Rules for 2021 Baja 500 Controlled Access Areas

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Controlled Access to SCORE Compound

Like many places in the U.S., and worldwide, Baja California has experienced numerous challenges because of the COVID-19 situation. The Baja 500 will be conducted under the strict health guidelines of a government approved Biosecurity Protocol. The use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and social distancing will be required and NO spectators will be allowed in the SCORE compound located on Libramiento Ensenada and accessed off Hwy 3 (Ensenada-Tecate Hwy). See Directions to *SCORE Compound* map under Race Info>Baja 500 logo on our website.

All persons eligible for access to the SCORE Compound must register with SCORE, sign waivers, and receive SCORE Baja 500 wristbands. Masks or helmets and wristband must be worn at all times. It is the responsibility of each team member to read, understand, and follow these Bio-Security requirements. Failure to sign waivers, be banded, and follow health protocols will result in persons being removed from the restricted areas and can result in 15-minute penalties to a registered team for each infraction.

In addition to banded race participants, each team may request wristbands for up to four (4) essential team persons. An essential team person is someone absolutely necessary to service or repair the race vehicle or is extremely important to the operation of the race team. No essential team person can be under the age of 10.

Note: Refer to the Baja 500 Finish Area section regarding use of one (1) special band that will be provided to each team.

Registration Access

The on-site Registration area is limited to persons entering the race as a participant and up to four (4) Essential Team Persons. All must sign waivers and obtain a race weekend wristband.

Essential team persons do not have to attend registration if they pre-sign the *Controlled Access Area* waiver form. Simply print this waiver form from the SCORE website, (select Race Info> Baja 500 logo>Waivers), and have up to four (4) persons sign this form. Bring these signed Controlled Access waiver forms to Registration when you register.

All signatures **must be original**, you cannot have anyone sign for others. When you present the waiver form(s) to Registration, if any signature appears to not be original, you will not receive a wristband for that person.

All participants and essential team persons must sign waivers and be banded by the close of onsite registration, Friday, June 16th at 4:00pm.

There will be NO WRISTBANDS AVAILBLE AT THE FINISH AREA ENTRANCE.

Controlled Access waiver forms are also available for pickup in the SCORE Ensenada office.

For registration assistance contact Audreonna at 775-852-8907 or registration@score-international.com

Tech/Contingency Access

Only banded race participants and banded essential team members will be permitted in the SCORE Compound on Friday. **No** spectators will be allowed. You must go to registration prior to placing your vehicle at the entrance to Tech. If your team has not registered, you will be placed to the side and will not be allowed to continue until registration is complete.

The top 10 Trophy Truck points leaders will start the Tech line on Friday at 8:00 am.

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Baja 500 Start Area

Located on Libramiento Ensenada and accessed off Hwy 3 (Ensenada-Tecate Hwy). See Directions to SCORE Compound map under Race Info>Baja 500 logo on our website.

Only the race vehicle and occupants will be permitted entry into start area at the SCORE Compound. Chase vehicles and additional team members must remain outside the start area.

Baja 500 Finish Area

Only banded race participants finishing in or on a vehicle will be allowed in the finish area. There is one exception:

Each team will be provided one (1) special wristband in your driver packet allowing post-race access to the finish area. The person utilizing this band must also have a participant or essential team member band. The wristband does not allow ramp access in the finish area. The wristband is Tyvek (paper); do not put it on until you are headed to the finish area. If you lose or damage the wristband, it CANNOT be replaced!

There will be **NO ADDITIONAL WRISTBANDS AVAILBLE AT ENTRANCE TO FINISH AREA**

When a vehicle finishing the race comes down off the finish ramp, **STOP** but **DO NOT EXIT THE VEHICLE.** You will be handed the team finisher medals. If you are the first unofficial finisher, you will receive your Champagne and flag. **(DO NOT OPEN CHAMPAGNE IN THIS AREA.)** Immediately move forward to the photo/interview area. There will be a brief time allotted for interviews. When interviews are complete or SCORE staff directs you to leave the area, exit the SCORE Compound and meet up with your team outside the area.

SCORE Team Media

SCORE Team Media Credential request applications are now online (under SCORE Media tab on the SCORE Website) and will be open until 8 p.m. on Friday, May 22nd. All registered Team Media must attend on-site Media registration. There will be no SCORE Team Media credential requests accepted at the race. Because of the health and safety protocols, media access is limited to an area after the finish side at the start/finish ramp.

Review Results with Race Director

Only the Driver of Record/Rider of Record plus one other member will be permitted to meet with the Race Director to review results of your entry.

Finisher Awards

Trophy pick-up on Sunday will be at the Torre Lucerna Hotel from 1:30 to 3:00pm. Only the Driver/Rider of Record or one person representing the team may enter the area to pick up the award. All other individuals must remain outside.

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