



Mitch Lewis photo

Laura Molleker took the F Stock Ladies crown when the National Tour made its annual visit to Packwood on July 11 and 12. Husband Stacey won F Stock in the same Ford Shelby GT.

Solo's in midst of high season

The Solo season kicked into high gear on the weekend of April 4 and 5 at Bremerton Motorsports Park with Drift and Solo novice schools on Saturday, and Event No. 1 on Sunday. The weather gods smiled, and we had sunny weather both days. Nearly 100 students attended the two novice schools, and Sunday's event had 229 entries.

The 2009 schedule is in place with four events, two practices and two regional pro solos at Packwood and four regional events at BMP. As usual, we'll be hosting a National Tour, National ProSolo and the Evolution Driving School, all in Packwood, July 11-19.

DANCING WITH CONES

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Check the detailed schedule at www.nwr-scca.org/solo/Schedule.asp.

On the national scene, The Wenderover ProSolo April 25 and 26 had strong participation by NWR soloists, who were instrumental in getting the event on the calendar, following cancellation of a California ProSolo due to loss of the site. Kudos to Jerry Lamb for leading charge.

2009 Solo schedule

July 18 and 19, National Pro Solo, Packwood, Hampton Mills

Aug. 15, open practice, Packwood, Hampton Mills

Aug. 16, Event No. 7, Packwood, Hampton Mills

Oct. 4, Event No. 8, Bremerton Motorsports Park

2008 was the last year for the "Road to Topeka" tag line for Solo nationals, since we'll no longer be at Heartland Park in Topeka, Kan. The 2009 National Championship will be in Lincoln, Neb., at Lincoln Airpark. The new site looks exciting, with lots of space for paddock, grid and courses. Plus, it's an almost 200 miles shorter drive from Seattle! Also, the dates are moved up two weeks, so the ProSolo Finale will begin on Sept. 5.

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