

## The First Green Flag

Do you remember your first green flag? The butterflies in your stomach? The adrenaline rush? I'm sure it's different for everyone but for me it's a wonderful memory. Watching someone else experience their first start and cheering for them with other club members is another wonderful moment in time.

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Troy Udell gets his first green flag from Jared DeLong

**"If you are not scared, you are not going fast enough"**  
**-Ken Block #43**

## January Meeting Minutes



The Redwood Sports Car Club General Meeting was held at Babe's Pizza in Cutten on Wednesday, January 11th. A total of 16 members and guests were in attendance including club officers and board members. Club President Ken Goldie called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. Club Treasurer Mara Green gave the financial report. Club Secretary, Ron Garton reported the minutes of the December meeting. Old Business began with Ken Goldie reporting that the 2023 club event schedule was finalized. Event chairpersons are needed for the February and March autocross. The new laptop computer for timing and scoring was delivered to Loren Fisher who also gave a report on timing equipment status and needed repairs. In New Business, volunteers were requested to help with course setup for the January autocross. Loren Fisher won the raffle for a free autocross day. The meeting was adjourned at 7:08pm.



## 2023 RSCC Event Schedule

### RSCC Autocross & Events

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Chair</u>
January 21/22 *	Autocross	Samoa Dragstrip	Nick LaPinta
February 11/12*	Autocross	Samoa Dragstrip	Tim Burrus
March 11/12 *	Autocross	Samoa Dragstrip	TBA
April 15/16	Autocross	Samoa Dragstrip	Andrew Harden
May 13/14	Autocross	Samoa Dragstrip	Ken Goldie
June 10th	Two Seat Car Show	Woodley Island	Loren Fisher
June 17/18	Autocross	Samoa Dragstrip	Joel Rosser
July 22/23	Hill Climb	Korbel	Ken Goldie
August 12/13	Autocross	Samoa Dragstrip	Andrew Harden
September 16/17	Autocross	Samoa Dragstrip	Brett Gronemeyer
October 14/15	Enduro	Samoa Dragstrip	Ron Garton
November 18th	Banquet	TBA	RSCC Board of Directors

All dates are subject to change!

\* non-points pre-season events are subject to cancellation due to weather.

**General meetings** are the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 6:30pm. Meetings are currently being held at **Babe's Pizza** in Cutten, 4015 Walnut Drive. Come early and enjoy their great pizza or pasta!



## January Autocross Photos & Results

The gods of racing turned off the water faucet but there was still a chill in the air, especially on a very windy Sunday. Nick LaPinta created a great course that was fast all weekend. New members Tina Jordan and Troy Udell got their first autocross green flags and got up to speed quickly.



