

"YOUR PLACE
TO RACE"



HURRICANE GO KART CLUB

JULY NEWSLETTER

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

G'day Hurricaners,

With the cold month of July well upon us make sure you have all your warm coats ready for the July club run. The July club day will be the one month mark until the 2019 Polmac Trailers King of the Hill. With the August club day the weekend before, we as a club sure have our work cut out for us.

Thanks again to Tony and the crew at Polmac Traiers for being our major sponsor again for both the Western Cup and Kind of the Hill. Do not forget to stock up on raffle tickets over the next few meeting to put yourself in the draw to win the trailer Tony has kindly donated.

With most work around the track up to date leaves us with relatively minor work to prepare for the big one in August. However we may be calling on a few of you to assist in some minor prep for King of the Hill.

Well done to the Hurricaners that travelled to the NT State Tittles. I am sure it was a great time both socially and on the track.



PRESIDENT'S REPORT CONTINUED...

Cass is not available to to manage the canteen for our big open and has had no problem whipping up a crew of our regulars and I hear the return of some old canteen staff to keep us well fed. We are so fortunate to have such a great canteen crew, and area where other clubs often struggle. Make sure to thank these fine members on your visits to the counter. They truly are a large part of Hurricane's success as a club.

Amy Sears, you rock... This lady continuously plugs away at keeping our clubs secretarial business right on point all the time... Gavin Kennedy, our passionate VP and the super productive committee along with our contributing members, thank you all for making Hurricane the Place to Race!

Catch you all at the track,
Robbie



FROM THE SECRETARY

VOLUNTEERS

We still require volunteers for the upcoming club day!
If you are available please contact Amy.

MEMBERSHIPS

Membership renewals are now available online.
See www.kartingwa.com.au for more information.

PIT BAYS

A reminder to pay for your pit bays if you haven't
already.

REMINDER

A reminder to ensure both your licence and membership
are up to date PRIOR to racing.

See you all at the club day, AMY



SAVE THE DATE!

A yellow five-pointed star is positioned in the upper right corner of the dark blue background.

HURRICANE GO KART CLUB
END OF YEAR WINDUP 2019

**SATURDAY 14TH
DECEMBER**

MORE INFORMATION
TO FOLLOW

A stylized Christmas tree is located on the right side of the dark blue background. It is composed of several overlapping green triangles of varying shades, creating a layered effect. White, swirling lines, resembling motion or wind, spiral around the tree. The entire graphic is set against a dark blue background, which is itself centered on a larger light green background.

shh it's a secret!



Get your name out there!

Bid for your right to name some of the prime real estate around the Wundowie race track!

A silent auction is underway NOW for naming rights of each the 5 corners listed below.



Naming rights for a year from 1 August 2019

Trackside signage optional

Bidding starts at \$150

Email Amy at hurricanegokartclub@gmail.com by 15 July 2019 with

- the track area you would like
- your name of choice
- your highest bid.

shh it's a secret!- Details

HOW DO I BID?

Email Amy at hurricanegokartclub@gmail.com
and include the following....

- The track area you would like (See image on previous page for track locations)
- The name in which you would like advertised.

NOTE: It does not have to be a business it could be a last name or anything else you would like.

- The highest bid in which you would like to submit.

WHAT'S AVAILABLE?

- Prime track real estate is up for grabs!
- Naming rights to your selected corner
 - Track signage
- Advertisement for ONE YEAR
- Advertisement on LIVE STREAMING and voice commentary during the KING OF THE HILL



BIDDING ENDS MONDAY AUGUST 5TH AT 5PM

HOW DO I ENTER?

- Tickets will be available on the club day and on the day of the Polmac Trailers King of the Hill
- You do not have to be in attendance to win the prizes
- Be sure you add your name AND phone number on your lucky ticket
- Tickets are \$2 each OR 3 for \$5

Raffle Prizes



POLMAC
TRAILERS



ATV/Garden/Quad Bike Trailer

500KG Rated, 1300 x 1000mm, Tare Weight 150kg
Checker Plate Floor, 30cm deep sides tray, Fully Galvanised
Swing Up Jockey Wheel
Tipper Function Trailer
18x10 ATV Wheels

\$1,490



**\$5 Ticket or
5 for \$20**



**2 SEATER
THRILL RIDE**
TWO SEATER SPRINTCAR EXPERIENCE

5 Laps



VISIT WWW.2SEATERTHRILLRIDE.COM



Red Roads Fire Pit
Blaze-n-BBQ Grill
Combo with Bag



600kg Jarrah Firewood

Raffle tickets will be sold over the Western Cup and King of the Hill. Raffle will be drawn at King of the Hill Presentations. Attendance is not required at Draw.

