



NEWSLETTER

February 2017

Hurricane Go Kart Club



**We Need
More
Volunteers
for the
Clubday!**

Vale Marlene Dean

**Stewards
School
10.30am**

Not Compulsory



PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Hi All,

Well here we are moving through the year at full speed, the last 4 weeks since my first report have been absolutely jam packed with plenty of activity around our club.

First up with the January club day and a great number of entries to kick off our club championships. It was great to see the KA3 drivers networking amongst themselves to come up with a club day format that attracted 20 entries for the day, I personally look forward to seeing this class remain strong throughout the season.

January also saw our first Busy Bee and a fantastic turnout of 30 pairs of hands to make the considerable amount of work wrapped up by lunch time and time to enjoy a BBQ and a cold drink. Thanks so much to you guys for supporting your club.

The busy bee was intended to prepare the facility for the Western Cup round but also ended up being a day to prepare for Hurricane to host a farewell service for the late Marlene Dean, a life member of Hurricane and a highly regarded karting personality that will be sadly missed amongst our fraternity not only here in WA but all over the country not to mention her popularity on the international scene.

Still with momentum we followed straight into our round of the Western Cup and with plenty of hard work by the committee and members alike we pulled together another great meeting and showcased to our visitors how when faced with a few hiccups that with team work and a good old fashion positive attitude we were able to pull the meeting back onto its planned timeline and wrap up racing around 8pm giving us all an opportunity to have a great social evening.

In closing I would like to express to all Hurricane members that as your President i am thoroughly enjoying the opportunity you have given me. I would also like to thank the committee for their ongoing support and in particular Amy Sears for her dedication in making Hurricane the great club it is, she has taken on a tough roll and I can assure you all that she is absolutely nailing it.

Thanks also to Valerie Wilks for playing such a great role in making this important transition so smooth.

P.S: Club day numbers are the true strength of any club, it's also a chance to enjoy your racing in a relaxed fun environment.

Looking forward to seeing as many of you as possible at the February club day

Yours in Karting!

Robbie

THANK YOU

To all the members
That helped at the Busy Bee
Awesome effort & we achieved heaps.

Trevor
Gabby and Taj Black
Ira
Ricky Bobby & Jessica
Tony & Declan
Tim Ellis
Kelvin
Gary
Roscoe
Louise & Glenn
Amy
Jessie

The Worboys gang
Gil and his cool blower
Gavin Kennedy
Darrel & Jaydon
Big Al
Rooster and
Nigel

Another thanks to Sneaky & big Kev for
doing the track edges during that week.



ADVERTISING

Trackside: 3 X 1 metre sign spaces available for \$300.00 per sign.

NEW sign writing is now available

Newsletter: Full page advertising for \$100.00 per year.

Sponsorship: Club runs at \$50.00 per meeting. The sponsor will get publicity at the driver's brief and presentation, as well as appearing in print with the club run results in the next newsletter.

Contact: Val Wilks on 9291 4776

PRACTICE RULES

- Seniors, Juniors & Cadets must practice separately.
- KA standard suit, gloves, helmet & footwear must be worn by the driver.
- Karts, motors & drivers must conform to current KA regulations.
- Drivers must only drive karts that their licence permits them to drive in competition.
- Minimum requirement is E-grade licence.
- Practice form must be signed before entering the track.
- **New licence holders who have not practiced before must undertake KA's Safety Training Assessment before entering the track.
(This must be pre-arranged through the Secretary)**
- Non-club member fee is \$30. EFTPOS not available.
- Proof of licence & membership may be required to be produced at the track.
- No refuelling or chain lube to be used on bitumen areas.
- No smoking, except in designated areas.
- The supervisor of the day has the right to exclude anyone from practicing if their behaviour is unacceptable.



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FROM THE SECRETARY

Hi Everyone,

Big start to the year so far and although there has been a lot going on its been great getting to know a lot of you and I am really enjoying learning this role.

We still need volunteers for the Feb club day and the duty roster on the website is very blank could you please take the time to go on website and fill in duty roster form or let me know it makes it a lot easier and being a first in first served basis you can get the duty you want to do. Troy Thompson will be doing a Karting 101 session at 9.30 on morning of Feb club run, in case you missed the email. A big thanks to Troy for putting this together to help out new and existing members I'm sure those attending will find it very beneficial for their future karting. Look forward to seeing you at club run.

