

## Safety Rules for Driver Education Events

### General Information

1. The purpose of a Driver Education (DE) event is to have fun and learn high speed car control under controlled conditions. You will have a lot more fun if you and your car return home on Sunday in the same condition you arrived. **THIS IS NOT RACING!!**
2. All participants, drivers and observers must have signed the waiver and have a wristband.
3. For your safety and the safety of others, all cars participating in a DE event must have passed a GPR Technical Inspection. It is your responsibility to make sure your car is in good mechanical condition, which you should monitor in the course of the event. A tech sheet can be downloaded from the GPR website.
4. You will be assigned a Run Group. Run Groups are assigned by car type and driver experience. You may only run in your assigned group. If you wish to change groups, you must speak to the Safety Chair for approval. Numbered run group stickers should be affixed to the middle windshield area or left rear window. GPR tech stickers are affixed to the upper left corner of the windshield.
5. No riders are allowed unless one is a registered event participant and the other a PCA instructor.
6. Driver and passenger restraints must be equivalent. If two people are to ride in a car, the restraint systems must be equivalent. If the driver has a 5-6 point harness, the passenger must also have a 5-6 point harness. As of January 1, 2016, if you have a 5-6 point harnesses, you and your passenger must also use a Head and Neck Restraint System (HANS).
7. Windows are normally run in the down position.
8. All loose objects must be removed from the car and trunk. In-car cameras, timing devices, etc. must be securely fastened in the car and not obstruct the driver's view.
9. Side mirrors should be adjusted so that one "just loses" the sides of the car. This helps to minimize blind spots while out on the track.
10. Driving attire ideally should be all cotton, closed toe flat bottom tennis shoes or driving shoes, long pants and long or short sleeved cotton shirt.
11. Helmets must be Snell rated SA 2015 or newer.

### GPR Passing Rules

1. All passing is by contract. No passing is allowed unless the appropriate signal is given by the lead car.
2. Passing is on the left only and with a "point by", i.e., using your arm out the window to point the passer by with a "point by" for each car you want to let pass.