



2018 AUSTRALIAN KART CHAMPIONSHIP

Round 1 – Go-Kart Club of South Australia – February 23-25, 2018

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2018 AUSTRALIAN KART CHAMPIONSHIP – ROUND 1 SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

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1. STANDARD REQUIREMENTS

1.1 Title, Organisation & Status

- a) The Meeting will be known as the "Australian Kart Championship Round 1" (the Meeting) and will be held at the Monarto Karting Complex, February 23-25, 2018
- b) The Meeting will be held under the International Sporting Code of the FIA, the General Standing Regulations and National Competition Rules of Karting Australia and the 2018 Australian Kart Championship Sporting Regulations (Championship Regulations).
- c) This Meeting is a National Meeting.

1.2 Administration

b)

Promoter: Karting Australia a)

PO Box 272, Penrith BC NSW 2751

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Go Kart Club of South Australia P.O Box 437, Murray Bridge, SA 5253

Telephone: 0407 727 490 Email: president@gokartclubofsa.com

Organising Committee: Lee Hanatschek - Karting Australia c)

Peter Fritz and Andrew Jericho

1.3 Officials of the Meeting

Organiser:

Stewards of the Meeting: John Wishart (Chief Steward), Phil Lane, Gail Woolner

Rod Clee, Phil Twigg, Gregory Trengove, Yasmin Mitchell

b) Stewards Secretary: Melissa Rees Race Director: Mark Horsley c)

d) Clerks of the Course: Nicholas Rudzinski, Glenn Wall, John Reynolds e) Assistant Clerks Of The Course: Liam Meegan, Tony Aloi, Warren Mitchell,

Russell White, Brenton Taylor

f) Secretary of the Meeting: Melissa Rees

Other Judges of Fact: General Rules Chapter 7 Rule 19 g)

Start: Race Director, Clerk of the Course and Assistant Clerks

of the Course

Front Fairing Installation: Chief Scrutineer, Scrutineers and

Assistant Clerks of the Course in accordance with

Championship Regulation 15 e)

h) Chief Timekeeper: Sue Clee Anne Fritz i) Assistant Timekeeper: j) **AKC Technical Delegate** Les Allen

National Technical Commissioner and k)

> Chief Scrutineer: Ashley Woolner

I) Scrutineers: Graeme Abbott, Rob Distill

Dale Provan, Greg Stillwell

State Technical Officer: James Gorman m) Fuel Tester: Les Allen n) **Lights Operator:** o) John Bartel Flag Marshals: **GKCSA Members** p) Daniel Bowden q) Grid Marshal: Assistant Grid Marshal: **Emilio Colantuano** r) Simon Smith Scale Marshal: s)

t) Tyre Pooling & Bar Coding: ALM Sales Staff, DPEKT Staff, PFG Staff,

> Victor Maastricht Victor Maastricht

Front Fairing Fitment Official: u) **Medical Services:** St John Ambulance v)

Circuit Details

a) Venue: Monarto Karting Complex

3711 Old Princes Highway

Monarto SA 5254

b) Track Length: 1020 metresc) Track Direction: Anti-Clockwise

d) Track Density: 40

e) Notice Board: Located on the end wall of the Tech shed.

f) Stewards Office: Located in the Control Tower.

g) Parc Fermé: Located adjacent to In and Out Grids

2. ADMINISTRATION

2.1 Eligible Classes & Licences

- a) The Classes eligible to Compete at this Meeting are as stipulated in the Championship Regulations.
- b) Participants, Drivers and Pit Crew must hold a Licence in accordance with the provisions Regulation 8 e) of the Championship Regulations.

2.2 Opening & Closing of Entries

- a) Entries for this Meeting for all Competitors will open at 7:00pm AEDT Tuesday January 16, 2018
- b) Entries will only be accepted until the track capacity is reached. Competitors wishing to enter following the track capacity being reached are required to email lee@karting.net.au to be placed on a reserve list.
- c) Entries for this Meeting will close at 11:59pm AEDT on Friday February 2, 2018.
- d) Late entries will not be accepted for this Meeting.

