

PRE-EVENT TECHNICAL INSPECTION

Everglades Chapter BMW CCA, INC

Instructions: The Driver School participant is solely responsible for the safe condition of the car to be driven to, at, and from this event. Participants must have their vehicle inspected no earlier than four (4) weeks prior to the event. The Technical Inspection must be performed by a qualified entity (e.g. dealer, authorized service center or mechanic). At the time of the technical inspection, the participant must sign the completed technical inspection sheet. This completed form must be presented at the trackside vehicle spot check conducted by the Chapter. The participant will not be allowed to participate in the event without first presenting a signed and completed inspection sheet. The car must also pass a trackside vehicle spot-check conducted by the Chapter technical personnel. If the car does not pass the vehicle spot check, you will not be allowed on the track and your entry fee will be forfeited.

Please print the following information:

Participant(s) name(s): _____

Vehicle YEAR, MAKE, MODEL, Color _____

Plate # _____ VIN # (last 7 digits only) _____ Trackside VIN agrees w/Pre-Tech VIN

Pre-event technical inspection should include, but may not be limited to, the following items. Additional items should be included as deemed necessary by the participant to ensure the safe condition of their vehicle. Please indicate with an "X" those items listed below that have been deemed acceptable:

Pre-Tech Trackside

1. **GENERAL:** No excessive body or chassis corrosion.
2. **WINDSHIELD WIPERS:** Must be functional and in sound condition.
3. **WINDOWS:** Must be secure and in sound condition. No large cracks in windshield. Driver and passenger's windows must be open while on track.
4. **MIRRORS:** Must be securely mounted. Vehicle must have an inside mounted rearview mirror.
5. **PEDALS:** Must be securely mounted, exhibit free return, and have securely mounted pads in sound condition. Brake pedal must be firm and not exhibit excessive travel.
6. **SEATBELTS:** Factory seatbelts, street legal harnesses, and 5 or 6-point competition harnesses with anti-submarine belts are permitted. 4-point competition harnesses are not permitted. All must have metal to metal buckles and must be in sound condition. Belts must be mounted using factory mounting points and/or be mounted per SCCA General Competition Rules. Equivalent restraints and seats must be provided for driver and passenger.
7. **HELMETS:** MUST BE EITHER Snell 2000 or Snell 2005 (SA or M rated) - No EXCEPTIONS! (NO bicycle helmets).
8. **SEATS:** Must be securely mounted, in good condition, and equivalent for both driver and passenger.
9. **BRAKE FLUID:** Must have adequate level and be in good condition. Fluid must have been changed within last six months (it is recommended that you have the fluid changed before each school).
DATE OF LAST BRAKE FLUID CHANGE: _____
10. **BATTERY:** Must be securely mounted and having no fluid leaks or corroded mountings.
11. **DRIVE BELTS:** Must be in sound condition and properly tensioned.
12. **THROTTLE LINKAGE:** Must exhibit free return without binding through out travel.
13. **DRIVE & HALF SHAFTS:** Universal & CV joints must not have excessive looseness or deterioration of their mountings.
14. **ENGINE, TRANSMISSION & DIFFERENTIAL MOUNTS:** Must be secure and must not exhibit signs of deterioration or permit excessive motion.

15. **STEERING:** Must not exhibit looseness, or binding throughout the range of travel. Steering box mounting must be secure. Power steering fluid level must be adequate.
16. **BRAKES:** Must have sufficient lining thickness. Hoses and lines must not be cut, abraded, or cracked. Lines must not have excessive corrosion. Rotors and drums must not be worn beyond statutory requirements or manufacturer's recommendations. Master cylinder must not exhibit bleed down when steady pressure is applied. Brake equalization must be checked via road test.
17. **WHEEL BEARINGS:** Must be properly adjusted and not exhibit excessive looseness. No lube leakage onto break linings.
18. **SUSPENSION:** Mounting points must be secure and in good condition. Vehicle must not have excessive side to side height variation. Shock absorbers must provide adequate damping and be securely mounted.
19. **WHEELS:** No cracked or bent rims. Lug nuts/bolts must be properly torqued. No missing lug nuts.
20. **TIRES:** No cracks, blisters or cord evident. Both front tires and rear tires must be the same size and fit within the wheel well. Minimum tread depth: 3/32" (except racing tires). Properly inflated tire pressure/ PSI.
21. **LEAKS:** No coolant, brake fluid or fuel leaks. No excessive oil leaks. Coolant level adequate.
22. **FUEL & COOLANT HOSES:** Must be in good condition and not exhibit cracks, swelling or other deformation. Vehicles with potentially dangerous hoses will not be allowed on the track.
23. **EXHAUST:** Must be in good condition and securely mounted. ALL VEHICLES MUST BE MUFFLED.
24. **BRAKE LIGHTS:** Must be operational and clearly visible. ALL brake lights must work.
25. **OTHER:** (Specify): _____

INSPECTED BY: _____ DATE: _____

Shop or Establishment: _____

PARTICIPANT CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify the above vehicle has been carefully examined by a qualified individual and that all the foregoing items have been checked. I understand that the safe condition and operation of this vehicle is entirely my responsibility that the Everglades Chapter BMW CCA, Inc. and/or its members cannot be held liable or responsible for any vehicle and that problems, malfunctions, or damage may occur in connection with the operation of this vehicle prior, during, or subsequent to the driver's school.

I acknowledge that the trackside vehicle spot-check which may have been performed on the above vehicle cannot verify that the vehicle has been in fact properly prepared and inspected for this high speed driving event. No representation is made by the Everglades Chapter BMW CCA, Inc and/or its members of the vehicle's roadworthiness for street driving or for this High Performance Driver's Education course. No warranties are implied or expressed by this spot-check. I acknowledge that at all times I remain solely responsible for the safe condition and roadworthiness of the above vehicle, and I am not relying on the trackside spot-check in deciding whether or not to drive the vehicle. I realize that the trackside spot-check is performed at the discretion of the Everglades Chapter BMW CCA, Inc and that not all vehicles may be checked.

PARTICIPANT(S) SIGNATURE(S): _____

Trackside Vehicle spot-check completed by: _____

Acceptance of pre-event tech inspection report by Everglades Chapter BMW CCA, Inc.: _____