

Nation's Cup Race

Rev 2

VVGP 23

Background & Rules

Background:

The concept of the Nation's Cup race is have the feature marque (and friends) take on the rest of the world in a motorsports competition. In the case of 2023, Mazda is the featured marque, so Mazda cars (and friends) would then take on challengers from the rest of the world (RoW)

The Nation's Cup, is a Special Race at VVGP. It is for Fun & Show.

Rules:

The general rule is the host marque (Mazda & friends) takes up the right-hand side of the grid, as pole is on the right-hand side at CTMP. So, positions 1,3,5,7,9,11 etc would be made up by the host marque (Mazda et al). The left side of the grid is made up on RoW entries. 2,4,6,8,10 and so on.

- There can only be as many world entries as there are host entries in this competition.
- The race is open to VH cars and classic cars under 2500lbs
- The grid will be set at the race beginning.
- Not all preregistered for the race will make the matched set portion of the grid due to the need to match Mazda et al vs RoW with similar time brackets- Those not on the matched set portion of the grid can run from the back of the grid.

Grid

Since we will be setting and organizing the grid "on the fly", we expect cars to be at the false grid no later than 15 MINUTES BEFORE START TIME. This gives our coordinators & grid marshals time to position the cars properly for the start.

Extra's will be lined up and ready to go behind the grid – those competitors that didn't get added to the matched set portion of the grid will be allowed to 'race' if they so choose, but won't be scored in the event.

Race

The race is quite simple, your only job as a competitor is to beat your match. This will help your team secure victory.

It's a race to 10

- As the checkered flag is flown, the first team to have 10 cars from their team cross the line are declared the winners. For example, 1-4 were Mazda et al, 5-10 were world, 11, 12, Mazda, 13-20 world...World would be declared the winning team as they got 10 cars across the finish line first!

Podium

All drivers from the winning team are expected on the podium for a group shot.

Miscellaneous

Since we will have attrition over the weekend, expect adjustments as you grid
We will limit this field to 50---large grid—but remember this a race for fun—Toto Wolf is not watching!