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Martin Sports Car Club
ORLANDO, FLORIDA

Upcoming Events

⇒ **June 13th, 2021**

Event #6 @ **Lake Tech**

⇒ **July 11th, 2021**

Event #7 @ **Lake Tech**

⇒ **August 8th, 2021**

Event #8 @ **Lake Tech**

June Birthdays

Nate Adair



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Erik Mayer



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Matt Bradford



Secretary
Adam Arencibia-Moore



Treasurer
Stephen Claxton



Events Director and Pit Patter Editor
Kevin Madyda

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June Events

Club Meeting
Thursday - June 3rd 2021



2900 S. Orlando Dr Sanford, FL 32773
7:30PM



Points Event #6
Sunday - June 13th, 2021



13000 Frankies Rd
Tavares, FL 32778
Gates Open 7:00AM

Remember All Events are Pre-Register and Pre-Pay ONLY

Meeting Minutes

Martin Sports Car Club; General Meeting; May 6th, 2021 @ Perkins Apopka & Online

Meeting called to order at 7:32PM by Erik Mayer

Welcome back to Perkins

Did everyone receive their patters? Mailed Patters arriving in your mailbox? Mumblings of yes

Officer Reports:

VP Report – Matt Bradford

- Two events, how was the safety?
 - 1 ½ events in April
 - 1st event was stopped because of lightning.
 - 2nd Event was Good

Secretary – Adam Arencibia-Moore (not present)

- Who could possibly fill his shoes? Thank you, Stephen Claxton for stepping up and not making any stupid jokes.

Treasurer – Stephen Claxton

- Club is in the **BLACK!** This month was profitable but a bit light because of the Cancelation of our first event, refunding everyone that was there and did to get to run. The second event was light on attendance for the site.

Events Director Report – Kevin Madyda

- April Event Reports:
 - The April Points Event was rained out ☹️
 - The April Pointless Event was da Bomb Diggity
 - 64 Drivers
 - FTD Leland Giddens 27.115
 - 1 Kart, 2 Drivers, Wells beat Wells, son is faster than dad. 28.787 - 29.134
 - Zack Glascott won novice in his S3 Audi 31.418
 - **Best course ever, best event ever. Fun Runs.**
- 2021 Racing Dates: May 9th (Mother's Day), June 13th, July 11th, August 8th, September 12th, October 10th, November 14th, and December 12th (Pointless Event) all confirmed with Lake Tech

President – Erik Mayer

Old Business:

- **Meeting Locations:**
 - We're at Perkins right now, how's it going?
 - Based on response, schedule Perkins every other month
 - 2021 Meeting Dates: May 6th, June 3rd, July 1st, August 5th, September 2nd, October 7th, November 4th, and December 2nd
- **Equipment Update with Mickey/Stephen/Kevin?**
 - Update? Replaced the valves on the gas cans, since they seized up.

Meeting Minutes

- **MSCC Competition League iRacing with Zane Plumley**

- Update? It went virtually well...or at least that is what I heard.

New Business:

- Do I have any new business? No new business.

Member Stories

- **Chris Wells** – Brakes started to fade in turn 1 of Sebring. By turn 3 had totally lost brakes. Seems to be a seal, but Chris was still working to get every replaced and working again during the meeting. video was from the garage while he was working on the brakes.
- **Mikael Edstrom** – Lost the transmission on the Vette again....they will let us know when it is working.....hopefully he can get it fixed before something else breaks.
- **Mickey Gauldin** – has the head back for his car, but still waiting on the head gasket. Something about the elves were still on strike and they would have to learn how to read a blueprint from the 70's.
- **Dianna** – said something about driving a really nice car, and there was giggles and mumbling...did not catch the rest.
- **David Their** – Was having problems with the car overheating. Sent the head back to be machined twice and then had a friend regrind it, to still find the car overheating. Turns out the radiator was hooked up backward from forever. That fixed the over heating issues, but now there is an oil leak to figure out.
- **Erik** – is trying to make his neighbors jealous by having the greenest lawn in the neighborhood. He has been taking tips from the Lawn Care Nut, and is thinking he can replace him. Erik may have a new career path...yea?
- **Juney** – his story was short and to the point.....Coilovers are AWESOME!!!! The end.
- **Matt** – The last event was great. Erik drove my car in the fun runs and **FLAT SPOTTED THE TIRES.**

Swap Time

- **Mark still has a MR2 for sale.**

Members in Attendance

- Matt Bradford, Stephen Claxton, Kevin Madyda, Erik Mayer, Zachary Blumer, Mark Burt, Harry Corbin, Don Cross, Tim Engle, Mickey Gauldin, Amanda Giddens, John Giddens, Leland Giddens, Heather Hamill, Maury Hamill, Jacob Hardy, Sean Hughes, Diana Knerr, Kevin Stanaland, David Thierer, Ben Turner, Chris Wella, Mikael Edstrom