## January Autocross Photos & Results cont...

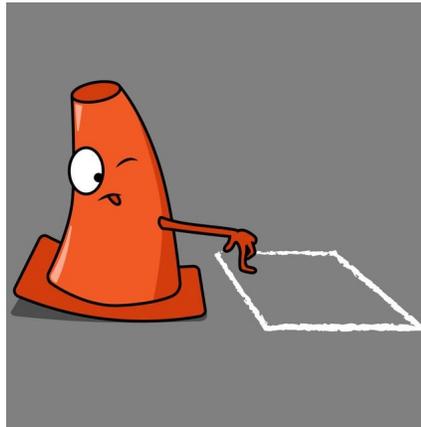


## January Autocross Photos & Results cont...



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Chair: Nick LaPinta		print ver. 49.48	01/21/23		Redwood Sports Car Club															
Event #1 'NON-POINTS'		44949.45354	BEST	Using 2022 PAX values	Un-Official Results (times are in seconds.)															
CLASS	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	CAR	TIME	c's	1st	c's	2nd	c's	3rd	c's	4th	c's	5th	c's	6th	c's	7th	c's	8th
AS	MIKE	SMITH	02 CORVETTE	62.54		DNF		DNF		68.68		62.54		DNF	1	DNF		DNF		DNF
HS	JOHNNY	JOHNSON	94 HONDA DEL SOL	54.74		68.25		55.81		DNF		54.74		DNF		56.32		54.87		65.83
HS	MARVIN	GOSS	91 NISSAN NX2000	58.54		67.62		60.03		60.55	1	61.79		61.89		59.45		58.54		58.77
STH	JOHN	BENNETT	16 VW GTI	53.09	1	57.32	1	54.79	1	54.90	1	53.69	1	55.46	1	55.44		53.09	1	56.01
STS	JOHNNY Jr.	JOHNSON	99 HONDA CIVIC	54.67		59.29		58.24		57.82		56.06		56.00		55.36		54.78		54.67
STS	RON	GARTON	91 MAZDA MIATA	57.02		58.49		61.12		57.12	1	77.34		58.08		57.02		67.51		57.14
STS	TROY	UDELL	91 MAZDA MIATA	64.25		67.67		66.62		64.41	1	66.07		65.38		64.41		65.37	1	64.25
STX	MIKE	HENDRIKS	19 SUBARU BRZ	52.30	1	57.71		55.01		54.55		53.32		53.97		54.12		52.30		52.39
STX	TINA	JORDAN	19 SUBARU BRZ	61.19		80.31	1	67.16		63.49		62.92		68.10		63.11		61.76		61.19
STR	JARED	DELONG	92 MAZDA MIATA	51.80	3	59.14		54.06		51.80		52.61	2	59.09		52.87		52.29		51.98
STR	BRETT	GRONEMEYER	99 MAZDA MIATA	52.10		54.54		53.05		53.61		53.51		54.43		52.10	1	54.12		52.94
CSP	DOUG	BATT	00 MAZDA MIATA	59.18		69.53		61.49	0	59.85		68.65		68.64		59.89		59.18		60.39
FSP	ED	SMITH	02 TOYOTA CAMRY	55.62		58.42		58.07		56.66		55.62		DNS		DNS		DNS		DNS
XSB	ANDREW	HARDEN	94 HONDA CIVIC	51.74		57.56		DNS		55.34		52.60		52.43		59.27		52.79		51.74
EV	CHRIS	GRIFFITH	10 TESLA ROADSTER	57.49		67.43	1	61.63		57.49		DNS								
EV	HEATHER	GRIFFITH	10 TESLA ROADSTER	65.91		76.76		65.91	1	66.16		DNS								
XP	ROBERT	BUCHER	FORMULA V FV	63.45		DNF		DNF		87.16		63.45		67.18		DNF		96.12		DNF
SSM	GORDON	CARTER	71 PORSCHE 911	53.97		57.93		57.82		55.30		54.49		55.82		57.48		54.84		53.97
OSPU	LOREN	FISHER	73 MGBENZ	55.41		61.36		57.02		58.03		55.89		57.09		55.85		56.15		55.41
CAM S	TIM	BURRUS	01 CORVETTE	49.48		51.52	1	53.42		49.84		49.48		49.95	3	56.02		49.58		49.99
CAM S	NICHOLAS	LAPINTA	01 CORVETTE	50.01		61.11		60.65	2	55.56		50.78	2	71.50	1	52.53	1	51.91		50.01
EVX	SCOTT	LEZCHUK	20 TESLA 3	50.95		54.01		52.79	1	DNF		50.97		52.44		51.38		51.30		50.95



