



ROSE CUP

MAY 30-31

FAMILY FISHING POND @ COLUMBIA PARK, KENNEWICK, WA

The 2026 Meyers Auto Tech Championship Series Powered by Rattlesnake RC turns back to the Tri-Cities for the fourth race of the season, the Champion Spark Plug Regatta! This one is extra special, as the H1 Unlimited "Spring Training" event is on Saturday at the Columbia River, about 300 yards away. Check out all you need to know for this action-packed weekend!

LOCATION

[Family Fishing Pond, Columbia Park, Kennewick, WA](#)

SCHEDULE

Subject to change

Saturday, May 30	8:00 AM 9:00 AM-5:00 PM	Trailer arrives on site, race site setup begins General testing (will last as needed)
Sunday, May 31	8:00 AM-9:30 AM 9:30 AM-9:45 AM 9:45 AM-Rest of Day	General testing Drivers' Meeting Rose Cup

RACE CONTEST DIRECTOR

Brandt Family

DEFENDING RACE WINNERS (2024)

Kirk Maupin, 1977 Miss Esquire Products, Nitro

Dave Brandt, 1987 Eliminator, FE

Dave Brandt, 1983 KISW Miss Rock, Gas

RACE CLASSES

1/8th scale nitro, 1/8th scale electric (FE), 1/6.67th scale gas (Gas Scale), 1/10th scale electric*

*1/10th scale electric will contest under R/CU's "Invitation to Race Policy" and will race assuming there are at least 3 entries.

RACE FORMAT

Nitro, FE, and gas scale classes will have 4 preliminary heats.

1/10th scale electric will have 3 preliminary heats.



1/8th scale nitro and 1/8th scale electric: Top 6 boats make the final. Next 6 boats make the 1st consolation, with the winner advancing to the final as a trailer. No 2nd consolation races. The CD has the option of revising this, as announced at the drivers' meeting.

Gas Scale: Top 5 boats make the final. Next 6 boats make the 1st consolation, with the winner advancing to the final as a trailer. No 2nd consolation races. The CD has the option of revising this, as announced at the drivers' meeting.

1/10th scale electric: Top 7 boats make the final. Depending on entries the CD may elect to run a "juniors" class and a "veterans" class. The CD has the option of revising this, as announced at the drivers' meeting.

RACE REGISTRATION COSTS

A driver is allowed to submit multiple entries in any class. First entry is \$20, with any additional entry is \$5 (regardless of class). Junior racers (under the age of 18) will be \$5 per entry. Race entries are paid Sunday morning via cash (please bring exact change) or credit card.

NEW BOATS

As a reminder, the R/CU rulebook states that new boats must be inspected and complete 5 laps to transition from developmental status to competition status, and this process cannot occur on the day of the race (Sunday). Please contact R/CU inspector, Jim Whyte, for any exemptions or questions regarding this.

NEW DRIVERS

It is heavily encouraged that drivers that have not competed in R/CU before attend Saturday practice to become qualified as a new driver.