

Hurricane Go Kart Club



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JUNE NEWSLETTER 2022



**"YOUR PLACE
TO RACE"**

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

GAVIN KENNEDY



Hi all HGKC Members,

Firstly I hope you all enjoyed the club meet in May for the Brian Smith Memorial. We had a big turn out and the event went well. I would like to thank all of the volunteers who helped with the busy bee and the setup of the tyre barriers around the track.

Congratulations to Toby Hobson who was awarded the Brian Smith Memorial Perpetual Trophy. Toby is not only a club competitor, but always puts his hand up to volunteer in many different duties. He is always happy to assist any member at the track and all this with a smile. He truly is a deserving recipient of the award.

The club would also like to wish Graeme Benade our best wishes and a speedy recovery. We look forward to seeing him and his family back at the track and in the Kart soon.

Our next Club meeting is on the 18th June, so keep your eye out for the usual updates about the meet. We also require a busy bee before practice to help tidy up the track after some rainfall in the area, so if you can come early and help the club prepare so we can all enjoy the racing it would be appreciated.

The word is out and I hear people talking about it, as Hurricane introduces to the karting community the "2022 Western Enduro", which offers an exciting and different format to the usual open meetings. I'm sure you have seen some of the posts on social media and our website, if not follow this link for more information:

<https://huricanegokartclub.com.au/latest-news/>

We are sure this is going to be an enjoyable event for all participants, so please enter early and tell all your karting friends.

I trust you are welcoming some of the changes around the club that the committee has been working on and look forward to seeing you on the 18th June club meeting.

As always thank you for making Hurricane **"Your Place to Race"**

FROM THE COMMITTEE

WHAT THE COMMITTEE IS UP TO

We have achieved a few items off our previous To Do List already. Some of these items are:

Sponsorship Prospectus:

We completed our sponsorship prospectus for the King of The Hill event and advertising program. We are sending this out via social media to our club members, local businesses and the general community over the next few weeks. So please keep your eye out for this document and pass on to any potential family, friends and business partners that may want to be part of this premier karting event and opportunity. If any queries regarding sponsorship, please contact the club on hurricaneadvertising1@gmail.com

Western Enduro:

You asked us to change up the racing program a little and we have listened. Competitors start with a qualifying session to sort out grid positions for a 20 Lap 1st Heat, then into the 40 Lap Final which should test all drivers and teams. Take into account that you are racing in reverse direction and we should see some great racing. With live commentary and what's sure to be plenty of action, this is a MUST NOT MISS event in the 2022 Karting calendar.

Survey:

Most of you should have received a survey from the club via your email account. This survey is controlled by an independent contractor to assist us in establishing a 3 Year Plan for the club, assist in applying for local and Government grants for facilities and track upgrades and YOUR chance to provide feedback to the club on how we can improve your experience in the future. So please make sure you complete this survey.

If you have any queries regarding any of the above then feel welcome to speak with any of our committee members or email us at

hurricanegokartclub@gmail.com

BRIAN SMITH MEMORIAL

HIGHLIGHTS & PODIUM FINISHERS



GIFT BAG WINNERS KINDLY DONATED
BY BUNNINGS NORTHAM



BRIAN SMITH MEMORIAL
PERPETUAL TROPHY



KA3 JUNIOR



KA4 JUNIOR HEAVY



CADET 9 & 4SS



125 RESTRICTED LIGHT



CADET 12



KA4 SENIOR

BRIAN SMITH MEMORIAL

HIGHLIGHTS & PODIUM FINISHERS *continued*



4SS SUPER LIGHT



KA4 JUNIOR LIGHT



OPEN PERFORMANCE



TAG 125 HEAVY



TAG 125 LIGHT



TAG 125 RESTRICTED MEDIUM

CONGRATULATIONS VICKI SMITH!

WINNER OF THE \$150 JACKPOT FOR VOLUNTEER RACE DAY PAY DAY

JUNE CLUB RUN - SAT 18TH

EVENT DETAILS

RACE DAY FORMAT IS AS FOLLOWS

GATES OPEN:	7 am – for Busy Bee helpers *IF YOU ENTER FACILITY GATES PRIOR TO 9AM YOU WILL BE PARTICIPATING IN THE BUSY BEE, IF YOU ARE SEEN SETTING UP YOU WILL BE ASKED TO STOP AND HELP THE TEAM.
PRACTICE:	9.15 am – 11.15 am
OFFICIALS BRIEFING:	11.30 am
DRIVERS BRIEFING:	11.45 am
RACING COMMENCES:	12.15 pm
RACING DIRECTION:	Anti – clockwise
HEATS:	3 x 10 Laps, 1 x 15 Lap Final
NOMINATION FEES:	\$30 Cadets \$30 Juniors \$40 Seniors \$25 Second Nomination
SCRUTINEERING:	Form to be completed online
NOMINATIONS:	Close Wednesday 15th June, 6pm
PRESENTATION:	End of Racing – Stay around for the presentations, a hot dog, drinks and a chat to other members about racing events of the day



2022 ABLE FINANCE WESTERN ENDURO SATURDAY 25TH JUNE

Join the challenge of the Hurricane Go Kart Club 2022 Western Enduro. After qualifying, start with a 20 Lap Heat, then straight into the 40 Lap Final, all in Reverse Direction. Please check our social media pages and Website for details, Supp Regs, scrutineering forms and registration,

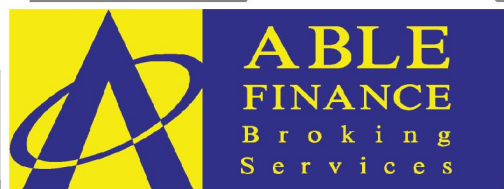
NOTE: Entries for the Enduro STRICTLY CLOSE 18th June 2022

