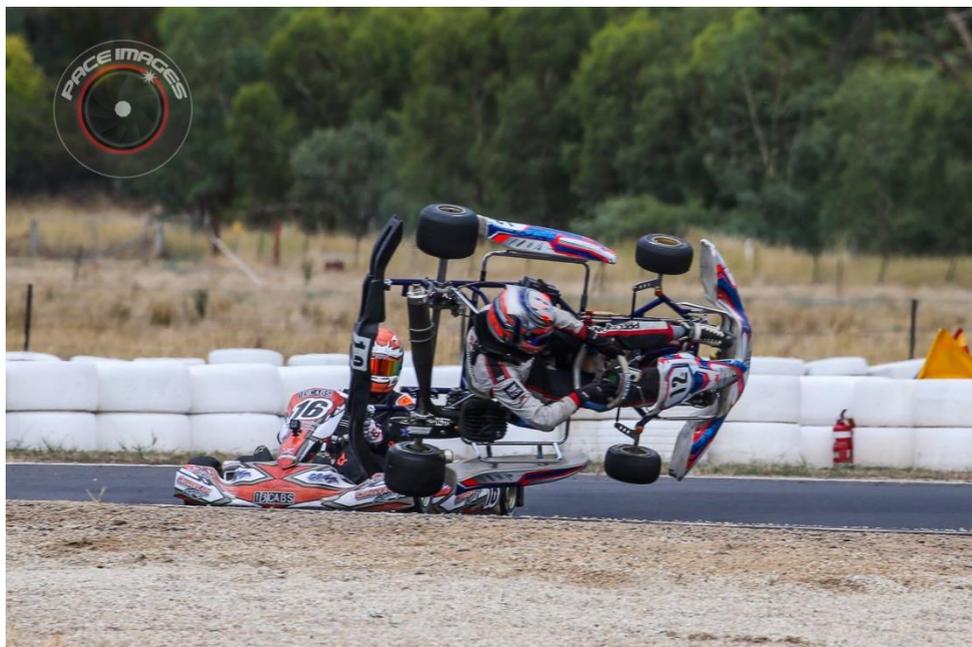




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Newsletter of the Gippsland Go-Kart Club Inc.

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Hello members, friends & visitors and welcome to the first edition of the Gippsland Go Kart Clubs newsletter for the year 2018.

We move into this year's racing with Gippsland set to hold its usual club days as well as our two open meetings, Round four of the Golden power series & our very own C & D grade titles. If any members are interested in helping out at any of these events get along to a general meeting & offer you services, many hands make these events run smoothly.

The year has kicked off with a number of race meets already being held and many more still to come. Racing started this year with the Junior Top Gun event at Oakleigh over two days, round one of the Golden Power series has been run & won at Albury as well as the first round of the Country series which was held at South west kart club, Round one of the Rotax pro tour was also held at the Go kart club of Victoria, these events have all seen Gippsland go kart club drivers participate & some even take home prizes.

Well done to all Gippsland members who travelled to race. All results of Gippsland drivers can be found below.

Don't forget, our monthly meetings are held the 2nd Tuesday of the month (exact date is in the club minutes from last meeting found in the newsletter) All members are welcome to come along & see how the club is running & also have a say if they have any ideas. (Next Meeting is March)

A quick shout out to all the officials who help make Gippsland go kart club the great club it is, without these ladies & gentlemen being there on the day we wouldn't go racing

The Gippsland go kart club has a great family atmosphere & welcomes all new & old members to its race days & general meetings, all are welcome & remember if you know any new perspective members pass the word along & invite them to attend a race day & feel the fun atmosphere for themselves.

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President's Report.

President's Report.

There is no Presidents report at time of sending the newsletter out.

Stay tuned next month for it.