CASS'S CANTEEN CORNER

- Thank you to all my fabulous team of volunteers who helped at the June Club Run. Once again you all did an awesome job.

- Thank you Kelvin for all the pumpkins. The ladies loved them and the July Club Run Soup of the Day will be PUMPKIN.

KING OF THE HILL... ONE DAY EVENT ... ALL HANDS ON DECK ... SATURDAY AUGUST 24TH

I WILL NOT be there due to work commitments interstate... So the team building has begun, if you are free to give some time on this day please come and see us at the canteen on the July Club Run.

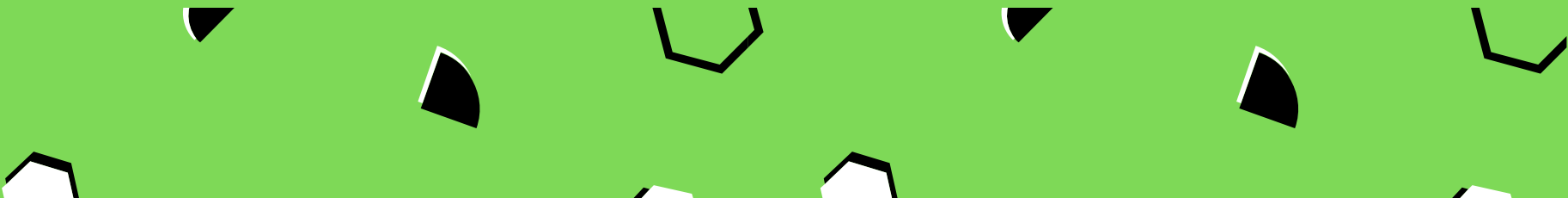


POLMAC TRAILERS KING OF THE HILL CANTEEN OPENING HOURS:

FRIDAY 23RD - 5.30PM to 8.30PM for dinner
SATURDAY 24TH - 7AM for breakfast until late...

Thank you members, family and friends who
continue to support the canteen at Hurricane.

See you all at the July Club Run,
Cassie



Reporters on the run..

DEAR ROBBIE, AMY AND THE CREW @ HGKC,

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU GUYS FOR GIVING ME THE BEST BIRTHDAY I COULD OF HAD. SATURDAY THE 15TH OF JUNE, NOT A PARTICULARLY WARM DAY. THE TRACK WAS COLD AND THE SCENTS OF RUBBER AND FUEL FILLED THE AIR. I COULD NOT HAVE ASKED FOR MORE, WINNING ALL THREE HEATS AND THE FINAL ON MY BIRTHDAY. THEN A SURPRISE BIRTHDAY CAKE AT PRESENTATIONS FOR AMY AND I. A BIRTHDAY WELL SPENT FOR BOTH OF US I AM SURE. THANK YOU TO ALL THE PEOPLE AT HURRICANE WHO MADE THE JUNE CLUB DAY POSSIBLE. HURRICANE REALLY IS THE BEST PLACE TO RACE!



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WRITTEN BY BRANDON LOCKE
FAST PACED KA4 JUNIOR DRIVER

Reporters on the run..

HEY THERE TO EVERYONE READING, IF YOU DO NOT KNOW ME, MY NAME IS BREE.

NOW LAST WEEKEND IN DARWIN THERE WAS A MASSIVE KARTING EVENT THAT I WAS EXTREMELY LUCKY TO ATTEND! THIS WAS THE NT STATE TITLES, HELD AT HIDDEN VALLEY RACEWAY. THIS WAS ALSO THE FIRST TIME I TRAVELLED INTERSTATE TO RACE, ALONG WITH MY FAMILY. GETTING AWAY FROM THE HORRIBLE WEATHER HERE IN PERTH, HAPPILY ENJOYING THE AWESOME DARWIN WEATHER. WITH WARM DAYS AROUND 30 DEGREES AND ONLY DROPPING THE THE HIGH TEENS AT NIGHT.

MY FAMILY KARTS' WERE TAKEN UP TO DARWIN ON A TRUCK DRIVEN BY KEN STEWART. DURING HIS JOURNEY HE SURPRISINGLY AND SADLY RUN OVER A DEAD COW, BUT THE KARTS WERE FINE AND THE TRUCK SURVIVED.

