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President's Report

Hi everyone. Well our last round is finally here, and with the recent wash-outs we have had, we hope to complete a full days racing.

Some drivers still have a chance of improving their championship point scores, so good luck to everyone.

The NSW State Titles were successfully held in Sept. and although numbers were down on recent years, the racing was excellent, with CCSKC members taking many podium places. We hope to make the Australian Titles we are holding next year even better!

We have also improved our club membership numbers this year with many new junior and senior drivers doing their OLT's during the year. Other improvements have also been made to our office area, the general pits area and security

has been improved with the completion of our new fenced compound around our storage container and trucks.

Now for our end of year presentation, we need to finalise all the driver voting today. Preparations are well under way, and we are all looking forward to another great day. I'm told Santa will also be making a visit to our end of year picnic too!

Our calendar for 2010 is already available online, and some committee changes will also be announced for 2010 at presentation.

Thanks again to all our Volunteers and Sponsors for another great year (bar the rain), everyone's support, no matter how small, is greatly appreciated.

Everybody please have a safe Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, and we'll see you all in the new season!



Allan Savins - Vintage Kart



Come 'n' Try Day

Our next formal Come 'n' Try Day is scheduled for Saturday 6th February 2010.

Attendance can only be by pre-booking with our Secretary at least 1 week in advance.

A fee of \$30 per person applies, however should that person join our Club, that fee is deducted from the Club Membership.

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End of Year Presentation Picnic

Please remember that bookings are required for our End of Year Presentation Picnic Day being held on Sunday 13th December 2009.

Bookings needed by 6th December for catering.

More details on Page 3

Award Voting

Also don't forget to get your votes in for the various awards that are on offer as well.

See Trish in the Race Office for a voting slip or on our website.

Voting closes today 29th November 2009.

Cheque Payments

Our bank is now insisting that all cheques must be made out to Central Coast Speedway Kart Club and not just CCSKC.



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2009 Presentation Picnic Day

Sunday 13th December 2009

Heazlett Park, Avoca Drive, Avoca Beach

This is a family picnic day, so come along and have a relaxing day by the lagoon. Paddle boats will be supplied so don't forget your swimmers, towel & sunscreen!!!

The day kicks off around 10.00am and the formal Presentation will be after lunch.

A very tasty lunch of spit roast & salad is supplied at no cost to Members. Feel free to bring along your family & friends as always, for a small fee of just \$5.00 per head payable to our Club Secretary at Round 9, or on the day.

Soft drinks and water are supplied. BYO Alcohol.

We do require numbers for catering purposes, so be sure to get your name down as soon as possible. **Bookings are needed by no later than Sunday 6th December 2009.**



To make your booking please email our Club Secretary on secretary@ccskc.com.au or call 4385 6433.

All competitors in this year's Championship will receive a trophy along with the top 3 in each class receiving specialty trophies.

Some of the other awards on offer this year are:



- Driver's Driver Awards (*Junior and Senior*)
- Most Improved Driver Awards (*Junior and Senior*)
- Trophy Hunter Award
- Highest Point Scorer Award (*Junior and Senior*)

So please remember to vote for who you feel is most deserving of the awards this year!!!

Voting closes today 29/11/09

Secretary:	Trish Maastricht
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2010 Calendar

Date	Day	Club	Event
January			
12	Tues	Committee Meeting	Mingara Recreation Club
February			
6	Sat	Come 'n' Try Day	
7	Sun	Practice Day	
9	Tues	Committee Meeting	Davistown RSL Club - Location TBC
21	Sun	Kidz on the Dirt	
March			
7	Sun	Round 1	
9	Tues	Committee Meeting	Davistown RSL Club - Location TBC
20	Sat	Round 2 - Twilight	
April			
11	Sun	Round 3	
13	Tues	Committee Meeting	Davistown RSL Club - Location TBC
May			
11	Tues	Committee Meeting	Davistown RSL Club - Location TBC
16	Sun	Round 4	
30	Sun	Spare Date	
June			
6	Sun	Round 5	
8	Tues	Committee Meeting	Davistown RSL Club - Location TBC
July			
13	Tues	Committee Meeting	Mingara Recreation Club - Location TBC
18	Sun	Round 6	
August			
10	Tues	Committee Meeting	Mingara Recreation Club - Location TBC
14	Sat	Come 'n' Try Day	
15	Sun	Practice Day	
September			
4	Sat	Australian Speedway Kart Titles	
5	Sun	Australian Speedway Kart Titles	
11	Sat	Titles - Spare Date	
12	Sun	Titles - Spare Date	
14	Tues	Committee Meeting	Davistown RSL Club - Location TBC
October			
12	Tues	Committee Meeting	Davistown RSL Club - Location TBC
31	Sun	Round 7	
November			
9	Tues	Committee Meeting	Mingara Recreation Club - Location TBC
14	Sun	Spare Date or Fun Day	
27	Sat	Round 8 - TWILIGHT	
December			
12	Sun	Central Coast Speedway	Presentation Picnic Day
14	Tues	Committee Meeting	Davistown RSL Club - Location TBC



2010 Duty Roster

The first few months of the new Duty Roster will be released in February. Please take the time to read the Duty Roster Rules as listed below to avoid any confusion.

