

Update # 1 – November 3

Dear Teachers,

First of all, CONGRATULATIONS to you and your students for advancing to the South's BEST Championship on December 11-12 at Auburn University. We look forward to hosting you at the event.

For those of you who have done this before, you know that we usually send you a "Championship Handbook" with all the details you need to plan your trip to Auburn. This year, we will do the same, but it will come to you electronically. Also, we are not quite finished with the Handbook yet, but expect to be finished this week. In the meantime, here are a few pieces of information to get you started.

1. Hotel list

These are all the hotels where we have blocked rooms. Most of these hotels have given us a special rate...just be sure to say you are with "South's BEST" when you contact them. Pay attention to their deadlines for reserving rooms.

2. Championship Schedule

Note that we are moving the Pit Meeting - which all spotters/drivers/pit participants should attend - to Friday after lunch, instead of Friday at 5:00pm as it has been in past years. The mandatory Pit Meeting will occur at 1:15 followed by driving practice starting at 2:00.

Again, more information will be coming your way later this week, but we wanted to go ahead and give you some of the basic info so you could begin your plans. Let me know if you have any questions.

Best regards,
Mary Lou Ewald
Co-director, South's BEST