

Newsletter 2018 – Issue 2

General Information for Drivers

We are looking forward to the 2018 season starting on 4th March please look on your specific formula page for details of qualifying rounds & championship dates.

A newsletter will be sent to you each month with news about forthcoming events grading lists etc. you should also check on Face book, Skegness Raceway Drivers Page regularly as anything urgent will be placed on there.

Our new website address is <u>www.skegway.info</u> with all of the 2018 fixtures on.

If you have not yet registered & applied for your log book, it's really important to arrive at the raceway early, and bring along a completed form, TWO PASSPORT SIZE PHOTOS & money. If you do not bring photos, you must pay for a day licence each time you race.

A full licence must still be paid for (day licence payments do not accumulate to pay for a full licence) please bring photos !!!!

If you have sent off for your log book, we don't post them out, as long as they are complete they will be at the pit office when you first race at Skegness Raceway.

Because of the changes at the Raceway, signing in is now done in new pit office, (not at the pit gate). On arrival, park up and go to sign in **BEFORE** going to scrutineering. Your mechanic must go with you to get admission, you will need your log book with you for stamping. (Mechanics trotting along with your logbook at a later time will not gain admission). The only entrance from the pits to the stadium arena for pedestrians is via the new gateway or at the turnstiles.

Only towing vehicles with race cars for the event that day are allowed into the pits.

We have some exciting events lined up for 2018, and in addition the Brisca F1 Championship of the World on 14th & 15th September and on Unlimited Pre 85 Bangers Team Championship on 17th June, advance discount tickets are available from the Track shop on race day or on <u>www.skegway.com</u> for both of these classic events.

Rules for 2018 are on <u>www.skegway.info</u>, please check them. It is the Drivers responsibility to present your car for racing to the correct spec.

It is also the Drivers responsibility, to line up in the correct grade. If you have won a race on that day then you must line up at the back of your grade for the remaining races, all Championship holders must also line up in the correct place. You may well be docked places for not lining up in the correct place.

Scrutineers

For any technical issues you need advice on, you can contact any of the 3 scrutineers listed below. For technical inspections on new cars, these still need to be booked through the stadium office.

Chris Lowe 07717 378908, Martin Lightbown 07506 321937, Dave Backham 07780 114045

Roof Fins

Drivers please can you make sure your roof fin is very clearly numbered, especially Rookie Banger drivers. Snowy had real problems reading the numbers of several cars last season. Any drivers whose race number the lap scorer has issues reading, will be logged and must be rectified prior to the next meeting. They must be black numbers on a white background, or white numbers on a black background, unless the background colour denotes the drivers grading.

Booking in to Race

Once again, thank you to all the drivers that take the time to book in to race, as by booking in to race, it enables us to give out accurate booking lists for the public, and also enables us to plan the race formats for the meeting. It is especially important to book in for Championship meetings to enable us to finalise grids etc. We know that is not always possible, but if you do intend on racing, but unsure on whether you are able to due work etc, then you can always book in on a provisional booking, so we know that you are intending on racing if circumstances enable you to, and then you can confirm or withdraw the booking nearer to the date of the meeting. Just as it is important to book in, it is equally important to cancel a booking if you have already booked in to race, and for whatever reason you can no longer honour that booking. It would be nice to think that we could get to 100% bookings.

Booking in has never been easier, you can either book in by text (or reply to the booking texts when sent out) on **07798868947**, by email to <u>drivers@skegway.info</u> or via the <u>Skegness Raceway Drivers page</u> on Face book, either by private message or when a provisional booking list goes on, put your booking in the comments.

Pit area

*The pit area (including the camping area) is not a test track, so its 5mph everywhere! No passengers to be carried in the cars in the pits, and also you can't ride on moving trailers, flatbeds etc when in the pits. Pit Safety is a must!

*Drivers need to stop pit lane racing, in particular drivers parking their car in line but not staying within their car and instead walking off. This causes all sorts of problems, and potentially quite serious especially when it's near the ambulance area.

Internet Abuse

Please note anything put on Face book or other social media by a driver or someone associated with a driver can be subject to disciplinary action.

Non Contact Formulas

As a reminder please show your fellow drivers respect when on track and remember it is NON-CONTACT racing. Sometimes contact does happen but we must do our best to avoid it. Also if a car is approx. 3/4ths up the inside of you, you must give that car the respect and they now have the inside line and not turn in on them. This has been an unwritten rule (which will be added to the existing written rules) for about 60 years in Oval Racing.

