



2026 STOCK 4 FWD RULES

All rules and regulations state herein are subject to the interpretation of the Newport Speedway officials. Newport Speedway reserves the right to add, delete, or modify any rule(s) at any time.

Newport Speedway officials shall be empowered to permit minor deviations from any of the specifications or impose any further restrictions that in his/her opinion does not alter the minimum acceptable requirements.

2026 Stock 4 FWD Technical Data

This class is intended to be an entry level racing class. Any component not listed in these rules must be completely stock. Any and all modifications must be approved by Newport Speedway Officials. Rules may be amended at any time during the season in the interest of fair competition.

GENERAL

1. RACECIEVER WILL BE REQUIRED!
2. All drivers must be 14 years of age or older. Drivers under 18 years of age must have signed minors release requiring parent or guardian signature.
3. A mandatory meeting for all drivers will be held in the pit tech shed each race
4. All cars are subject to tech inspection as deemed suitable by Newport Speedway officials. Decisions are final regarding the safety and legality of cars.

CAR BODIES

1. Any four-cylinder car, four passenger front wheel drive. No two seat vehicles allowed.
2. Vehicles with T tops or sunroofs must be covered with 16-gauge sheet metal.
3. Bodies must be gutted for fuel cells, trunk lids, and speaker decks may be removed.
4. Doors must be welded shut.
5. All glass, plastic, and flammable non-metal interior trim must be removed. Dashboards may remain. If removed, must be replaced with crossbar.
6. All airbags must be removed.
7. All glass must be removed. Lexan FULL windshield required
8. Stock bumpers and covers only. May plate ends to fenders for no hook effect. Aftermarket nose pieces are allowed but must be conformed to fit as reasonable and near factory dimensions. No push bar to extend outside of bumpers or be on the nose piece.
9. Full window nets are mandatory.

SUSPENSION

1. No racing shocks or adjustable springs
2. 5 inch minimum ride height, unibody measured at bottom of pants well on left side of car, partial frame/full frame measured at bottom of left side frame rail.
3. Springs must mount in factory mounts. no spaces or rubber to alter spring weight.
4. No altering or modifying suspension mounting points/no heim joints.
5. 2° camber only allowed.
6. No aftermarket, adjustable control arms. Factory items to remain on suspension.
7. Trailing arms shall remain stock unaltered. Uncut must be stock length.
8. No four wheel steer. Rear steer must be disabled.

ENGINE

1. Engine size and specifications must be stock for year make and model.
2. Cold air intakes are allowed.
3. No machining, grinding, porting of any engine component.
4. Engine computers must be stock for year make and model. Factory seals must be intact.
5. No mix matching engine components. Engine head must match engine block.
6. Carburetor must be the stock carburetor and stock CFM for make and model
7. 170hp max

EXHAUST

1. Aftermarket headers are allowed
2. Exhaust is recommended to exit behind driver and away from fuel tank

WHEELS

1. stock wheels including aluminum or steel for DOT
2. 13x7 race wheels allowed for Hoosier tires
3. No weights are to be left on wheels.

TIRES

1. All vehicles must run either track approved Hoosier tires or DOT approved tires only.
2. All four tires must match in size

WEIGHT

1. 1lb per cc

PROTEST

1. Top 5 can protest ahead of you only
2. Pull valve cover \$75
3. Pull oil pan \$200
4. Pull head \$300

ECU BUY RULE

1. \$125 buy rule on ecu; anyone in top 5 can claim the ecu on the car that finishes in front of them
2. If you do not sell your ecu, you will be disqualified with no pay; 2nd offense you will be banned for two weeks; 3rd offense we will ask you to leave and not come back for the current season

ENGINE BUY RULE

1. \$600 buy rule on engine; anyone in top 5 can claim the engine on the car that finishes in front of them
2. If you do not sell your engine, you will be disqualified with no pay; 2nd offense you will be banned for two weeks; 3rd offense we will ask you to leave and not come back for the current season

SAFETY

1. Racing seat required.
2. Four point racing belts required. Belts must be in good working order, not frayed, torn, etc.
3. Fire suit is required as well as fire rated shoes and gloves
4. Batter may remain stock. Location is moved, must be in secured battery box if inside the vehicle.
5. Fire extinguisher is mandatory in all vehicles!

OTHER

1. Transponder must be mounted on the right side under body of the vehicle behind the right rear axle hub. Transponder must be mounted in an area to minimize damage to transponder. Do not cut structural members to attain a clear path to the ground transponder operation. Will be verified during practice/qualifying.
2. Cars must have a visible number on each side and on the roof
3. We want everything to be as cheap as possible to race this class as it's meant to be a beginner class. We will not deal with wrecking and tearing each other's cars up every weekend. You will be asked to leave.
4. Newport Speedway has the discretion to modify these rules at any time in order to keep this beginner class fair and affordable.