Guests

- Alison Coobs, Olivia Edstrom, Julie Edstrom, Tessa Edstrom

New Members

- **none**

Adjourned at 8:07PM by Erik Mayer

MSCC – May Points Event #5 5-9-2021

Final Results

Timed Entries: 66

SMF - 'Street Modified FWD'					Run 1..	Run 2..	Run 3..	Run 4..	Run 5..	Total
Total Entries: 1										
1T	SMF	13	Tom Boggs	2017 JCW	32.852	33.208	34.080+OFF	33.028	33.013	32.852
										-
SM - 'Street Modified'					Run 1..	Run 2..	Run 3..	Run 4..	Run 5..	Total
Total Entries: 1										
1T	SM	50	Joshua Marinov	2001 Carrera 4	36.438	38.996+OFF	34.942	34.255	35.172	34.255
										-
SSM - 'Super Street Modified'					Run 1..	Run 2..	Run 3..	Run 4..	Run 5..	Total
Total Entries: 2										
1T	SSM	114	Daniel Hankewycz	1990 Miata	31.868	31.899	31.325	30.714+1	30.666	30.666
										[-]5.43
2	SSM	101	James Martnick - duplicate acct	1997 Corolla	36.841	35.972+1	37.108	36.942	36.098	36.098
										+5.432
XS-A - 'X S-A'					Run 1..	Run 2..	Run 3..	Run 4..	Run 5..	Total
Total Entries: 4										
1T	XS-A	34	Robert Palmblad	2020 TT-RS	30.542	29.319	29.076	28.888	28.713	28.713
										[-]1.63
2	XS-A	89	Sean Hughes	2014 Cayman S	31.723	31.714	30.610	30.345	30.542	30.345
										+1.632
3	XS-A	67	Harry Corbin	2005 STI	33.876+OFF	30.443	30.838+1	30.695	30.942	30.443
										+0.098
4	XS-A	42	Ethan Nelson	2001 S2000	47.758+OFF	34.974+OFF	53.796	35.248	39.275+1	35.248
										+4.805
XP - 'X Prepared'					Run 1..	Run 2..	Run 3..	Run 4..	Run 5..	Total
Total Entries: 2										
1T	XP	24	Rendell Aldridge	2011 Caprice	34.847	34.590	35.311	32.085	34.460	32.085
										[-]0.40
2	XP	111	Robert Pace	2004 Miata	33.498	33.927	34.584	33.110	32.486	32.486
										+0.401
DP - 'D Prepared'					Run 1..	Run 2..	Run 3..	Run 4..	Run 5..	Total
Total Entries: 1										
1T	DP	173	Sean Heffernan	1999 Roadster	33.760	33.419	32.989	33.211+1	32.379+1	32.989
										-
DM - 'D Modified'					Run 1..	Run 2..	Run 3..	Run 4..	Run 5..	Total
Total Entries: 1										
1T	DM	7	John Giddens	2020 420R	29.688	29.306+1	29.807	31.514	29.614+1	29.688
										-
JA - 'Junior Kart A'					Run 1..	Run 2..	Run 3..	Run 4..	Run 5..	Total
Total Entries: 1										
1T	JA	8	Trevor Wells	2011 X2	40.050	37.809	31.318	37.117	36.895	31.318
										-
NOV - 'Novice'					Run 1..	Run 2..	Run 3..	Run 4..	Run 5..	Total
Total Entries: 9										
1T	NOV	1	Paul Randle	2020 M3P	35.559	34.733	32.949	32.507		32.507
										[-]1.12
2T	NOV	41	Cheryl Orr	1999 Miata	41.788+OFF	39.194	33.632	36.623	34.841	33.632
										+1.125
3T	NOV	55	Tyler Thomas	1990 Miata	36.290	36.295	35.751	34.693	34.239	34.239
										+0.607
4	NOV	44	Stacy Prince	2018 Shelby GT350	37.416	35.194	34.579	35.258	35.302	34.579
										+0.340
5	NOV	43	Evan Noriega Thomas	2000 Miata	41.186	35.865	35.866	35.898+OFF		35.865
										+1.286
6	NOV	93	Bettina Pearson	2017 Miata	38.855+OFF	38.098+OFF	37.697	36.712	36.189	36.189
										+0.324
7	NOV	7	Liam Cassell	2005 Cooper	44.949	38.613	37.326			37.326
										+1.137
8	NOV	88	Gleb Sinelnikov	2006 Mustang	43.774+OFF	40.510+OFF	43.814+OFF	45.289	39.381	39.381
										+2.055
9	NOV	27	Julie Cassell	2005 Cooper	49.508	45.573+OFF	45.189	41.816	41.070+OFF	41.816