THE SWISS HUTLESS TEAM WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR TRANSPORTING BASICALLY ALL OF WA'S KARTS, (ALL 30 OF THEM) AND WERE ON HAND ALL WEEKEND WHENEVER ANYONE NEEDED ANYTHING.

ON THURSDAY WE ALL HAD PRACTICE. AS SOON AS I WENT OUT ONTO THE TRACK, IT FELT AWESOME AND NOT NEW AT ALL TO ME, SO HAPPY WITH THAT - WE ONLY DID 3 PRACTICE SESSIONS.

WE THEN VENTURED AWAY FROM THE TRACK INTO TOWN FOR A SWIM IN ALL THESE COOL POOLS (A WAVE POOL IN FACT) AND HAD SOME LUNCH WITH A FEW OF THE WA CREW. EVERYONE SEEMED TO HAVE THE SAME IDEA AND LEFT THE TRACK FOR A COUPLE OF HOURS. WE CAME BACK TO THE TRACK ABOUT 6PM, PUT ON A NEW SET OF TYRES AND DID LAPS TO SEE WHAT IT WOULD BE LIKE FOR QUALIFYING THE NEXT NIGHT. THIS WAS ALSO THE HIGHLIGHT OF THE WEEKEND FOR ME, AS QUALIFYING WAS NOT ON SATURDAY MORNING BUT ON FRIDAY NIGHT. IT WAS SO COOL.



Reporters on the run cont...

ALL DAY FRIDAY WAS PRACTICE AS WELL, BUT THEN QUALIFYING WAS AT NIGHT, WHICH AFFECTED PEOPLE IN VARIOUS WAYS. IT MADE SOME GO FASTER, BUT ALONG WITH THAT, IT MADE SOME GO SLOWER.

ON SATURDAY MORNING THE RACING STARTED WITH CADET 9, WHO WERE SUPER NERVOUS EVEN THROUGH THEY TRIED NOT TO SHOW IT. THE CONDITIONS WERE VERY CRISPY AND STILL, SO EVERYBODY HAD TO TUNE ENGINES AND CHANGE KARTS TO SUIT THE CONDITIONS. AN AWESOME THING ABOUT THE TRACK IN DARWIN, THERE IS THE FINISH LINE ON A TINY STRAIGHT BEFORE PIT ENTRY. THERE IS A LONG STRAIGHT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE TRACK, SO INSTEAD OF DOING A FULL FORMATION LAP WE GO THROUGH THE LONG BIT IN THE MIDDLE, DO OUR FORMATION LAP (SOMETIMES SEVERAL). ONCE THE FLAG IS WAVED ON THIS STRAIGHT, DOWN THE MIDDLE WE GO - AND IT IS MAYHEM ON THE FIRST LAP AS ALWAYS. RACING FINISHED OFF THAT DAY AT 6PM, WHEN ALL THE NOTORIOUS LITTLE MIDGES CAME



OUT AND WRECKED HAVOC BITING EVERYONE! WE CALLED IT A DAY AT 7PM AND HEADED BACK TO THE HOTEL TO GET SHOWERED, DINNER AND A GOOD NIGHTS SLEEP. THE DARWIN WATERFRONT IS AMAZING! THERE ARE MANY, MANY RESTAURANTS TO CHOOSE FROM, WE EVENTUALLY PICKED ONE THAT CATERED TO EVERYONE'S TASTE AND WE GOT TO ENJOY A TASTY DINNER WITH OUR KARTING FRIENDS. IT WAS A GREAT NIGHT, BUT I WAS SO NERVOUS FOR THE FINAL THE NEXT MORNING.



Reporters on the run cont...

ON SUNDAY, WE HAD AN EARLY START ONCE AGAIN. WHEN WE GOT TO THE TRACK, THE CADET 9'S WERE GETTING READY ONCE AGAIN, EXCITEMENT MIXED WITH ANXIOUS SMILES WERE LITERALLY THEIR ONLY EXPRESSIONS. ENDURING 20 LAP FINALS TOOK UP MOST OF THE MORNING AND IT FINISHED AT 12PM. NO RELAXING YET, IT TOOK ANOTHER HOUR OR MORE FOR ALL THE ENGINES TO BE SCRUTINEERED AND CHECKED THOROUGHLY. THE AIR WAS ONCE AGAIN DIFFERENT THAT MORNING, SO FOR A LOT OF PEOPLE, THEIR ENGINES WERE OUT OF TUNE OR THEIR KARTS WERE NOT RIGHT, SO THAT MADE IT DIFFICULT TO WIN. THERE WERE SOME RACERS DISAPPOINTED AND SOME DESERVING ECSTATIC WINNERS. CONGRATULATIONS TO EVERYBODY THAT DID WIN OR FILL A PLACE ON THE PODIUM, THAT IS AN INCREDIBLE ACHIEVEMENT.

