



AIDKA COVID 19 RACE RESTRICTIONS AND PROTOCOL (SA)

There will be no Title Events in 2020 and Blue-Ribbon status has been removed. No Special events or series to be run. Karters can only race intrastate (within their state of origin) until border restrictions are removed. Clubs can run points meetings (when approved) and education days only, with no trophies, cash or prizes. This allows all karters and clubs to be able to afford to race and not have to commit to extensive travel and expense. This gives all clubs the opportunity to be able to hold meetings and have sufficient nominations to cover costs and some much-needed income.

Club events may continue until further notice but please be aware this could change at a moments notice. If Government and Health authorities place further restrictions on mass gatherings, we may cancel all meetings *effective immediately*.

Some clubs may opt not to race and this is entirely their decision.

The following restrictions/protocols **must** be followed at all club events:

Each club will need to complete a COVID SAFE PLAN before any event takes place at their location. These need to be lodged with state authorities and a copy sent to AIDKA secretary prior to any event. The COVID SAFE PLAN will need to be updated as further restrictions are lifted and prior to any event that is held at that club. It is the clubs and participants responsibility to abide by the restrictions of the individual clubs Covid Safe Plans.

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www.covid-19.sa.gov.au/recovery/create-a-covid-safe-plan

- 1.** Maximum nominations will be **40**. Each Kart is allowed the driver and **one** other person only (Guardian/parent or crew).
Officials/Volunteers are exempt from total numbers.
MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PEOPLE ON PREMISES WILL BE 80.
NO SPECTATORS ALLOWED.
- 2.** If you are feeling unwell **STAY AT HOME**.
- 3.** If you personally are in a high-risk category **STAY AT HOME**.
- 4.** If you have travelled overseas in last 14 days **STAY AT HOME** and self-isolate.
- 5.** Personal Hygiene is a must. All participants to be vigilant and wash hands regularly with soap and/or use hand sanitiser (please bring your own if possible).
- 6.** Keep to social distancing protocol at all times (including indoor areas) where practical (1.5 metres)
- 7.** Avoid personal contact at all times (Shaking hands, hugging etc.)
- 8.** **Clubs to provide hand sanitiser** At Scrutineering, Sign In, Stewards Tower, Lap scorers box, and Canteen.
- 9.** Have bins in all above areas.
- 10.** Display Health authority posters at venue in prominent positions. These will be supplied to clubs to print and display.
- 11.** Club organisers are to check and maintain hygiene in all areas regularly throughout the event.
- 12. Media:** This document will be emailed to all clubs, sent to all participants via AIDKA App and updated as each state moves to next stage via email, App and social media. AIDKA will promote the COVID 19 APP to all participants vial social media and AIDKA App.

13. **Entry to Premises** All entrants (Officials, volunteers, drivers, crew and spectators) will be required to complete the entry data sheet (see attached) prior to being permitted to enter premises. This will allow clubs to also control numbers attending within guidelines at each stage of racing.
14. **USE OF INDOOR AREAS.** (clubhouse, canteen, scrutineering, stewards , lap scoring etc.) All areas to be used will have to comply with each states regulations at the time of event and be added as part of your Covid Safe Plan to authorities.
15. **Scrutineering:** exercise social distancing and prevent large groups congregating. Exercise good hygiene practices.
16. **Sign In:** limit number of persons at 'sign in'. If indoors they must comply to each states regulations and restrictions. If indoors the 'sign in' can't be in same area as canteen, Exercise social distancing and personal hygiene for both staff and competitors. Allow one member of family to sign in to minimise crowding.
17. **Driver's Brief:** to be done in an open area. Suggest Pit area and drivers and crew can remain at sites using PA system, or centre of track where you can exercise social distancing using PA system, or have a printed driver's brief handed out at sign in.
18. **Pit Area:** Maximum number of participants in the pit area is **80** (including drivers and Pit Crew), Officials and Volunteers are exempt. Pit sites are to have a minimum of 3 metres between each site and keep interactions to a minimum. Exercise social distancing and good Hygiene practices.
19. **Out Grid:** limit one class in grid at a time. Restricted to Driver and one pusher only per kart. (heavier karts are to utilise pushers in the grid and no extras are allowed). Clear Grid before next class enters. **Maximum of 10 Karts per Heat.**
20. **In Grid:** Try to clear grid quickly to eliminate crowding, allow 1 to 2 trolleys at a time.
21. **Chief Steward Area:** Have hand sanitiser available for Steward, Driver and Representative. Exercise social distancing and personal hygiene prior and after every discussion.
22. **Lap Scorers:** Exercise social distancing and adhere to 1 person per 4 square metre rule. No traffic in and out of the area. Practice good hygiene.
23. **Presentations:** No presentations are to be held in person to eliminate gatherings. Clubs to use social media (Facebook or Live feed) to announce results.
24. **First Aid:** Make sure all first aid rooms are thoroughly cleaned and sanitised prior to race meet. Limit the number of family in rooms to one.
Make sure your First Aid personnel is still happy to volunteer at your meeting.
25. **Amenities:** Make sure that all amenities are thoroughly cleaned and sanitised prior to anyone arriving on race day. Keep amenities clean throughout the meeting. Have ample bins in place, and hand soap available always.
26. **Canteen/Bar:** Try to limit manual food handling and assess this by adjusting menu if needed. Practice safe food handling procedures. Appoint one cashier to deal with transactions and use hand sanitiser regularly. Limit beverage sales to sealed containers only. Limit staff to required restrictions of 1 person to 4 square metres.
27. For all this to be successful it will need the support of everyone. Don't be offended if a Club Official or representative asks you to move or any other request, they are only trying to protect you and everyone at the meeting.

It is the individual clubs and participants responsibility to assure they are compliant with all Federal, state/territory and AIDKA restrictions, protocols and policies. Clubs will be liable for any penalties if found to be in breach of any restrictions, protocols or policies.

AIDKA Executive thank you in advance for understanding the current situation and decisions made by us. We still have many decisions to make whilst the Corona Virus interrupts our lives and our sport as a whole. Once we are back up and running at full capacity, we will need to assess the many aspects and effects this has had on our sport. We aim to keep you up to date as regularly as possible with any changes.

Please remember that any correspondence on this matter be addressed via your club and refrain from contacting Executive members directly.