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## SCCA AUTOCROSS AND REGIONAL RACES FOR 1996

The Sports Car Club of America, Hawaii Region, will have its monthly Autocross in 1996 at Barbers Point Naval Air Station. The gates will be open at 9:00 a.m. and close at 5:00 p.m. Drivers pay \$13.00 and pit passes are available for \$3.00.

Autocross is designed to test a driver's skill through a sports car course. Each driver is given four timed runs through the course. The single best time is compared to drivers in the same class. There are over 40 different classes which cover factory stock cars to out-and-out race cars. Trophies are awarded to the top finishers in each class and a best novice trophy is awarded each month.

The races for 1996 are on the following dates:

January 14, 1996	July 14, 1996
February 11, 1996	August 11, 1996
March 10, 1996	September 8, 1996
April 14, 1996	October 13, 1996
May 19, 1996	November 10, 1996
June 9, 1996 (Aloha State Games)	December 8, 1996

The Hawaii Region of the Sports Car Club of America is also sponsoring wheel-to-wheel sports car races and a driver's school at Hawaii Raceway Park. The races feature approximately 20 to 30 formula cars, sports cars, and sedans. There will be Formula Mirages (150 m.p.h. cars), SCCA Spec Racers (110 m.p.h.), Formula Fords (120 to 130 m.p.h.), and a bevy of Porches, Mustangs, Camaros, Triumphs, and Mazda sports cars.

The dates for these events are as follows:

January 20-21, 1996 (the 20th being a drivers school)  
March 24, 1996 (spectator race)  
June 2, 1996  
August 24-25, 1996 (the 24th being a drivers school)  
October 27, 1996 (spectator race)  
December 1, 1996

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