55th SCORE Baja 500 Schedule

May 31 – June 4, 2023 – Ensenada, BC, Mexico

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All Times Pacific Daylight Time – Schedule Subject To Change

MONDAY, APRIL 14 thru May 26 DEADLINES

May 12, 5pm

DEADLINE TO ENTER to be listed in the race program and SCORE Journal. Deadline for teams to submit notarized waivers if not coming to on-site Registration.

NOTE: **For teams wishing to submit notarized *waiver forms to have wristbands mailed to you or available for pickup in Registration, the deadline is 5pm Friday, May 12. After this date and time all waivers must be signed and bands issued only at on-site registration. If you are going to attend on-site Registration, you do not need to submit notarized waivers.***

May 19, 5pm

DEADLINE TO APPLY ONLINE, PAY ENTRY FEES or REGISTER IN THE ENSENADA OFFICE TO BE ON THE ENTRY LIST. **Teams who participated In the Baja Vida 36th SCORE San Felipe 250 with registrations completed for the Baja 500 and fees paid (100%) will be given their start position from the San Felipe 250 results. Failure to register by this date and time and have fees paid in full cancels the start position earned at the San Felipe 250. All other teams who complete an online registration or Ensenada registration with fees paid in full will be entered in the start position draw. (See 2023 SCORE in-Class Starting Order Policy for detailed draw information) Draw results will post 6pm Friday, May 27tth or before.**

May 19, 5pm

DEADLINE for Team Media Registrations. All team media personnel planning to provide coverage for team use and social media posting must register by this date and time.

DEADLINE for aircraft and drone operation registrations.

May 24, 5pm

DEADLINE TO REGISTER CO-DRIVERS/CO-RIDERS/NAVIGATORS/ - Must have memberships purchased and completed a registration before this deadline to be on the Entry List used by Mexican Immigration authorities to allow entry into the county and to be covered by SCORE Insurance while pre-running. If Co-drivers/Co-riders/Navigators are not on the entry list this means they have not completed these two tasks,

May 19-24

After close of online registration May, 19th at 5pm, *R*egistration continues at the SCORE Ensenada office or at on-site Registration in Ensenada. Teams registering by May, 19th at 5pm will be in the draw for start positions. Registration will continue in Ensenada until May 24th Late fees will apply. May 24th at 5pm is the deadline to be listed on the Final Entry List.

THURSDAY, May 18

6pm **Racer Brief, GPS Files, Course Map, Penalty Bulletin, Pre-run stipulations will post online at the SCORE website > Race Info > select Baja 500 logo > select subject of interest. Pre-run stipulations will post under GPS files.**

SATURDAY, May 20

8am **Pre-Running Opens from Rm 33.38 to Rm 446.86. Outbound ONLY from the start (Rm 0.0) will be open only on Friday, June 2nd from 8-5pm. No Inbound at any time.**
USE EXTREME CAUTION as pre-running is a privilege not a right. Obey all traffic laws, close gates, maintain pre-running speeds NOT race speeds, follow the GPS, stay on course

FRIDAY, May 26

6pm **Start Position Draw Results for BFGoodrich Tires SCORE Baja will be Posted on *SCORE Website > Race Info > Select Baja 500 logo > Select Entry List***

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WEDNESDAY, May 31

2pm-8pm **Racer Registration** – *Red Room, Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

1pm-5pm **Media Registration** - *Red Room, Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

THURSDAY, June 1– Registrations / *Pre-Tech / Chassis Inspections / Drivers Meeting*

8am-5pm **Racer Registration *(No walk-in entries accepted after 4pm)*** – *Red Room, Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

1pm-5pm **Media Registration** – *Red Room, Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

9am-5pm **Chassis Inspections –** *Start/Finish area in front of Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center, just past interview ramp.*

9am-5pm **Stella Assembly Kit Purchases & Assistance with Installation/** - *Start/Finish area in front of Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center, just past interview ramp.*

FRIDAY, June 2

►MANDATORY REGISTRATION for All Teams *NOT REGISTERED WEDNESDAY Or THURSDAY* nor have submitted notarized waiver forms. Reminder – DOR must sign waiver form before team will be allowed to start the race.

8am-5pm **RM 4.90 to RM 33.38 is open only for outbound pre-running today. NO Inbound anytime.**

8am-5pm **Racer Registration *(NO WALK-IN ENTRIES AFTER 4pm)*** – *Red Room, Riviera del Pacifico*

9am-5pm **Media Registration** – *Red Room, Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

8am-5pm **Contingency Row** – *Start/Finish area in front of Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

8am-7pm **Technical Inspection / Transponder Checks / Stella & SPICA Tracking Device Installations** - *End of Contingency Row* ***NO Chassis Inspections today! MUST BE IN LINE BY 6PM***

11:30am **Media Conference -** *Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center – Cathedral Room*

6pm **Mandatory Aircraft Pilot Meeting** - *Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center – Cathedral Room*

7pm **Drivers Meeting** – Each team will be permitted 2 attendees due to space limitations. - *Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center Cathedral Room. Random draw of attendees present.*

SATURDAY, June 3

Civil Dawn 5:13a Sunrise 5:41a Sunset 7:48p End Twilight 8:16p

3:30a-12a **Media Center Open** - *Red Room, Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

Race Distance *(approx.)*: **487.25 miles (746.28 km) - No shortcuts or bypasses for any classes**

Race Time: Limit 20 Hours Minimum Average Speed 24.36 mph 39.20 kph

3:00am **STAGING BEGINS - Pro Motos and Quads, Sportsman Motos and Quads** -

3:30am **MOTO/QUAD CERIMONIAL START** - *Pro Moto, Pro Quads, Sportsman Moto, Sportsman Quads - Start/Finish area in front of Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

TIME GAP – Approx. 4-1/2 hour time gap between the last Moto/Quad start time and first 4-Wheel

7:15am **STAGING BEGINS** – **All 4-Wheel Classes – Stage times in Racer Brief** - *Start/Finish area in front of Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

7:30am **Honor Guard and Salute to Flag Ceremony** – *Near Start/Finish area*

8:15am **4-WHEEL CEREMONIAL START** –- *Start order as listed in Race Brief*

4pm-12am **Posting of Unofficial Finishers** - *Media Center Red Room, Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center*

SUNDAY, June 4

9:00am **Posting of Unofficial Results –** *On-line and SCORE Ensenada Office*

9:30am-11:00am **Race teams must submit result inquiries** – *SCORE Ensenada Office*

10:00am-2pm **Media Center Open** – *Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center – Red Room*

Noon **Posting of Baja 500 Official Results** –*Online and in the Media Center*

12:30pm **Awards Celebration** – *Riviera del Pacifico Cultural Center – Cathedral Room*

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