PRECISION KARTING

Date	Meeting Name	Club	Supp Regs
February			
23/24/25	Australian Kart Championship Round 1	SA, Monarto	
25	Club Day		
March			
4	Val Findlay	Geelong	
10/11	Golden Power Series Round 2	Bendigo	
9/10/11	Rotax Pro Tour Round 2	NSW, Dubbo	
18	Club Day		
25	Club Day (F1 Grand Prix)		
	*Clubs can only run 1 club day from either day		
April			
1st	Easter		
6/7/8	State Championship Round 1 (PROVISIONAL)	Geelong	
13/14/15	Australian Kart Championship Round 2	Albury	
22	Country Series Round 2	Wimmera	
29	Club Day		
May			
5/6	Golden Power Series Round 3	Rochester	
4/5/6	Rotax Pro Tour Round 3	QLD, Ipswich	
13	Open Meeting	Oakleigh	
20	Country Series Round 3	Ballarat	
25/26/27	Australian Kart Championship Round 3	NSW, Newcastle	
27	Club Day		
June			
3	Open Meeting	Bairnsdale	
9/10	Victorian North West Titles	Mildura	
17			
22/23/24	Rotax Pro Tour Round 4	NSW, Eastern Creek	
24	Club Day		
July			

June 30/July 1	Golden Power Series Round 4	Gippsland	
6/7/8	State Championship Round 2	Go-Kart Club of Victoria	
15			
22	Country Series Round 4	Warrnambool	
27-29	Australian Kart Championship Round 4	QLD, Emerald	
29	Club Day		
August			
4/5	City of Melbourne Titles	Go-Kart Club of Victoria	
10/11/12	Rotax Pro Tour Round 5	Albury-Wodonga	
18/19	C & D Grade Titles	Gippsland	
26	Club Day		
September			
August 31, September 1/2	Australian Kart Championships Round 5	Go Kart Club of Victoria	
9	Country Series Round 5	Hamilton	
15/16	Golden Power Series Round 5	Swan Hill	
14/15/16	Rotax Pro Tour Round 6	TBA	
23	Australasian Kart Title	Goulburn Valley	
30	Club Day		
October			
6/7	Bathurst		
13/14	Junior Sprint Classic	Eastern Lions	
20/21	Country Series Round 6	Portland	
28	Club Day		
November			
3/4	Golden Power Series Round 6	Eastern Lions	
18	Junior Challenge	Geelong	
25	Club Day		
December			
November 30, December 1/2	Victorian State Cup	Mildura	
8	Karing Victoria Presentations		

Pictures from Round 1 & 2 of the Junior top guns held in January at Oakleigh.





Hi Members, don't forget to support our sponsors when you can, below are just a few of them, should you wish

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Photos from Round 1 Golden Power series Albury/Wodonga





Below are the results of Gippsland go kart club members who competed away,

Junior Top Guns, Oakleigh gp kart club, January 13th & 14th

This meeting was held in very wet conditions on both days.

NIGHT 1 (Friday Night)

NIGHT 2 (Saturday Night)

KA4 Junior Heavy

(N1) Bodhi Bright: Qualifying 1st, Heat 1 1st, Heat 2 8th, Final 3rd

(N2) Bodhi Bright: Qualifying 3rd, Heat 1 4th, Heat 2 6th, Final 5th

(N1) Billy Bishop: Qualifying 6th, Heat 1 8th, Heat 2 9th, Final 8th

(N2) Billy Bishop: Qualifying 9th, Heat 1 8th, Heat 2 9th, Final 9th

KA4 Junior Heavy C & D Grade:

(N1) Billy Bishop: Qualifying 1st, Heat 1 1st, Heat 2 2nd, Final 1st

(N2) Billy Bishop: Qualifying 3rd, Heat 1 DNF, Heat 2 7th, Final 2nd

(N1) Riley Jabke: Qualifying 3rd, Heat 1 2nd, Heat 2 3rd, Final DNF

(N2) Riley Jabke: Qualifying 1st, Heat 1 1st, Heat 2 2nd, Final 4th

KA3 Junior:

(N1) Samuel Downing: Qualifying 1st, Heat 1 1st, Heat 2 8th, Final 3rd

(N2) Samuel Downing: Qualifying 2nd, Heat 1 2nd, Heat 2 1st, Final 2nd

KA4 Junior Light:

(N1) Bailey Collins: Qualifying 5th, Heat 1 7th, Heat 2 7th, Final 7th

(N2) Bailey Collins: Qualifying 8th, Heat 1 6th, Heat 2 10th, Final DNF

GOLDEN POWER SERIES, ROUND ONE, ALBURY/WODONGA GO KART CLUB

KA3 Junior

Rhys Kemp: Qualifying 4th, Heat 1 3rd, Heat 2 4th, Heat 3 5th, Heat 4 3rd, Final 5th

CADET 9

Cody Boys: Qualifying 6th, Heat 1 6th, Heat 2 DNF, Heat 3 5th, Heat 4 5th, Final 5th

