

EASTBOUND SPEEDWAY – AVONDALE, NL

ATTENTION: HOBBY STOCK DIVISION

2026 RULES ADDENDUM

As per the 2026 rules released in March, additional car models and engine classifications are being considered in an effort to increase vehicle options for the Hobby Stock Division. While not limited to any one vehicle the 2026 rules were revised to allow additional models with specified engine codes to be considered **with prior approval by the Eastbound Speedway Management Team**. Since release of the 2026 rule package, it has come to our attention that our current OEM horsepower rating limit of 180hp excludes some base model 2.4 Liter engines, for some manufactures. Given the numerous engine variations, we find it necessary to customize our rules slightly, while maintaining a competitive balance between the current field and any new entries. Effective for 2026, the OEM rating of 180hp remains without penalty, and vehicles with an OEM horsepower rating from 180.1hp to 190hp **maximum** will be considered with a **weight penalty**. The weight penalty will be in addition to the base weight as outlined in section 11.1 of the rules for the 2.4L engine. Please see below the weight penalty for any car exceeding 180hp to a maximum of 190 hp OEM rating:

Ex. 2.4L with a base weight of 2400 pounds

180.1hp to 185hp OEM rating.... plus 150 pounds.... total 2550

185.1hp to 190hp OEM rating.... plus 300 pounds.... total 2700

As we continue to expand vehicle options we will monitor on track activity and rework our rules to encourage new entries while maintaining a competitive field.

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