Amy

18TH FEBRUARY 2017 CLUB DAY/NIGHT MEETING

Gates Open: 11:00am
Practice / scrutineering: 11:00am – 1:00pm Separate sessions for Rookies / Juniors / Seniors
Nominations close: 1:15pm – **Pre-entry is preferred.** Go to Events/Calendar on the HGKC website.
Scrutineering forms to be completely filled out, neatly, at all race meetings prior to being scrutineered. Bring with you to the scrutineering area and we will process them.

Stewards School 10.30am
Officials Briefing: 1:45pm
Drivers Briefing: 2:00pm
Racing commences: 2:15pm
Racing direction: Clockwise
Points system: 289 points
Heats: 3 X 10 laps / 1 X 15 laps. Laps may be changed by stewards if necessary
Nomination fees:

\$35 seniors

\$25 juniors

\$20 second nomination

**You can
Pre-nominate online**

Important Notes

HKR 125 is now TAG 125 Restricted Club Day, B-grade drivers are eligible for points and awards. (Club Day class only)

Shifters can run in the Open class but no standing starts.

Sportsman KA3 Combined class weight at 159kg (Club Day class only)

Grid positions – Heat 1 - Ballot, Heat 2 - Reverse Ballot, Heat 3 – Lowest point to front, Final – Highest point to front. P Platers start from the rear.

Eligible classes are: Cadet 9, Cadet 12, Jnr KA4 Light & Heavy, Jnr KA3, JMax, Snr KA4 Combined, Sportsman KA3 Combined, TAG Restricted Clubday Light & Heavy, TAG 125 Light & Heavy and Open. (Can be altered by the Clerk of Course on the day)

Officials on the Day

CLERK OF COURSE: ?
STEWARDS: Dave Harris, Troy Worboys
SCRUTINEERS: Self scrutineering except for P platers
OUT GRID: ?
STARTER: Pixie
LIGHTS / FLAGS: ?
CUT THROUGH: ?
WEIGH MARSHALL: ?

CANTEEN CORNER

Firstly, welcome back everyone for 2017.

I would like to thank my awesome team of volunteers in 2016, I would like to thank you all for your time, effort and support you have given the canteen and I in 2016.

Sally, Bevan & Ryan Mc Ness, Karina Grech, Kim Loche, Sharyn Barron, Jannine Lesley Ellis, Katie Laughton, Louise Fisher, Coreen Steele (non-member), Bec and John and a very talented young man who helped out in one of our big meetings, thank you to you all, your all fantastic.

Canteen would like to wish Karina and Sally well as their son's move forward onto new experience's, we will all miss you both.

January Club Run

Thank you again to a wonderful team of volunteers, Kim Locke, Katie Laughton and Coreen Steele and her girls Amber and Ebony (non-members) they did a fantastic job with the heat and club reaped its rewards.

Also those club members that help organized the replacement fridge, and all the ice to help keep drinks cold for the day it worked a treat.... and everyone that help fine tune the grill to light and exhaust fan... what a start to 2107.

Working Bee January 22.

Thank you to Brett P, for coming and cleaning the grill, exhaust fan and the area that surrounds this area... this was a huge job so thank you. And thanks for our new dispensers in the wash area. it was like Christmas getting these :)

To Jessica H thank you for your help on the screens this was great.

To Nigel and Kelvin thank you for putting up the fly screens on the doorways this was awesome as the flies were extinct during the Western Cup...

Western Cup Round 1

What another huge weekend the canteen endured on the 3 - 4 February.

To my awesome team again thank you. You all went above and beyond over these 2 days to help feed and fuel the club members, their families and all our fellow go kart families from around WA.

Thankyou Robbie for prep Friday and Katie and Coreen for coming up Friday arvo...evening to help with dinner service and more prep.

Saturday started as great as Friday finished.... big rush on brekkie time... Flowed through to another huge day and night of catering for the go karting families. Thank you to Kim L, Katie L, Coreen S, Jannine L and Sue R.

We welcome Sue R to our team... what a weekend to dip the toes and get a feel for the canteen.

Thank you Pixie and son for helping us unload every time I came back with supplies.

All my canteen crew worked a treat and did the most fantastic job so thank you all....

New Volunteers

The canteen welcomes anyone who would like to join our awesome team.... come be part of the fun and laughter..... pop in and see Cassie.

Thanks to a great start in 2017 bring on the February club run

Cheers

Cassie Worboys

Canteen Manager :)

CLUB MERCHANDISE FOR SALE

We do have Stock Available NOW!

