



ISSA 2007 Contest Sanction Application Rev 2.0

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Date of Contest:

August 25, 2007

Title of Contest:

Huntington Outlaw Summer Series Race #2

Location of Contest:

Crooked Creek, Charleston, WV
(contact organizer for details)

Number and type of events at this contest (hybrid, tight, etc):

Single Lane GS

Sanction status desired (Basic, Prime, Main, Major, Worlds)

Basic

**Classes of competitors:
(Pro/Am, Open, Jr, Women,
etc)**

Open

**# Of runs per competitor,
qualification method,
bracketing method:**

Winners will be decided on the
best of three runs.

Permits, insurance, arrangements for road closures, etc:

This is an outlaw race with a skate at your own risk understanding. The hill itself is currently closed, but has been newly paved and is in a pretty secluded area.

Prizes and value of prizes to be awarded:

This race will be the second of a series of races held around the Huntington area with points for the series being independently kept throughout the summer and a series winner to be awarded in the Fall. While primarily pride is on the line, local racer and owner of Marc's Board Shop, Marc Fuentes, has said he would award a bit of schwag for prizes.

Venue description (surface, pitch, length, cone distance, etc). Please describe the hill and course as completely as possible:

The newly paved road is in great condition with a steady and steep grade. I have never skated this road, but from scouting reports, it looks and sounds like a great spot for GS. See Photos for visual details.

From the Top:



From the Bottom:



Venue attractions (local attractions for non-skaters):

A concise summary can be found at <http://www.wvvisit.org/pages/attract2.htm>

Press Coverage:

Given the grass-roots/outlaw nature of this race, not much press coverage, other than online discussion will be available.

Competitor amenities (lodging, meals, gifts, etc.):

<http://www.wvvisit.org/pages/lodging.htm>. Skaters are also welcome to stay at a number of local skaters' houses.

Race Equipment (ramps, timing, displays, safety gear, etc.):

Helmets are required, full pads are GREATLY encouraged, timing will be done with a Trakmate timer. To encourage first-time racers and those new to the sport, this will be a push-start race.

Race Personnel (experience, training, etc) Please include Contest Organizer and contact info:

Leonard Poage (contact info.above), will be the main organizer; and given the grass-roots nature of it, many other members of the West Virginia Chapter of the DHB will help as well.

Spectators (expected number, other attractions for spectators, provision for, etc.)

Not many spectators will be expected aside from friends and family members of the racers.

Rules: Describe any exceptions to the ISSA rules, clarification of rules, equipment allowed or restricted (e.g. 6-wheels), competitors allowed or restricted, and any other special rules that

will apply to this contest.

No restrictions

Contest Description:

In an effort to expand slalom skateboarding with a special focus on the local scene, and to give local skaters experience in a race setting, we are organizing the Huntington-area Outlaw Slalom Series (HOSS). This will consist of several (tentatively one per month) races. Each race will be at a different location. Racers will be awarded series points based on the results of each race. While the focus of these events is expanding the local scene, I also would love to get these races sanctioned and use this as a chance to get skaters from out of town to come race with us to accomplish two major tasks: a) introduce local skaters to the slalom scene at-large, b) learn from the different scenes. On a personal note, I'm using this series to practice organizing races in preparation for the "big race" I'm organizing, the Kentucky Fried Cone Fest, in September.

Race Event #1 description:

This will be a single-lane GS race with cones spaced pretty far apart.