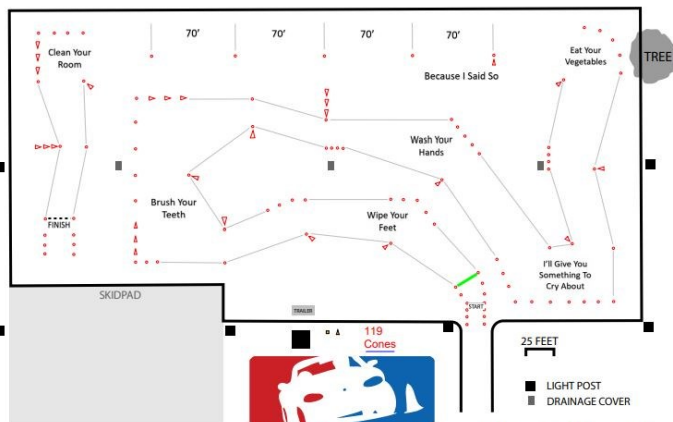
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Row #	Pos.	Class	#	Driver	Car Model	Raw Time	Diff.	From 1st
1	1	XS-A	34	Robert Palmblad	2020 TT-RS	28.713	0.000	0.000
2	1	DM	7	John Giddens	2020 420R	29.688	0.975	0.975
3	1	STR	50	Gene Van Glahn	2020 Mx5 Club	29.862	0.174	1.149
4	2	STR	5	Mark Burt	1999 Miata	29.965	0.103	1.252
5	3	STR	7	Chris Wells	1991 Mazda	30.050	0.085	1.337
6	1	AS	18	William Van Tassel	2004 911	30.085	0.035	1.372
7	1	CAM-S	22	Diana Knerr	2006 Corvette Z06	30.248	0.163	1.535
8	4	STR	75	Erik Mayer	2016 MX-5	30.262	0.014	1.549
9	1	STU	2	Bjorn Stange	2002 M3	30.342	0.080	1.629
10	2	XS-A	89	Sean Hughes	2014 Cayman S	30.345	0.003	1.632
11	3	XS-A	67	Harry Corbin	2005 STI	30.443	0.098	1.730
12	2	STU	72	Skyler Gragg	2002 M3	30.445	0.002	1.732
13	2	AS	25	Dan Mulchi	2014 CORVETTE	30.514	0.069	1.801
14	3	AS	81	Stephen Claxton	2016 Corvette	30.527	0.013	1.814
15	1	SSM	114	Daniel Hankewycz	1990 Miata	30.666	0.139	1.953
16	3	STU	1	Justin Hall	2016 Genesis	30.755	0.089	2.042
17	1	BS	1	Heather O Hamill	2013 Boxster	30.792	0.037	2.079
18	5	STR	32	Cody Mountjoy	2020 MX5	30.794	0.002	2.081
19	4	AS	90	Maury Hamill	2018 Cayman	31.052	0.258	2.339
20	1	GS	60	Zac Saubert	2016 Focus ST	31.082	0.030	2.369
21	2	BS	9	Doug Lofreddo	2003 S2000	31.308	0.226	2.595
22	1	JA	8	Trevor Wells	2011 X2	31.318	0.010	2.605
23	6	STR	13	Hasan Schwandes	2002 Miata	31.445	0.127	2.732
24	4	STU	11	Eric Leitzke	2016 Genesis	31.513	0.068	2.800
25	7	STR	74	Tracy Smith	2001 Boxster S	31.547	0.034	2.834

The "MOTHER" of all courses



Tiger Points

2021 Tiger Points

As of May 9, 2021

After 4 events, No Drops

Total

Prev

Rank

1	Wells, Chris	159	1
2	Bradford, Matt	153	2
3	Burt, Mark	151	3
4	Engle, Tim	143	4
5	Aldridge, Rendell	135	5
6	Hamill, Heather	135	6
7	Knerr, Diana	129	7
8	Mulchi, Dan	129	9
9	Glazer, Terry	125	12
10	Van Glahn, Gene	125	23
11	Giddens, John	124	14
12	Wells, Trevor	124	15
13	Saubert, Zac	122	19
14	Corbin, Harry	120	16
15	Hughes, Sean	117	20
16	Pearson, Thomas	116	18
17	Smith, Tracy	116	11
18	Swartz, Scott	108	29
19	Adair, Nate	105	17
20	Cross, Don	104	21
21	Orr, Eric	101	30
22	Claxton, Stephen	99	27
23	Jesson, Tom	97	8
24	Bonafede, George	95	10
25	Madyda, Kevin	94	24
26	Gauldin, Mickey	93	13
27	Mayer, Erik	92	36
28	Hamill, Maury	91	31
29	Hardy, Jacob	86	37
30	Arencibia-Moore, Adam	80	22