If you have any questions, or would like to nominate a specific date for next season, please contact our Race Secretary.

1. **WHO DO I SPEAK TO IF I HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THE ROSTER?**

All Roster enquiries must go to the Race Secretary Email: racesecretary@ccskc.com.au

2. **CAN I HAVE SOMEONE WHO IS ALREADY ROSTERED ON FOR THE MEETING DO MY DUTY FOR ME?**

***NO.** People already working at a Race Meeting (either on the Roster or an Official) are NOT PERMITTED to carry out additional Roster Duties for other people as it leaves the Roster short.*

3. **WHAT WILL HAPPEN IF I FAIL TO COMPLETE MY ROSTER DUTY?**

You will not be permitted to compete at any CCSKC race meetings until a Duty is done.

4. **HOW CAN I COMPLETE MY ROSTER DAY BUT STILL RACE?**

You may have another person do your Roster Duty for you, but they must be over 18, but you have to arrange it and notify the Race Secretary.

5. **CAN I SWAP DAYS WITH SOMEONE ELSE ON THE ROSTER?**

YES.** You may swap Roster Duty dates with other Members on the Roster; but you have to arrange it and notify the Race Secretary. **WE WILL NOT ARRANGE IT FOR YOU.

6. **I'M NOT 18 WHAT HAPPENS WHEN I'M ROSTERED ON?**

Parents or others over 18 will carry out the Roster Duty for all competitors under 18.

7. **WHAT DO I DO WHEN I ARRIVE AT THE TRACK FOR MY ROSTER DUTY?**

Please report to the Race Office by 8.00am on Race Day. You must wear solid closed in shoes and a hat for all duties.

8. **WHAT HAPPENS IF THE RACE MEETING IS POSTPONED?**

In the event of a Race Meeting being postponed, your Roster Duty will move to the new date with the Race Meeting.

9. **WHAT DO I DO IF I DON'T KNOW HOW TO DO THE JOB ALLOCATED?**

Written instructions are available from the Race Office, plus the Clerk of Course will ensure you are familiar with the requirements for each job at the Officials Briefing.

10. **WHAT DO I DO IF I'M NOT SURE I'M DOING THE RIGHT THING?**

If at any time during the meeting (except during a race) you have any questions, you may contact either the Clerk of Course or Chief Steward via your radio for assistance.

11. **WHAT JOBS ARE ON THE ROSTER?**

Roster Duty Positions include but is not limited too:

- ⇒ *Flags x 4*
- ⇒ *Grid Marshall*
- ⇒ *Weigh Marshall*
- ⇒ *Lapscoring*
- ⇒ *Quad Bike*

Compulsory Transponders

All licence holders must have a compulsory personal transponder by 1/7/10. AKA National will be providing all Clubs with a transponder system.

The AKA does realise that this may be a financial issue for some, so provisions will be put in place to assist karters to meet the costs involved, so as to not disadvantage anyone. For example, multiple karters in a family, low income, etc. Details of these provisions have yet to be finalised but it will probably be in the form of a lay-by system.

Each transponder will be registered against each karters licence number, therefore unfortunately, people won't be able to share them.

This will not be the same situation as with clutches, this will definitely be happening. A contract has already been signed between AKA National and AMB, so they are committed to seeing this through.

Transponders are a huge step forward for all karters as it will provide a seamless integration to the new Race Management computer system, which will remove any issues of human error. It will also speed up the running of events by taking the pressure off lapscorers to keep a constant tally of points, and will provide instant information about grid positions to the officials in the event of a race restart after a stoppage. Therefore we see this a very positive outcome for all involved.

Transponders have been in use on by most bitumen karters and Clubs for many years and have proven themselves to be a invaluable benefit to all who use them.

The normal purchase price for personal transponders is approximately \$350-\$400, however the AKA has been able to secure discount pricing for a short time (until 7/8/10). Once they are released, this discount price will be \$285 inc. GST and postage. After this time, the cost will increase by the CPI each year.