2.3 Entry Procedure & Entry Fee

- a) Each Entry for this Meeting must be made using the CMS.
- b) The Entry Fee for each Class is as follows:
 - i. All Classes (Round Only): \$275.00 inc GST and TDF Levy or
 - ii. All Classes (Full Championship) \$1,250 inc. GST and TDF Levy.
- c) The Entry fee is paid via credit card only through Karting Australia's Competitor Management System (CMS). A 1.1% transaction fee is payable per entry.

d) The club to be selected for the entry on CMS is Karting Australia

- e) The Entry Fee may be refunded in accordance with the Rules or if a Class is cancelled.
- f) No Round Entry Fee will be refunded after the Close of Entries other than as mentioned in 2.3 e)
- g) No portion of the Full Championship Entry Fee will be refunded after the Close of Entries for Round One other than as mentioned in 2.3 e)
- h) An Entry for this Meeting may be accepted or refused in accordance with the Rules.

2.4 Administrative Checking, Transponder Numbers, Chassis and Engine Seals

- a) In lieu of an Administrative Checking session, an official entry list, including transponder numbers, will be posted on the Official Notice Board on the afternoon of Thursday February 22, 2018.
- b) It is the responsibility of the Competitor to ensure that all information on this list is correct. Any inaccuracies and discrepancies are required to be notified to the Chief Timekeeper no less than 60 minutes prior to the start of Practice for their respective Class.
- c) Chassis and engine seals will be issued when collecting Tyres from the respective Tyre distributors.
- d) Pit Crew licences must be presented and a completed scrutineering form must be handed in at the time of collecting Tyres.
- e) Cadet 9 & KA4 Junior drivers will be issued a restrictor when collecting their race Tyres. This restrictor MUST be returned at the completion of racing.
- f) KA4 Junior drivers will be issued a control rotor at a time allocated in the timetable in accordance with Championship Sporting Regulation 15 f).

3. COMPETITION

3.1 Competition Format

- a) The Competition formats for undersubscribed Classes are in accordance with the Championship Regulations.
- b) Should the number of entries received for an individual Class via the CMS and emailed direct to the Championship Manager (after the track capacity has been reached) be equal to or exceed 125% of the track capacity at the Close of Entries, the grid procedure for that Class may be advised in an addendum to these Supplementary Regulations following the Close of Entries.
- c) The duration of each Event at this Meeting will be as follows:

KZ2	
Qualifying	8 Minutes
Heat 1, 2 & 3	12 laps
Heat 4	16 laps
Final	25 laps

KA1, KA2, KA3 Senior, X30, TAG 125	
Qualifying	8 Minutes
Heat 1, 2 & 3	12 laps
Heat 4	16 laps
Final	20 laps

KA4 Junior, Cadet 12, Cadet 9	
Qualifying	8 Minutes
Heat 1, 2 & 3	10 laps
Heat 4	13 laps
Final	16 laps

3.2 Drivers Briefing

- a) A Drivers Briefing for Cadet and Junior Competitors will be held at 7:30am on Friday February 23, 2018 in the Go-Kart Club of SA Clubrooms.
- **b)** A Drivers Briefing for Senior Competitors will be held at 7:45am on Friday February 23, 2018 in the Go-Kart Club of SA Clubrooms.

3.3 Access to Venue

- a) Registered teams and industry with large transporters will be required to enter the Circuit between 9:00am and 12:00pm on Wednesday February 21, 2018
- b) Competitors, other than those mentioned in 3.3 a) will be permitted to enter the Circuit from 12:00pm on Wednesday February 21, 2018
- c) No entry or parking is permitted prior to Wednesday February 21 without the express approval of the Operations Manager
- d) The Paddock / Pit allocation will be issued by the Operations Manager. The decisions of the Operations Manager with regard to Pit / Paddock allocation will be final.
- e) No parking of motor vehicles permitted in the Paddock / Pit area without the permission of the Operations Manager.
- f) Cars/trailers of Competitors and Pit crews not incorporated into a pit area must be parked in the designated Competitors Car Park. Unauthorised motor vehicles will be towed at the owner's expense.

