

FROM: WOODY ROGERS - TIRE RACK
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SUBJECT: 2019 Tire Rack One Lap of America Tire Program

Eligible Tire Brands for 2019

BFGoodrich
Bridgestone
Continental
Dunlop
Falken
Firestone
General
Goodyear
Hankook
Kumho
Michelin
Pirelli
Toyo
Yokohama

Each vehicle must be equipped with tires from a single brand meeting these basic One Lap of America event rules:

- Tires must have a minimum UTQG Treadwear Rating of 200
- Tires must begin the event with at least 7/32" tread depth
- Track & Competition DOT Tires (as categorized by Tire Rack) are not permitted, regardless of what tires were fitted as Original Equipment
- The same set of tires must be used throughout the event
- Teams are allowed to carry one spare per wheel size

Complete event rules can be found at www.onelapofamerica.com

Tire Selection

Most teams are best served choosing tires from these Tire Rack tire performance categories:

Extreme Performance Summer
Max Performance Summer
Ultra High Performance Summer

Track & Competition tires are excluded from this event because they typically feature shallow initial tread depth and minimalist tread patterns that are not suited to the variety of weather conditions found along the One Lap route (i.e. wet, cold), or the total amount of wear experienced during the week of competition plus transit miles.

Examples of ineligible Track & Competition tires are:

Michelin Pilot Sport Cup 2	Pirelli P Zero Corsa or P Zero Trofeo R
Kumho Ecsta V720 ACR	Yokohama ADVAN A052
Goodyear Eagle F1 Supercar 3R	Toyo Proxes R888R

Tire Sponsorship

The eligible tire brands have agreed to sponsor 2019 Tire Rack One Lap of America teams using their product by providing a 25% rebate. The 25% rebate will be based on the retail tire price at the time of purchase. It does not apply to the cost of any other products, taxes or shipping.

Teams will be eligible to receive the 25% rebate on up to ten (10) tires for their One Lap of America competition vehicle. This allows four (4) tires for pre-event testing plus up to six (6) tires as primary and spares during the event (or any other test/race combination you choose). Additional tires may be purchased but will not be eligible for the rebate. The tire sponsorship rebate will be issued as a credit invoice, processed once the event is underway and event organizers confirm the team's vehicle has begun competition.

In return for the tire sponsorship program, all competition vehicles must display tire manufacturer's decals matching the tires being used during the event. These decals will be provided at event registration, and must to be placed on both sides of the vehicle on the front fender above the wheel opening. Each decal is approximately 18" – 20" long, so please make sure you have sufficient display space available on the fenders prior to arriving at registration. Vehicles with open wheels or unusual fender configurations (Ariel Atom, etc.) should see One Lap of America tech officials for proper decal placement instructions. Tire manufacturer decals must be in place in the designated locations to be eligible for the 25% rebate.

Order Processing

In order to assure that all tires are standard street legal tires as sold to the general public all teams are required to use tires that come from Tire Rack's inventory. Tire Rack will permanently mark or hot brand competitor tires so they can be easily identified by One Lap officials.

To place your One Lap of America tire order, contact a Tire Rack sales specialist by phone at (888) 370-8473 between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm Eastern Monday through Friday, and 9:00 am and 3:00 pm on Saturday. **Identify yourself as a One Lap of America competitor, and provide entrant and car number so we can connect your purchase with your entry information to process the tire rebate.** Website orders cannot be processed at this time.

Tires must be purchased and installed on competition vehicles before they arrive for registration. This will allow your tires to be broken-in ahead of time and minimize the possibility of newly-mounted tires slipping on the wheels, which may cause them to become out of balance.

If you are planning to have tires installed at Tire Rack prior to the event, Installation must be completed by Thursday, May 2nd so you will have sufficient time to break in your tires. Tire Rack will not be able to do One Lap tire installs on Friday, May 3rd, except on an emergency need basis.

Tires purchased through this program are not returnable, even if they have never been mounted.

Teams may also use tires branded for the previous year's event (2018) as long as they are from a participating manufacturer this year, and have at least 7/32" tread depth at the start of this event. Tires from the previous year will not be eligible for any rebate. Teams are advised to inspect year-old tires carefully to assure they are able to withstand the rigors of this event.