May Gallery



Mason
Cassell

Diana
Knerr



William
Van Tassel

Hasan
Schwandes



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May Gallery

Zac
Saubert



Don
Cross

Ethan
Nelson



Gregory
Zollo

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May Gallery



Dan
Mulchi

John
Giddens



Mark
Burt

Cheryl
Madyda



May Gallery

Richard
Boggs



Shane
Brown



Bjorn
Stange



Justin
Hall



Photography by: Tane Hopu

Member Profile BY Chris Wells

Every month we are showcasing our club members to get to know a little bit more about them. Make sure to say HI to them the next time you see them at one of our meetings or at the autocross.

This month we meet **Nate Adair**. He's been with our club since 2014 And . . . has served as our Club Vice President from 2017 thru 2019. Don't be fooled by his quiet demeanor... put him behind a steering wheel and he's a fierce competitor.

Let's find out more about Nate . . .

Birthplace?

Chicago Heights, IL

What year did you start racing? 2010.

How did you get into autocrossing?

I had known about it for a long time but college, other hobbies, and practical cars got in the way. I finally gave it a try driving my then-fiancée's daily driver 99 Miata.

How many years have you been with the club?

My first Martin event was in 2013 and I joined as a member in 2014.

What is your most memorable moment as a driver?

My 16th birthday fell on a Saturday. My dad took me to the DMV to get my license that morning. That afternoon he and I went to the test-n-tune day at the local drag strip and I made something like 10 or so passes in my LT1 Caprice. I've been chasing that feeling ever since.

What car are you currently racing? My 97 Miata in STR.

What is your dream car?

The McLaren F1.

What is the best car you've ever driven?

991 generation 911 GT3 RS. It changed how I felt about the Porsche PDK, and the potential for automatic transmissions as a whole..

What are your hobbies other than racing?

Autocross is my current hobby and I've been trying to do get on track more but I've had a few others. Bowling, practical shooting, two-stroke kart racing, cycling, offroad r/c racing.

What is your favorite food

Chicago style deep dish.

What is your favorite drink?

Coffee.

What is your favorite movie?

The Big Lebowski.

Do you have a favorite type music?

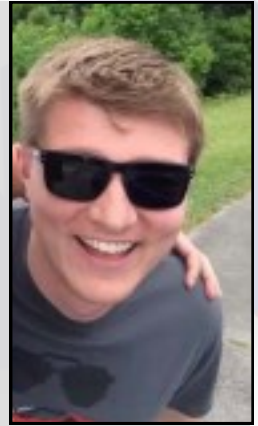
I've been told I have the musical taste of someone twice my age. I won't argue that

Who's your favorite artist?

It's between Steve Winwood and Pink Floyd.

Favorite quote?

"Any intelligent fool can make things bigger, more complex, and more violent. It takes a touch of genius — and a lot of courage to move in the opposite direction." -E.F. Schumacher



What is something you cannot live without (not including oxygen, food, etc)?

Freedom.

What is something you still want to try? Rallycross looks fun.

Since you've been racing for a while, what is some of your racing history?

I grew up around muscle cars and drag racing. I raced two-stroke TaG karts for a few years, driven a handful of endurance kart races, autocrossing regularly since 2014, helped win the GRM \$2k Challenge overall in 2018.

Who is your role model?

?

Why?

This is hard to answer without getting extremely long winded or talking about people that nobody else knows

iRacing Update BY Zane Plumley

This month's iRacing League Report is pretty special, it marks the 1 year anniversary since the first race of the pandemic. 44 race broadcasts later by The crazy duo of Lexi and Zane, and the league is still going strong. Thank you to all the drivers who participate and the support from our club and it's members.

The league has been growing ever so slightly, and the racing has been getting better with the drivers gaining more skills to keep things close. With season 2 almost coming to a close, it looks like our championship has been decided, but every place after that is still up in the air. The last three rounds are at some amazing tracks,..... Barcelona, Spa, and the finale at the 24 Hours of Le Mans course. The drivers are ready to tackle these famous circuits looking for a last hoorah to end the season on a strong note.

