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Posted by 944Racer72 - 22 Sep 2014 08:42

Glad to see some out-of-towners are joining us this weekend. Looks like a good field with dogs, kats, Charlie, and Tom turning up.

Don't forget that Hwy 37 is closed as of 10PM Friday until Monday morning between Vallejo and the track.

At least a few of us will park up at the top of the hill since we're camping and it is quiet up there. See you out there!

Re: Sonoma Sept 27 & 28 Posted by 944Racer72 - 01 Oct 2014 08:24

That is a strange failure time but it is good. Sounds like we both got away easy from what could have been. I'm very lucky that 911 induced spin didn't hurt my car worse (even though I'm still not happy that a jumped restart cost me that race) and it could have been very bad if you lost that bearing at speed.

I think I'll just chalk that one up in the books and go on to the next one.

Re: Sonoma Sept 27 & 28 Posted by rd7839 - 01 Oct 2014 08:47

I think your spin scared me more than you! All I saw was you sliding one way, Jim the other and a 911 in the middle! Trying to guess which way to go didn't work out too good for me last time so I was having flashbacks of long nights rebuilding a wrecked race car!

I have to say that's probably one of the few times a spin at 9 only cost somebody a bumper shock!

Re: Sonoma Sept 27 & 28 Posted by 944Racer72 - 01 Oct 2014 08:49

944-SPEC - 944SPEC - low cost wheel to wheel racing Generated: 5 May, 2024, 13:19 Was anyone running video? I wasn't unfortunately - forgot my GoPro that session. Re: Sonoma Sept 27 & 28 Posted by BritRacer - 01 Oct 2014 09:18 I may have video from behind. I think I caught you going across the dirt. We all got off lightly that weekend. I just need a new bumper shock after losing it in turn 10 and ending up sideway in track without hitting anything. I will try to go through what video I have soon. Re: Sonoma Sept 27 & 28 Posted by BritRacer - 01 Oct 2014 09:23 It did look to me that something fishy happened on the restart. I was trying to figure out whether they had dropped the green or not? Re: Sonoma Sept 27 & 28 Posted by 944Racer72 - 01 Oct 2014 10:36

People with radios heard green @ the starters stand but T11 was still showing yellow when a bunch of people initiated passes, including the one that passed me. Most were DQ'd. Unfortunately for me, they missed that one.