Time by rank		44949.45594		Time	Rank
TIM	BURRUS	01 CORVETTE	49.48	1	
NICHOLAS	LAPINTA	01 CORVETTE	50.01	2	
SCOTT	LEZCHUK	20 TESLA 3	50.95	3	
ANDREW	HARDEN	94 HONDA CIVIC	51.74	4	
JARED	DELONG	92 MAZDA MIATA	51.80	5	
BRETT	GRONEMEYER	99 MAZDA MIATA	52.10	6	
MIKE	HENDRIKS	19 SUBARU BRZ	52.30	7	
JOHN	BENNETT	16 VW GTI	53.09	8	
GORDON	CARTER	71 PORSCHE 911	53.97	9	
JOHNNY Jr.	JOHNSON	99 HONDA CIVIC	54.67	10	
JOHNNY	JOHNSON	94 HONDA DEL SOL	54.74	11	
LOREN	FISHER	73 MGBENZ	55.41	12	
ED	SMITH	02 TOYOTA CAMRY	55.62	13	
RON	GARTON	91 MAZDA MIATA	57.02	14	
CHRIS	GRIFFITH	10 TESLA ROADSTER	57.49	15	
MARVIN	GOSS	91 NISSAN NX2000	58.54	16	
DOUG	BATT	00 MAZDA MIATA	59.18	17	
TINA	JORDAN	19 SUBARU BRZ	61.19	18	
MIKE	SMITH	02 CORVETTE	62.54	19	
ROBERT	BUCHER	FORMULA V FV	63.45	20	
TROY	UDELL	91 MAZDA MIATA	64.25	21	
HEATHER	GRIFFITH	10 TESLA ROADSTER	65.91	22	

PAX by Rank		January 21, 2023		Time	Rank	Points
MIKE	HENDRIKS	19 SUBARU BRZ	42.73	1	1000	
JARED	DELONG	92 MAZDA MIATA	42.89	2	996	
JOHNNY	JOHNSON	94 HONDA DEL SOL	43.03	3	993	
JOHN	BENNETT	16 VW GTI	43.11	4	991	
BRETT	GRONEMEYER	99 MAZDA MIATA	43.14	5	991	
ANDREW	HARDEN	94 HONDA CIVIC	44.03	6	970	
JOHNNY Jr.	JOHNSON	99 HONDA CIVIC	44.45	7	961	
ED	SMITH	02 TOYOTA CAMRY	45.83	8	932	
MARVIN	GOSS	91 NISSAN NX2000	46.01	9	929	
RON	GARTON	91 MAZDA MIATA	46.36	10	922	
GORDON	CARTER	71 PORSCHE 911	47.66	11	897	
CHRIS	GRIFFITH	10 TESLA ROADSTER	48.00	12	890	
LOREN	FISHER	73 MGBENZ	48.10	13	888	
TIM	BURRUS	01 CORVETTE	49.48	14	864	
TINA	JORDAN	19 SUBARU BRZ	49.99	15	855	
NICHOLAS	LAPINTA	01 CORVETTE	50.01	16	854	
SCOTT	LEZCHUK	20 TESLA 3	50.95	17	839	
DOUG	BATT	00 MAZDA MIATA	51.13	18	836	
MIKE	SMITH	02 CORVETTE	51.35	19	832	
TROY	UDELL	91 MAZDA MIATA	52.24	20	818	
HEATHER	GRIFFITH	10 TESLA ROADSTER	55.03	21	776	
ROBERT	BUCHER	FORMULA V FV	56.15	22	761	

