

KartSport New Zealand E-Line



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2012 NZ Schools Championships

KartSport Wellington

Entries are now open for the **2012 NZ Schools Championships** to be contested at KartSport Wellington's CRC Raceway on 7-8 July. This event is being co-hosted by Hutt International Boys School.

KartSport Wellington has a number of associated promotions underway including a YOU TUBE video competition with four **Life Cam Studio HD** web cameras as prizes plus other sponsor products including **ORG** raceware.

For more information go to:



Event website [HERE](#)
Event Facebook Page [HERE](#)

Event Entry is available **ON-LINE** [HERE](#).

Early entries close: 8 JUNE.
Late entries close: 29 JUNE.

Formula Challenge have again confirmed that the two winners of the **Bruce McLaren KartSport Award** will receive Formula Challenge single seater drive experiences.



CRWG Update

All current Cadet, Junior Restricted and Junior competitors have recently been surveyed and these responses, together with general competitor submissions and submissions from the trade are now being reviewed by the CRWG. Thank you to all those who have replied and made submissions.

However there is still a lot of work to be done before recommendations from the CRWG can be expected.

The **Terms of Reference** for this project can be viewed [HERE](#).



A general discussion thread related to this topic is on My-Kart [HERE](#).



2 Day HOT SHOTS, KartSport Wellington 30 June-1st July 2012

A great opportunity to learn the tricks of the Wellington track prior to the NZ Schools Championships plus improve your preparation, driving and kart set up. There has already been a lot of interest in this course.

1 Day EXPLORE & LEARN, KartSport Auckland 14th July 2012

Come and learn the basics and knock tenths off your lap times. Ideal for competitors and crew in their first year of competition.

Please book **NOW ON-LINE** by [CLICKING HERE](#) or phone **Gary Wilson**, Head Coach **021-543-787**.

For more information regarding the **HOT SHOTS** programme [CLICK HERE](#).



Two Karters for 2012 MSNZ Elite Academy

Congratulations to Daniel Connor and Arie Hutton who will join seven other talented young drivers at this year's Elite MotorSport Academy in Dunedin from 2 to 8 July. Connor, 18, and



Hutton, 17, are both multi-time national champions. Both have competed with success in Australia and Hutton has also achieved strong results at CIK-FIA international events in Asia.

The Elite Academy, established in 2004 by the MotorSport Scholarship Trust, has proved successful in preparing New Zealand's top race and rally talent for domestic and competition, with famous alumni including former kart and now GP3 race winner Mitch Evans, and rally ace Hayden Paddon. Physical fitness, nutrition, promotional abilities, media skills, psychometric and mental performance are all developed at the Academy, run by Excellence in Sport NZ South Island and the School of Physical Education at Otago University.

This year's group includes drivers from Suzuki Swift, Formula Ford, Formula First, V8 Utes and Kart classes.

MotorSport New Zealand President Shayne Harris says this year's athletes are all gifted drivers, who have excelled throughout the season. "We have an exciting bunch of young drivers selected, who have all performed exceptionally well in their respective classes," said Harris. "I'm sure they will all hugely benefit from the experience."

Joining Aucklanders Connor and Hutton on the course this year will be A J Lauder from Turua, Tom Barker and Tom Alexander from Christchurch, Matthew Higham and Chris Hanley from Auckland, Michael Scott from Te Puke and Mark Gibson from Taupo.



Mi Sedaap CIK Trophy of NZ Television



Reminder that the second half hour programme (KF3, KZ2 Masters and Cadet) from this year's event will screen on [TV3 Gillette Motorsport](#) on 27th May at 2-30pm. We have been running the two [KartSport TV ads](#) around these screenings.



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[CUE TV](#) (Sky channel 110 and Freeview channel 23) has confirmed replays of both programmes. (Dates TBC)

As well as also running TV ads, [Mi Sedaap instant noodles](#), with assistance from the karting trade (Lascom Motorsport, SodiKart NZ and N-Zed Motorsport), has arranged in-store promotions in a number of major Auckland supermarkets featuring a display kart and KartSport promotional literature and posters.



Wet Tyre Reminder Restricted Tyre Classes

Reminder that the only wet tyre to be used for practice and racing for classes subject to Rule L3.5 is the Dunlop KT12 SLW2. This Dunlop wet tyre became compulsory for these classes on 1 April 2012.



Reminders

- **Cameras.** Reminder that cameras **MUST** be fitted prior to scrutineering and conform to: **Rule K1.9 CAMERA:** *Attachment of a camera(s) and/or a recording device(s) to a kart is acceptable providing the camera/recording device(s) and all attachments are fitted prior to scrutineering and conform to the following:*

- 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.
- 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 use the **current Application Form**, 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.
- Please fill out your Application Form clearly, especially your **email address** which is normally our key means of contacting you and sending you **E-Line**.
- **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.