



2012 - ProKart Series

INFORMATION

Introduction

Welcome to you the competitor and to your families, crew and sponsors to NZ's top shifter series. A series in this coming year that will mark twelve successful years of promotion. A series moulded by you the competitor, for the competitor which provides the challenge and competition that keeps you coming back year after year. However if you are new to the ProKart Series on behalf of Formula S KartSport welcome. And to all you seasoned campaigners prepared to take up the challenge for 2012, we will see you there.

Additional notes

Formula S KartSport will do its best to deliver the five Rounds to the stated formats however due to weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances, Formula S KartSport reserves the right to change the race distance at any Round if needed. All the Round dates have been approved by the host Clubs, however, should a situation arise outside our control, a Round date or venue may change. Should this occur all registered competitors will be notified in writing well in advance of the Round concerned.

Entry Forms and Host Club Details Requirements

Each Round of the 2012 ProKart Series will be conducted under the Series Supplementary Rules.

Entry details will be available on the Formula S KartSport website or from the Series promoters

All competitors must complete the Series Entry Form and Promotion Sheet and return with the Series Registration Fee to **PO BOX 4519 SHORTLAND ST AUCKLAND.**

The competitors will pay the host Club **\$80.00 per Round** (except Round 1 at CIK Trophy of NZ). The host Club will have its facility open for practice on the Friday and supply security for Saturday night. If council restrictions restrict Friday practice the nearest available day will be sufficient.

Pre-entry is not required.

Friday (and prior) Practice Fee will be payable to the host Club.

No charge for Saturday Practice prior to Qualifying.

No charge for Saturday night security.

Trophies

The Formula S KartSport will supply trophies as follows:

1st to 3rd for each class per round (Round trophies awarded to the top 3 finishers of the final).

1st to 3rd for each class for overall series.

Daily sponsor's prizes and giveaways will be drawn at each Round. All confirmed entries at each respective Round will be included in the draw. Competitors must be present at the Round prize giving to obtain their prize. No proxies.

Overall Series sponsors product will be drawn at the final Round for all those who confirmed entries at **all** rounds. Competitors must be present at the Series prize giving to obtain their prize. No proxies

Unacceptable Behaviour

The ProKart Series promoters will have a zero tolerance should any competitor or associated person bring this Series into disrepute.

Supplementary Rules - 2012 Pro Kart Series

KartSport New Zealand Series Permit Number : 1208SP

Series Promoters: Formula S Kartsport
 P O Box 4519 Shortland St
 Auckland

Series contacts Steve Brown 021-918 270
 Snow Mooney 021-721 328
Race Secretary Jeanette Smyth 09-818 6455

Series Status

The 2012 ProKart Series will be run as a Series of Group E events, sanctioned by KartSport New Zealand. The Rounds will be held at KartSport facilities in New Zealand.

The Regulations, Codes, Rules, Procedures and Specifications of KartSport New Zealand are in force as are any Supplementary Rules that the host Clubs may have pertaining to their Round plus these Series Supplementary Rules.

Classes

As per KartSport New Zealand Racing Rules & Technical Specifications

Classes & Licence Rating

KZ2

KF3

KZ2 MASTERS

A minimum of a C Sprint Rating is required except for Round 1 (Run in conjunction with the CIK Trophy of NZ where minimum of a B is required.)

The ProKart Series for 2012 will be running two Groups for KZ2

Group 1 - KZ2 as per rule E3.11

Group 2 - KZ2 Masters and KZ2 Novice

KZ2 Novice criteria is as follows :-

- Only applicable for the 2012 ProKart Series
- MAW of 186kg
- Only for new competitors to the sport over the age of 18, with a C rating only and until they achieve any one of the following:
 1. Maximum of 4 Rounds of the Series.
 2. Obtain a B rating.
 3. Place in the top three positions on two occasions (Round placings).

Note: KZ2 Novice competitors will grid up as per their qualifying position.

KZ2 Novice competitors will not be eligible for Series points.