# January Autocross Photos & Results cont...

Chair: Nick LaPinta		print ver. 50.37	01/22/23		Redwood Sports Car Club														
Event #2 'NON-POINTS'		44949.4694	BEST	Using 2022 PAX values	Un-Official Results (times are in seconds.)														
CLASS	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	CAR	TIME	c's	1st	c's	2nd	c's	3rd	c's	4th	c's	5th	c's	6th	c's	7th	c's
ES	NICK	BROADDUS	92 MAZDA MIATA	57.65		62.20		58.30		58.75		57.72		59.00		58.81		57.65	
FS	MIKE	STRANDE	13 BMW M3	54.30		56.30		57.20		55.82		54.80		55.61		54.30		59.25	
FS	ADRIAN	LEWIS	91 LEXUS LS400	60.25		78.96	1	81.63	1	64.15	2	75.81		60.25	1	60.52	2	62.25	
HS	JOHNNY	JOHNSON	94 HONDA DEL SOL	54.54		58.46		56.54		55.33		54.54		X5520		54.59	1	64.91	
HS	MARVIN	GOSS	91 NISSAN NX2000	59.65		87.28		63.21		60.51		59.65		60.89	1	63.60		DNF	
STS	JOHNNY Jr.	JOHNSON	99 HONDA CIVIC	54.19		57.54		54.99		54.28		54.32		X5844		55.10		54.19	
STS	RON	GARTON	91 MAZDA MIATA	57.02		DNF		58.60		57.67		58.22		57.40		57.11		57.02	
STS	TROY	UDELL	91 MAZDA MIATA	61.07		66.71		63.99		64.53		63.25		62.95		61.07		61.33	
STX	MIKE	HENDRIKS	19 SUBARU BRZ	52.63		56.71		54.10		53.70		53.21		55.13		53.48		52.63	
STX	TINA	JORDAN	19 SUBARU BRZ	62.04		71.69		65.52		62.04		64.84		DNF		65.67		63.98	
STR	BRETT	GRONEMEYER	99 MAZDA MIATA	51.82		54.44		54.61		53.28		52.74		65.46		52.52		51.82	
STR	JARED	DELONG	92 MAZDA MIATA	52.27		53.79		53.37		53.70		52.69		53.30		52.27	1	54.09	
FSP	ED	SMITH	02 TOYOTA CAMRY	54.32		58.60		56.02	1	57.08		54.32	2	60.00		55.25		64.27	
XSB	IAN	SHARP	95 MAZDA MIATA	55.07		59.38		57.50		55.66		55.97		55.70		56.31		55.07	
XSB	MARK	TOPPING	07 HONDA S2000	60.77		DNF65	1	DNF72		DNF66		60.77		64.00		DNF		DNF	
EV	CHRIS	GRIFFITH	10 TESLA ROADSTER	54.49		DNF58		57.20		56.41		DNF55		54.73		64.77		54.49	
XP	GREG	RENO	96 HONDA	55.42	1	DNF		55.99		55.42		DNF	1	57.81	1	DNF		DNF55	
SM	NICHOLAS	LAPINTA	NISSAN 240SX	51.15		52.50	3	57.90	1	54.71		51.15	1	53.82	3	57.62	2	56.31	
OSPU	LOREN	FISHER	73 MGBENZ	56.50	1	68.28		58.28		57.19		56.50		56.64		56.71		57.06	
CAM S	TIM	BURRUS	01 CORVETTE	50.37		51.76	1	52.74	1	54.06		50.37		DNF		DNF		DNF	
EVX	SCOTT	LEZCHUK	20 TESLA 3	50.77		54.93		52.25		50.77		51.52	1	55.29		52.28		51.90	
	RILEY	BURTON	HONDA CIVIC	55.43		55.43		X5472		X5529		X5305		X5384		X5575		X5444	

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TIM	BURRUS	01 CORVETTE	50.37	1	
SCOTT	LEZCHUK	20 TESLA 3	50.77	2	
NICHOLAS	LAPINTA	NISSAN 240SX	51.15	3	
BRETT	GRONEMEYER	99 MAZDA MIATA	51.82	4	
JARED	DELONG	92 MAZDA MIATA	52.27	5	
MIKE	HENDRIKS	19 SUBARU BRZ	52.63	6	
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GREG	RENO	96 HONDA	55.42	13	
RILEY	BURTON	HONDA CIVIC	55.43	14	
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RON	GARTON	91 MAZDA MIATA	57.02	16	
NICK	BROADDUS	92 MAZDA MIATA	57.65	17	
MARVIN	GOSS	91 NISSAN NX2000	59.65	18	
ADRIAN	LEWIS	91 LEXUS LS400	60.25	19	
MARK	TOPPING	07 HONDA S2000	60.77	20	
TROY	UDELL	91 MAZDA MIATA	61.07	21	
TINA	JORDAN	19 SUBARU BRZ	62.04	22	

