



MESSAGE TO KARTING VICTORIA AND CLUBS - GOVERNMENT VACCINATION STATUS REQUIREMENTS

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Good Evening,

Following discussions with the Victorian Government over the past few days regarding the specifics surrounding the operations at karting venues in Victoria under the most recent Public Health Orders, Karting Australia provides the following advice for Karting Victoria Clubs.

COMMUNITY SPORT

All Karting Australia activities, with the exception of the Australian Kart Championship, are classified as Community Sport.

If a venue is being operated solely for the purpose of Community Sport, you **DO NOT NEED TO ENFORCE ANY VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS** for any participants, spectators or workers (including volunteers), as they are excluded from the vaccination requirement.

HOWEVER

Cafés or similar settings within the venue must operate in accordance with the restrictions for food and beverage facilities imposed by the Government. See below.

CANTEEN AND CLUBROOMS

All food and beverage facilities at the venue must operate in accordance with the relevant Government directions.

This includes Canteens and Clubrooms – anywhere where staff and patrons **sit down to eat or drink** at the facility.

- Staff and patrons must be fully vaccinated and their status is required to be checked.

You are required to advise attendees that any patrons over the age of 18 who sits down to eat or drink inside the facility **must be fully vaccinated (or have a valid medical exemption)**.

Please [click here](#) to download a poster to print to be placed on tables and other areas within the facility.

LICENCED PREMISES

For those Clubs that hold a liquor licence, patrons over the age of 18 must be fully vaccinated (or have a valid medical exemption) to attend your Licenced premises.

This requirement comes into force when the Community Sport ceases for the day (i.e. the end of racing) or whenever alcohol is being sold, whichever is sooner.

You are required to advise attendees of the licence premises that **they must be fully vaccinated (or have a valid medical exemption)**.

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FACE MASKS

As per the Pandemic (Movement and Gathering) Order 2022 (No. 3), all persons must carry a face mask at all times and wear a face covering while in an Indoor space.

This does not apply if the person is an infant or a child under the age of 8 years.

It is important to note that all of the information above is subject to change and based on the latest information provided from the respective governments.

Should you have any questions Lee Hanatschek on 07 5655 4341 (email lee@karting.net.au) or Pam Arnett on 0409 334 175 (email vka@bigpond.net.au).

Best Regards and Stay Safe

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