



George Doganis is #1 in Bilstein Cup Class standings after 2 events

Well Desert Storm is in the books... and we have the following Bilstein Cup Class standings so far:

We are following the guidelines from the Rally America rulebook on event points Article 9.6 D. 4-Driver Regional Championships and E.2 concerning tie breaking.

Bilstein Cup Class Standings after 2 events:

- 1 - George Doganis = 35 points
- 2 - Michael Bond = 24 points
- 3 - Gaylord Van Brocklin = 21 points
- 4 - Alex Helton = 20 points
- 5 - Jim Robison = 16 points
- 6 - Roger Hull = 1 point

Bilstein of America is looking forward to see who wins the Cup Class...who are going for the Racing for Excellence award.

You can still get in on the Cup Class by entering Plan B Rally which is May 8th and headquartered in Indio, Ca. This will be a really fun ,simple rally and all done in one day.

The scoring point results for BilsteinSWRC/RA will be done very soon. They need to reformat from Gibeault's scoring results to get it up on the RA database.

We will get organizer stage notes done again by the famous Gibeault team.

A one pass recce since we will be doing stage notes instead of the routebook with 2 pass recce.

I should have the drafted supplemental regulations out next week.
Go to www.planbrallysite.com to get the entry fee schedule for early, standard and late fee.
Early is \$330.00's and you can not beat that price....

Also, Pay Pal is the option as well even on this event.

Best Western Date Tree Inn
81909 Indio Blvd.
Indio, Ca 92201
760-347-3421
www.datetree.com

A big parking lot to put overnight your trailer and service vehicle and team cars.

We are getting a sweet deal:
\$59.00's for 1 bed
\$69.00's for 2 bed
Pet Friendly Hotel with deposit

We blocked off 40 rooms if they get filled then we can block off more at these great prices but do wait to call starting March 24th to reserve rooms.

There will be again live updates on the Rally America for Plan B.

This should give you a rough draft on the General Event Schedule:

We are looking at doing **Friday**: Tech Inspection and Registration at the hotel starting about 5:00 P.M. - 10:30 P.M.

Saturday:

Can call to seek tech and registration appointment VERY EARLY Saturday morning (info on this later)
Drive out to the stages on trailers
Recce **but not in your rally cars**
Do Leg 1 late afternoon
Lunch Break possible grilling of hot dogs/hamburgers at the campground right beside the first stage. it is within the surrounding canyons.
Do Leg 2- evening/night
Awards back at the hotel out at the Olympic size swimming pool with pizza and provided sodas.

There are several casinos surrounding the hotel if you want to stay out late, etc.

So if we get a good entry field then we can include the food for the competitors for Saturday and Sunday evening. I am sure that will happen...but we will keep you updated....

Any questions, do not hesitate to call or e-mail me.

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