

COVID-19 RESTRICTED ZONAL/STATE SERIES
SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS V1 (1 January 2021)

COVID-19 ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND VOLUNTARY ACCEPTANCE OF RISK

By entering or participating in this Karting activity/event, all Essential Karting Personnel and Permitted Persons acknowledge that, even with rigorous capacity and control measures that Karting Australia requires the Organising Club to put in place at all Karting Australia sanctioned Karting activities/events, there remains an unquantifiable risk of transmission of viral illness including COVID-19 at a Karting activity/event at this time and you have considered that risk and your own personal circumstances, including any health condition or vulnerability that you may have or that of persons whom you will be in close contact with following your attendance at a Karting activity/event. You acknowledge that, for a small number of people, COVID-19 has very serious health consequences. By attending a Karting activity/event you (and any persons who attend the activity/event with you) acknowledge and accept these obvious risks.

PERMIT NUMBER: 21/067

1. STANDARD REQUIREMENTS

1. MEETING TITLE:	NQ Series – Round 2		
2. DATE:	Start: Saturday, 11 September 2021 End: Saturday, 11 September 2021		
3. ORGANISATION:	The Meeting will be held under the International Sporting Code of the FIA, and the National Competition Rules of Karting Australia, the Queensland State Regulations and in accordance with applicable Federal and State Government COVID-19 restrictions and requirements in force and effect at the date of the Activity.		
4. MEETING STATUS:	Zonal Series		
5. ORGANISER: (This will normally be the Club or a Promoter)			
5.1.	Towers Kart Racing Club		
5.2.	PO Box 389, Charters Towers QLD 4820		
5.3.	Tel:	0427 444 663	Email: TowersKartClub@outlook.com
6. ORGANISING COMMITTEE:		Julian Laws	
Include the names of at least 2 people who make up the Organising Committee. Note: they must not be Stewards of the Meeting.		Peter Thomas	
		Troy Urquhart	
OFFICIALS OF THE MEETING:			
7. ESSENTIAL OFFICIALS (Ref: General Rules Chapter 7 Rule 4 – “Essential Officials”)			
Stewards of the Meeting:	Clem Archer (Chief Steward),		
Clerk of the Course:	Peter Thomas		
Chief Scrutineer:	Troy Urquhart		
Chief Timekeeper:	Nikki Urquhart		
Emergency and Medical Services:	Brendan Rowe		
8. OTHER OFFICIALS			
COVIDSafe Officer	Nikki Urquhart		

Assistant Clerks Of The Course:	Alan Rowe
Grid Marshal	Club Member
Scales Marshal	Jason Hoepner
9. CIRCUIT DETAILS	
Circuit Name:	Gladstone Park
Circuit Address:	34 Plum Tree Road, Charters Towers, QLD 4820
Track Length:	568 Metres
Direction Of Racing:	Anti Clockwise
Track Density:	22
Notice Board:	Pit Area
Stewards Office:	End of Canteen
Mechanical Breakdown Lane:	Will Not be in use at this Meeting.
Parc Fermé:	Pit Area, In & Out Grid

2. ADMINISTRATION

1.	Only a member of a Club in the State issuing the Organising Permit is permitted to participate in the Activity.		
2.	The Club must maintain a register of all Essential Karting Personnel and Permitted Persons at the Circuit for the activity.		
3.	The number of entries in the Event is strictly limited by Government Directions/Orders. Pre-entry for the Event is essential. There will be NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED ON THE DAY.		
4.	The Classes, Age and Weight Divisions listed below are permitted to Compete at this Meeting. Class names as used in the 2021 Australian Karting Manual must be used.		
5.	Cadet 9's may run an 88-rear sprocket		
	COMPULSORY COMPETITION CLASSES	DIVISION/WEIGHT	DISCRETIONARY COMPETITION CLASSES
	Cadet 9	Single Division	TAG 125 Restricted
	Cadet 12	Single Division	TAG 125 Restricted
	KA4	Junior Light	4SS (Demonstration Class)
	KA3	Junior	
	KA3	Senior Light	
	KA3	Senior Medium	
	TaG 125	Light	
	TaG 125	Heavy	
Note: Consolidation of Class Rules (Competition Rules - Chapter 1, Rule 9) may be applied.			
6.	ENTRIES		
6.1.	Entries Open:	27/08/2021	
6.2.	Pre-Entries Close:	2359hr 9/09/2021	
7.	ENTRY FEE		