Further information will be released shortly and we will keep you up to date as it comes along.

Licence Renewals Reminder

Just a reminder that all current licence holders will have been sent a log in and password to the AKA website that will enable them to apply for their licence renewals directly to the AKA.

If your licence has already expired, or will expire within 5 days, renewals will still need to be done through our Club Secretary. This can be done at any time other than race day morning as time doesn't permit for us to them then, however they can be done at any other time during the day, so long as they haven't already expired.



Driver Spotlight - December



Name:	Greg Martin
Age:	16
Club:	CCSKC
Class:	Clubman Light
Racing No:	23
How Long Karting:	5 years
Driving Ambitions:	I want to come 1st

Driver Profiles - Submit or Update a Profile

Come on guys and girls don't be shy!!!

We have a great section on our website to share your Driver Profile, so come along and join in.

Each month one lucky profile (with a photo) is chosen to have the spotlight put on them for that month.

So if you would like to be included, please submit a Driver Profile and don't forget to send a photo of yourself to our Secretary. Only profiles that have photos can be highlighted in the monthly Spotlight.

Also please remember, if you already have a profile but haven't included a photo, either email one to our Secretary or hand it in at the Race Office. Photo's can be returned once scanned.

It has to be said, that we do have a few profiles that are a little bit out of date, so please make sure to keep it up to date too!!!! You can submit changes to them as often (within reason) as you like.

Kart Torque Classifieds - For Sale

Below is a list of items that people have available for sale.

Contact our Secretary if you would like to submit something for listing on this page that you want to sell. If you would like to also include a photo or two with your listing, please email them to our Secretary. Contact details are on the front page of this Newsletter.

Please don't forget to let us know when you have sold the items listed here.

Please take care when you receive inquiries about purchasing your item/s listed on this website. There are a lot of scam artists out there in the internet world who are more than happy to help you part with your goods and money.



Inquiries to be highly suspicious of are:

- **Overseas emails** - why would someone want to buy a kart from another country when they can more than likely purchase one on their own soil for far less than it would cost to ship it over to them?
- **People wanting to buy sight unseen** - would you buy something - especially a kart without looking at it first?
- **People insisting they pay by Western Union** - this is a classic internet scam method of payment

Just remember the old saying "if it sounds too good to be true - then it probably is!!!"

<p>Mark</p>	<p>Perfect for TaG125 restricted or open Only used twice. Once for run in, and one practice day at Butterfly Farm. Never raced, never spun. Didn't even foul the plug! This kart has been polished more times than it has been driven! Lots of extras, spent over \$7200, so grab a bargain. - CRG Kalifornia chassis - Fireball 125cc engine (1.5hrs) - Douglas Magnesium wheels/MG reds - Front hubs - Alfano LV Pro inc temp & rpm sensor - Tillet seat - Additional seat stays/supports - Plastic rear bumper (original also) - Kart cover - Heel pads on floor - Fuel filter fitted. Selling due to lack of time to use. Call or email for pics or details. Ph: 0404 019 049 Email: mr_f1_4u@hotmail.com</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;">   </div> 	<p>\$6200 neg</p>
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Kart Torque Classifieds - For Sale

Wayne Hammond (HAMMO)	Karts and Trailer Selling the lot. 2 karts, trailer, spares. Give me a call after 6:30 pm Ph: 02 4997 5097 Email: vickihammond3@bigpond.com	\$9000 ono
Grant Lahiff	2009 Model Benson Offset Speedway Kart #76 Clubman Heavy This kart comes complete with my number 1 engine which has only done 1 meeting since full rebuild being the NSW Titles. Engine has plenty of life left in it (bore size), chromed crankshaft fully blueprinted complete with Carby and PowerMac header and Aka legal. I am also willing to pull the top of the engine for inspection for serious persons only. Current King of Dirt Kart Current NSW Title Holder Current Clubman Heavy Championship Leader. 5 round wins so far this season 1 second so far this season due to black flag. Kart will not be available until after the 21/11/09 and anyone wishing to view it can either call me or see it at Gosford over the remaining 3 race meetings. Engine will be freshened up after the last meeting for new buyer to start the next season. Ph: 96280720 Email: grunt7576@bigpond.com.au	POA
Danny Ferry	Yamaha J Motor Just had full top end overhaul, comes with carby, electronics, header and exhaust Ph: 0419144678 Email: dan072@bigpond.com	\$1000
Steven Mitchell	Clubman Engine KT100S Well maintained, in excellent condition. Won many races. Extras included: Carby & mount. Can be used on tar or dirt. 2008 State Title Winning Clubman KT 100S Engine Well maintained, in excellent condition. Extras included: Exhaust, exhaust header, carby, mount, airbox and filters. Can be used on tar or dirt. Ph: 0416 193 018 Email: angela.johnson@det.nsw.edu.au	\$650 \$900
Scott Wilson	DAP kart with ARC motor In good order. Trolley inc. Ph: 0403 261 630 Email: willo06@dodo.com.au	\$1,600 ono
Don Collyer	KCM Kart Package Complete with Yamaha KT-100S blueprinted, race winning engine. Currently fitted with road race nose cone and front panel. Numerous spares including sprockets, kart stand. Kart in good condition. Ph: 0418 28 7171 Email: doncollyer@fastmail.fm <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;">   </div>	\$1600