3.4 Fuel

- a) A Competitor must only use the permitted Fuel in the Class in which they are Competing as detailed below:
 - i. KA2, KA3 Senior, KA4 Junior, X30, TAG 125, Cadet 12, Cadet 9: PULP Control Fuel will be used for this Meeting and must **only** be purchased as follows:

a) Fuel Brand: BP

b) Fuel Type: PULP is the is the ONLY fuel permitted

c) Service Station Name: OTR Murray Bridge

d) Service Station Address:

177-181 Adelaide Road, Murray Bridge, SA

Phone: (08) 85321077

- e) Fuel for the Meeting can be purchased from Thursday February 22, 2018 onwards
- f) Control Fuel <u>MUST</u> be used from Friday February 23, 2018 until the conclusion of the Meeting on Sunday February 25, 2018
- ii. KZ2 & KA1: PULP as detailed above in 3.4 a) i or Unleaded Racing Fuel in accordance with the Rules.

3.5 Timetable

- a) The Meeting will be run to a detailed timetable that will be distributed to all registered competitors after the close of entries.
- b) In the event of the Meeting running outside of the timetable, notification will be made via the public address system.

3.6 Transponders

a) Each Competitor must have a transponder fitted for each session in accordance with Regulation 27 of the Championship Regulations and the Rules

3.7 Tyre Pooling

- a) Tyre pooling will be used in all Classes at this Meeting.
- b) Competitors in the KZ2, KA1, X30 and TaG 125 Classes are required to purchase their Dry Weather Tyres for use during the Meeting through the MG Tyres distributor at the Track (DPE Kart Technologies).
- c) Competitors in the KA2 and KA3 Senior Classes are required purchase their Dry Weather Tyres for use during the Meeting through the Dunlop Tyres distributor at the Track (ALM Sales). Competitors in the KA4 Junior, Cadet 12 and Cadet 9 Classes are required purchase their Dry Weather Tyres for use during the Meeting through the Bridgestone Tyres distributor at the Track (Paul Feeney Group).

3.8 Presentation

- a) At the completion of the last Final, trophies will be presented to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd places. The top place getters from each Class must be in attendance in their racing suit with helmet.
- b) As all placing's will still be provisional, the Promoters and Organisers reserve the right to collect the trophies back after the presentation until all technical checks and Officials' hearings are complete.

3.9 IAME X30 Technical Information

a) Owing to delays in shipping from Italy, none of the alternate X30 components that are the subject of "Homologation and Technical Specification Update Bulletin 78H-4" dated 30 November 2017 will be permitted for use at this Round of the Championship.

4. CIRCUIT SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

4.1 Kart Retrieval

a) Pit Crew with trolleys will NOT be given access to the Race Track unless specifically approved by an Official. Retrieval during Racing will be via a pick-up vehicle.

4.2 Security

a) Security will be provided on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

The Pit Area will be locked each night between 7pm and 6am.

4.3 Medical Servces

a) Any Medical assistance that is required outside of the operating hours when Kart's are not on the Race Track please contact 000. The address to give to the Emergency Services is:

Go Kart Club of South Australia 3711 Old Princes Highway Monarto SA 5254

4.4 Venue Requirements

- a) Smoking or welding is not permitted in the Pit areas.
- b) No dumping of Fuel or Tyres, please make other arrangements.
- c) No animals allowed anywhere within the facility (with the exception of assistance dogs).
- d) No motorised scooters, mini bikes, roller blading, skateboards and tricycles allowed at the complex during the entire meeting.
- e) Limited Camping is allowed at the Complex. (no power is available) Contact the Club for more information.
- f) All roadways in the Pit and Paddock area are designated spectator areas.
- g) Marquees are not to be erected without consent of the Organiser