

BEST IN THE DESERT RACING ASSOCIATION

2020 King Shocks Laughlin Desert Classic



Dear Racer ~

At Best In The Desert Racing Association, our goal is to make certain that your experience with us is nothing short of exceptional. Each event we work to ensure that your participation, enthusiasm to the sport of off-road racing meets the professionalism you expect and deserve. Best In The Desert Racing Association is proud to have taken the sport of off-road racing to a higher level, to a level of racing where drivers are constantly challenged. In Best In The Desert competitors are provided an opportunity to know that their motivation, perseverance, determination and planning pay off, every mile of every race, in an incredible feeling of accomplishment and pride.

Visionaries discover solutions where others see obstacles. Casey was a visionary. He envisioned bringing Laughlin back to the forefront in off-road racing with great sponsors and activities that involved the whole family. Our goal at Best In The Desert is to carry out Casey's vision. We will continue to build on the foundation he started and make Laughlin another hot spot for Premier Off-Road Racing!!!

It's the challenge that makes it fun for both you, the competitor, and me, the promoter. Such is the case of the **2020 King Shocks Laughlin Desert Classic**. Back for 2020 will be the **Baja Designs UTV night race** on Thursday night, **OUR FIRST** night race is making a comeback. I'm sure the new event will be well received by all of the off-road racing community. **The exciting Laughlin Desert Classic** start/finish and parking area will be only 5 minutes from our **Host hotel Don Laughlin's Riverside Resort**. February 2020 will be a great time to be in Laughlin; off-road race by day and play in the beautiful Town of Laughlin by night. Maybe even a little boating in-between your racing heats! Best In The Desert and the Town of Laughlin have it all ~ another great event promoted by **The American Off-Road Racing Series ~ Best In The Desert Racing Association!**

The race course is in compliance and meets all of the environmental concerns by the BLM and Bureau of Reclamation. We work very hard at Best In The Desert to comply with the rules and regulations and we appreciate our racers doing the same; we all must protect our environment and respect the rules. The event will begin on Thursday, with the Time Trials followed by the UTV night race!

We'd like to thank all of our sponsors who are involved in promoting this event in Laughlin, NV: King Shocks, Ford Motor Company, Polaris RZR, Lucas Oil, VP Racing Fuel, KC HiLites, FabTech, Rugged Radios, FOX, Method Race Wheels, McKenzies, Slime, Trophy Tractor Inc., Beta Motorcycle, Dick's Racing, Impact, RNR Steel, Action Sports Canopies and Sportsman Cycle Sales. Big Thanks to Baja Designs for sponsoring the UTV night race. Our sponsors make it possible to promote these great events and we appreciate you doing business with the people who participate in off-road desert racing.

Remember, NOW is the time to step up to the plate and GO FOR IT! The **off-road adventure** that awaits you in **Laughlin, Nevada**, cannot be found anywhere else in the United States. Just think about it, racing a FUN, CHALLENGING racecourse that will tax your off-road racing skills to the limit!!! I look forward to seeing you in Laughlin for the exciting **2020 King Shocks Laughlin Desert Classic!**

I look forward to seeing you all in Laughlin, NV.

Sincerely,

Donald Jackson, Operations Manager
Best In The Desert Racing Association



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FACT SHEET

- 2020 FORD RANGER Giveaway – 4x4 Crew Cab.** Enter the King Shocks Laughlin Desert Classic and your Name will be thrown into the hat. All UTV, Car & Truck Entries are eligible. Winner will be announced at Friday Night Driver's Meeting. Winner **MUST BE** present.
- HOST HOTELS: Riverside Resort Hotel & Casino – all events will be at the Riverside for 2020. Call Before February 4th to get our Group Rate.** Reservations – 800-227-3849; Group Code: C/BITD
- KICK-OFF PARTIES:** Come to Laughlin early to participate in all of the early race festivities! Starting Wednesday night we begin with Time Trial registration and a Welcome Party at the Riverside Resort.
- TIME TRIALS & POLE AWARDS** – Team Ford will sponsor the TEAM FORD POLE AWARD. The Team Ford Pole Award is awarded to the FASTEST OVERALL Time Trial Qualifier in Trick Truck or Class 1500. The ALEXANDER FORD FASTEST QUALIFIER Award will go to fastest 6100! Not only will both walk away with the Title of the Fastest Qualifier, but they will also walk away with an awesome trophy and \$1000 cash! Thank you to Steve Olliges and Team Ford for the Pole award! Thank you Ryan Hancock and Alexander Ford for the Fastest Qualifier!
- Racer Appreciation Social Hour Brought to you by Method Race Wheels:** Come grab your brew filled Collectable pint glass! While supplies last! Social Hour will be on Friday night, more details to come.
- UTV NIGHT RACE:** Thursday night UTV night race – Two races, first race UTV Production, Sportsman, & Rally class. Second race Pro Turbo & Pro Unlimited. Races will start at Sundown. Pro Classes will go 8 Laps, Sportsman & Rally go 6 Laps.
- RACE FORMAT:** Race times are subject to revision, Saturday & Sunday schedule...

1 st Race	Classes: 1100, 1700, 2700, 3700, 7100, 7300, 8100, Vintage
2 nd Race	Classes: 2000, 3000, 4400, 4700, 5000, 6000
3 rd Race	Classes: 1000, 1500, 7200, 6200
4 th Race	Classes: 6100, 8000
5 th Race	Class: Trick Trucks
- LAPS** – 1st race will race 3-laps and you must complete all laps to be considered a finisher. Race 2-3-4-5 will race 4-laps and you must complete all 4-laps each day to be considered a finisher.
- HOT PIT:** There will be one (1) Hot Pit for Cars and Trucks. You are allowed to fuel and switch drivers at the Hot Pit only. You will only need one (1) pit support vehicle at the Hot Pit.
- OVERNIGHT CAMPING:** There **WILL BE** overnight camping allowed at Main Parking Area. The Main Parking Area will be open on Wednesday for early parking. There will be a security company at the gate issuing you a pass, racers only. No spectating/guest vehicles allowed in the Main Parking Area, there is limited parking. **NO CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL is allowed in the Main Pit or Hot Pit during the race.**
- DRAW DATE:** The draw for start positions is Wednesday, February 5, 2020, get your entry form in by 2/3/2020.
- TRANSPONDERS** are for scoring and are mandatory. There will be **NO RacingTrax** units required for this event. The loop is short enough where we feel we can keep track of you and respond quickly if there is an emergency.
- SPECTATING:** Spectating Areas will be open Thursday, Saturday & Sunday with good views of the **Laughlin Gauntlet**. Spectating parking area is on the south side of the in-field. These areas will be watered down so you'll have a clear frame for watching your favorite racers race.
- AWARDS:** The King Shocks Laughlin Desert Classic Awards Presentation will be held on Sunday evening, February 23rd, at The Riverside Resort Hotel & Casino.

**3-DAYS OF RACING ~
TRIPLE YOUR PLEASURE ~ TRIPLE YOUR FUN !!!**