KZ2 Masters Series points allocated as if these KZ2 Novice competitors were not competing.

Dates and Formats

The ProKart Series for 2012 will be contested over 5 Rounds at the following venues,

Round 1	Wellington (CIKT)	27 th – 28 th January
Round 2	Rotorua	25 th – 26 th February
Round 3	BOP	28 th - 29 th July
Round 4	Auckland	25 th – 26 th August
Round 5	Rotorua	6 th – 7 th October

Event Program

(Except for Round 1 where CIK Trophy of NZ Supplementary Rules and Timetable will apply.)

- SATURDAY**
- a minimum of 3 x 10 min practices.
 - 1 tuning run
 - 2 x 5 min qualifying sessions
 - At least 1 heat and heat two if time allows

- SUNDAY**
- 1 tuning run
 - Number of heats dependant on Saturdays timetable
 - Prefinal
 - Final

Round 1 Wellington:

As per CIK Trophy of New Zealand Rules.

Race Distances for BOP and Auckland:

Heats 12 laps, Pre finals 15 laps. Finals 20 laps except Group 1 25 laps.

Race Distances for Rotorua:

Heats 8 laps, Pre finals 12 laps, Finals 16 laps except Group 1 20 laps.

Technical Inspection

As per Kartsport New Zealand Rules, Procedures and Specifications

Points

Points for Heats, Pre Final, Final as follows

1st =1 2nd =2 3rd =3 4th =4 etc

DQ and DNS as per KartSport Rules

Series Points

At the conclusion of the technical inspection points will be awarded for each Series competitor as follows. If one or more competitors are tied on points for the day equal series points will be awarded to the competitors concerned.

The competitors with the lowest points for the Round will be 1st = 60, 2nd 57, 3rd 55, 4th 54, 5th 53, etc.

The fastest qualifier and the winners of the Final will receive a bonus point. In the event that the fastest qualifier is a new competitor at the 4th Round or 5th Round and has to start from the rear, pole position and the bonus point will go to the next fastest Series competitor that has competed at previous Rounds.

Each competitor will be awarded 50 Series points at each Round as long as they have been classified as a starter of one of the races or at the discretion of the Series promoter should unforeseen circumstances arise.

Maximum points for a Round = 112. The competitor with the most points at the conclusion of Round 5 will be the overall Series winner. **Note: all points count with no dropped races throughout the Series.**

Non attendance will result in 0 points

Disqualification will result in 50 series points only

Cancellation

After Qualifying but before the Pre Final only bonus points and Series entry points will be awarded.

After Pre Final but before the Final then points will be calculated as normal and the top three in the Pre Final will receive the three Round trophies respectively.

Ties

In the event of a points tie after the final Round the competitor with the most Round wins is the Series winner. If still equal then the competitor with the most race wins over the full Series is the Series winner. If still equal the competitor with the most 2nd , 3rd placings, etc is the Series winner.

Noise

As per Kartsport New Zealand Rules.

END OF SUPPLEMENTARY RULES

Registration Fee

All competitors in the 2012 ProKart Series must complete the Registration and Promotion Forms and send these with the Registration Fee to Formula S KartSport to secure an entry. Failure to fill out the Promotion Form will mean you will not be added to the Series database.

The 2012 ProKart Series Registration Fee is \$500.00 for all competitors. The Registration Fee is payable before the first Round. This Fee is to cover the cost of promotion and running the Series. The Registration Fee will decrease as the Series progresses. IE From:

Round 2 \$400.00

Round 3 \$300.00

Round 4 \$200.00

Round 5 \$100.00

To enhance the profile of the Series the promoters reserve the right to negotiate a single Round entry for international competitors.

Any competitor entering the Series at the 4th Round or later must grid up ROF for the Heats, but will take up their earned positions for the Pre Final and Final. This does not apply to international competitors.

Formula S KartSport will be responsible for providing Round and Series trophies.

