

One thing that the 2024 season for sure will be remembered for is the season of challenges, sometimes challenge also forces you to get creative and that is what you will see from the following press release.

As we closed in on the opening race for the 2024 Cor PowerSports race season Mother Nature proved once again to be cruel, across the entire Midwest we saw extreme above average temperatures and record rainfall. Conditions deteriorated quickly and we at Cor PowerSports worked diligently with the host venue groups, law enforcement, and DNR agencies. We tried to work through reschedule dates but could not land on dates that worked out for all groups which is why we were forced to cancel those two rounds.

We then started processing ways to make up two points races and still get in at least 7 points races as scheduled.

We have been talking to alternate venues as well as existing venues, one venue jumped at the chance to have more racing. Their attitude is same as our racers, more racing is better!!

With that we are excited that Gogebic Community College and Mt Zion in Ironwood, MI will now host the Cor PowerSports series Friday March 15 thru Sunday March 17 with three FULL days of racing!! Much like we have done at other ski hill races each day will full days of racing with points, awards, and of course payout for EACH DAY of racing!! Sport, Semi Pro, and Pro will run qualifiers AND finals each day for both classes and all the other classes will run each day as normal. This will be round 5, round 6, and round 7 of the 2024 season.

Making up lost races budgets has been something we have thought of for our racers, running events as schedule is preferred but when plans change and schedules have to adjust it makes it hard for budgets and work. By adding a day to an already established weekend the additional budget is for one day on a weekend that racers already have coordinated for.

Wait, that is not enough?? Well there is more!

We posted a teaser yesterday of this announcement and in just a few hours there was a lot of input of what it could be and it the post had been averaging 2,000 views per hour. What people completely missed at the bottom of the post was the number 3 and a championship cup but what could that really mean??

The number 3 has a lot of meaning; triple people think of old school greasy triple snowmobiles or triple crown races. For others it means trilogy which as we have seen in Hollywood trilogy movies rarely stand up to how good the first was. For Cor PowerSports Trilogy has a deeper meaning with our ministry foundation.

When talking to a couple sponsors this summer about this idea and not wanting to call the format a Triple Crown they mentioned Trilogy Cup... Yep, Cor PowerSports at Ironwood the race format will be a Trilogy Cup format!

Here is what the day will look like:

- Sport Imp Stock, Semi Pro Imp Stock, and Pro Open will run a two lap timed qualifier
- Half the remaining classes will run their timed races
- Sport Imp Stock, Semi Pro Imp Stock, and Pro Open will run heads up final
- Groomer will groom the XC ski woods section
- Sport Stock, Semi Pro Factory, and Pro Factory will run a two lap timed qualifier
- Other half the remaining classes will run their timed races
- Sport Stock, Semi Pro Factory, and Pro Factory will run will run heads up final

This will be the format for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. Each race day will be full event points, qualifier points for the classes with heads up finals, awards, and then payout for each day of racing.

The Cor PowerSports Trilogy Cup will be awarded to the overall winner of all 3 days of combined event points. SO instead of just a normal Triple Crown where it is one or two classes this will be for ALL 22 classes we offer at Ironwood!! 22 Cor PowerSports Trilogy Cup awards will be handed out to the best of the best in each class

Wait, that still isn't enough??

Ok, well here is one more exciting things about Trilogy Cup.

The local group helping with the event is also securing event sponsorships, we have committed 100% of all event sponsor funding going to additional event purse for payout classes at this event which will be award to the Trilogy Cup Winner as a bonus!!

Do not worry, we are also working for the amateur classes and are lining up prize packs for those classes from series sponsor. ALL 22 Trilogy Cup winners will receive a championship bonus!!