7.1.	The Entry Fee for each Class at this Meeting including GST and TDF Levy is as follows:	
	Competition Class Name	Entry Fee
	All Classes	\$80.00
8.	ENTRY PROCEDURE	
8.1.	Each Entry for this Meeting may be made using the CMS as follows:	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Log on to your driver information via http://www.karting.net.au/ Click on the licence and entries icon (top centre of the screen) Click on the “Enter a Race Meeting” icon Enter your log on details Under ‘My Details’ functions, choose ‘Pre Enter Race Meeting’ Choose the State in which the Meeting is being held Choose the Club who is the Organiser of the Meeting 	
8.2.	Payment of the Entry Fee can be made as follows:	
	Credit card Payments can be made via CMS using SecurePay ONLY. There will be a 2.2% surcharge on all SecurePay payments	
	Payment at the Track Will Not be accepted.	
9.	MINIMUM ENTRIES	
9.1.	5 is the minimum number of pre entries which must be received for each Class and/or Division.	
9.2.	If insufficient entries are received for a Class and/or Division to form in its own right, the Compulsory Competition Classes will be Consolidated in accordance with Competition Rules - Chapter 1, Rule 9. Discretionary Competition Classes may be Consolidated in accordance with the Rules or Cancelled at the discretion of the Organiser and in accordance with the Rules.	
9.3.	If a Class or Division is cancelled, the Entry Fee may be refunded at the discretion of the Organiser and in accordance with the Rules.	

3. SPECIFIC COVID-19 RESTRICTION AND MITIGATION REQUIREMENTS

THE CLUB HAS COMPLETED A COVIDSafe ACTION PLAN

The Plan has been submitted to Karting Queensland and where required by law, to the relevant State Government Department. All actions identified as being required to be done to create a COVIDSafe Event and Club facility must be carried prior to and during the Event.

1.	PERMITTED AND NON-PERMITTED PERSONS
1.1.	No person who has symptoms consistent with COVID-19 (this includes any fever, respiratory symptoms, shortness of breath, sore throat, cough, lack of smell or fatigue) is permitted to attend the Circuit or participate in the Event.
1.2.	Any person who starts to feel unwell or to exhibit symptoms of COVID-19 during the Event must immediately avoid contact with all persons at the Circuit and MUST IMMEDIATELY LEAVE the Circuit.
1.3.	<p>Note – The Organising Club must ensure that the maximum number of people (the combined total of Essential Personnel and Permitted Persons) permitted to gather in total at an Event and in groups in accordance with State Public Health Authority Orders/Directions/Regulations is not exceeded at any time prior to or during the Event.</p> <p>Essential Karting Personnel is defined as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Club President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary; and

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • COVIDSafe Officer • Essential Officials identified in Section 1.7 and 1.8 of these Regulations • First Aid Attendant; and • Administration and Access Control Attendant/s • Event Operations staff (includes but is not limited to canteen staff, cleaners etc).
1.4.	<p>Permitted Persons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Licensed Driver (Driver) who has booked their entry in the Event plus a maximum of Unlimited other people per kart who must be either: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The Parent, Legal Guardian, or family member of the Driver; or ○ The Participant License Holder for the Driver; or ○ A Mechanic whose sole task it is, is to prepare, adjust, repair the kart as may be required; • A Person who is approved by the Club to supply karting components and provide specialised karting service to any Permitted Persons in attendance at the Activity.
1.5.	<p>Non-Permitted Persons</p> <p>SPECTATORS are permitted to be in attendance.</p>
2.	<p>SOCIAL DISTANCING AND DENSITY REQUIREMENTS (Note – the number chosen in 2.1 <u>must not exceed the maximum number of people permitted to gather under Government Directions.</u>)</p>
2.1.	Government prescribed Social Distancing measures must be observed at all times.
2.2.	The use by Permitted Persons of any indoor facilities is strictly limited by the Density Quotient of the room as included in the Club’s COVIDSafe Action Plan.
3.	<p>KARTING AUSTRALIA COVID-19 DECLARATION</p> <p>3.1 Under NO circumstances is ANYONE who has been overseas, or in a currently declared COVID-19 hotspot, in the previous 14 days or been in contact with a person who is known to be COVID-19 positive, permitted to attend the Circuit.</p> <p>All Essential Karting Personnel and Permitted Persons MUST complete the compulsory State Government issued QR Code Check-In before the commencement time of the Activity.</p>
4.	<p>HYGIENE FACILITIES - TOILET/WASHROOM FACILITIES and HAND SANITISER</p>
4.1	The Club is required to provide facilities to ensure general and sensible hygiene practices are maintained.
4.2	Toilet and washroom facilities at the Circuit must be open and available for use.
4.3	<p>Washroom facilities must be properly equipped with liquid soap, running water and either air hand driers or paper towels.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The toilets and washroom facilities must be cleaned at least once during the day or as otherwise required in accordance with the Club’s COVIDSafe Action Plan
4.4	It is strongly recommended that Essential Karting Personnel and Permitted Persons bring their own supply of hand sanitiser for use in accordance with government recommendations in addition to hand sanitiser that is supplied by the Club.
5.	<p>HYGIENE – NON-SHARING OF EQUIPMENT</p>
5.1	The sharing of any equipment including but not limited to: tools, apparel, safety equipment, pens is not permitted.

