

**Mazda MX-5 Cup - Sebring International Raceway**

**Race 1- Thursday, March 14, 2024**



**Pre-Race MxM Official**

<b>12:05:00 PM</b>	<b>False grid open and 30 minutes to false grid closed</b>
<b>12:35:00 PM</b>	<b>30 Minutes to start of race and false grid closed - late cars to back of grid</b>
12:35:00 PM	Release cars from false grid to grid on pit lane, echelon style formation, drivers left - engines off
12:55:45 PM	5 Minute Warning to Engine Start Command
12:59:45 PM	1 Minute Warning to Engine Start Command
<b>1:00:45 PM</b>	<b>"Drivers Start Your Engines" Command</b>
1:01:15 PM	Dispatch Safety Car - 1 Formation Lap
<b>1:05:00 PM</b>	<b>Green Flag - Race #1 - 45 Minutes</b>
<b>1:50:00 PM</b>	<b>Checkered Flag</b>

**Race 2- Friday, March 15, 2024**

**Pre-Race MxM**

<b>10:45:00 AM</b>	<b>False grid open and 30 minutes to false grid closed</b>
<b>11:15:00 AM</b>	<b>30 Minutes to start of race and false grid closed - late cars to back of grid</b>
11:20:00 AM	Lexus Car Corral Laps Conclude
11:20:00 AM	Release cars from false grid to grid on pit lane (After last WeatherTech Car Clears Pit Lane), echelon style formation, drivers left - engines off
11:35:45 AM	5 Minute Warning to Engine Start Command
11:39:45 AM	1 Minute Warning to Engine Start Command
<b>11:40:45 AM</b>	<b>"Drivers Start Your Engines" Command</b>
11:41:15 AM	Dispatch Safety Car - 1 Formation Lap
<b>11:45:00 AM</b>	<b>Green Flag - Race #2 - 45 Minutes</b>
<b>12:30:00 PM</b>	<b>Checkered Flag</b>

<b>POST-RACE - AFTER ALL RACING CARS HAVE TAKEN CHECKERED FLAG</b>	
	<b>Cool down lap</b>
	All cars enter pit lane, driver's left.
	IMSA Officials direct overall class winner to turn right at the pit-in break and park at Winners Circle.
	IMSA Officials direct all other podium and tech cars to park on pit lane, driver's right. Crew members on hand to take the cars back to the paddock.
	All other cars not part of podium ceremonies will exit pit out and go to the paddock as directed by IMSA Officials.
	All drivers go immediately to Winners Circle driver corral. Crew remain on hand to drive cars to tech after driver exits car.