BANGERS

Please find your fixtures below

Bangers

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Sunday	18th	March	Micro Bangers
Sunday	17th	June	Pre 85 Team Reunion
Thursday	26th	July	Micro Bangers
Tuesday	31st	July	2I Bangers
Tuesday	7th	August	Van Bangers
Tuesday	14th	August	Hearses & Limo's
Sunday	26th	August	Unlimited & Micro Bangers
Sunday	14th	October	Micro Bangers BBA English Championship

JUNIOR BANGERS

Please find your fixtures below. (Qualifying rounds & Championships to be added if required) <u>Junior Bangers</u>

Sunday	18th	March
Sunday	1st	April
Monday	7th	Мау
Thursday	31st	Мау
Saturday	23rd	June
Sunday	24th	June
Tuesday	24th	July
Tuesday	31st	July
Tuesday	14th	August
Sunday	30th	September
Sunday	21st	October
Sunday	18th	November

LADY BANGERS

Please note – Granada Steering wheels are not permitted in Lady Bangers, the steering wheel has to be original to the car

Lady Bangers			
Sunday	18th	March	
Sunday	15th	April	
Monday	7th	May	
Saturday	23rd	June	
Sunday	24th	June	
Thursday	31st	July	British Championship
Sunday	30th	September	
Sunday	4th	November	
Sunday	18th	November	Winternational

ROOKIE BANGERS

Driver's reps: Mark English 07759860075, Ben Baum 07790612154, Sean Saunders 07716547402

Please note – Granada Steering wheels are not permitted in Rookie Bangers, the steering wheel has to be original to the car.

Mk 5 Astra's are now allowed to be used in Rookie Bangers.

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Sunday	4th	March	GRQ
Sunday	1st	April	English Championship
Sunday	15th	April	
Sunday	6th	May	GRQ
Sunday	27th	May	Best IN Britain
Thursday	31st	May	GRQ
Saturday	23rd	June	UK Qualifier
Sunday	24th	June	UK Championship
Thursday	5th	July	GRQ
Sunday	22nd	July	GRQ / Carnival Day
Thursday	2nd	August	GRQ
Monday	27th	August	Gold Roof Championship
Thursday	30th	August	
Sunday	30th	September	GRQ 2019
Sunday	21st	October	Storr Family Memorial
Thursday	25th	October	GRQ 2019
Sunday	4th	November	Under 25's Championship
Sunday	18th	November	Winternational

Rookie Bangers

Rookie Bangers Gold Roof 2018

Point	ts up to & incl.	26/10/2017
No.	Name	Total
744	Brad Wright	83
939	Danny Nieuwenburg	76
886	Lewis Stark	63
395	Dave Goldsmith	55
363	Jordan Pesterfield	51
361	Chris Walden	48
85	Jamie Braime	47
323	Billy Storr	45
564	Shane Coupland	40
453	Ben Baum	39

1300 SALOONS

Drivers reps: Darren Munford 07734537123, Lee Veall 07581 267039, Ryan Young 07934224279

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Sk	4th	March	SK GRQ
Sk	1st	April	English Qualifier / NS
Sk	2nd	April	English Championship / NS
Sk	15th	April	
Bux	22nd	April	GRQ Both / NS
Sk	6th	May	
Bux	7th	May	BUX GRQ
Sk	27th	May	GRQ Both / NS
Bux	10th	June	BUX GRQ
Sk	23rd	June	UK Qual/NS/GRQ Both
Sk	24th	June	UK Championship/NS
Sk	5th	July	SK GRQ
Bux	7th	July	British Qualifier/NS/GRQ Both
Bux	8th	July	British Championship/NS
Sk	22nd	July	Gold Roof Championship / NS
Sk	7th	August	
Sk	21st	August	
Bux	26th	August	Euro Qualifier/NS
Bux	27th	August	European Championship/ NS
Bux	9th	September	BUX GRQ 2019
Sk	30th	September	Steve Newman Memorial
Bux	7th	October	NS Final
Sk	21st	October	Supreme Championship
Sk	4th	November	SK GRQ 2019
Sk	18th	November	Winternational
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1300 Saloons Skegness Drivers

