

2018 New London-Waterford Speedbowl (NLWS) Credential Agreement and Guidelines

Who may receive credentials?

Media credentials may be requested and issued on an event by event basis for the purpose of press coverage and event promotions. The speedway may issue credentials to newspapers, television stations, radio stations, other news media, racing publications, websites/blogs, and sanctioning body public relations representatives.

Eligibility of organizations seeking credentials is at the sole discretion of the speedway.

All requests should be submitted to the NLWS Office via email or regular mail with a deadline of one week prior to the event being covered.

Requests representing the same organization may be limited to no more than three (3) representatives per event.

All credentials are non-transferable.

No one under 18 will be credentialed by NLWS for entry into the pit area or infield.

How will I be notified of credential decisions?

All requests will receive a response from the track office no less than five days prior to the event.

Where do I pick up Credentials Once at the Track?

Please park in the main parking lot. Media credentials are not valid for infield or paddock parking.

Credentials can be picked up at the VIP window which is located at the main grandstand entrance. A valid photo ID will be required for verification. A waiver must be signed prior to credentials being issued releasing NLWS from any liability, property damage, or personal injury.

All media credentialed visitors must adhere to the NLWS safety rules and regulations, including dress code:

Full covering shoes, long pants, and a full shirt must be worn for paddock / infield access.

Vests are required for photographers/videographers in the paddock, and required for all individuals entering the infield (see details below). Infield access is limited, and individuals must stay within the concrete and guardrail barrier area at the center of the track. Standing on concrete blocks, vehicles, or other raised structures in the infield is not permitted

What exactly are the rules for media equipment?

Professional media equipment may not be used in the paddock or infield areas without approved media credentials. "Media equipment" includes but is not limited to: professional photography equipment (defined as cameras with a separate body and lens), video cameras (including miniature, "Go-Pro" type, and drone operate cameras), other audio/video recording or broadcasting devices, or devices for internet streaming.

Credentialed guests are identified by track staff by their vests, which must be obtained from and returned to the official's booth located across from the NLWS office on the midway. Use of media equipment without a vest and credentials will result in loss of paddock/infield access, and may result in removal from track property.

Enforcement of this policy is at the discretion of track officials.

Media recorded during race event may be used only for editorial and/or news coverage purposes only and may not be offered for resale. Credentialed individuals found selling any recorded media will forfeit credential eligibility for the remainder of the season.

Media equipment may not be placed on fences, guardrails, towers, track walls, in cars, or the track surface at any time without express written permission of track management.

New London-Waterford Speedbowl Credential Application 2018

A review of the New London-Waterford Speedbowl Media Credential Policy prior to completing this application is necessary. Please fully complete this form and return it with your request at least one week prior to the event you wish to cover.

Name of Requester: _____ Title: _____

Affiliation: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Contact #: _____ Email: _____

Requester Signature: _____ Date: _____

Credential Type:

1= Print ___ Local ___ National ___ Racing Trade ___ Newspaper ___ Magazine ___

Other _____

2= Photographer

3= Radio

4= Other _____

Credential Type – Select # _____

Name: _____ Job Description: _____

Email: _____ Contact #: _____

Credential Type – Select # _____

Name: _____ Job Description: _____

Email: _____ Contact #: _____

Credential Type – Select # _____

Name: _____ Job Description: _____

Email: _____ Contact #: _____

Please ensure all attendees are aware of the NLWS credential policies and procedures. NLWS holds the right to refuse any requests, and/or revoke credentials at any time.