Contact Cassie for shirts and Val for the plate surrounds



**\$40 Dress
Shirt**



**\$35 Polo
Shirt**

Black or Grey



\$20 pair

Number Plate Surrounds



January 2017 Club Run Results

			Cadet 9			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	Cooper LISLE	5	4	2	1	?
2	Noah BYRNE	11	3	1	5	?
3	Alek STEFANOVICH	22P	2	5	2	?
4	Ashton SPRAGUE	24	1	4	6	?
5	Nicolas RASO	3P	5	3	3	?
6	Ryan MELLOR	99	6	DNF	4	?
7						
8						
9						

			Cadet 12			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	Luca NICI	55	3	1	5	1
2	Joshua BYRNE	86	4	4	2	3
3	Brandon LOCKE	6	6	6	3	4
4	Lachlan MARSHALL	43	1	5	10	7
5	Jett DEMARTE	8	5	3	8	5
6	Caleb SUMICH	14	8	11	6	2
7	Deegan MELLOR	44	11	14	1	9
8	Jack CLOHESSY	2	9	2	DNF	6
9	Marshall PYMONT	61	10	10	4	8
10	Declan RIORDAN	70P	2	15	12	12
11	Thomas LOUGHTON	3	7	8	9	10
12	Taj BLACK	8A	15	9	11	11
13	Benjamin BAILE	77	14	12	7	DNS
14	Ethan TRAGER	63	13	7	DNF	DNS
15	Rylan KELLY	51	12	13	DNF	DNS

			Junior KA4 Light			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	Mason HARVEY	29	9	2	9	2
2	Riley TRAGER	60	8	3	10	1
3	Luke SAWYER	21	1	10	8	4
4	Isaac MCLEAN	33	6	5	6	5
5	Max WHITING	96	10	1	7	3
6	Hugh MCGUIRE	15	5	6	3	6
7	MELINDA SULLY	44	7	4	4	7
8	Rhyan BAILE	53	2	9	5	8

			Junior KA4 Heavy			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	Lewis REID	91P	DNF	1	1	1
2						
3						

			Junior KA3			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	Jake SAWYER	96	1	1	1	2
2	FLYNN THOMPSON	93	2	2	DNF	1
3	Reece MAISEY	6	3	3	2	DNF
4	MELINDA SULLY	44	4	4	3	DNF
5	Isaac MCLEAN	33	DNS	DNS	DNS	DNS

			Senior KA4 Combined			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	Jayden PEIRCE	8	1	2	1	2
2	Glenn FISHER	71	3	3	3	3
3	KELVIN DAVIES	6	2	4	4	4
4	Hudson DE CERQUEIRA	69	DNF	1	2	1
5						
6						

			Sportsman KA3 Combined			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	SHAE THOMPSON	95	1	3	4	3
2	TAYLA DICKER	70	8	1	3	1
3	Alec ZANI	51	5	4	6	2
4	Cooper SCOTT	32	2	8	11	5
5	Thomas HAMLETT	78	DNF	9	1	4
6	JAKSON TIMMER	29	7	5	2	DNF
7	Zack NEEDHAM	28	3	11	8	7
8	BROCK MCGREGOR	27	9	6	9	6
9	Michael JONES	40	DNF	2	5	DNF
10	BART HORSTEN	50	6	10	7	DNS
11	HUDSON CARTER	9	4	7	DNF	DNS
12	RONALD PEARCE	43	10	14	10	9
13	Dean RIORDAN	77P	11	13	12	8

			TAG 125 Restricted Light - Clubday			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	Daymon NICOLI	5	1	1	1	1
2	Paul DEAN	83	DNF	2	DNF	2
3						
4						

			TAG 125 Restricted Heavy - Clubday			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	Jarrad KING	74	1	1	1	1
2	Paul ANASTASIU	10P	3	4	2	2
3	Pieter BLACKIE	69P	5	3	3	DNF
4	Mathew COLE	27	2	2	DNF	DNF
5	Simon NEWALL	11P	6	5	DNF	DNF
6	David DAHL	84P	4	DNF	DNF	DNF
7						

			TAG 125 Light			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	Andrew MCCARTNEY	41	1	1	1	1
2						
3						

			TAG 125 Heavy			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	TAYLOR THOMAS	12	2	1	1	1
2	Jake TRUARN	88	1	DNF	DNF	DNF
3						

			OPEN			
			Finishing Position's			
			Heat 1	Heat 2	Pre-Final	Final
1	David HARRIS	3	3	1	1	1
2	Gary FRIEND	69	5	2	2	3
3	Jessie HARMAN	58	4	3	3	4
4	Glenn FISHER	71	1	DNF	DNF	2
5	Nathan WILL	72	2	DNF	DNF	DNF