

# **Karting Queensland**

## **State Karting Council Meeting**

# **Minutes**



### **Venue**

**Zoom Meeting**

**27<sup>th</sup> September 2022**

**7:00pm**



## **Australian Karting Association (QLD) Inc.**

### **State Karting Council Meeting Minutes**

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2022**

**Commencing at 7:00pm**

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#### **President's Open**

**Meeting opened:** 7:02pm

#### **Item 1 - Confirmation of Attendance, Proxies and Apologies**

**Proxies** Nil

**Attendance** Ipswich – Scott Cleveland, Peter Sattler  
Cooloola – Arnold Kretschmer  
Bundaberg – Andrew Wagner  
Whitsundays – Dave Sturgeon  
Warwick – Terry Ayres, Barrie Mendelson  
Townsville – Luke Flynn  
Gladstone – Adrian Jones  
Cairns – Thomas Janusz  
Emerald – Shaun Armstrong & Brett Aird  
State Tech – Shaune English

KQ – Russel Innes, Brett White, Kevin Speed, Michelle Rowe, Guy Wuoti & Annette English

**Apologies** Mt Isa & Gold Coast

**Motion:** *That the proxies, attendance and apologies be accepted.*

Moved: Ipswich Seconded: Bundaberg

For: Ipswich, Cooloola, Bundaberg, Whitsundays, Warwick, Townsville, Gladstone, Cairns & Emerald

Against

Abstain:

**Carried**

#### **Item 2 – Declaration of Pecuniary Interests**

Kevin Speed – Kart Shop  
Brett White – Kart Shop  
Luke Flynn – Kart Shop  
Dave Sturgeon – Kart Shop

#### **Item 3 - Acceptance of digital recorder**

**Motion:** *That the digital recorder is accepted to assist with recording the minutes.*

Moved:           Seconded:

For: Ipswich, Cooloola, Bundaberg, Whitsundays, Warwick, Townsville, Gladstone, Cairns & Emerald

Against:

Abstain:

**Carried**

#### **Item 4 – Business Arising from previous minutes**

Nil

#### **Item 5 – Acceptance of Previous Minutes**

**Motion:** *That the minutes from SKC Meeting 29<sup>th</sup> March 2022 be accepted*

Moved:           Emerald

Seconded:

For: Ipswich, Cooloola, Bundaberg, Whitsundays, Warwick, Townsville, Gladstone, Cairns & Emerald

Against:

Abstain:

**Carried**

#### **Item 6 – Townsville – Best Practice Meetings**

**Motion:** *Townsville Kart Club would like to move a motion to hold a monthly non-compulsory “Best Practice” zoom meeting and can be co-ordinated by Townsville Kart Club.*

Moved: Townsville

Seconded:

For: Ipswich, Cooloola, Bundaberg, Whitsundays, Warwick, Townsville, Gladstone, Cairns & Emerald

Against:

Abstain:

**Carried**

#### **Item 7 – Townsville – Rule Change feedback Request**

**Motion:** *Townsville Kart Club would like to move a motion for the Karting Queensland Committee to seek feedback on previous rule change requests provided to KA.*

Annette provided feedback that KQ doesn't received any feedback from KA on rule changes.

#### **Item 8 – Townsville – Social Media Ccounts**

Townsville Kart Club would like to understand the process and plan for the States Social media accounts are? Are we doing well? Is there a better way of doing things? Things to add value? Bringing in people to the sport?

General Discussion, (Ipswich) asked if KQ have looked at paying someone to manage the KQ social media account. Emerald talked of having a video, Townsville advised they have a video & this was minimal cost to the club.

**Motion:** Moved a motion to have KQ obtain costing for videos to increase sport exposure

Moved:           Ipswich

Seconded:

For: Ipswich, Cooloola, Bundaberg, Whitsundays, Warwick, Townsville, Gladstone, Cairns & Emerald

Against:

Abstain:

**Carried**

### **Item 9 – Townsville – Greater exposure of Karting**

*Discussed as part of Item 8*

### **Item 10 – Ipswich – New Club Members volunteering**

IKC would like to discuss a proposal to make every new Member to our Clubs carryout at least 1 x Volunteering day prior to them being granted their OLS and being able to compete at a race day.

*Item carried across to next meeting.*

### **Item 11 – 2023 Calendar**

Reviewed with everyone in the meeting, asking all to provide feedback before the end of October regarding the calendar.

### **Item 12 – Qld State Regulations**

Asking all in the meeting for feedback to be provided via email.

