



February & March Newsletter 2017

Welcome to the first newsletter of the 2017, we are looking forward to the coming racing season and meeting you all, it's going to be a learning curve for myself & Asha, our commitment is 100% and we have already started with improvements and alterations at Skegness Stadium, but despite all the rumours the racing and formulas all stay in place as before.

No, not going to shale

No, 1300 Saloons are not joining any other association.

No, we are not getting rid of MD Hot Rods

Yes, we are running all of the domestic formula just as in previous years.

Yes, all of the Championship events are the same as before

Yes, some of the formulas will have away days at other ORCi only tracks (Coventry permitting).

Yes, the grades all stay the same as last year, they are on the website or contact Bev for details

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.

Fixtures

All formula practice day is on Sunday 26th February 10-30am until 4pm, £30 for car & Drivers, everyone else £3-00, Please do your best to book in it makes it easier to plan. **Text Booking line 07798 868947, Ring the Office 01942 675836 or email enquiries4skegnessraceway@gmail.com**

If a Junior Driver requires a test then please book in for practice day as time is limited.

For those Drivers that have purchased their log books they will be at the Stadium ready for you to pick up.

If you have not got your 2017 application to us, bring it along on practice day or post to the office address as soon as possible. It saves so much time at the pit gate if you are all licensed.

Sunday 5th March 1pm and the first meeting of the 2017 season, featuring, 1300 Saloons, Rookie Bangers, GT Hot Rods, MD Hot Rods, Brisca F2. Please book in and it's equally important to cancel as well. **Text Booking line 07798 868947, Ring the Office 01942 675836 or email enquiries4skegnessraceway@gmail.com**

Contact details are;

Bookings for meetings and cancellations; Text 07798 868947

Or email to; enquiries4skegnessraceway@gmail.com

Or Tel 01942 675936



With effect from 5th March the levy has been increased to £2-00, this is all formulas & all Promotions.

Drivers are reminded that they cannot race at non ORCi circuits whilst they hold an ORCi Licence.

Driver Helmets

The ORCi have reviewed the current safety specification standards for driver helmets, and now issue the following additions/changes to existing ORCi rules for the 2017 season, effective immediately.

Adult Helmets (Drivers aged 16 and over)

- **Change** – Helmets certified to the **Snell SA 2005** specification will **continue** to be **accepted** for use during the 2017 season. This acceptance will be reviewed again at the end of the year, in line with other motorsport sanctioning bodies.
- **New** – Helmets certified to the following newer standards are permitted for use in all ORCi formulas. These are ADDITIONAL permitted standards to those currently allowed.
 - Snell EA2016 [For Elite Automotive sports]
 - FIA 8860-2010 [Updated version of 8860-2004]
 - FIA 8859-2015 [Premium Helmets]
 - SFI 31.1 [Updated/merged version of 31.1A and 31.2A]

Youth Helmets (Drivers aged 15 and under)

- **New** – Helmets certified to one or more of the following standards are permitted for use by youth drivers aged 15 and under. These are ADDITIONAL permitted standards to those currently allowed.
 - Snell CMR 2007
 - Snell CMS 2007
 - Snell CMR 2016
 - Snell CMS 2016
 - SFI 24.1

Bangers

Shawn Mason can be contacted on 07816469582 for all queries about Bangers, Rookie Bangers,

Funcoast 500 - We can confirm that the midweek holiday season 2L banger special, previously known as Crashattack, will be going ahead under its new name, the Funcoast 500. As the name suggests, this meeting will carry a prize fund of £500, plus additional start money for those drivers that book in. More details to follow.

Car specs are as before, with no Mondeos, Cougar and Vectras.

Van Bangers- As you can see below, the annual Van meeting has been moved to a peak summertime midweek, which will provide a big crowd of holiday makers? The vans have always provided some brilliant entertainment over the years, and we know this move will provide you with a much bigger stage, and the holiday makers will love the carnage the vans provide.