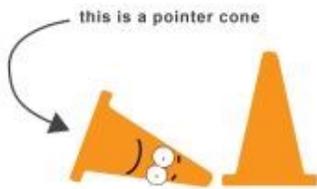
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JOHNNY	JOHNSON	94 HONDA DEL SOL	42.87	1	1000	
BRETT	GRONEMEYER	99 MAZDA MIATA	42.91	2	999	
MIKE	HENDRIKS	19 SUBARU BRZ	43.00	3	997	
JARED	DELONG	92 MAZDA MIATA	43.28	4	991	
JOHNNY Jr.	JOHNSON	99 HONDA CIVIC	44.06	5	973	
MIKE	STRANDE	13 BMW M3	44.20	6	970	
NICHOLAS	LAPINTA	NISSAN 240SX	44.40	7	966	
ED	SMITH	02 TOYOTA CAMRY	44.76	8	958	
CHRIS	GRIFFITH	10 TESLA ROADSTER	45.50	9	942	
NICK	BROADDUS	92 MAZDA MIATA	45.66	10	939	
RON	GARTON	91 MAZDA MIATA	46.36	11	925	
IAN	SHARP	95 MAZDA MIATA	46.86	12	915	
MARVIN	GOSS	91 NISSAN NX2000	46.88	13	914	
LOREN	FISHER	73 MGBENZ	49.04	14	874	
ADRIAN	LEWIS	91 LEXUS LS400	49.04	15	874	
GREG	RENO	96 HONDA	49.05	16	874	
TROY	UDELL	91 MAZDA MIATA	49.65	17	863	
TIM	BURRUS	01 CORVETTE	50.37	18	851	
TINA	JORDAN	19 SUBARU BRZ	50.69	19	846	
SCOTT	LEZCHUK	20 TESLA 3	50.77	20	844	
MARK	TOPPING	07 HONDA S2000	51.72	21	829	
RILEY	BURTON	HONDA CIVIC	55.43	22	773	



## Cone 101

We have some new faces this year so here's a quick lesson courtesy of the folks at SCCA.

### what are pointer cones?



it is the forgotten sideways twin of the standing cone

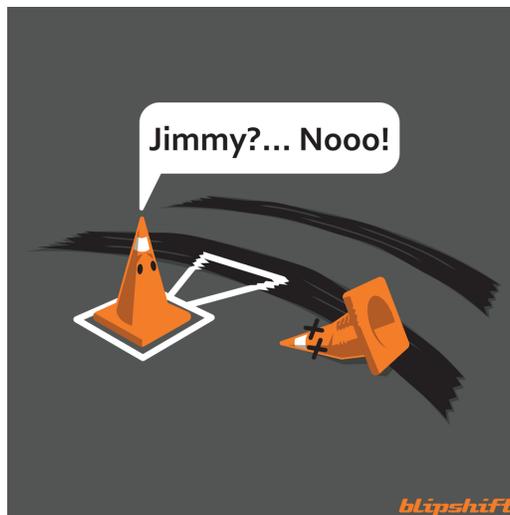


their job is to indicate the direction of travel  
(highly expendable, replace them if they are hit)

there is **no penalty** for hitting pointer cones



but try not to, they have feelings too

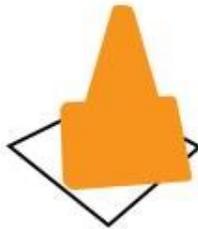


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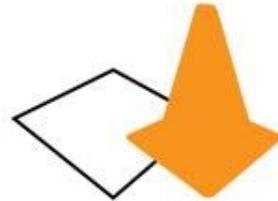
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yes



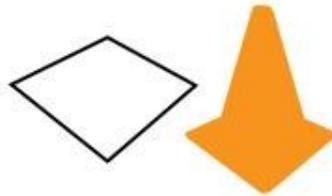
yup



still good



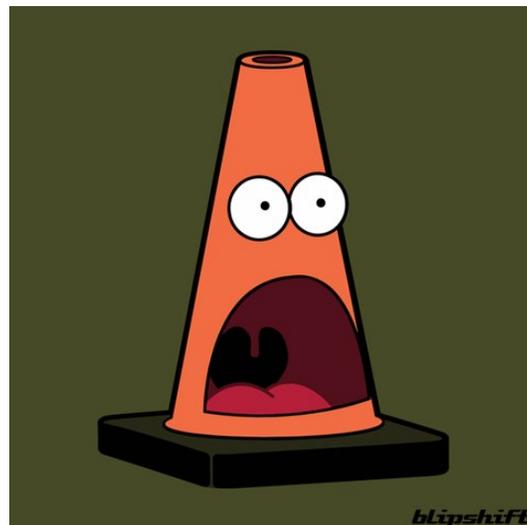
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nope

