

2024 CHAMPIONS
DUSTIN SMILEY
JEFF TAYLOR
ERIC AMAN
DONOVAN WILLIAMS

Strange SPRING FLING

PRESENTED BY  OPTIMA



2025 EVENT RACER GUIDE & LOGBOOK

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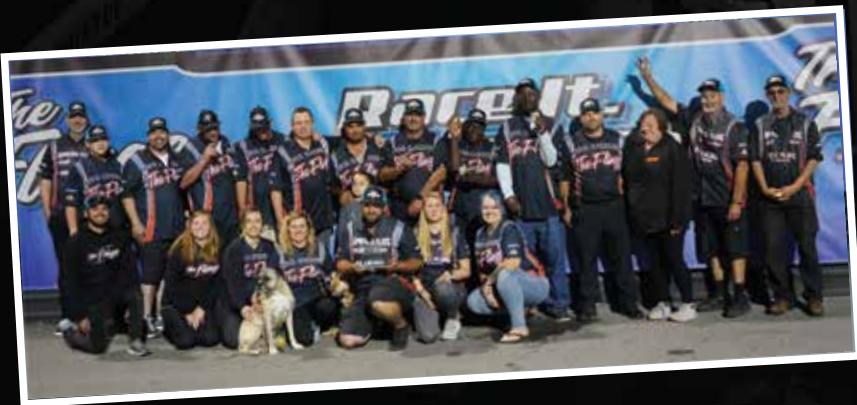


FROM PETER AND THE FLING TEAM

Welcome and thank you for being a part of this event. It's because of you racers that the Fling Team is able to put on these events.

Whether this is your first Fling, or you're a long time Fling participant, we are grateful for your attendance. Just as was our goal when we began this journey in 2010, we strive to exceed your expectations each and every event. If you have any issues during the event or have any questions, please come see us at our racer friendly help desk and don't hesitate to find me during or after the event.

We consider each racer a friend and look forward to creating life-long memories together. Now lets turn some tires, have some fun, and turn on some win lights!



*Peter Biundo
&
the Fling Team*



Frequently Asked Questions

What should I expect when I arrive at the gate?

Upon entering the gate, you will receive a tech card and W-9. Please bring completed tech card and W-9 to our registration table under the tower. At that point, you will receive your Fling competition car number (a set of 2). This will also serve as your run sticker for the event. It is important that you place one number on the right side of your vehicle (clearly visible from the tower). Please place your other car number on your front windshield (door car) or opposite side of scoop (dragster). At that point you are ready to race!

I am new to this, when do I come to the staging lanes to race?

No worries, we have you covered. Simply come to the staging lanes when your group is called. A Fling staff member (and signage) will be at the back of the staging lanes to answer any questions you may have.

If I decide to change from single to double entry (or vice versa) who do I talk to?

Our friendly Fling Diva Desk will have a table set up at the bottom of the tower specifically for this. This is also where you would get your new car number to represent your change.

What is the best way to keep up with all important lane calls/ race information?

- Text the word **GALOT** to **(347) 974-7007** (to receive text updates). ***Highly recommended***
- Tune into **100.1 FM** on your Radio

What happens if I come to the staging lanes with the wrong group?

It is mandatory that you run with your 'Group'. If you come to staging before your Group is called, you will be turned away and asked to come back when your Group is called. **If your car breaks and you cannot run with your group, notify a Fling Official and we will do our best to work with you.*

What can I expect at a Spring Fling Event?

Our Fling Racers are family to us. Expect an inviting atmosphere combined with some of the best bracket racing there is. We will deliver a professional and racer-friendly event. It's very important to us that our racers have a stress-free time while with us. Most of all, we hope the event leaves you with memories to last a lifetime.

Our Racer Friendly Fling Diva Desk is located at the tower ready to help with any questions you may have.