We understand that the midweek meetings aren't the easiest of meetings to attend, but we're sure that you will do your best to try and support this event. Details of prize funding to follow at a later date.

<u>Banger Fixtures 2017</u>			
Sunday	19 th March	1pm	Micro Bangers East Coast Championship (Lincs QF 1)
Sunday	11 th June	12.30pm	Bluebird Bangers
Thursday	27 th July	7-30pm	Micro Bangers (Lincs QF 2)
Tuesday	1 st Aug	7-30pm	2L Funcoast 500 (No Mondeos, Cougar & Vectras)
Tuesday	8 th Aug	7-30pm	Van Bangers (Large/Transit size vans, if unsure please check)
Sunday	27 th Aug	1pm	Unlimited Wreckfest & Micro Bangers (Lincs QF 3)
Sunday	15 th Oct	1pm	Micro Bangers Lincolnshire Championship

Lady Bangers

<u>Lady Rookies 2017 (non Honda mv)</u>			
Sunday	16 th April	1pm	
Monday	1 st May	1pm	
Saturday	17 th June	5pm	UK Qualifying
Sunday	18 th June	12noon	UK Championship
Thursday	27 th July	7-30pm	British Championship
Sunday	24 th Sept	1pm	
Sunday	22 nd Oct	1pm	
Sunday	19 th Nov	1pm	Winternationals

Rookie Bangers

Driver reps are Driver's reps: Mark English 07759860075, Shaun Coupland 07447448297

Rookie Bangers 2017 (non Honda mv) Fixtures			
Sunday	5 th March	1pm	Gold QR1
Sunday	16 th April	1pm	English Championship
Sunday	30 th April	1pm	Gold QR2
Sunday	28 th May	1pm	Best In Britain Championship
Thursday	1 st June	7-30pm	Gold QR3
Sunday	11 th June	12-30pm	Gold QR4
Saturday	17 th June	5pm	Uk Qualifying
Sunday	18 th June	12noon	UK Championship
Thursday	13 th July	7-30pm	Gold QR5
Sunday	23 rd July	1pm	Carnival Day/Gold QR6
Thursday	3 rd Aug	7-30pm	Final Gold QR
Monday	28 th Aug	1pm	Gold Roof Championship
Sunday	24 th Sept	1pm	Gold 2018 QR
Sunday	22 nd Oct	1pm	Storr Family Trophy
Thursday	26 th Oct	7-30pm	Gold 2018 QR
Sunday	5 th Nov	1pm	Under 25's Championship
Sunday	19 th Nov	1pm	Winternationals

Rookie Bangers Gold Roof 2017

Top 10 up to & including 28/08/2016

No.	Name	Total
221	Jordan Storr	95
564	Shane Coupland	66
323	Billy Storr	64
744	Brad Wright	61
1	Luke Nieuwenburg	55
333	James Cooke	54
306	Sean Green	50
189	Jordan Smith	49
911	Shaun Coupland	48
792	Steve Greenhalgh	43
949	Dave Coupland	43

1300 Saloon Stock Cars

Drivers reps Darren Munford 07734537123, Lee Veall 07841 974434 Richard Smith (111) 07879674756

