

Buttonwillow Recap

Posted by capt squid - 07 Apr 2014 09:04

Fun weekend racing with the 944 group. Thanks to everyone who helped at the enduro. Congrats to John N. for his first win. He drove great.

For those of you who were at lunch when the Japanese driver, who didn't speak English, came by and kept pointing to my car and giving thumbs up. The light came on this morning that he was one of the Mazda factory drivers who were driving the Mazda diesels that Ryan told us about.

He must of been the one that I battled it out with during the first part of my stint. Every time I would pass him he would wait for a mistake and re-pass me effortlessly. Initially I was delighted having received a thumbs up from a factory driver. Then when I thought about it, he was driving a stock diesel.

Half a glass full, half a glass empty. I will take the thumbs up over the thumbs down from the Miata boys for going 3 wide into Cotton Corners with them.

Jim R

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Re: Buttonwillow Recap

Posted by capt squid - 21 Apr 2014 10:55

Short video of Saturday's race with 3 wide into Cotton Corners with the Miatas. Center Miata locked his brakes and hit his buddy allowing me to clear. Tom drove a good race and was on my bumper or door most of the race.

www.youtube.com/squidmobile1

Video camera went south on Sunday so no video of the door to door action with Jim F.

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Re: Buttonwillow Recap

Posted by capt squid - 24 Apr 2014 08:05

Hey Tom,

Are you going to post any video of the Sat race?

Jim R

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Re: Buttonwillow Recap

Posted by Atteberry - 26 Apr 2014 15:53

Here is my view of a great pass by Jim R. on the white flag lap to get two Miata's between him and me.
Great Pass!!!

youtu.be/TmK5Giqb6Hc

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Re: Buttonwillow Recap

Posted by jivenjim - 26 Apr 2014 19:05

Wow. From Richmonds Cam I thought he also hip checked them both but looks like tons of room. At least by our standards.

Thomas, You should post all video. You were fast and clean all weekend with a good running car...