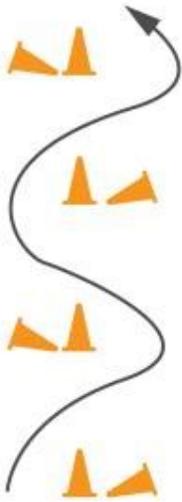


probably not

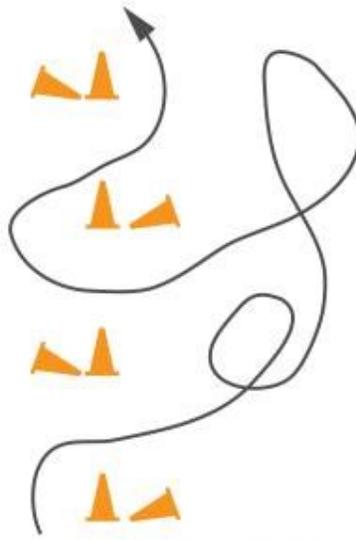


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 was that a DNF?

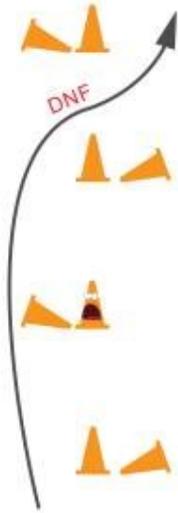


no



run is clean -- no cones were skipped

nope

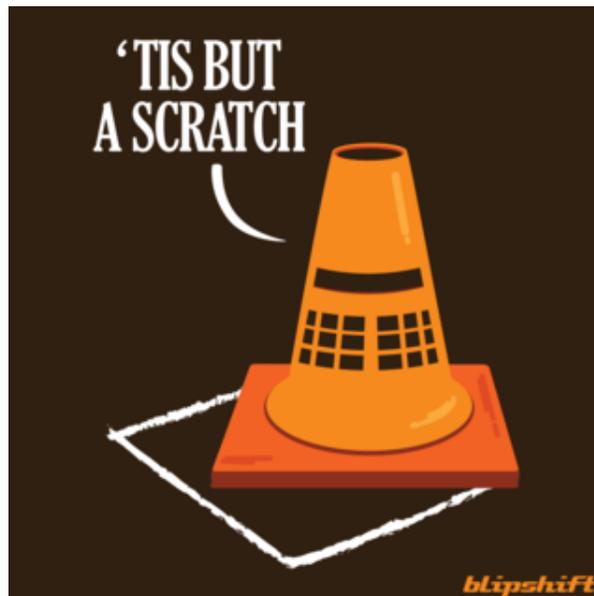
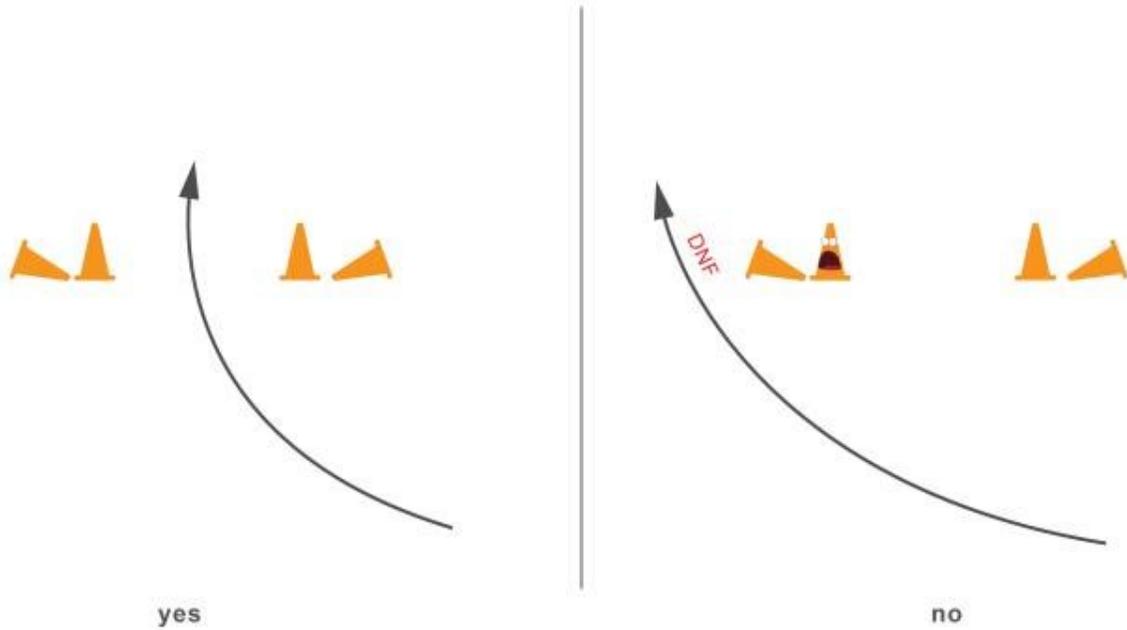