EVENT PROGRAM

PRACTICE / PIT SETUP:	Friday 24th June 2022
GATES OPEN:	12 Noon Friday 24th June 2022
PRACTICE:	4 pm to 8 pm Friday 24th June 2022

RACE DAY	Saturday 25th June 2022
GATES OPEN:	6.30 am
OFFICIALS BRIEFING:	7.30 am
DRIVERS BRIEFING:	7.45 am
QUALIFYING:	8.00 am
RACING COMMENCES:	10.00 am
RACING DIRECTION:	Anti Clockwise
SCRUTINEERING:	Form to be completed online
HEATS:	1 x 20 Laps, 1 x 40 Lap Final
NOMINATION FEES:	\$80 - All Classes \$60 - Second or Third Class
PRESENTATION:	End of Racing - Presentations, BBQ, drinks and chat to other competitors about the racing events of the day

Thankyou to our major sponsor



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Go Kart Club



**WESTERN
ENDURO**

Thankyou to our class sponsors

**MAJOR MOTORS
ISUZU**



**Performance
Kart Centre**



OUT & ABOUT

ESPERANCE SEZ - ROUND 3

It was great to see so many Hurricane members in Esperance for Round 3 of the SEZ competition. A good time was had by all. Hurricane members did the club proud and filled many podium positions.



We'd love to hear what our members have been up to over the past month between meetings. This is an opportunity to share all things with our karting family. If you are heading to any other karting events outside of HGKC, then please send out a post on social media that you are attending so we can look out and support each other. Please include a little blurb about what you have done and be sure to include images to go with it.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

CLUB MEETING 18th JUNE 2022

Thank you to those who have already put their hand up to volunteer this month.

We require the following:

2x Stewards grade 4 or higher

1x Starter

2x Canteen Volunteers (Cadet Parents / Guardians)

WESTERN ENDURO 25th JUNE 2022

Thank you to the people who have already volunteered.

- Canteen Volunteers - There is a roster so even if you can only spare a few hours for the day please reach out.
- Starter

ROLES NEEDING TO BE FILLED

- Race Secretary: We URGENTLY need this role filled, we recommend 3 people learn this role so it can be shared throughout the race year. With only 4 club days left please reach out if you are interested in learning this role!



THANK YOU

To all our valuable volunteers during May, we thank you. The club cannot operate without volunteers so if you have not completed a duty so far this year, then PLEASE put your hand up to help YOUR club.

Practice: Blake Preston, Matt Pearce, Cassy Nicholson and others

Club Day: Amy Sears, Brett Styles, Mark Bower, Gus Cuthbertson, Veronica Raso, Toby Hobson, Sue Mettam, Sara Byrne, Ira Fehlberg, Tom Harten, Dion Panizza, Vicki Smith, Coppin Family, Belinda Johnson, Cassie Worboys, Angela Patrizi.

AND EVERYONE WHO HELPED WITH THE BUSY BEE.

HURRICANE BIRTHDAYS



Glenn Fisher - 4th June

Jaegar Paull - 19th June

Gil Hobson - 23rd June

Lucas Peet - 23rd June

Elliott Johnson - 13th June

Graham Pozzi - 23rd June

Damon Llewellyn 4th June

Levi Reffell - 28th June

Bradley Melling - 1st June

Daniel Ristic - 1st June

Isabella Patrizi - 26th June

Amy Sears - 15th June

**WE WOULD LIKE TO WISH OUR MEMBERS
THE HAPPIEST OF BIRTHDAYS!
IF YOU PASS THE PEOPLE MENTIONED
AT THE TRACK, WISH THEM A HAPPY BIRTHDAY.**

Kim Smith - 12th June

Ryan Barron - 30th June

Jenson Stewart - 9th June

Graeme Benade - 28th June

Melinda Sully - 18th June

Jared Bishop - 28th June

Todd Vince - 4th June

Declon Creedy - 16th June

Brendan Watt - 13th June

Nathan Driessen - 28th June

Roman Yacopetti - 6th June

FROM THE SECRETARY

Hi Hurricane Family,

I hope you have been keeping well. Just a few things to touch on from me this month:

GETTING IN CONTACT WITH ME: I am now working remotely and only available during certain hours. Should you wish to speak to me please text 0487 601 421 with your name and your enquiry and I will get back to you as soon as I can. You can also contact me through the HGKC Facebook page and email hurricanegokartclub@gmail.com as per normal.

CADET LOGS: Before racing a club day cadet drivers MUST have completed 8 HOURS drive time. When filling out the log it must be only time on the track that is logged not the 5 hour lots you were at the track for. If you have any questions on this please don't hesitate to ask.

PRACTICE: Track will only be open on the weekends if we have a club member who is a grade 4 official volunteer by 5pm THURSDAY. If we do not hear anything by 5pm Thursday the track will be closed. You can notify us you would like the track open by messaging us on Facebook, calling us or emailing us at hurricanegokartclub@gmail.com.

CLUB DUTIES: There is still a number of members who have to do their club duties to be eligible for the club championship. Did you know you can nominate a club run in advance? With only 4 club runs left for the club championship season please get in touch and book in your club duties!

Thank you to everyone who has helped the club so far this year, it's hard to believe we are half way through. The atmosphere has been great so far and we hope to continue to bring you some great racing and family fun events to finish off the year. Best wishes to all participating in any upcoming events and I look forward to seeing you all at our new event the Western Enduro on June 25th 2022!

Stay Safe,
Gemma

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