



## Road America Track Day – Driving Groups

### Run Group Summary:

- **Novice** - Little to no experience driving on a racetrack, (0 to 5) on track events
- **Intermediate** - Some experience driving on a racetrack but not necessarily at Road America, (6 to 10) on track events
- **Advanced** - Significant experience driving on a racetrack, more than 10 on-track events at multiple tracks

**Novice:** The Novice group is designed for the driving enthusiast that has limited or no prior track experience. All Novice group students will be provided with classroom sessions and on-track instruction. Classroom curriculum will include explanation of the flags, entering and exiting the pit Lane, line discussion and basic vehicle dynamics. Road America specific procedures including passing and getting on and off the track will also be discussed. PowerPoint presentation will be used to fully describe the proper line around the track. On track instruction will include lead-follow exercises.

**Intermediate:** The Intermediate group is for driving enthusiasts with some level of prior track driving experience. Intermediate group students will have a basic understanding of vehicle dynamics, as well as an understanding of the driving line. Intermediate group students work on improving their driving skills through the most significant commodity for performance driving enthusiasts – track time. Some of the Intermediate group drivers will have a fair amount of prior driving experience, but it might be their first time at Road America.

**Advanced:** The Advanced group is designed to provide an outlet for the seasoned track driver. These students will have had considerable prior experience with performance driving at a number different tracks including Road America. Some members of the Advanced group may have prior competition experience. Advanced group drivers will possess a solid understanding of vehicle dynamics, will be proficient at heel and toe downshifting, and will exhibit the ability to control his or her car in a high-speed environment without dropping wheels or spinning their car.