Gold Roof Qualifying points 2018

<u>1300 Saloons Buxton Drivers</u> <u>Gold Roof Qualifying points 2018</u>

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Top 10 up to & including		05/11/2017	7 Top 10 up to & including		23/07/2017
No.	Name	Total	No.	Name	Total
218	Richard Smith	70	288	Gavin Charlesworth	30
251	Lewis Hall	50	125	Jack Marson	16
138	Joe Larder	49	55	Andy Carr	10
200	Ryan Young	46			
196	Craig Mitchell	45			
414	Mark Veall	36			
220	Kyle Young	34			
515	Lee Veall	33			
466	Alan Lakey	30			
374	Darren Munford	22			

GT HOT RODS

Drivers Reps: Trev Mason 0793373885, Frankie Dixon 07830018083, Richard Newberry 07970472004, Kevin Brocklesby 07795956102

Stoke 2018

After a lot of work behind the scenes at last we have a date added for GT Hot Rods to race at Stoke on 30th June at 4pm, it is important that there is a good turnout for this one off meeting, so the Stoke promoter will hopefully be happy for another date next year

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<u>GT HOT ROOS</u>			
Sunday	4th	March	GRQ/Brit Qual
Monday	2nd	April	Supreme / Brit Qual
Sunday	15th	April	Brit Qual
Sunday	6th	May	Wayne Bourn Memorial
Monday	7th	May	GRQ
Monday	28th	May	British Championship
Saturday	23rd	June	UK Qualifier
Sunday	24th	June	UK Championship
Saturday	30th	June	Stoke 4pm Start
Thursday	5th	July	
Thursday	26th	July	GRQ
Thursday	16th	August	GRQ
Sunday	26th	August	Buxton - English Qualifier
Monday	27th	August	Buxton - English Championship
Sunday	30th	September	GRQ
Sunday	21st	October	Gold Roof Championship
Sunday	18th	November	Winternational

GT Hot Rods

GT Hot Rods Gold Roof 2018

Top 1	LO up to & including	22/10/2017
No.	Name	Total
33	Brad Rouse	30
473	Colin Setchfield	28
520	Kevin Brocklesby	26
703	Mick Cooper	24
75	Luke Harrison	22
94	Max Jelfs	20
304	Trevor Mason	18
2	Addison Stanney	16
8	Matt Westwood	14
240	Todd Shales	12

MD HOT RODS

Driver Reps: John Faggetter 07939715265

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Sunday	4th	March	
Sunday	1st	April	GRQ
Sunday	15th	April	
Monday	7th	May	GRQ
Sunday	27th	May	GRQ
Saturday	23rd	June	UK Qualifier
Sunday	24th	June	UK Championship
Thursday	19th	July	GRQ
Thursday	14th	August	British Championship
Sunday	26th	August	Buxton - Eng Qualifier
Monday	27th	August	Buxton - English Championship
Sunday	30th	September	GRQ
Sunday	14th	October	Supreme Championship
Sunday	21st	October	Gold Roof Championship
Sunday	18th	November	Winternationals

MD Hot Rods

MD Hot Rods Gold Roof 2018

Top 1	LO up to and Including	22/10/2017
No.	Name	Total
1	Colin Gilbert	30
68	Steve Benfield	28
245	Graham Brooker	26
504	James Simpson	24
818	Martin Lightbown	22
214	John Faggetter	20
758	Kevin Heath	18
76	Daniel Wass	16
685	Dean Wilson	14
320	Calan Cooke	12

JUNIOR RODS

Driver parents reps: Julian Moat 01945 589573, Scott Taylor 07534343969 Barry Frankish 07849615071

• A parent or guardian must accompany a Junior Driver when they go to scrutineering, remember to take your safety gear with you.

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Sunday	15th	April	GRQ	
Sunday	6th	May	GRQ	
Monday	28th	May	British Championship	
Saturday	23rd	June	UK Qualifier	
Sunday	24th	June	UK Championship	
Thursday	5th	July	GRQ	
Thursday	19th	July		
Thursday	26th	July	GRQ	
Tuesday	7th	August	English Championship	
Sunday	30th	September	Supreme/GRQ	
Sunday	21st	October	Gold Roof Championship	
Sunday	18th	November	Winternational	

Junior Rods

Junior Rods Gold Roof 2018

Top 10 up to & including		22/10/2017
No.	Name	Total
20	Josh Machin	30
681	Callum Benfield	28
993	Ryan Nieuwenburg	26
555	Harry Gelsthorp	24
44	Tyler Borrill	22
144	Alfie Holstead	20
208	Kiara Frankish	18
673	Sam Moat	16
469	Emily Taylor	14
362	Katy Walden	12

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