

# 1. 2022 MWTS Membership Fees

- a. Membership fee is \$200.00. This fee is for membership and Purse Snatchers Championship points.
- b. If a member brings in a sponsor of \$500 or more, their 2022 membership fee is waived.
- c. The MWTS Membership fee must be PAID before the first round of qualifying of the FIRST race that you want to receive MWTS membership points and FULL Payouts. NO EXCEPTIONS!!
- d. New members may join at any time during the season please see a MWTS representative before the first round of qualifying.
- e. Non-MWTS Members can race for full payout with an increased entry fee. If a non-MWTS Member wins a race their membership fee of \$200 will be deducted from the race winnings.

## 2. 2022 MWTS Race Entry Fees

- a. The 2022 MWTS member race day entry fee is \$125.00 made payable to MWTS before the 1<sup>st</sup> qualifier.
- b. The 2022 MWTS non-member race day entry fee is \$200.00 made payable to MWTS before the 1<sup>st</sup> qualifier.
- c. Drivers will also be required to pay any hosting track tech/run card fees and/or entry fees. This is your reasonability to pay these fees to the hosting track.
- d. MWTS will have a designated location at one of the MWTS director's trailers to pay your MWTS race day entry fee member (\$125.00)/ non-member (\$200). MWTS will let the members know which MWTS director will be collecting the fees. It's the member responsibility to pay the MWTS race entry fee BEFORE the 1<sup>st</sup> qualifier on race day. The MWTS race entry fee MUST BE PAID BEFORE 1<sup>st</sup> ROUND QUALIFING. You cannot make the 1<sup>st</sup> qualifying pass to see if you will qualify and then come and pay the entry fee. No Exceptions.
- e. If a member doesn't make the 1<sup>st</sup> qualifying pass or arrives to the track after the 1st round of qualifying, you can pay your MWTS entry fee before the 2nd round of qualifying. This is the only exception.
- f. Once a non-member or MWTS member enters the burn out box MWTS entry fees will not be refunded.
- g. If a race is rained out or canceled prior to eliminations MWTS will refund the MWTS entry fee. Hosting tracks will refund any track and run card fees per the hosting tracks refund policy.

### 3. MWTS Membership Forms

- a. New and current MWTS members must fill out an annual MWTS membership form before the first race they participate.
- b. We request the MWTS members also provide a high-resolution photograph of their car for the website and MWTS Facebook site.
- c. New and current MWTS members must fill out a W-9 Tax form for the MWTS treasurers yearend report. This information is confidential and will not be shared with anyone besides the MWTS treasurer and member.

#### 4. MWTS Members Race Vehicles

- a. MWTS will be run under NHRA divisional rules for Top Sportsman (only exception is MWTS will re-ladder prior to 1st round if any broken cars cannot make the call. This is to eliminate the possibility of an excessive amount of bye runs and to put on a better show for the spectators.)
- b. Your race vehicle must be able to pass a NHRA/IHRA and hosting track tech inspection. You should be prepared for tech inspection at any hosting track as MWTS itself does not conduct <u>tech inspections</u>.
- c. MWTS will qualify with a 32 car field with min dial of 7.99 (1/4 mile) and 5.49 (1/8 mile) per div3 rules.

### 5. MWTS Sponsors

- a. The MWTS membership decal MUST be on the MWTS members race vehicle. Any MWTS member vehicle, NOT DISPLAYING, the required decals: who wins, runner-up's, or is in any round money, will not be paid as a MWTS member!
- b. It is the MWTS members responsibility to see that you have the required MWTS decals. If MWTS is out of the required decals, it will be noted that you came to get one and you will be considered as being in compliance with the rule.
- c. Any other sponsor <u>donating</u> money, who has decals, can request that we display their decals, but WILL NOT be required. We would however, encourage you to do so. All of our sponsors, no matter how much they donate, are generously supporting our association and MWTS payouts. Please acknowledge them by displaying their decals and saying THANK-YOU!!



# 6. Track Rules

- a. The hosting tracks will notify MWTS of the qualifying and elimination time schedule. MWTS does not set the schedule on race day. Times may change at any moment due to weather or other track delays out of our control. Please be ready to pull/ drive to the staging lanes when MWTS is called. Please start heading to the staging lanes on the first call by the track officials. Waiting to the last second only makes us look bad and irritates the track officials.
- b. You will get a stand-by call. You will have approximately 10 minutes from the first call to the lanes to be lined up and paired in staging.
- c. If we are at a double race weekend, and there are NO QUALIFING PASSES for the 2nd day, there are NO SHAKEDOWNS ALLOWED.
- d. If you have a mechanical problem and need more time, you should find a MWTS representative and explain the situation. They will inform the track officials that we need a little more time for you. Please keep in mind that the MWTS representatives are racers too. They will appoint someone to go up to the tower if they are not able. It will be up to the hosting track to decide if additional time can be allowed. This decision will be made by the hosting track and not MWTS. Hosting tracks have requested that MWTS members do not go to the tower to make this request only the appointed MWTS director.
- e. We all have bad days at the races. Please try and hold your emotions until your back to your trailer or motor home. Please consider that there might be sponsors, spectators, children, roaming through our pits and watching in the stands that can see and hear you. There could also be potential sponsors, for YOU and MWTS!!
- f. If a MWTS member has a complaint or feels they have been mistreated they must wait 24 hours before contact is made to the MWTS directors. On race days members are very competitive and tempers flare. MWTS believes cooler heads prevail and we will work together to rectify any situation on both the race track and pits after 24 hours.

### 7. <u>MWTS Race Payouts</u>

- a. Any racer who is not a MWTS member, and does not want to join, will be paid full purse money except any MWTS bonus money at one race per calendar year. Non-members will not receive any Purse Snatchers Points. Any additional races that calendar year will only be paid purse money and will not receive any Purse Snatchers Points.
- b. You must be a MWTS member to receive any Bonus money or Purse Snatcher Points.
- c. Non-Members that WIN a race will have their membership deducted from the non-bonus winning purse.
- d. ALL PAYOUTS ARE GUARANTEED BY MWTS. Payout sheets are available to all members and nonmembers.

#### 8. Purse Snatchers Points

- a. MWTS will keep track of Purse Snatcher Points for each race. Points will be updated on a timely fashion after the race event is completed.
- b. If you have paid your entry at the gate, and it rains, too cold, or whatever the track has deemed reasonable to cancel the race, you will get 10 points for attendance.
- c. If a scheduled race is rained out or canceled by the hosting track and racers have paid the track entry fee the MWTS member will receive 10 attendance points (if canceled prior to race day no points will be distributed).
- d. Racers must be a MWTS member to receive Purse Snatcher Points and Championship money.
- e. The Top 5 in points at the end of the race season will be awarded Championship Trophies and 1<sup>st</sup> place will receive MWTS Champion Jacket.
- f. Points will be awarded in the following format.
  - 10 points for Race Attendance
  - Round 1 Win 11 points Round 2 Win 12 points
  - Round 3 Win 13 points
  - Round 4 Win 14 points
  - Round 5 Win 15 points
- g. For the 2022 MWTS race series there will be eight scheduled races. All eight races will count toward the Purse Snatchers Points. If the race has completed round 1 and there is a rain-out round points will be awarded until the race is canceled. Points will only be awarded for completed rounds and members will only be awarded points for round wins.

THANK-YOU AND HAVE A GREAT 2022 SEASON!!