Roof Pillars

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1300 Saloons Fixtures 2017				
Sunday	5 th March	1pm	Skegness	GRQ SK
Sunday	19 th March	12 noon	Buxton	GRQ Bux
Sunday	2 nd April	1pm	Buxton	Northern Championship, NS
Sunday	16 th April	1pm	Skegness	English Qualifying, NS
Monday	17 th April	1pm	Skegness	English Championship, NS
Sunday	30 th April	1pm	Skegness	GRQ SK
Monday	1 st May	1pm	Buxton	GRQ Bux
Sunday	14 th May	1pm	Barford	NS, GRQ Both
Sunday	28 th May	1pm	Skegness	
Monday	29 th May	1pm	Buxton	GRQ Bux
Sunday	11 th June	1pm	Buxton	NS
Saturday	17 th June	5pm	Skegness	UK Qualifying, NS, GRQ Both
Sunday	18 th June	12noon	Skegness	UK Championship, NS
Saturday	1 st July	5pm	Buxton	British Qualifying, NS, GRQ Both
Sunday	2 nd July	1pm	Buxton	British Championship, NS
Thursday	13 th July	7-30pm	Skegness	GRQ SK
Sunday	23 rd July	1pm	Skegness	Gold Roof Championship, NS
Sunday	30 th July	1pm	Buxton	Peaks Championship
Tuesday	8 th Aug	7-30pm	Skegness	
Thursday	17 th Aug	7-30pm	Skegness	
Sunday	27 th Aug	1pm	Buxton	European Qualifying, NS
Monday	28 th Aug	1pm	Buxton	European Championship, NS
Sunday	24 th Sept	1pm	Skegness	Steve Newman Memorial, NS
Sunday	1 st Oct	1pm	Buxton	GRQ Bux (2018)
Saturday	7 th Oct	6pm	Coventry	NS, GRQ Both (2018)
Sunday	22 nd Oct	7-30pm	Skegness	Supreme Championship, NS
Sunday	29 th Oct	12noon	Buxton	NS Final (Dble Points)
Sunday	5 th Nov	1pm	Skegness	GRQ SK (2018)
Sunday	19 th Nov	1pm	Skegness	Winternationals

1300 Saloons Skegness Drivers**Gold Roof Qualifying points 2017****up to & including****01/10/2016****1300 Saloons Buxton Drivers****Gold Roof Qualifying points 2017****up to & including****30/10/2016**

No	Name	Total	No.	Name	Total
196	Craig Mitchell	77	2	Matthew Hall	125
200	Ryan Young	68	83	Scott Mclay	85
455	Kye Barker	59	288	Gavin Charlesworth	78
111	Richard Smith	58	555	Amy Carr	63
127	Steve Macmillan	57	27	Chris Ratcliffe	47
472	Michael Timbrell	49	225	Steve Noon	21
220	Kyle Young	48	13	Jamie Heywood	18
414	Mark Veall	41	55	Andy Carr	8
516	Tom Phillips	38	271	Ian Yarwood	6
119	Scott Clark	35	45	Simon Lockett	5
803	Gordon Hezzell	32			
25	Stuart Hodson	30			
218	Richard Smith	30			
466	Alan Lakey	30			
145	Pete Slater	28			
702	Jordan Eagle	25			
251	Lewis Hall	23			
570	Jimmy Newson	22			
515	Lee Veall	17			
777	Roger Cooling	12			
110	Chris Lawie	11			
78	Stuart Aitkin	10			
240	Todd Shales	10			
264	Tom Parker	10			
374	Darren Munford	10			
528	Richard Topliss	10			
590	Chris Morley	10			
612	Stewart Macdonald	10			
621	Duncan Tetstall	10			
704	Matt Dawson	9			
51	Luke Johnson	5			
146	Lee Holmes	5			
320	Calan Cooke	5			

GT Hot Rod

Trev Mason 0793373885, Barry Disdel 07850283109, Frankie Dixon 07830018083,
Richard Newberry 07970472004,

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Car Weight

Weight - minimum weight to be 680kilos. A maximum inside weight of 53per cent - this is for all cars, new and old. The standard floor pan and bulkheads must remain in position intact as original.

GT Hot Rods Fixtures 2017			
Sunday	5 th March	1pm	Gold QR1/British QR1
Monday	17 th April	1pm	Supreme C'ship/ Gold QR2
Sunday	30 th April	1pm	Wayne Bourn Memorial
Monday	1 st May	1pm	British QR2
Saturday	13 th May	Stoke	British QR3
Monday	29 th May	1pm	British QR4
Sunday	11 th June	12.30pm	British Championship
Saturday	17 th June	5pm	UK Qualifying/Gold QR3
Sunday	18 th June	12noon	UK Championship
Saturday	22 nd July	Coventry	Gold QR4
Tuesday	1 st Aug	7-30pm	Gold QR5
Thursday	17 th Aug	7-30pm	Gold QR6
Sunday	27 th Aug	Buxton	English Qualifying
Monday	28 th Aug	Buxton	English Championship
Sunday	24 th Sept	1pm	Gold QR7
Sunday	22 nd Oct	1pm	Gold Roof Championship
Sunday	19 th Nov	1pm	Winternationals