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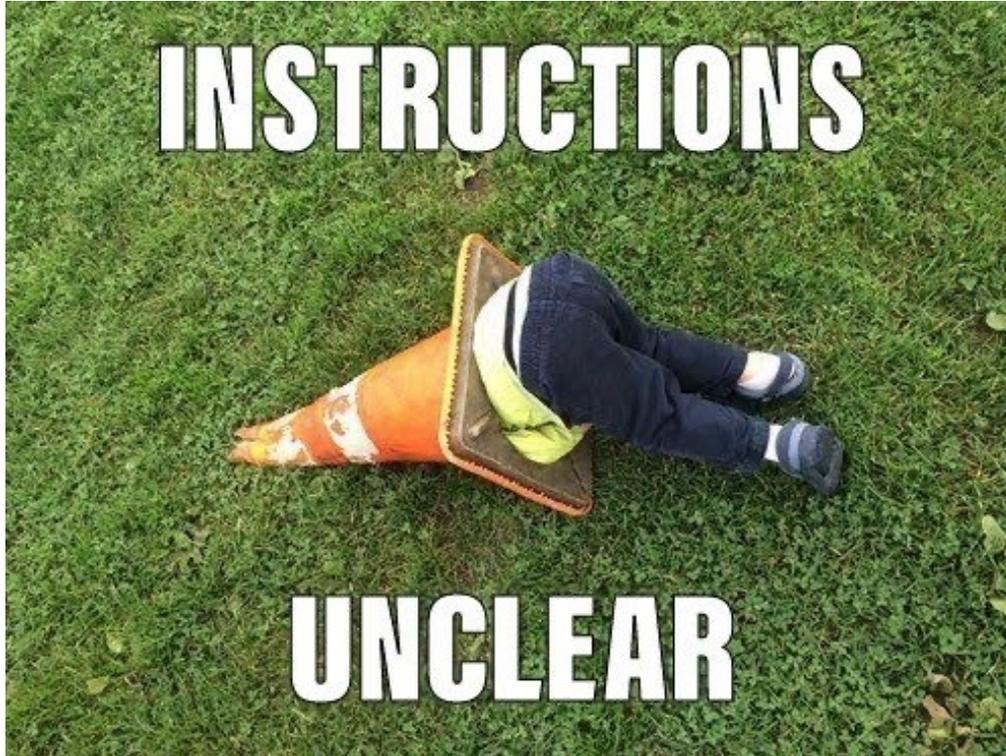


## Cone 101 cont...

### how to survive a gate



## The Cone Zone





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Thank you to our **AMAZING 2022** sponsors for an **AWESOME** year! Hope to see you again in 2023!

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### Board Members:

**Andrew Harden**      **Nick LaPinta**      **Rebekah Horvath**  
**Marvin Goss**      **Jared DeLong**

### Alternate:

**Gerhy Foster**