



## New Licence & Club membership Information

Thank you for your enquiry into joining the Mackay Kart Club. The following explains the steps in completing the necessary application and making payment to the club.

### **Membership...**

Family \$160/year or Single \$110/year

Other fees are practice levy of \$50 & key fee competitive licence holder \$20 or social licence holder \$50  
(Family membership is open for parents or guardians with children up to the age of 18)

Membership expires on 28th February each year, for new members joining mid year the membership fee is pro rata this fee information is on the membership form. Preferred method of payment is by direct deposit, this information is located on the membership form.

### **Licenses...**

Each individual driving requires a licence there are 2 types:

Competition Licenses - fee \$250 year & Social Licenses - fee \$125 year

The social licence permits the holder to make use of the track for practice and to race in one official meeting during their licence year. If a social license is upgraded to a competition licenses within 30 days of initial approval, the initial amount is credited toward the full license.

## **How to apply for licence checklist...**

Things you will need

- A passport photo to be uploaded during the licence application process or emailed to the club.  
(Photo should be a clear head & shoulder with a plain coloured background.)
- Minors only require a copy of their birth certificate to be supplied (preferably as a .pdf or .jpg).
- Complete the online application at <https://karting.net.au/cms/internet>
- Email the signed application to the licencing officer at [info@mackaykartclub.com](mailto:info@mackaykartclub.com)
- Once the application form is completed and the details are supplied to the club & payment has been received, the club's part of the licence will be processed & a temporary licence will be emailed back
- Once the licence has been processed by Karting Qld it will be sent to the nominated postal address.

### **OK, I have a licence... What next?**

Before you can start practicing you need to complete a safety training assessment with a club official at the track. Once this is done you will receive your key.

Before you can start racing need to complete a Observed licence test – written assessment and Observed licence test – on the track.

### **Transponders....**

Once you start racing you will require a personal transponder as the timing & lap-scoring system at race meetings is automated. All karts must carry transponders at race meetings in order to compete.

Transponder can be purchased through <http://www.mylaps.com/en/products/x2-transponder-kart/1624>



## A few guidelines...

Kart Clubs are keen to take good care of members, facilities and also our insurance policy so there a few firm rules. These apply at all times to all persons on the premises and are universal across all clubs.

Please note them carefully for race days as depending on the officials of the day failing to observe them may result in disqualification from the meeting i.e. a parent in thongs may result in their child being disqualified.

- Please keep young children under your direct control at all times and definitely clear of the in/out grid areas & track.
- No smoking or alcohol in the pits & no glass at all on premises
- **Closed shoes are to be worn at ALL times by everyone present including guests and visitors.**
- Only drive what your licence permits.
  - E.g. D grade (P Platers) and E grade (social licence) are only permitted to drive 125's, which are fitted with the appropriate restrictor.
- D & E grade license holders must have P plates fitted front & rear to their karts at all times
- **Cadet 9/12, Juniors, Seniors are the three age groups. Under no circumstances are these groups able to mix on the track during practice.**
- Drivers must have full protective clothing on when out on the track
- Drive within your capabilities, constantly drifting off the track and tearing up the surrounds does substantial damage and creates work for club members.
- Treat others with respect at all times, karting is a non-contact sport.
- Limit sessions to 10 minutes when there are multiple classes present.
- **Non-licensed drivers are only permitted on the track during "come & try" sessions.**
- Be safe & most of all - Enjoy!