

2017 Colorado Dwarf Cars Membership Form

The membership for each year for each car is \$50. This will allow the car owner one vote and one driver for the car. For each additional driver, there is a \$30 fee per driver. A person who is a non-owner and non-driver can join the club as an associate member for \$10. Only the car owner can vote in club decisions and have one vote per each registered dwarf car they own, the car has to complete at least one full green flag lap during the most recent race season, and you must pay the next year's membership fees prior to voting in the next year. Your application form will be reviewed and you will be contacted within 2 days in regards to acceptance. The membership period is from November 1st to October 31st.

The member application has 3 sections. **Section 1** requests specific information related to you and your dwarf car. **Section 2** states the **Code of Conduct** that all Colorado Dwarf Car members are expected to follow. **Section 3** states the **Dwarf Car Spirit**. All three sections must be signed and dated that you have read the section, understood the section, and that you will acknowledge that failure to provide correct information for Section 1 or failure to abide by the Code of Conduct (Section 2) and Dwarf Car Spirit (Section 3), you may be penalized to include but not be limited to loss of points for the race event and possibly for all points accumulated throughout the year, loss of purse, suspension, and or removal from Colorado Dwarf Car membership for the current and/or future years.

Section 1 - Owner, Driver, and Car Information

Car Owner: Full Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Email Address: _____
Phone #: _____

Car Driver: Full Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Email Address: _____
Phone #: _____
Birth Date: _____

Car: Requested Car #: _____
Requested Cartoon Character: _____
Car Make and Year Representation: _____
Engine Year, Make, CC, and Serial Number: _____
Chassis Manufacturer: _____

Membership Application:

Once a new member has submitted their initial application and payment is made for that application, the owner and or driver is then placed on probation for a minimum of 10 main event races. At any time during this probation period the Board of Directors, by majority vote, can deny the application and the owner and or driver will not be allowed to participate with the CDC. After their probation period any member can still be voted out of the club by a majority vote of the active club members.

My signature below confirms that I have read the Colorado Dwarf Rule Book and understand it and will abide by it. My signature below also confirms that the above information related to the dwarf car, car owner, and car driver is accurate. My signature below also confirms that I understand the Membership Application paragraph above.

Car Owner: _____ Date: _____

Car Driver: _____ Date: _____

Section 2 - Code of Conduct

In order to help insure safe and fair competition in the Colorado Dwarf Car club, all Colorado Dwarf Car members and visitors from other dwarf car clubs, dwarf car owners, dwarf car drivers, dwarf car pit crew and dwarf car fans are expected to follow the following code of conduct. Failure to follow the code of conduct may result in loss of points for the race event and/or accumulated for the current year, loss of purse, fines, suspension, and/or removal from current and/or future membership to Colorado Dwarf Cars and participation in Colorado Dwarf Car events.

Rule Interpretation:

Anything not expressly authorized by these rules is prohibited. Final interpretation of these rules is the responsibility of the Colorado Dwarf Cars Board of Directors.

Driver Responsibility:

The driver shall be responsible for the actions of his/her entire pit crew that are with the car. The driver shall be the sole spokesperson for the car and pit crew in any and all matters pertaining to the race, and only the driver shall take part in any arbitration with the race officials in charge.

Inappropriate Behavior:

The following are examples of inappropriate behavior. This is not to be construed as the complete list but a list of examples. Behavior not listed below can be designated as inappropriate by a majority vote of the Colorado Dwarf Cars Board of Directors. The Colorado Dwarf Cars Board of Directors will also be responsible for determining the penalties due to their determination of the gravity of the inappropriate behavior.

Examples of Inappropriate Behavior: providing false information, yelling, cussing, approaching people in a threatening manner, fighting, leaving your pit area to confront anyone in an area other than your pit area, rough driving, Colorado Dwarf Car and or the track's rules violation, contacting track promoters on an issue without first bringing that issue to the Colorado Dwarf Cars Board of Directors.

Penalties:

Normally the first offense within the membership period is a warning and will be sent via email to the car owner and the car driver. However, the Colorado Dwarf Cars Board of Directors have the right to assign additional penalties to the first offense due to the gravity of the inappropriate behavior. Subsequent cases of inappropriate behavior will have additional penalties such as fines, loss of points for the race event and/or accumulated points for the season, suspension, and removal of membership from Colorado Dwarf Cars for the membership period and/or future membership periods. All financial penalties have to be paid in cash to the Colorado Dwarf Cars President before the start of the next Colorado Dwarf Car pit meeting at the next race the owner and/or driver plans to race with Colorado Dwarf Cars. Penalties with each infraction will grow in severity. An owner's or driver's slate related to previously assigned penalties, will be reset to blank/zero only after the owner, driver, and offending person completes the next full membership period without any infractions and the Colorado Dwarf Cars Board of Directors by majority vote approval to have the slate cleared. Until that majority vote is taken, offenses from membership period to membership period are considered consecutive and the slate continues into the next membership period.

Communicating Issues:

Each Colorado Dwarf Car member has the right to communicate their issues to the Colorado Dwarf Cars Board of Directors. The issue must be sent via email to board@coloradodwarfcars.org no later than midnight MTN time on the Wednesday following the incident date. Any issues sent

after this time deadline will not be responded to. The issue needs to describe the incident in as much detail as possible and clear define who the offender was. The Colorado Dwarf Cars President will respond to your email with an anticipated date for which a final response will be issued by the Colorado Dwarf Cars Board of Directors.

My signature below confirms that I have read the Code of Conduct and understand it and will abide by it.

Car Owner: _____ Date: _____

Car Driver: _____ Date: _____

Section 3 - Dwarf Car Spirit

Dwarf car racers have a fine history of being supportive of the club they belong to as well as neighboring clubs. We are supportive to our racing club members. The Dwarf car racer understands that we are out to have a fun, safe, and a competitive time. We understand that things can go wrong and that we have to be reasonable and professional in how we deal with the challenges we are faced. We strive to help our club members to get them back onto the track because we understand that the show that the fans see is only possible through our efforts to make the show enjoyable to watch.

My signature below confirms that I have read the Dwarf Car Spirit and understand it and will abide by it.

Car Owner: _____ Date: _____

Car Driver: _____ Date: _____

Once filled out, please give it and your membership fee to the current Treasurer of CDC. Check our website to see who the current treasurer is at the Leaders link off the home page.