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APPRENTICE JUDGING WITH RPM – SONOMA SPEED FESTIVAL

An Off To The Races Program for High School & College Automotive Restoration & Preservation Students!



You are invited to be one of 10 Apprentice Judges at the very first Sonoma Speed Festival.

From May 30th to June 2nd, 2019, the inaugural **Sonoma Speed Festival** will gather an extraordinary group of vintage racing vehicles for a celebration of flat-out, wheel-to-wheel competition at the illustrious Sonoma Raceway—one of the world’s most notable and challenging race tracks located in the heart of California’s Wine Country.

To many enthusiasts, the most exciting thing about vintage racing is the “car nobility” assembled at the track. The organizers of the Festival have amassed a striking group of 200 cars that will stun on the track and dazzle in the paddock. Among them are 10 car stars that will have particular significance because of their provenance, or history. Unlike any racing series, these 10 cars will be displayed for judging, like a Concours d’Elegance at the races, and presented to a Chief Judge and Apprentice Judges. With the experienced eye of the Chief Judge and using this opportunity as a teaching moment, Apprentice Judges will learn about the art and science of judging these 10 cars with the ultimate car star winning the first-ever The Road Warrior Award. Festival-goers can look on as the judging takes place.

This is your chance to judge some of the most amazing cars ever built and raced. Please join us – and secure your spot as an Apprentice Judge. **This is a first-come, first-served opportunity.** Registration is required.

With the world’s most important cars edging for glory around the sweeping hills and curves of this classic circuit, Sonoma Speed Festival is an adventure not to be missed.

This is a complimentary program for you and your parents. Tickets are normally \$95, but on Saturday you’ll be guests of RPM.

Date: Saturday, June 1, 2019

Time: 8am – 5pm

Location: Sonoma Raceway, 9355 Arnold Drive, Sonoma, CA 95476

Track Passes/Tickets: Complimentary

Additional program details, including itinerary, will be available via email by May 24th.

About RPM’s Apprentice Judging

We created **Apprentice Judging** to take automotive students out in the field to meet their future restoration customers and see how they use their collector cars. These programs are as much about information-sharing as they are about networking with business owners, collectors and mentors. These job-fairs-on-wheels are fantastic opportunities to share passions, interests and skills with racers, pit crews, master craftsmen and artisans.

About Sonoma Speed Festival

The organizers of Sonoma Speed Festival know that it’s important that people can see cars with significant history being driven, raced and displayed. Spectators will walk away from the Sonoma Speed Festival knowing they experienced a slice of our heritage while becoming a part of history!