I CAME 3RD MYSELF, AFTER RUNNING IN ABOUT 5TH ALL WEEKEND AND HAVING A FEW AVERAGE RACES. IT WAS A MASSIVE LEARNING CURVE FOR EVERYBODY WHO RACED. PRESENTATIONS WERE HELD AT 5PM, WHICH GAVE EVERYBODY TIME TO GO BACK TO THEIR HOTELS AND FRESHEN UP, WASH OFF THE SMELL OF FUEL, DEGREASER AND CHAIN LUBE FOR THE LAST TIME. THE DARWIN KARTING CLUB WERE MOST ACCOMMODATING AND WELCOMED EVERYBODY TO STICK AROUND FOR DRINKS, A KILLER FEED AND SOME DARWIN STYLE SOCIALISING. IT WAS A GREAT WAY TO FINISH OFF THE WEEKEND.

SO YEAH! THAT'S YOUR DAWIN RECAP.

HOPEFULLY I'LL BE SEEING EVERYBODY AT THE CLUB RUN!

UNTIL THEN,
BREE



WRITTEN BY BREE RHODES

BRIGHT, BUBBLY AND BRILLIANT KA4 JUNIOR DRIVER

MAY DRIVER OF THE MONTH



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Brandon Locke- KA4 JUNIOR

Selected by
photographer extraordinaire
Bradley Mitchell

JULY CLUB DAY

RACE DAY FORMAT IS AS FOLLOWS;

GATES OPEN: 11.00AM
PRACTICE: 11.15AM TO 1.45PM

-Cadets, Juniors and Seniors practice in separate sessions

SCRUTINEERING: 11.15AM TO 12.15PM

- If you need to be scrutineered please have your form filled out completely. Bring your form and kart to the designated area to be scrutineered and we will process them.

NOMINATIONS CLOSE: 12.30PM

- You can PRE ENTER ONLINE. Go to Events / Calendar on the HGKC WEBSITE.

- Late entries will not be accepted.

OFFICIALS BRIEFING: 1.30PM

DRIVERS BRIEFING: 2.00PM

RACING COMMENCES: 2.15PM

RACING DIRECTION: CLOCKWISE

POINTS SYSTEM: 289 POINTS SYSTEM

HEATS:

- 3 x 10 laps

- 1 x 15 lap FINAL

Laps may be changed by stewards if deemed necessary

NOMINATIONS FEE:

\$35 SENIORS

\$25 JUNIORS

\$20 SECOND NOMINATION

PRESNTATIONS: END OF RACING



HURRICANE BIRTHDAYS

RONALD PEARCE- 28TH JULY

BRETT BUCKINGHAM- 23RD JULY

JARRAD KING- 17TH JULY

RILEY TRAGER- 6TH JULY

REAGAN HAYDEN- 23RD JULY

HOLLY PATRIZI- 14TH JULY

WE WOULD LIKE TO WISH OUR MEMBERS THE HAPPIEST OF
BIRTHDAYS- IF YOU PASS THE THE PEOPLE MENTIONED AT THE
TRACK WISH THEM A HAPPY BIRTHDAY FOR THIS MONTH

JAY BUNTON- 31ST JULY

CAILEAN SOUTAR DAWSON- 26TH JULY

JASON BETTS- 24TH JULY

JADEN RASO- 11TH JULY

THOMAS GRAY- 7TH JULY

DYLAN SEXTON- 25TH JULY

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JUNE CLUB DAY WINNERS



A BIG THANK YOU TO ALL OUR SPONSORS FOR THE 2019 RACING SEASON...



CLUB MERCHANDISE

DRESS SHIRT- \$40.00

POLO SHIRT- \$35.00

NUMBER PLATE SURROUNDS- \$20.00

BEANIE- \$20.00

PATCHES- \$10.00

STICKERS- \$5.00

