

KartSport New Zealand E-Line



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20 December 2011



**Merry Xmas and all the best for a successful
New Year!**

Special thanks to all our Race Officials, Technical Officers and Machine Examiners,



plus all the volunteers who run our Clubs and events.



NZ SuperKart Champs & CIK Trophy of NZ

Two big events with international participation will kick off 2012.

The **RaceTech 2012 NZ Superkart Championships and Grand Prix** will be contested at Manfeild on 7th January, hosted by KartSport Wellington.

This event is confirmed. Classes:

- International
- National
- Rotax Max Light
- Rotax Max Heavy

Late entries close 5th January 2012.

If you are planning to enter, please let KartSport Wellington know. [CLICK HERE](#)

On 27-29th January KartSport Wellington will host the **Mi Sedaap 2012 CIK Trophy of NZ** at CRC Raceway, Upper Hutt.

Already there are at least six Australians, including **Tyler Greenbury, 2011 AKA CIK Stars of Karting KZ2 Champion**, Brock Plumb - KF3, Matthew Waters and Jacob Parsons - both KF2 planning to cross the Tasman to contest KZ2, KF2 and KF3 plus rumours of a factory European driver in KZ2.

This event will also be Round 1 of the 2012 ProKart Series.

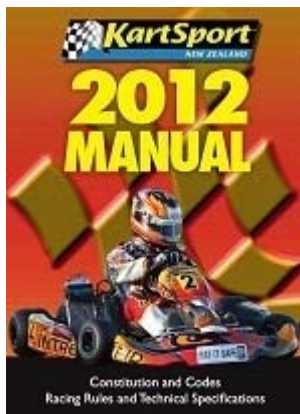
Support class competitors will compete for the prestigious KartSport New Zealand **Challenge Cups**.

Early Entries close on 30 December 2011.

Entry Forms for both events are available [HERE](#)

On-Line entry is available [HERE](#)





The 2012 Manual was mailed to all current Licenced Members, Officials, Technical Officers and Machine Examiners on 19-12-11. Households with more than one Licenced Member will receive one copy. Each Club will also receive one copy.
Thank you to the 2012 Manual checking team of Lisa King, John Lennox and Laurie Lester for their time and effort over the last few weeks.

Additional copies can be ordered at a cost of \$18 including post and packaging. [CLICK HERE](#)



Reminders

- All karts (except Masters) will run with **Black Numbers on Yellow Plates** as of 1-1-12.
- If you are purchasing a **new race suit** make sure it complies with Rule G3.2 "new rule applicable **1-1-12.**"
- Competitors and guardians are reminded that drivers can **only practice in a class of kart which is allowed for their respective age.** See Rules E3 and Q5.1 for details.
- The new Dunlop KT12-SLW2 wet tyre for tyre restricted classes must be used at all

permitted events from **1-1-12**. The current Bridgestone YFD wet tyre remains legal for **Club Day events** only until **31-3-12**. The Dunlop KT12-SLW2 is **also legal at Club Days** from **1-1-12**.

- All helmets will need **"2012 Approved"** labels applied at your first event of the New Year. Please allow extra time at documentation for this and know where the **date of manufacture** is located on your helmet before you get there.
- The KartSport New Zealand Office and Competition Licencing Department will **close at 5pm on Thursday 22 December 2011 and reopen on Monday 9 January 2012**. If you need your Licence renewed for an event **in January 2012** you are strongly advised to action your renewal **in good time before** the office closes. The mail pre Christmas is normally slow!
Thank you for your co-operation.
- If you wish to keep your Competition Licence Number you need to keep your Licence current. **This is especially applicable to senior competitors holding a one or two digit Licence Number.**
- When sending your Licence for renewal please ensure you **include your valid Club Membership Card** and your **complete old Licence/Log Book**. Both will be returned to you with your new Licence/Log Book. **Failure to include these will delay processing and cause added administration time/cost.** Currently about 15% of renewal applications are arriving incomplete.
- **One Day Licences** are limited to 3 in 12 months.
- **Licence Declarations** are only for those competitors who leave their Licence at home or have lost their Licence. Licence Declarations are not available for when a Licence is in transit.
- **Licences in transit** – if the event Race Secretary does not hold an email from KartSport New Zealand advising that a Licence is in transit, the competitor will be required to complete another Licence application and pay the relevant fees to the Club. These will be forwarded after the event by the Club to KartSport New Zealand and if a Licence is being held or has been returned the 2nd payment will not be processed.
- **Event Indemnities** – These must be signed even if a Change of Guardian Form is being used.



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National Steward

APPLICATIONS REQUIRED

National Steward (Reporting to Competitions Manager, John Lennox)

As always, safety is the number one consideration and responsibility in all activities. In addition, the role requires the National Steward to review, recommend, update, train, facilitate and implement where necessary, guidelines and rules for the safe and effective management, improvement and enhancement of kart racing nationwide.

The successful applicant must be above reproach and completely impartial in executing all duties and at the same time exercise judgement that places the best interest of the sport as a whole as the highest priority.

For further details and application process please see the attached National Steward Position Description [HERE](#) and the new Competitions Department Structure [HERE](#).

Please feel free to contact John Lennox, Graeme Moore or Lance Hickey should you have any questions regarding the role.

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