### **Item 14 – Correspondence**

The Karting Qld Executive requests that all correspondence that is not licence or general race meeting requests be sent to the Karting Qld Secretary using [secretary@kartingqld.com.au](mailto:secretary@kartingqld.com.au).

### **Item 15 – General Business- Discussion items only**

**Ipswich** – advising an email will be forth coming to KQ with some questions around the recent announce of the KA court case regrading TDF. Ipswich asking if KQ can present these questions to KA.

**Townsville** – Thanked all the clubs for supporting Townsville with sharing the State cup promotion items for Townsville state cup.

**Ipswich** – Advising there is rumors around Toowoomba wanting to rejoin KA, Asking what the process is & and timeline

**Warwick** – Advised that Toowomba is considering rejoining KA & are seeking feedback from their members.

**Cooloola** – questioning feedback on Membership Focus group

**Warwick** – Talked about SMS system & asked if all clubs will have the same system? Ipswich & Warwick talked about the system they are using. Offered to share that with other clubs...

Meeting closed at 8:56pm



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## AGENDA ITEM

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### Subject

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#### Motion

Townsville Kart Club would like to move a motion to hold a monthly non-compulsory 'Best Practise' zoom meeting and can be coordinated by Townsville Kart Club.

#### Discussion item (if no motion to move)

#### Issue

We believe that there needs to be better communication and consultation between the clubs in order to have a better plan to move the whole of Queensland and the sport forward. After all, the clubs have the role of ensuring the sport is moving forward and we are all working together.

#### Background

The State Karting Council only meets quarterly, so we believe that it is too long between meetings to discuss important issues, and ways to help each club move forward. This would not be compulsory for every club to attend, but a way of holding discussions on many items to be able to provide more agenda items and discussion points to be voted at the SKC meetings.

#### Recommendation/s

That members [\[AGREE\]](#)



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### Motion

**Discussion item (if no motion to move)** Greater exposure to Karting Clubs, Karting Queensland and our Sport

**Issue** We believe that there needs to be a greater exposure to the outside public to get more people into Karting.

### Background

- A lot of people outside of karting believe our sport is hire karts
- How can we do a better job of promoting the sport?
  - o Club perspective?
  - o State Perspective?
- Discussion around spending some capital on a plan to move and grow the exposure of our sport
  - o Create Videos for each club to use/state to use
    - Come and Try
    - Racing this Weekend
    - General video of fast pace action packed safe racing etc.
  - o Generic templates for social media if clubs don't have the know how to create them
  - o Paid social media campaign aimed at increasing awareness to the sport

**Recommendation/s** That members [discuss options to move forward with a plan](#)



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**Motion** Townsville Kart Club would like to move a motion for the Karting Queensland Committee to seek feedback on previous rule change requests provided to KA.

### Discussion item (if no motion to move)

**Issue** At the last general meeting, the members have discussed and asked for information and a follow up of information provided to Karting Australia for the rule change request.

**Background** The members believe that there is a lack of communication around some items, when asked previously for rule change requests, they are provided, with no response back. The return feedback is vital in allowing members to understand why rules are made or changed and gives an idea of what to look for to better improve the sport.

**Recommendation/s** That members [\[AGREE\]](#)



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## AGENDA ITEM

### Subject

### Motion

#### Discussion item (if no motion to move)

Social Media Accounts – Karting Queensland

#### Issue

Townsville Kart Club would like to understand the process and plan for the States Social media accounts are?

Are we doing well?

Is there a better way of doing things?

Things to add value?

Bringing in people to the sport?

#### Background

We believe that this is a vital point of information for growing our sport and would like to understand if we could be doing it a different way. We would ask if there can be a report generated and information provided that outlines the following:

- Followers to date
- Audience growth
- Average reach per month
- Average engagement per month
- Average Reach per post
- Average Engagement per post
- The Demographic Audience

#### Recommendation/s

That members [discuss what is currently happening and analyse if any improvements can be made](#)





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## AGENDA ITEM

**Subject – New Club**

**Members**

**Volunteering**

**Motion**

Nil

**Discussion item (if  
no motion to move)**

IKC would like to discuss a proposal to make every new Member to our Clubs carryout at least 1 x Volunteering day prior to them being granted their OLS and being able to compete at a race day.

**Issue**

**Issue statement /  
report**

- ☐ Written outline provided (in 'Issue')
- ☐ Additional information provided as an attachment
- ☒ No written outline

**Background**

President  
Scott Cleveland  
0434 028 449

Vice President  
Kalie Sampson  
0412 744 450

Junior Vice President  
Peter Sattler  
0423 392 219

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