

Forced Air helmets?

Posted by Gino230 - 25 Sep 2013 16:40

I'm thinking of getting a forced air helmet. Racing here in South Florida can get VERY hot and humid.

On the motorcycles it's not as much of an issue because our suits are perforated so as soon as we're doing 30 mph, it's like air conditioning blowing through.

I got the car today (thanks Tim!) and just driving around the neighborhood, was surprised how hot it gets in there with no insulation. This got me thinking right away about the Cool shirt deal and possibly a forced air helmet.

Will the "top loader" forced air helmet fit in the 944? The seat is on rails....

I'm very excited, doing a DE weekend with FARA in Homestead in about 2 weeks!

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Re: Forced Air helmets?

Posted by Big Dog - 26 Sep 2013 06:28

I will echo what has been said about safety equipment. I will not go out on the track in HPDE 1 or any other session without ALL of my drivers gear on. I ALWAYS wear my HANS device and have since I started racing again. (I saw someone fracture their neck without a HANS.)

Apex is one of our sponsors. I do not know exactly where they are but Linda is great. I bought my latest helmet from her. She will work with you to get you what you need.

I, too, use a top mounted air system because my seat has a halo for side to side head motion and the side mount does not work well with those. (See the NASCAR guys. They all use top mount.)

Big Dog

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