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NAMBA Radio Control Model Boat Racing in Texas and New Mexico

Texas/New Mexico USA – May 15, 2016 to Current Date – Radio Controlled model boating enthusiasts from Texas and New Mexico gather for District Championship Series events across both states.

The North American Model Boat Association, or NAMBA, is the governing organization in which Texas and New Mexico race under. NAMBA serves much like NASCAR, NHRA, INDY CAR, etc.. Rules and regulations are provided to ensure fair and equal treatment of all racers as well as a safe and fun environment to enjoy their hobby.

NAMBA is broken up into various regions called Districts. Texas and New Mexico are grouped together under District 7. Cities across both states place bids yearly to hold Point Series Championship Races. Cities include: Carlsbad, Carrollton, Amarillo, El Paso, Houston, San Angelo and San Antonio. Racers compete at these events and accumulate points that are totaled throughout the year. Point Series Champions are crowned and the end of each season.

These radio control model boats average 4 feet in length and travel at average speeds of 60 miles per hour with some even managing speeds upwards of 80 miles per hour. If you figure the actual scale speed of the models, they are traveling at nearly 500 miles per hour. Skilled racers compete on a 1/6th mile course and the first to complete six laps is declared the winner. We have kids from the age of 5 all the way to 80 years old racing. Yes, these models do bring out the kid even in the oldest competitors.

Well known NASCAR and NHRA Racers are also active members within the hobby. Martin Truex of NASCAR and NHRA Top Fuel Champion Antron Brown are two of the most notable names. Each of these racers has National Championships and World Records set in Model Boating.

NAMBA District 7 is proud to have hosted the 1993 APBA Nationals, the 2003 NAMBA Nationals and the 2011-2014 West Texas Shootout for Autism Awareness. Each of these were premiere events for the sport and had racers from all over the world in attendance.

Radio Control Model Boating is a great hobby for the whole family to enjoy. The mission of our district is to offer a family friendly atmosphere for new potential hobbyists to get their feet wet and learn a great deal about combustion engines, electric engines, electrical systems, propulsion, cavitation and general mechanics related to model boating. This hands-on experience is a valuable tool that will provide youngsters with a great foundation of knowledge that will aid them for years to come. For more info about NAMBA check out www.namba.com

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