4. COMPETITION

1.	FORMAT OF RACING	
2.	Practice	2 Practice session/s of 6 minutes will be held.
3.	Qualifying	There will be Timed Qualifying at this Event. There will be one (1) standalone Qualifying session of 6 minutes
		The order of Karts on the grid for the commencement of Qualifying must be random – no high/low numbers)
4.	Heats & Final	The system of gridding will be in accordance with State Regulations - Zonal Competition NQ Series

5.	DISTANCES					
	Heat 1	12	Heat 2	12	Heat 3	15
	Final	20				
6.	ACCESS TO CIRCUIT					
6.1.	Competitors will be permitted to enter the Circuit from 0630 on 11/09/2021					
7.	DRIVERS BRIEFING					
7.1	Drivers Briefing notes will be advised in an electronic format to all Competitors. Any questions should be directed to the Chief Steward prior to the start of Competition.					
8.	SCRUTINEERING					
8.1	All Competitors will be required to complete an electronic Scrutineering Form KA Scrutineering Record - Towers (wufoo.com)					
8.2	This form will be submitted to the Race Secretary in an electronic format.					
9.	FUEL					
9.1.	PULP is the only fuel permitted to be used at this Meeting.					
9.2.	Control Fuel will be used at this Meeting.					
9.3.	Supply details for Control Fuel (if used) are:					
9.4.	Pulp 98 fuel for use at this Meeting must be purchased on or after 9 th September 2021 from:					
9.5.	Caltex, Charters Towers - 262 Gill Street, CHARTERS TOWERS QLD 4820					
9.6.	Proof of purchase of the Control Fuel must be retained and produced to the Chief Scrutineer or Fuel Tester if required.					
10.	TIMETABLE					
9.1	Saturday 11/09/2021					
	Time	Activity				
a)	0630hrs	Gates open				
b)	0800hrs	Canteen opens				
c)	0900hrs	Practice				
d)	After Practice	Qualifying				
e)	After Qualifying	Racing				
11.	TROPHIES & PRIZES					
11.1.	a)	Trophies will be distributed for all Series Classes – 1 st to 3 rd				

5. CIRCUIT SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

1.	Paddock Allocation	
	Paddock allocation Will Not occur for the Meeting	
2.	MEDICAL SERVICES	
2.1.	Any Medical assistance that is required outside of the operating hours when Kart's are not on the Race Track please contact 000. The address to give to the Emergency Services is:	

	"Your Specific Location"
	Go Kart Track/Gladstone Park
	34 Plum Tree Road, Charters Towers
3.	KART RETRIEVAL
3.1.	Pit Crew with trolleys will not be given access to the Circuit during Qualifying and Racing.
3.2.	Retrieval of Karts is at the discretion of the Clerk of the Course
3.3.	Pit Crew must only enter the Circuit when permitted by the Grid Marshal and then only if wearing a HIGH VISIBILITY SAFETY VEST on the upper torso.
3.4.	Karts can be retrieved via out grid at the direction of officials.
4.	ADDITIONAL VENUE REQUIREMENTS
4.1.	Subject to any applicable laws which may govern the access of animals, including but not limited to guide dogs, no animals are allowed anywhere within the facility.
4.2.	No dumping of Fuel or Tyres, please make own arrangements.
4.3.	No unlicensed driving of motor vehicles permitted at the Circuit.
4.4.	No motorised scooters, mini bikes, roller blading, skateboards and tricycles allowed at the complex during the entire Meeting. Officials may confiscate any such items for the duration of the Meeting.

