



Qualifying Team Information

6th SCORE Baja 400



Thursday, Sept. 11, 2025 - Starts 8:00am (PDT)

► Refer to Schedule of Events for Qualifying Registration Day and Time ◀

The five (5) qualifying classes are divided into groups. Each group will have one (1) controlled speed Observation lap not to exceed 37 mph (59.55 kph). One vehicle will be released every 30 seconds. Qualifying runs for each Group will begin immediately following completion of their Observation laps.

Approximate Observation Run Start Times:

| Class | Class 1 and TT Legends | TT Spec | TT 2WD | TT Class |
|------------|------------------------|---------|---------|----------|
| Start Time | 8:00am Combined Group | 9:00am | 10:15am | 11:30 |

All above classes will start the race inter-mixed based on Q-times.

There is no access to the qualifying course prior to 6:30am PDT. Any teams accessing the area prior to 6:30am PDT will **NOT** be permitted to qualify. Security will be on-site monitoring the course.

If a Qualifying Driver/Co-driver/Navigator has not signed a waiver and is banded by the close of Qualifying Registration on Wednesday with all fees paid, the team will not be allowed to qualify, and the team will not receive qualifying location information. You cannot send a team member to on-site registration to pick up bands on **Wednesday, Sept. 10 from 2–7pm unless all paperwork is signed and fees paid. No bands will be issued at qualifying site.**

All Co-drivers / Navigators must have signed releases and be banded individually for each team they are riding with during qualifications.

All persons attending Qualifying location must be banded. Refer to the Controlled Access Area rules posted on the website for more information. Essential team members are now referred to as guests. All persons in your group **MUST** to be banded to be in your pit area at qualification location.

For entire Qualifying area, all persons must remain a minimum of 50 feet (15m) away from centerline of qualifying course at all times. Do not stand on outside of any corner on course. No Exceptions!

For complete qualifying rules refer to the SCORE Rulebook in the **General Regulations Section, Pages 9-10**. The following are excerpts from this Qualifying section:

GQ 6 Each qualifying participant will receive one Orientation lap and must stop at Timing Trailer for transponder check at end of their lap.

Qualifying vehicle must stay on the marked course without cutting corners or creating new lines. Penalties will be applied by the Race Director or Assistant Race Director if there are reports of course cutting.

A participant will be allowed a repeat run only if their initial timed run is affected by another participant that had mechanical issues or an accident. If a participant is granted a repeat run, it will be up to the Race Director or Assistant Race Director and Timing staff to determine when they can repeat their run.

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Additional Qualifying Information:

GQ 6 *(continued)* Should a qualifying participant fail to complete their qualification run, and no time is recorded, their start order position will follow those completing qualification runs. If multiple qualifiers do not complete their runs, they will be placed behind those completing runs in the order their entry was received.

All qualifying race vehicles must qualify with all body panels in place. In the event of an accident during the practice lap, it will be up to the Race Director's discretion to determine if that vehicle can continue without a body panel.

- Spare tires on the vehicle are optional.
- No fueling while in the qualifying staging line
- Qualifying participants must be using SCORE Relay frequency **151.625**
- Safety gear is mandatory, helmet, driving suit, head and neck restraint must be worn.
- Jumping the green light, green flag, or starters direction will result in penalty,

GQ 4 All race vehicles attempting to qualify must have current chassis inspection tag. Chassis tag number must be indicated during the online registration process. **IMPORTANT:** Qualifying Driver and tagged chassis that qualified must start the race!

If the qualifying driver has a documented medical emergency race day, the Race Director may allow someone else to start. If approved, the vehicle will move to the back of those who qualified.

If a team replaces the qualifying engine between qualifying and the race start, they will be moved to the last starting position of the teams that qualified.

GQ 7 The first 10 starting spots at the beginning of Tech line are reserved for a procession of the top 10 Qualifiers regardless of vehicle class. Vehicles participating in procession must arrive by 7:00 AM and be driven by a DOR or Co-Driver. Any eligible team arriving in staging area after 7:00 AM will be required to get in line behind other teams already in line.

