

COVID-19 VIRUS - MESSAGE TO MELBOURNE CLUBS 28 October 2020

Good Morning Everyone,

Following the Victorian Premier's announcement's on Monday, updated Public Health Directions were published for both Melbourne and Non-Melbourne this morning.

For Melbourne Clubs it now means COVIDSafe Social Karting Activities and Competitions can resume provided that the following key points are followed:

- Only the minimum number of employees or agents of the person necessary to safely operate the facility are present at the facility to operate the facility
- A maximum of 10 participants per group on track
- You may have multiple groups at the venue but the Club is to ensure the attendees are reasonably capable of maintaining a distance of 1.5 metres from each other
- All club rooms and indoor sitting areas are to remain closed, no access by attendees is permitted to indoor facilities other than toilet facilities.
- The Club complies with the record keeping requirement (COVID-19 Declaration)
- All attendees are to reside within 25km of the facility

From a karting perspective, there has been *no change* to the clauses surrounding Community Sport in the updated Non-Melbourne Directions. This means that all Clubs across Victoria are now operating at the same levels with group sizes and restrictions.

Karting Victoria and Karting Australia are working hard to ensure that everyone is able to a 'COVID-Normal' as soon as possible, to ensure the correct permits are in place for your activities, please contact Pam Arnett who will be able to assist you with these.

Should you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out.

Updated COVIDSafe Guides

Recently, Karting Australia has updated the Operations Manual for COVIDSafe Events along with the Attendee Guide, both documents can be found at https://www.karting.net.au/administration/covid-19-information. Any password required is KACOVID19!

The main details that have been updated in these documents refers to:

- Updated Pro Forma Supplementary Regulations that are to be used
- Circuit entry acknowledgement signs
- Updated COVID-19 Declaration Form
- Reasons why wearing an approved face mask is a responsible thing to do at a Karting Activity at this time

We look forward to seeing karts back on track all over the State and we hope that you are all able to enjoy the new restrictions. Our thoughts are with you all after what you have had to endure over the past few months but thankfully there is some positivity here now.

Best Regards and Stay Safe

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