



COVID-19 VIRUS – SOCIAL KARTING DETAILS

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As the government restrictions surrounding the COVID-19 Pandemic begin to ease across the country, Karting Australia will continue to work with affiliated Clubs to ensure karts can return to the circuit with the safety of the Karting Family being the highest of priorities.

With the initial stage of restrictions expected to see groups of 10 people able to participate in organised activities, Karting Australia has developed a way for Clubs to be able to manage Social Karting activities at their Circuits and remain compliant with these restrictions.

The Club is to appoint an 'Activity Co-ordinator' who will manage the information flow to and from the Event Attendees ensuring that all guidelines are followed.

SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

Karting Australia has developed a specific set of pro-forma COVID-19 Social Karting Supplementary Regulations.

These Supplementary Regulations are based on the Kart Fun Session Rules (Appendix 1 of the 2020 National Competition Rules). The COVID-19 specific Supplementary Regulations outline the requirements of who is able to attend the Circuit at the Activity a number of specific COVID-19 requirements that must be observed.

Each Club wishing to conduct Social Karting will be required to submit completed Supplementary Regulations to their State Administrator prior to opening bookings for the Activity.

ATTENDEE BOOKINGS

All attendees for the Social Karting Activity are required to pre-book their place.

To enable the bookings to be managed efficiently, Karting Australia recommends the use of www.trybooking.com

The Try Booking website allows for number limits to be placed on specific sessions and automatic emails to be sent to attendees and is free of fees if the Event is free to attendees.

Karting Australia staff can assist Clubs with the set-up of the account and Activities to enable Clubs to be operating in a very short amount of time.

In addition to booking their place, all Attendees will be required to complete the Karting Australia COVID-19 declaration (<https://kartingaustralia.wufoo.com/forms/wzh4xdl1vf2lmy/>) and provide a copy of the details via email to the Activity Co-ordinator.

Each Attendee will receive the following three emails after they have completed each step:

- Event ticket from Try Booking
- Automatically generated email outlining the requirements of completing the COVID-19 declaration
- Confirmation of their COVID-19 Declaration (this is to be emailed to the Activity Co-ordinator after receipt)

ACTIVITY SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

The event will have specific limits on who can attend the Circuit during the Activity. These include Essential Karting Personnel and Permitted Persons.

An Essential Karting Personnel is defined as:

- Club President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary
- Grid Marshal / Track Control Official
- Clerk of the Course
- Medical Staff
- Administration and Access control attendant/s

A maximum of five (5) Essential Karting Personnel are permitted at the Circuit for the purpose of operating the Activity.

Permitted Persons

- A Licensed Driver (Driver) in the COVID-19 Restricted Social Karting activity who have booked their entry in the session plus one other person who must be either:
 - The Parent or Legal Guardian 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 maximum of ten (10) Drivers and ten (10) Permitted Persons are permitted at the Circuit during the Activity.

At all times, Clubs must respect the regulations governing the maximum numbers of people, density and social distancing and hygiene measures including:

- Maintain social distancing measures. No group gathering, once finished for the session then they should pack up and leave. No use of indoor facilities (other than toilets).
- Only the driver and ONE other person can be in attendance per kart.
- There should be a clear area between pits (at least 5 metres).
- Hand hygiene must be available at any food service outlets, soap and either air driers or paper towels must be available in the bathrooms.
 - Drivers are strongly encouraged to bring their own hand wash/alcohol rub.
- Maximum numbers (can be based on a number or a density.)
- No sharing of any equipment, tools or apparel.
- Under NO circumstances should ANYONE with symptoms consistent with COVID-19 attend the circuit. This includes any fever, respiratory symptoms, shortness of breath, sore throat, cough, lack of smell or fatigue.
- Under NO circumstances should ANYONE who has been overseas in the previous 14 days or been in contact with a known COVID-19 positive, attend the circuit.
- A register of all people who enter the circuit.