



## **WMRRA News**

**January 2026**

*Catching up with developments and announcements to keep you in the know!*

### **Let's start with a recap from the last few months:**

#### **2025 Banquet**

We celebrated our 2025 banquet at a unique venue, the Hazard Factory, located in Southpark. The food was great, lighting was a bit iffy, but overall, the event was a hit! As always, we had an energetic MC for the evening, Mark Degross. The night was fun, lively and well attended. Many thanks to the volunteers that helped put it together!



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#### **2025 Champions**

Here's how the points were awarded for the 2025 season:

2025 OVERALL SEASON CHAMPIONS	
1 <sup>st</sup> - Kevin Pinkstaff	
2 <sup>nd</sup> -John Gessner	
3 <sup>rd</sup> -Brian Pinkstaff	
4 <sup>th</sup> - Adam Faussett	
5 <sup>th</sup> - Sawyer Lafayette	

  

CLASS OVERALL CHAMPIONS	
160 Vintage Matthew Winter	250 Ninja Cup Brian Burchill
750 Vintage Perry Lund	450 Superbike Adam Faussett
<b>Heavyweight Classic</b> Marc Brown	600 Superbike John Gessner
600 Supersport John Gessner	Formula Female Vanessa Walters
Formula 600 John Gessner	Formula Ultra Kevin Pinkstaff
Formula 40 CJ Hobbs	Middleweight Supersport David Verdecchia
Middleweight Superbike Oliver Jervis	Middleweight GP Chris Wilcox
Lightweight Superbike Sawyer Lafayette	Lightweight Supersport Sawyer Lafayette
Open Supersport Brian Pinkstaff	Open Superbike Kevin Pinkstaff
Ultra Lightweight Supersport Sean O'Banion	Ultra-Lightweight GP Sean O'Banion

## **Kickstands Up!**



In December, WMRRA was honored with an award for its contribution to the motorcycling community in the PNW from the Museum of History and Industry (MOHAI), in Seattle. The 'Day of Champions' was a fun event that celebrated those individuals and organizations that have achieved greatness and have been vital to our community as well as highlighting the museum's exhibit "Kickstands Up". The exhibit runs through April, and you can see contributions from motorcycle legends as well as WMRRA and fellow racers on display. Highly recommended.

## **Now for 2026 and things to come:**

### **2026 Race Schedule:**

2026 RACE SCHEDULES	
	
<b>APRIL 17-19 @ RIDGE</b> 2X WMRRA POINTS!	
<b>MAY 1-3 @ PIR</b> + NEW RACER SCHOOL	<b>MAY 1-3 @ PIR</b>
<b>JUNE 5-7 @ PIR CHICANE</b>	<b>JUNE 5-7 @ PIR CHICANE</b>
<b>JUNE 19-21 @ RIDGE</b>	<b>JUNE 19-21 @ RIDGE</b>
	<b>JULY 17-19 @ RIDGE</b>
<b>JUL 31-AUG 2 @ PIR CHICANE</b>	<b>JUL 31-AUG 2 @ PIR CHICANE</b>
<b>AUG 28-30 @ RIDGE</b>	<b>AUG 28-30 @ RIDGE</b>
<b>SEPT 11-13 @ PACIFIC</b>	<b>SEPT 11-13 @ PACIFIC</b> 2X WMRRA POINTS!
THE FRIDAY BEFORE EACH RACE WEEKEND IS A TRACK DAY. CHECK OMRRA.COM AND WMRRA.COM FOR DETAILS.	

## ***Website Updates:***

You may have noticed that we did a lot of updating and revising of our website. One of the biggest updates we have made is providing a “**Racer Request Form**” which provides a way to get connected with WMRRA to learn more about racing and how to get started. Since it’s addition to our site, we have received over 60 requests forms! While not all requests will end up racing with us, it is a great indication of interest and that we are actively connecting with everyone that reaches out!

Note: We also created one for Volunteers, so feel free to send folks to our website for more information.

Additionally, you will find we are continuing to update documents on our website including the newest/updated Rulebook—PLEASE take some time to read up on the changes made for this year.

## ***New Racer School (NRS)***

NRS has been scheduled and posted. Let’s get the word out!

### **Saturday, March 7th, 2026**

Time: 0900-1200

#### **Location:**

Cascade Tire & Racing Services  
31216 144th Ave SE Unit 110  
Kent, WA 98042

*This session Classroom Session is FREE and all are welcome to learn more about racing and the process for getting started with WMRRA. (The Track Portion of NRS will be April 17th, at the Ridge Motorsports Park)*

### ***Sponsors are being finalized for the 2026 season:***

We have had great interest in sponsorship this year! We will be announcing each sponsor individually starting in February, so stay tuned! If you, your business, or someone you know would like to be a sponsor for the 2026 season, time is running out to be included in our promotional printing (posters, etc). Have them reach out to your [2ndvp@wmrra.com](mailto:2ndvp@wmrra.com) , Tico Sandoval asap.

### ***Marketing/Promotions need your help:***

We want to get the word out for this year’s race schedule. To that end we are making Race Schedule Posters for 2026. These will be distributed to local shops, businesses, etc. If you would like some to post and/or know of a business that would be willing to post—please send an email to [2ndvp@wmrra.com](mailto:2ndvp@wmrra.com) to get you on the distribution list. (We will have posters available at each round as supplies last). Additionally, if you know of local events, meetups, motorcycle venues that post events etc. that we can share our race schedule with, please let your [2ndvp@wmrra.com](mailto:2ndvp@wmrra.com) know!

*If you would like to contribute to future WMRRA News articles, updates or be a part of the team to spread the word... let us know!*