Please contact the team at Formula S KartSport for any further information.

Attention :

Due to the strict licensing requirements now being enforced on our host Clubs, consuming alcohol is not prohibited unless purchased from the host Club's bar facility.

OFFICAL REGISTRATION FORM FOR THE 2012 Formula S KartSport ProKart Series

KartSport New Zealand Series Permit Number : 1208SP

This registration must be completed in full or registration may be invalidated.

This is to certify that I undersigned, submit this registration to be complete in the 2012 Formula S KartSport ProKart Series. I understand and accept submission of this registration form constitutes an agreement with the organisers to take part in the above series. I certify that the particulars supplied on this registration form are to be true and correct in every particular.

INDEMNIFICATION

I understand and accept as a condition of registration that the FIA-CIK, Motorsport New Zealand, Kartsport New Zealand, Formula S KartSport, the host clubs, district council or city councils, all sponsors and all other members, officials or assistants of any of the above named and or known organisations, of their respective servants, officials, representatives, or agents shall not be under any liability what so ever for any death or injury, loss or damage which may be sustained or incurred as a result of my participation in the race meeting or event, howsoever such death or body injury, loss or damage is caused not withstanding that such death, injury, loss or damage may have been contributed to or caused by the negligence of the inviting club or Kartsport New Zealand of any of their respective officials, Promoters, servants, representatives or agents or by any other person.

DECLARATION

I declare I have a current KartSport New Zealand Competition Licence with a rating applicable to the class entered. (Ratings will not be valid unless they have been dated 10 days prior to the start of the event.)

I declare I am conversant with and will abide by all current KartSport New Zealand rules, regulations, codes and specifications governing kart racing, and that I will abide by any supplementary rules which apply and the directions and rulings of the Chief Steward of the day without losing my right to protest or appeal.

I declare that I have no medical condition that may impede my ability to drive a kart in competition or practice.

I declare that my kart and driving apparel will comply with all current KartSport New Zealand Rules and Specifications throughout this event.

I declare that should I at the time of this event be suffering from any disability of any kind whether permanent or temporary which is likely to detrimentally affect my control of my kart or my fitness to drive, I will not participate.

I declare that I will not make use of drugs or of prohibited methods such as are defined by the Intoxicating Liquor and Drug regulations of KartSport New Zealand.

I declare that I give consent to the details contained on this entry form being held by KartSport New Zealand and/or the Organising Club for the purpose of the promotion and benefit of the event concerned, and KartSport in general. I acknowledge my right to access and correction of this information. This consent is given in accordance with the Privacy Act 1993.

Signature of Competitor: Date:

Minors, under 18, must have a parent's or legal guardian's signature approving conditions of entry and declaration. A parent or legal guardian signing on behalf of a minor must attend driver's briefing and be in attendance during the course of all competition and official practice and, should the competitor choose not to represent him/herself, be the only person to represent the competitor at any judicial hearing.

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian:

Print Name: Date:

Formula S ProKart Series PROMOTION SHEET AND ENTRY FORM

I have read all the Supplementary Rules and Information Sheets and understand them fully.

Signature of competitor: _____ Date: _____

Competitors Name: _____

Address: _____

Age: _____ Contact Number: _____

Kart No: _____ Licence Number: _____ Licence Rating: _____

Transponder Number: _____

Representing which Club: _____

Email Address: _____

I give permission for Formula S KartSport to use my email address for correspondence and my other contact details to be added to their data base.

(please circle) **Yes** **No**

Class entered: (please circle)

KZ2 Group 1

KZ2 Masters

KZ2 Novice Group 2

KF3

In addition to the above classes Formula S KartSport will recognise additional ProKart Series competitors as follows:

- Highest placed Series KZ2 Masters competitor over 50 years of age. (F40 Veterans Cup)
- Highest placed Series KZ2 Group1 competitor under the age of 18 (Presidents Cup).

Age as at 25-1-12.

Please circle if applicable:

Over 50 years

Under 18 years