

Geargrinders News

February 2020

The 2020 Cascade Geargrinders road rally season offers a full calendar – rally school, five Saturday rallies, Mountains to the Sea, a game / gimmick rally, and Ghoul's Gambol. [Online registration](#) will be available prior to each event.



Cascade's time-speed-distance road rallies are conducted in accordance with the [Road Rally Rules](#) published on the Cascade Geargrinders website. The rules may be modified by supplemental rules specific to an event.

All 2020 Cascade time-speed-distance road rallies will use a state-of-the-art method of timing and scoring road rallies. Each rally team must have a cell phone (or other smart device) running the "Competitor - Richta GPS Checkpoints" app in order to participate.

Check for updates: <http://www.cascadegeargrinders.org/>

Feb. 15 - Gear up with Rally School

Get ready for the 2020 rally season with Cascade's road rally school and rally. Rally School is for anyone interested in running Cascade time-speed-distance road rally events. No road rally experience needed.

The rally school class starts at 10 a.m. at the North Plains Senior Center, 31450 NW Commercial St., North Plains, OR 97133. Plan to arrive a bit early to check in and pick up your materials.

We'll review Cascade time-speed-distance road rally rules. And we'll get familiar with the GPS timing app that simplifies scoring and gives you nearly immediate feedback. Give your new knowledge a test drive with a practice rally starting about noon and ending a couple hours later at the Helvetia Tavern.

Entry fee is \$20 per car for CSCC members, \$30 per car for non-members. Entry fee includes classroom session and practice rally.



Schedule:

- 10 a.m. to noon - Classroom session at North Plains Senior Center
- noon to about 2 p.m. - Practice rally ending at Helvetia Tavern

Entry requires a street-legal vehicle with licensed and insured driver and navigator. Each entry team must have a smart device (e.g., cell phone or tablet) capable of running the Competitor Richta GPS Checkpoints app in order to participate. Instructions for downloading and using the Richta app will be provided. The Richta app will be used for the practice rally.

Learn to play the game that takes you places.

Register online: <http://msreg.com/CSCCRallySchool>

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Saturday Road Rally Series

March 21, April 18, June 13, July 18, August 22

The Saturday Road Rally Series offers beginner-friendly time-speed-distance road rallies, lasting from 3 to 4 hours, starting and ending in the Portland area starting from the northeast corner of Lowe's parking lot, 13631 SE Johnson Rd, Milwaukie, OR 97222 with registration opening at 9 am. \$20 per car for CSCC members, \$30 for non-members.

Cascade members can save money with a Series Pass: \$80 for 5-event Series Pass. Register once for the entire Saturday Road Rally Series. Keep the same car number for the Series.

Series Pass registration form: <http://www.cascadegeargrinders.org/Files/CSCC-Series-Pass-2020.pdf>

Not a Cascade member? Join here: <https://cascadesportscarclub.org/membership/>

May 16 - Mountains to the Sea

It's not too early to start planning for the 55th anniversary of Cascade's classic Mountains to the Sea rally. This full-day beginner-level tour-style time-speed-distance road rally offers an all-paved scenic route that is fun to drive, ending with a BBQ dinner and a famous beach party at the [Breakers Hotel](#) in Long Beach, Washington. We'll have s'mores around the beach fire after trophy ceremonies.

Group activities are being planned for Sunday. Plan to spend the night and join your rally friends for some fun local activities. Breakers' rates are \$99 for a studio and \$129 for a one bedroom, add \$15 for dog friendly rooms. Call the Breakers at 360-642-4414 and mention M2C.

September 19 - Game / Gimmick Rally

Test your trick-and-trap road rally skills in this fun rally. Without average speeds and checkpoint timing, scoring is based on correctly answering questions about things you see along the rally route.

October TBD - Ghouls Gambol

A Cascade tradition, this Halloween road rally explores the autumn colors around Portland's foothills and farmland. Caution: May include frights. Prizes for best costumes and decorated vehicles.

A date has not yet been set. Would you prefer Ghouls Gambol be held on Oct. 17, Oct. 24 or Oct. 31? Let us know at rally@cascadesportscarclub.org.

Come drive with us!



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2020 TSD Road Rally Schedule*

Rally School

February 15 – Novice or Nervous – Classroom review of Cascade Geargrinders' time-speed-distance road rally rules, followed by a practice road rally. Class starts at 10 a.m. at North Plains Senior Center, 31450 NW Commercial St, North Plains, OR 97133. Rally starts about noon and ends about 2 p.m. at Helvetia Tavern. \$20 per car for CSCC members, \$30 per car for non-members. Register online <http://msreg.com/CSCCRallySchool>

Saturday Road Rally Series

March 21	Registration:	9 am
April 18	Drivers meeting:	9:45 am
June 13	First car out:	10 am
July 18		
August 22		

\$20 per car for CSCC members
(\$30 for non-members)



Save with a Series Pass

\$80 for 5-event Series Pass. Register once for the entire Saturday Rally Series. Keep the same car number all season. Available to members only. CSCC membership available at every rally.

Start location

Northeast corner of Lowe's parking lot, 13631 SE Johnson Rd, Milwaukie, OR 97222

Special Events

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2020 Mountains to the Sea

The Rally to Clark's Tree

Saturday, May 16

Join us for the 55th anniversary of Cascade Sports Car Club's classic Mountains to the Sea road rally. This year's rally offers an all-paved scenic route that is fun to drive, ending with a BBQ dinner and a famous beach party at the [Breakers Hotel](#) in Long Beach, Washington.

This full-day beginner-level tour-style rally includes TSD regularity sections with GPS-timed passage controls, time of day restarts, and a Monte Carlo finale. Route instructions are accompanied by official mileage. Passage controls are identified in the route instructions.

The 2020 Mountains to the Sea Rally utilizes a state-of-the-art method of timing and scoring road rallies. Each rally team is required to bring a smartphone equipped with the "Competitor - Richta GPS Checkpoints" app.

Group activities are planned for Sunday. Plan to spend the night and join your rally friends for some fun local activities. Breakers' rates are \$99 for a studio and \$129 for a one bedroom, add \$15 for dog friendly rooms. Call the Breakers at 360-642-4414 and mention M2C.



Online preregistration is required. Preregistration closes May 9.

<http://msreg.com/CSCCM2C> open soon

Entry fee:

\$85 per car for CSCC members
\$100 per car for non-members
Entry fee covers entry in the one-day road rally and Saturday BBQ dinner for driver and navigator
\$10 each for additional diners

Start location:

Dealers Supply parking lot
[2345 NW Nicolai St, Portland, OR 97210](#)

Schedule:

Check in: 9 am
Participant meeting: 9:40 am
First car out: 10:01 am
Break: 11:30 am approx.
Lunch: 1:30 pm approx.
Break: 3:30 pm approx.
Finish: 5 pm approx.
BBQ dinner: 6 pm approx.
Results posted, awards presented
Beach party: 7 pm approx.



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