Former MSCC member Jesse Olsen has been leading a majority of the races, but the competition has been catching up and grabbing a win or two from him. Justin Hall got the use of his second hand back after breaking it and has been putting on the speed demon witchcraft on Jesse. Tennessee Region SCCA driver Michael Kocheran, snagged last weeks race at Monza and looks to make a final run to grab more spots in the championship.

Bob Blucher drank 98 Red Bull beverages and now is a front runner nipping on the heels of the top three aliens. Juney Thompson is back after taking some time off for some education, and since coming back he regained his previous form of clean and steady racing to get back into the top 10. Chris Wells has been keeping the off tracks to a minimum to be one of the squeaky clean drivers in the series.

Other drivers worth mentioning is Kandy Man Kevin Madyda, who has been picking up his pace to get out of the back of the field and Andy Gadjarick who drives the most difficult car (Macleans MP4 GT3) and has earned the "Shake and Bake" award for making up the most positions in races.

The Team Cup has been getting shared a bit more the last few weeks. Just as MSCC owned the rights to it, Shut Up and Drive It nabbed it for a few consecutive weeks, only to have TN SCCA grab it for another week here and there.

If you haven't seen the MSCC iRacing broadcasts, you are missing out. Head on over to YouTube, search for MSCC or Zane Plumley Motorsports and enjoy a new race each Friday.

The next report will have the conclusion to Season 2 with a lot of iRacing trash talking for the monthly events as 10 digital league members pull double duty between the two types of racing.

Thanks for reading and the support of the club to continue our league.

iRacing Update BY Zane Plumley



Race Report BY Juney Thompson

Mother's Day. A day... for mothers. My middle school science class taught me that we all have at least mother in our lifetimes. Based on that fact, we, the Martin Sports Car Club, dedicate one day a year to those often underappreciated ladies (and Arnold Schwarzenegger in that one movie). Thank you to all the moms for all you do and I hope you all enjoy this very motherly RACE REPORT!

Our annual Mother's Day event took place at our Motherland – Lake Tech. In honor of this tremendous occasion, Mother Nature made the weather absolutely gorgeous. Bright skies and nice temps in the mid 80's – can't ask for better. The course was a variation of a classic fan favorite - designed by Club Historian, Chris Wells! Great times were had all around!

In the notable notes that were noted to me, since I wasn't there personally:

- In STR, our Club Prez, Erik Mayer, loaned his noble steed out to 2020 Tiger Champ Mark Burt and the aforementioned Chris Wells! Both Chris and Mark out-paced Erik in his own car. To that, all I can say is, I know them feels, bruh.
- Sticking with STR, man it was a-poppin!! We had 14 entries in that feisty class – with Gene Van Glahn taking the top spot as well as 3rd in both Raw time and PAX
- Speaking of PAX, Mr. Robert Palmblad in his beautiful blue AWD monster took the overall PAX win as well as TTD – beating out John Giddens in his Caterham. No small feat, that!
- Special shout out to Zac Saubert for placing 2nd in PAX with his GS Focus ST. Great driving!
- In CAMC, the prodigal son has returned! Our webmeister, Scott McGlone, has returned to action in his Llama GT. Scott just barely lost out to the always quick Timothy Engle. But beyond that, Scott had a very close battle with Kevin Stranaland, who has seemingly found some serious speed! CAMC is a-rockin', baby!! (bald eagle screech, explosion, explosion, explosion)
- In STU, the boys from Shut Up and Drive It came out in force and had a great little scrap! Bjorn Stange was the winner of that class, with Skyler Gragg close behind.
- In ES, the mighty Scott Swartz won out over Eric Orr by the slimmest of margins – 0.014, to be exact! What makes that even more impressive is that the winning time came from Scott's first run!!
- In our Novice class, Paul Randle put a whoopin on the rest of the field, winning by 1.125 seconds! Great work Paul and welcome to regular classing!!

And that will bring a close to this month's Race Report. See you all in Lake Tech in June, were I will actually be in attendance. It will probably be warm. As most mothers would say, "Make sure you wear your sunscreen and bring plenty of water to drink".

Or, as MY mother would say, "You're dumb as a mule and twice as ugly. If a strange man offers you a ride, I say take it." I'm assuming she meant to take advantage of co-drives.

Business Index

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- Circuit Motorsports 290 Iris Road, Casselberry 407-325-2176
- Performance Tire/Wheel 630 S Volusia Ave, Orange City 386-228-2500

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- Patio Grill 2900 S Orlando Dr, Sanford 407-322-3000

Other Services

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- Porsche Club of America www.pca.org 410-381-0924

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June 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 GM @ Patio Grill	4	5
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27	28	29	30			

Coming events— Please see page 3 for more details!



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