RACER INFORMATION GUIDE

SPRING FLING GALOT, APRIL 22-26 2025

Rules and Race Format

Double Entry Details

Double Entries Allowed in any form:

- Same Driver/ Same Car double allowed
- One driver can run 2 different cars
- Two drivers can 'share' a car
- Max Entries allowed per car/driver is 2

**If you drive a door car and a dragster (separate category vehicles), you are considered a single.*

General Race Format

ROUND 1: For Round 1 ONLY Doubles will run separate (hard separation) from single entries. We do this by calling you to the lanes by your Group Letter for Round 1:

- Group A: All Double Entries: First Entry
- Group B: Single Entered Door Cars
- Group C: All Double Entries: Second Entry
- Group D: Single Entered Dragsters

**When we put the call out for the A Group for Round 1, we will call door cars to the lanes first, giving them the option to run with other door cars. Once we call dragsters in the A Group, they will mix in with the door cars.*

ROUND 2 (and all remaining Rounds): We go back to calling you by our typical Door Car/ Dragster separation. Running door cars first, then dragsters with a hard separation between the two groups.

- Each group will have their own bye run until the ladder round (8 or less).

Spring Fling Competition Number/ Group

Each driver will be given a Fling Competition Car Number at registration once you turn in your tech card. This will also serve as your run sticker for the event. One number should be placed on the right side of your vehicle (clearly visible from the tower). Please place your other car number on your front windshield (door car) or opposite side of scoop (dragster).

Staging Lanes/Lane Choice

There will be designated staging lanes for racers to choose left or right lane. If we run out of pairings at the end of a round (or group), we will go to single file. When in single file, the first car in line will have lane choice between the two front-to-back racers. The Fling Staging Lanes Official will have the final say on pairings.

Bye Runs

- Each group will have a potential bye run for all rounds until the ladder round.
- Round 1 (and buyback round) bye runs will be determined by a random draw. All other rounds, the bye run goes to the driver with the best reaction time of the previous round. *See Tie Breaker Section below.
- No racer is entitled to two bye runs (unless all remaining competitors had one).
- Bye runs do not carry over (new bye picked each round).

Ladder

Racers will be placed on a pro ladder in the round of 8 cars (or less) based on their previous round R/T. This is also the point where door cars combine with dragsters. A new ladder will be generated in each of the remaining two rounds (semis & final), again based on previous round R/T. Lane choice in the ladder rounds will be given to the driver with the better R/T in the previous round.

Break Rule

If a driver is still in competition and breaks their vehicle (beyond repair), the driver may switch to another vehicle.
Must be approved by a Fling Official.

'New Entry' Time Runs

- There will be a 'New Entry' time run session offered on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.
- A 'new entry' is only for new tech cards for that day. The car or driver must not have been down the track.

Brodix Best Package Run-Off Tie-Breakers

- The best door car package and best dragster package from Wednesday Rd 1-Friday Rd 3 will 'run off' for the Brodix SR20 heads. Buyback rounds are included. Shootouts are not included.
- If multiple Door Cars or Dragsters have the same "best package", the first Tie-Breaker will be the better R/T of the "best package" and if both R/Ts are the same, the racer who did it first will be in the run-off.

Bye Run Tie-Breakers

- If multiple racers have the same "best" reaction time, the bye run will be awarded to the driver with the best package, if multiple drivers have the same package, the second tiebreaker will be the driver who did it first. (Same rules apply when on ladder)

Best Losing Package Tie-Breakers

- If multiple racers have the same "best" losing package, the prize will be awarded to the driver with the better reaction time, if multiple drivers have the same reaction time, the second tiebreaker will be the driver who did it first.

**All rules and schedules subject to change per staff's discretion*

**FOR LIVE RACE UPDATES BY PHONE
TEXT *GALOT* TO (347) 974-7007**

OR

**POINT YOUR SMART
PHONE CAMERA AT
THIS QR CODE**



FLING MERCH

T-Shirts - Hoodies - Long Sleeve T's - Hats - Beanies - Tumblers



SIZES

**Youth Sm-Large
Mens S-4XL
Womens S-2XL**



**Merch Available at the Tower.
Available at the Event ONLY while they last.**



SPRING FLING GALOT LOGBOOK

Date:

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TIME OF DAY										
SUNNY/CLOUDY/DARK										
TIME RUN/ELIM LANE										
LAUNCH RPM										
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BUMP UP/DOWN										
REACTION TIME										
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WHO CROSSED 1ST										
PREDICTED FINISH MOV										
EST. ET SCRUBBED OFF										

WHAT COULD I HAVE DONE BETTER:

ADDITIONAL NOTES ABOUT THE TRACK/THIS DAY:



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APRIL 22-26, 2025

**GATE ENTRY EVENT
(NO PRE-ENTRIES ACCEPTED)**

RACE IT. EXPERIENCE IT.