Ryan Wyhoon: Qualifying 8th, Heat 1 7th, Heat 2 6th, Heat 3 6th, Heat 4 8th, Final 4th

CADET 12

Harrison Martin: Qualifying 16th, Heat 1 16th, Heat 2 17th, Heat 3 17th, Heat 4 15th, Final 13th

TAG 125 LIGHT

Curt Sera: Qualifying 3rd, Heat 1 3rd, Heat 2 DNF, Heat 3 5th, Heat 4 DSQ, Final 7th

TAG 125 HEAVY

Geoff Wyhoon: Qualifying 16th, Heat 1 16th, Heat 2 13th, Heat 3 14th, Heat 4 12th, Final 15th

Travis Chapman: Qualifying 19th, Heat 1 19th, Heat 2 16th, Heat 3 19th, Heat 4 14th, Final 17th

KA4 JUNIOR LIGHT

Bailey Collins: Qualifying 2nd, Heat 1 1st, Heat 2 1st, Heat 3 2nd, Heat 4 3rd, Final 2nd

Owen Kemp: Qualifying 5th, Heat 1 4th, Heat 2 3rd, Heat 3 3rd, Heat 4 1st, Final DNF

KA4 JUNIOR HEAVY

Bodhi Bright: Qualifying 14th, Heat 1 10th, Heat 2 11th, Heat 3 12th, Heat 4 10th, Final 8th

Billy Bishop: Qualifying 2nd, Heat 1 DNF, Heat 2 4th, Heat 3 4th, Heat 4 5th, Final 4th

Riley Jabke: Qualifying 8th, Heat 1 6th, Heat 2 7th, Heat 3 6th, Heat 4 6th, Final DNF

Ben Moss: Qualifying 7th, Heat 1 4th, Heat 2 8th, Heat 3 8th, Heat 4 9th, Final 5th

TAG 125 RESTRICTED MEDIUM

Layne Siekman: Qualifying 6th, Heat 1 5th, Heat 2 7th, Heat 3 5th, Heat 4 4th, Final 2nd

KA3 SENIOR LIGHT

Zane Bright: Qualifying 10th, Heat 1 DNF, Heat 2 11th, Heat 3 8th, Heat 4 7th, Final DSQ

Michael Bantick: Qualifying 11th, Heat 1 11th, Heat 2 3rd, Heat 3 4th, Heat 4 5th, Final 4th

KA4 SENIOR MEDIUM

Ben Chapman: Qualifying 1st, Heat 1 1st, Heat 2 1st, Heat 3 1st, Heat 4 1st, Final 1st

Layne Siekman: Qualifying 4th, Heat 1 4th, Heat 2 3rd, Heat 3 4th, Heat 4 5th, Final 4th

ROUND 1, COUNTRY SERIES, COBDEN GO KART CLUB.

TAG 125 HEAVY

Ryan Aitken: Qualifying 5th, Heat 1 3rd, Heat 2 4th, Final 5th

TAG 125 LIGHT

James Fyfe: Qualifying 3rd, Heat 1 4th, Heat 2 7th, Final 12th

KA3 SENIOR MEDIUM

Ryan Aitken: Qualifying 2nd, Heat 1 2nd, Heat 2 2nd, Final 3rd

KA4 JUNIOR HEAVY

Ben Moss: Qualifying 10th, Heat 1 19th, Heat 2 15th, Final 17th

Riley Jabke: Qualifying 22th, Heat 1 DNF, Heat 2 20th, Final 16th



Riley (44 the vertical one) involved in a spectacular stack at Cobden in KA4 Junior Heavy, good to hear he was up & about back racing in the next heat, a little sore but out racing the rest of the meeting.

WE WANT YOU



**Gippsland go kart club looks forward to seeing you and all
your friends at the next club race day.**



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Gippsland Go Kart Club Inc.

General Meeting. 06/02/2018.

The general meeting of the Gippsland Go-Karts was held at our clubrooms, on Tuesday 6th February, 2018 and was declared opened at 7.00 pm by Vice President Ross Miller.

Present: Anita & Barry Stratton, Graeme Monds, Lorraine & Peter Aitken, Tony Correa, Geoff Medew, Glenn Wall, Phil Lane, Ross Miller, Russell Frost, & Mick Downing.

Apologies: Jeanette Monds, Peter & Lynda Richards,

New Members: The club would like to welcome new members to our karting family.

