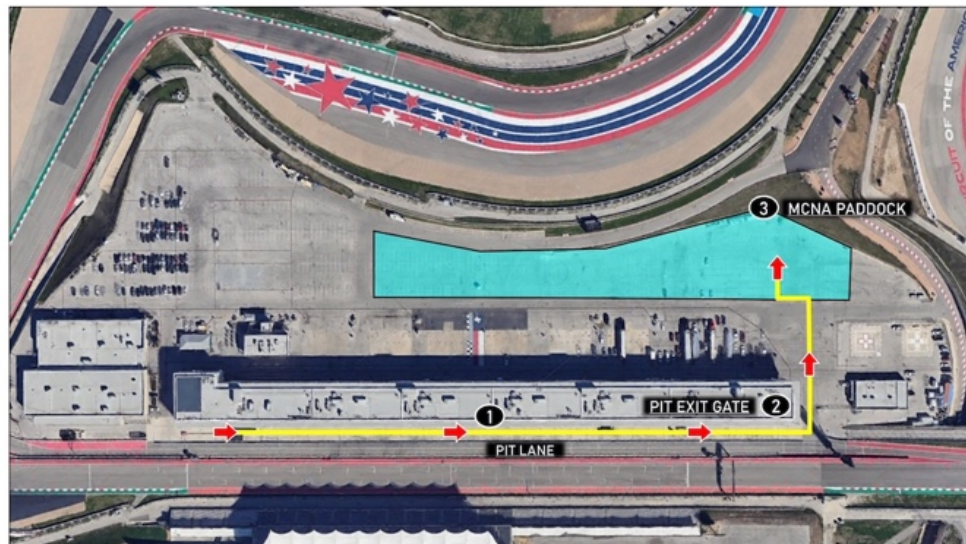
1. Exit False Grid using Pit Entry Gate
2. Proceed on Pit Lane to assigned Pit Box



TRAFFIC FLOW | EQUIPMENT TO PADDOCK

Directions

1. Exit Pit Box and proceed down Pit Lane
2. Exit Pit Lane at Pit Exit Gate
3. Proceed to assigned MCNA Paddock space



TRAFFIC FLOW | RACE CARS TO FALSE GRID

Directions

1. Exit MCNA Paddock onto main thoroughfare
2. Enter Race Cars False Grid (green shaded area)

Notes

- Equipment and Race Cars have separate False Grid areas – see additional maps for more details



TRAFFIC FLOW | CARS TO TRACK

Directions

1. Exit False Grid
2. Enter Pit Lane / Racecourse via Pit Exit Gate
3. Proceed onto Racecourse



TRAFFIC FLOW | CARS TO PADDOCK, PODIUM

Directions

1. After Checkered Flag, proceed on Racecourse
2. Exit Racecourse via T6
3. Turn left onto main thoroughfare, following road towards Main Paddock. Use caution
4. Proceed to assigned MCNA Paddock space / podium

Notes

- There will be no full cool-down lap. All cars must exit course at T6 immediately following Checkered Flag
- Podium Cars must follow same route



CARE CENTER LOCATION

Notes

- Care Center located in structure at Pit Out (red shaded area)
- Refer to Official Schedule / SR for Care Center hours of operation

