This & That:

The Electron Marathon

Once again the Hawaii Region will be assisting Hawaiian Electric Co. with the Electron Marathon. The Electron Marathon is a program with Hawaii's public and private high schools for developing an awareness of electricity through racing electric vehicles. This year Hawaiian Electric expects the largest field ever with twenty five or more cars from the thirty high schools participating. There will be two events: a one hour endurance race and a

drag race. As a organizing participant, we need to ask our members to volunteer their time to help with flagging and communication; timing and scoring and race control.

The Electron Marathon is scheduled for March 21st, Saturday from 8:00 am to about 1:00 pm. We will need about twenty four volunteers. So if you want to see a fun race, contact Lindsey Akamu.

Solo I May Be The Ticket

Do you have a need for speed, but on a tight budget? There is a way that you can go racing for a lot less than you think. SCCA has a Solo 1 class that races at Hawaii Raceway Park with the Club Racing cars. Solo 1 racing is the high speed version of Solo II. It follows the same car classifications and your overall time is the best of four flying laps. Ample track time is scheduled before the timed laps to get

a good feel for the track conditions. Because of the speeds possible, safety equipment such as a roll bar, fire suit, safety harness and a Snell SA90 rated helmet are required. We will be putting on a driving school at Hawaii Raceway Park on March 28th. This will be a good chance to be licensed for driving in Solo 1 and experience the high speed sensations of driving on a dedicated race track.

Don't Be a Huila Reject

Just a reminder that the deadline for all submission for this newsletter is the 15th of the month prior to publication. As the production of Huila is very time consuming, no exceptions to this deadline will be made. Also, if someone you know, who races with us, is not

receiving Huila, it may be because of poor penmanship. On your Solo II registration forms please complete all sections (including indicating SCCA membership or not), and please try to print clearly.

