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**Jason Baugh:** Owner of Tracksides Supply and provider of out truck and trailer for the event, along with radio communication gear and "track-side supplies". Jason is an accomplished RX7 racer with invaluable experience in car setup, racing communication systems and crewing for race teams. Please visit Jason's web site [www.tracksidesupply.com](http://www.tracksidesupply.com). He has been very generous and this trip may not have happened without his support. Thanks Jason!!!

Some other people, that without them, this trip could not have happened: Ann Selvy, Sara Benson and the one-and-only Teresa Turbo. Without the support of our wives, we couldn't have pulled this off. As soon as Teresa Turbo heard about this adventure, she said I had to go. She also said something about ten days worth of nonstop Miata usage and an "all girls" party while I'm gone. Maybe she wishes it was a 14 day trip!

So, on June 2nd we'll start our westward journey to arrive in Monterey on the 5th. The race is on June 9th and we should return home on the 12th. I'm sure we'll have our share of adventure and road stories. (Hopefully enough to fill the front page of "The Open Road" for a few months!). And Shane will proudly display his 1st place trophy at our next Indy Miata Club gathering. Throughout the trip I will be posting pictures and updates on my web site, so please check frequently for updates. Go to: <http://mywebpages.comcast.net/indymiataclub/>

I think as Miata owners, we all know this one truth: It's not the destination, but the journey that is important. Though we go there to win, the experience of the journey will be a greater part of the fun. No matter what the outcome of the race, we all look at this as being a trip of a lifetime.

## Events For You and A Miata

The **Indy SCCA** autocross continues and club members and their Miatas are participating. (But seeing a Yugo out on the course was worth the trip out to a May event!)

Sunday, June 9 - 16th Street / Bush Stadium

Saturday, June 22 - Anderson Delco Plant #3

Go to: <http://www.indyscca.org/schedules/2002SoloSchedule.html> for directions.

**It's a Parade!** On July 9th, how off your Miata in style! At this Tuesday parade, to kick off the Decatur Township 4-H fair, we carry dignitaries in our Miatas. We need and want drivers. Pre-parade meets at the Decatur Township fire station on High School Road at 4:30. Afterwards we park at the fair and enjoy tenderloins, brats, etc. etc.

Take I-465 to southwest part of interstate loop and get off at Kentucky Ave. Go one mile southwest on Kentucky Ave. to High School Road. At the light, turn south on High School Road and proceed 1 mile to fire station parking lot. Please RSVP to: [IndyNutts@aol.com](mailto:IndyNutts@aol.com) or you may call 317-255-1874 and leave a message.

Don't forget our ongoing membership drive! We've included a membership sheet in this issue.

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## The Open Road

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Please submit articles, photos or news items at any time. To be in the next edition, no later than the 25th of that month. We encourage your participation in making your newsletter the best it can be!

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