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Chris Troy	<p>Speedway Kart Package - 2 X karts 1 Apachi Go Kart with fresh Clubman engine. This kart run 2nd in last years championship at Nepean in KT Heavy. Frame is 28mm, Freshly powder coated in cobalt blue new pods 2 race meets old, cable brakes, Easy tune lights and new bearings. 1 set of brand new Vega wets 1 half worn set of Vega wets and heaps of slick and rims.</p> <p>Second kart is a Dap Chassis with hydraulic Brakes it has a KT motor that has just been re built by Stones and never run. Both karts come with plenty of spares. Phone: 0410 491 810 Email: kristy Troy@bigpond.com</p>	\$2600 ono
Scott Wilson	<p>Kart Seat Small. Padded sides</p> <p>Sparco race suit Size 54. Double layer. Red & White in colour. Good cond. Ph: 0403 261 630 Email: willo06@dodo.com.au</p>	\$90 ono \$150 ono
Justin Cox	<p>Arrow Ax6 Trolley, 3 x clubman motors, 1 x blue printed, ready to start racing, won 07 club championship lights Gosford, 4th 08 state titles nepean, great kart with helmet, suit, gloves, boots lots of spares (tyres, rims, plugs, plastics, exhaust, pipes & more. Ph: 0425 233 319 Email: justintcox@optusnet.com.au</p>	\$3800
Rod Burns	<p>MacMineralli Rolling Speedway Chassis Fresh paint. 2 x Clubman motors. 1 x KT Open motor. Various other spares (pipes tyres pods bodywork etc) Ph: 0427 594 889 Email: lwa95466@bigpond.net.au</p>	\$POA
Scott Griffiths	<p>New Dunlop KT8 CIK Open Wets 2 Fronts 2 Rears Still in plastic baggies Owe me \$380 Ph: 0412 049 214 Email: scottyg71@optusnet.com.au</p>	\$275



Club Merchandise

One of the main fund raising projects that all sporting clubs have is the sale of Club Merchandise.

We have a terrific range of items available to buy starting from as little as \$5, so why not support our Club and purchase something today.

All items are available from the Race Office on race days, or you can order items through our website www.ccskc.com.au or by contacting our Secretary on 4385 6433.

We are now taking orders for the new colour Club Polo Shirts.

The new shirts are available in 2 combinations, Red/Black and Blue/Black.










There is a different design for the adults and kids sizes because we couldn't get the same style in all the sizes, but the colour range is the same.

All shirts will be ordered in as needed as we will not be carrying any stock on hand. Delivery is normally around 2-3 weeks.

Prices are: **Adults sizes:** \$35 - **Kids sizes:** \$30

Shirts can be ordered by contacting our Club Secretary, via our website, or at the track.

We also have a great range of other items available, so you can deck yourself out in CCSKC branded merchandise and really look the part!!!!!!

Stubbie Holders Screen Printed Club Logo	\$5		Baseball Hats - CCSKC Embroidered Club Logo	\$20	
	Sports Bags Embroidered Club Logo	\$35			
Polo Shirts - Green Embroidered Club Logo Sizes: Kids sizes to 3XL currently in stock	\$35		Jackets Embroidered Club Logo Sizes: Various sizes currently in stock	Run-out Price \$65	
Polo Shirts - Red/Black Embroidered Club Logo Sizes: Adult S to 3XL	\$35		Polo Shirts - Blue/Black Embroidered Club Logo Sizes: Adult S to 3XL	\$35	
Polo Shirts - Red/Black Embroidered Club Logo Sizes: Kids: 6 to 14	\$30		Polo Shirts - Blue/Black Embroidered Club Logo Sizes: Kids 6 to 14	\$30	

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2009 Round Encouragement Award

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Graeme, Tanya and Nathan



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