WELCOME Kait Martin, Daniel Howl, Don Grant, Cobee & Jason Holroyd, Scott Armstrong, Claude Rossi, Toby Clifton, Kade Brockhoff, Ryan Doughty.

Minutes from last Meeting. The minutes from the November meeting were read by members present, Moved by Glenn Wall second by Geoff Medew that they be true and correct.

Treasurers Report. Treasurer had no written report, but reported on balances, going ok. There will be a written report next month.

Listed below are the fees for 2018, just a reminder for you, They are:-

Fees for 2018: Juniors \$75.00. Seniors \$95.00 and Families \$120.00. Social. \$35.00

Race fees 2018: Junior \$50.00. Seniors: \$50.00. Second Entry \$30.00.

The treasurer's report was moved by Graeme Monds and second by Lorraine Aitken.

Business Arising. NIL.

Delegates Report: The delegates report was given by Russell Frost. Russell reported on items from a special meeting. The items discussed at the meeting were:- Licences, Rules, State Competitions and Club Competitions.

Albury: Russell was to go and do stewards work but it was changed. This was bought up by Glenn Wall.

Track Licences is going to be 2 years from next year.

Russell did not have much to report this meeting, more next time. The report was moved by Graeme Monds and second by Glenn Wall.

State President: NIL

State Steward Coordinator:

14,15/10/2017

Rd. 6 Country Series

Entries 164

Warrnambool

1 x Yellow Flag infringement

2 Place Penalty.

4 x Driver Conduct (Careless Breach)

10 Second Penalty

1 x Driver Conduct (Careless Breach)

1 x Driver Conduct (Careless Breach)

2 Place Penalty.

1 x Driver Conduct (Reckless Breach)

Excluded from that section of event.

1 x Starting Infringement,

10 Second Penalty.

22/10/2017
Albury/Wodonga

Alessi Renault Gold Rush

Entries. 51

1 x Driver Conduct (Careless Breach)

10 Second Penalty.

1 x Driver Conduct (Careless Breach)

10 Place Penalty.

Clubs have to check if they have enough Infringement Notice books etc. As on a couple of occasions books were not available at some meetings.

State Track Inspector:

Albury and Todd Road track inspections completed. Track licences will be valid for 2 years. All tracks will

be re-measured when inspected. Risk matrix used on all tracks, no longer just tick the box.

New track markings for AKC introduced from 2018, 2019 for all clubs.

General Business:

Mick Downing: Swan Hill no officials in centre of track no assistance to the karter given. Karen said we are not allowed in the middle. Karters need some help. Lots of Dads were beside themselves. Some of the karts are very heavy now. Phil & Glenn going to look into this.

Geoff Medew: Glenn and Phil did a great job at the officials training. Very informative and they had a good attendance.

Lorraine Aitken: Albury to learn more with this new system. A very important message from Lorraine.

**EVERYONE WITH A PARTICIPANTS LICENCE HAS TO GO ON LINE
AND RENEW IT AS THEY ONLY LAST 12 MONTHS AND IT COST
NOTHING.**

Russell Frost: Men's toilet running. Get a plumber.

Glenn Wall: Congratulations to Tony Correa being upgraded to grade 3. Scrutineer. Thank all members who attended the training school.

Phil Lane: Do we want to put our CIK tram track in now, or leave it till later, so that our karters will know about it.

MOTION: Russell Frost moved a motion that we go ahead and have them done. This motion was passed by all members present. Tony Correa is going to see about this and have it done.

Graeme Monds: Oakleigh not having night racing, have to race on Sunday, cannot get officials.

Members we are racing on the 18th March, not 25th as in calendar book.

Personnel for 25th February, 2018

Clerk of Course.	Andrew Broadbent
Stewards.	Russell Frost. Ross Miller, Graeme Monds
Scales.	Jeanette Monds
Lap Scorers;	Lorraine Aitken, Kaylene Chapman
Grid Marshall.	Rob Bumpstead
Lights Operator:	Lynda Richards
Announcer:	Geoff Medew.
Starter:	Peter Richards.
Scrutineer:	Tony Correa
First Aide:	Dean McCort.

If any of the above personnel cannot do the allocated job they are named for, could they please ring

Anita on 51 74 3870 or 0407 74 3870 before 22nd February, 2018

Meeting closed 8.00 p.m.

Next meeting **6th March, 2018** commencing 7pm.

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