Strange SPRING FLING



PRESENTED BY



BENSON, NC

**• THREE FLING
\$50,000 DAYS**

**• DOUBLES
PERMITTED!**

**• PAY AT
THE GATE!**



WEDNESDAY

\$15,000

R/U.....\$3,000
Semi.....\$1,000
7th Rnd Win.....\$800
6th Rnd Win.....\$600
5th Rnd Win.....\$450
4th Rnd Win.....\$300
3rd Rnd Win.....\$150

BUYBACKS TIME PERMITTING
BUYBACK: \$160

GUARANTEED



THURSDAY

\$50,000

R/U.....\$10,000
Semi.....\$2,000
7th Rnd Win.....\$1,500
6th Rnd Win.....\$1,000
5th Rnd Win.....\$750
4th Rnd Win.....\$500
3rd Rnd Win.....\$250

BUYBACKS TIME PERMITTING
BUYBACK: \$270

GUARANTEED



FRIDAY

\$50,000

R/U.....\$10,000
Semi.....\$2,000
7th Rnd Win.....\$1,500
6th Rnd Win.....\$1,000
5th Rnd Win.....\$750
4th Rnd Win.....\$500
3rd Rnd Win.....\$250

BUYBACKS TIME PERMITTING
BUYBACK: \$270

GUARANTEED



SATURDAY

\$50,000

R/U.....\$10,000
Semi.....\$2,000
7th Rnd Win.....\$1,500
6th Rnd Win.....\$1,000
5th Rnd Win.....\$750
4th Rnd Win.....\$500
3rd Rnd Win.....\$250

BUYBACKS TIME PERMITTING
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GUARANTEED

WEDNESDAY ENTRY:
ONLY \$195 FOR \$15K!

3 FLING \$50,000 RACES FOR ONLY \$890!

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY 3-DAY DEAL

TEST & TUNE TUESDAY



TEST & TUNE
2PM-9PM
+ \$50



RAD
TORQUE SYSTEMS

**\$20,000
SHOOTOUT**

**TUESDAY 32-CAR SHOOTOUT
16 DOOR CARS • 16 DRAGSTERS**
R/U: \$3,000 • SEMIS: \$1,000

\$1,000 ENTRY FEE → ENTER APRIL 9TH AT
7PM EST ON BRACKETRACES.COM

ENTRY FEES

GATE ENTRIES WELCOME!

THURS/FRI/SAT 3-DAY SPECIAL

3-Day Entry (50K/50K/50K).....Only \$890

SINGLE DAY ENTRIES

Wednesday \$15K Entry.....\$195
\$50K Single Day Entries.....\$350/each

SPECTATORS/CREW

Kids 12 & Under Free

Full Event (Tuesday-Saturday).....\$60
Single Day.....\$20

**ALL DRIVERS, CREW, & SPECTATORS MUST WEAR
APPROPRIATE WRISTBANDS AT ALL TIMES.**

SCHEDULE

SUBJECT TO CHANGE

TUESDAY

Parking.....9am-10pm
Registration.....10am-9pm
Test and Tune (\$50).....2pm-9pm
Shootout TT#1.....3pm
Shootout Eliminations To Follow

WEDNESDAY

Gates Open.....7am
Time Run (1) (Starts w/ Group A).....8:15am

THURSDAY

Gates Open.....7:30am
New Entries Only Time Run.....8:15am

FRIDAY

Gates Open.....7:30am
Spring Fling R/T Challenge.....8am
New Entries Only Time Run.....8:15am
Round 1 (Starts w/ Group A).....8:30am
Racer Appreciation Party.....7pm

SATURDAY

Gates Open.....7:45am
New Entries Only Time Run.....8:30am
Rd 1 (Starts w/ Group A).....8:45am

SUNDAY RACER TRAVEL DAY

LIVE FEED

[YOUTUBE.COM/@RACETHEFLINGS](https://www.youtube.com/@RaceTheFlings)

LIVE COVERAGE COURTESY OF



DOUBLE ENTRIES

ALLOWED IN ANY FORM

- Double entries will run separate from single entries for Round 1.
- Starting Round 2, door cars will run door cars and dragsters will run dragsters regardless of double entries.

RACER APPRECIATION GIVEAWAYS!

OVER \$55,000 IN HARDCORE PRODUCTS

GIVEN DIRECTLY TO RACERS!

RACER APPRECIATION PRIZES • EACH ROUND, EACH DAY! (THURS-SAT)

1 **AT PERFORMANCE PRODUCTS** **\$500/\$500/\$500!**
\$500 AWARDED EACH DAY, THURS-SAT

2 **BIONDO RACING PRODUCTS, INC.** **\$500/\$500/\$500!**
\$500 AWARDED EACH DAY, THURS-SAT

3 **MEZIERE ENTERPRISES** **\$500/\$500/\$500!**
\$500 AWARDED EACH DAY, THURS-SAT

4 **H HOOSIER** **3 Sets of Slicks!**
1 SET AWARDED EACH DAY, THURS-SAT

5 **MICKEY THOMPSON M/T TIRES & WHEELS** **3 Sets of Slicks!**
1 SET AWARDED EACH DAY, THURS-SAT

Buyback Round PRESENTED BY **BIONDO Playbook** Complimentary Ice Cream

SPRING FLING REACTION TIME CHALLENGE **FREE! 25 DRIVERS RANDOMLY SELECTED!**
EACH DRIVER EARNS \$100 CASH FOR ANY .00X R/T AND \$1,000 CASH FOR A .000 REACTION TIME! \$10,000 BONUS IF A DRIVER HITS 2 .000'S IN A ROW!

ALIRONTO'S PERFORMANCE ELECTRONICS **\$1,800 WORTH OF STATE OF THE ART WEATHER STATIONS!**

KYLE SEIPEL TRIPLE ZERO HERO COIN
ALL WINNING .000 REACTION TIMES DURING ELIMINATIONS THURS-SAT WILL RECEIVE A TRIPLE ZERO HERO COIN AND \$50 CASH.

GDI GLENN DEVELOPMENT, INC. FLING FUN ZONE!
ACTIVITIES FOR THE KIDS! BOUNCE HOUSE & EASTER EGG HUNT FOR TOYS SET UP BEHIND THE TOWER!

PERFORMANCE POLISH Best Appearing CAR AWARD
\$500 BONUS & CUSTOM TROPHY
PRESENTED BY PERFORMANCE POLISH

FUNCTION ENTERPRISES INC. Free Coffee & Donuts each morning!

TVC Total Venue Concepts **TREASURE CHEST!** **SUMMIT** **FUEL FACTORY** **RIGGERS** **Grew Chief Pro** **Laris Motorsports INSURANCE** **THE OFFICIAL FUEL OF THE FLINGS** **IMPACT** **COMPUTECH**

THURSDAY .000 AWARDS
AWARDING THE FOLLOWING PRIZES TO SELECT RACERS:
AutoMeter x3 \$500 AutoMeter Certificates
AAA STORM WATER MANAGEMENT x3 \$500 Cash

Laris Motorsports INSURANCE 'FLING RACER APPRECIATION PARTY! FREE! 7PM FRIDAY NIGHT!
COMPLIMENTARY DINNER, LIVE DJ, & KARAOKE!
Plus over \$5,000 in Spring Fling prizes given away to random racers & their families!

BRODIX CYLINDER HEADS BEST PACKAGE RUNOFF
Win a set of SR20 Cylinder Heads!
BEST DOOR CAR VS. BEST DRAGSTER PACKAGE!
BEST DOOR CAR VS. BEST DRAGSTER PACKAGE (WED-FRI E3) WILL HAVE A 1-RUN SHOOTOUT FRIDAY NIGHT. WINNER AWARDED SR20 HEADS! (\$6,150 VALUE)
See Racer Guide for rulings on tiebreakers

Advanced Exhaust Design Win an APD Carburetor! **Dead-On Zero AWARD**
Every dead-on "0" (win or lose) Wed-Thurs goes into a drawing to win a carburetor of choice at Friday's BBQ!

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ORANGEBURG, SC (803) 747-2793
\$500 BONUS THURSDAY/FRIDAY/SATURDAY

GDI GLENN DEVELOPMENT, INC. SPRING FLING MVP AWARD
\$1,000 BONUS & ONE-OF-A-KIND BIONDO TROPHY SHIFTER W/ CASE

85 ELECTRIC HOOKUP SPOTS AVAILABLE UPON ARRIVAL!
FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED
TRACK OPERATED \$150/FULL EVENT

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PRESENTED BY **Q-OPTIMA** **BENSON, NC**
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WWW.BRACKETRACES.COM

FORMAT AND RULES

- **DOUBLE ENTRIES:** All forms of doubles are permitted (car or driver cannot go down the track more than 2 times per round).
- Double entries will run separate from single entries for Round 1.
- Starting Round 2, door cars will run door cars and dragsters will run dragsters regardless of double entries.
- Door Cars and Dragsters run separate until ladder round (round of 8 cars).
- Break rule in effect (upon staff approval). Race Director makes final call on all decisions.
- For complete set of rules refer to Racer Guide (given at front gate).

SPRING FLING GALOT HISTORY

SPRING FLING GALOT CHAMPIONS

SPRING 2017	SPRING 2018	SPRING 2019	SPRING 2020	FALL 2020	SPRING 2021	SPRING 2022	SPRING 2023	SPRING 2024
WEDNESDAY SHANE CARR	WEDNESDAY KELLAN FARMER	WEDNESDAY GARY WILLIAMS	WEDNESDAY JAMIE HOLSTON	WEDNESDAY KYLE CULTRERA	WEDNESDAY DONNY BURLESON	WEDNESDAY TIM MARKOGLU	WEDNESDAY WILL HOLLOMAN	WEDNESDAY DUSTIN SMILEY
THURSDAY JEFF DOBBINS	THURSDAY MIA TEDESCO	THURSDAY DAVID WRIGHT	THURSDAY JOSH LUEDKE	THURSDAY ANDY DOLAN	THURSDAY SHANE CARR	THURSDAY WILL ROBERTS	THURSDAY MATT COSTABILE	THURSDAY JEFF TAYLOR
FRIDAY TERRY BRANNON	FRIDAY DALTON PEARSALL	FRIDAY TOMMY CABLE	FRIDAY TROY WILLIAMS Jr.	FRIDAY BOBBY BLADEN	FRIDAY TIM MARKOGLU	FRIDAY DINK HOLMES	FRIDAY/SATURDAY TOMMY PLOTT	FRIDAY ERIC AMAN
SATURDAY BUG McCARTY	SATURDAY TROY WILLIAMS Jr.				SATURDAY JERRY BREWER	SATURDAY GARY WILLIAMS		SATURDAY DONOVAN WILLIAMS

SPRING FLING GALOT MVPs

2017 SPRING MVP TOMMY PLOTT
2018 SPRING MVP LARRY MARTIN
2019 SPRING MVP GARY WILLIAMS
2020 SPRING MVP HUNTER PATTON
2020 FALL MVP AJ ASHE
2021 SPRING MVP CARALINE McCARTY
2022 SPRING MVP TIM MARKOGLU/KEVIN BRANNON
2023 SPRING MVP WILL HOLLOMAN
2024 SPRING MVP JEFF TAYLOR

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10 Chapters and decades of knowledge.
Everything from mastering confidence, hitting the tree, driving the
finishline, and dialing your car... Guest Instructors including
Jeff Serra, Jeg Coughlin Jr., and Johnny Ezell give their
strategy and insight as well.



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