GT Hot Rods Gold Roof 2017

Top 10 up to & including

23/10/2016

No.	Name	Total
1	Colin Setchfield	30
75	Luke Harrison	28
281	David Stones	26
33	Brad Rouse	24
369	Ryan Armstrong	22
89	Richard Newberry	20
155	Frankie Dixon	18
703	Mick Cooper	16
158	Darren Ince	14
275	Matty Roberts	12

MD Hot Rods

Driver Reps John Faggetter 07939715265, Steve Benfield 07852207403

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Swaffham

Just to clarify that there is NO affiliation with Swaffham and that if any Skegness registered driver races at this track, you will be subject to a BOC as per the ORCi rules.

Swaffham is NOT an ORCi track, and to race there breaks the rules of the ORCi. To race there the ORCi rules state you may do so in a different car than what you use at Skegness, but it cannot be the same car used at both tracks. If you do decide to take that route, please can you make sure both cars are painted differently to avoid all confusion.

MD Hot Rods - 2017 Fixtures			
Sunday	5 th March	1pm	Gold QR1
Sunday	16 th April	1pm	Gold QR2
Monday	1 st May	1pm	
Sunday	28 th May	1pm	Gold QR3
Saturday	17 th June	5pm	UK Qualifying/GoldQR4
Sunday	18 th June	12noon	UK Championship
Thursday	20 th July	7-30pm	Gold QR5
Tuesday	15 th Aug	7-30pm	British Championship
Sunday	27 th Aug	Buxton	English Qualifying
Monday	28 th Aug	Buxton	English Championship
Sunday	24 th Sept	1pm	Gold QR6
Sunday	15 th Oct	1pm	Supreme Championship
Sunday	22 nd Oct	1pm	Gold Roof Championship
Sunday	19 th Nov	1pm	Winternationals

MD Hot Rods Gold Roof 2017

Top 10 up to and Including 23/10/2016

No.	Name	Total
775	Colin Gilbert	30
68	Steve Benfield	28
214	John Faggetter	26
680	Becky Swinn	24
45	Graham Brooker	22
682	Jack Benfield	20
8	James Gurton	18
283	Brendan Daniels	16
504	James Simpson	14
468	Colin Coller	12

Junior Rods

Driver parents reps, Julian Moat 01945 589573, Steve Benfield 07852207403

Scott Taylor 07534343969

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

Remember a foot plate must be fitted as per the new rule. For anybody still in need of a footplate, please contact Driver parent Rep Steve Benfield, who has sourced a supplier for the correct specification footplate for around £20. We are hopeful some will be available on practice day with Mitch.

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Sunday	30 th April	1pm	Gold QR2
Monday	29 th May	1pm	British Championship
Saturday	17 th June	5pm	UK Qualifying/Gold QR3
Sunday	18 th June	12noon	UK Championship
Thursday	20 th July	7-30pm	
Tuesday	1 st Aug	7-30pm	Gold QR3
Tuesday	8 th Aug	7-30pm	English Championship
Thursday	31 st Aug	7-30pm	Gold QR4
Sunday	24 th Sept	1pm	Supreme C'ship/Gold QR5
Sunday	22 nd Oct	1pm	Gold Roof Championship
Sunday	19 th Nov	1pm	Winternationals

Junior Rods Gold Roof 2016

Top 10 up to & including

23/10/2016

No.	Name	Total
110	Sam Lawie	30
681	Callum Benfield	28
469	Emily Taylor	26
993	Ryan Nieuwenburg	24
673	Samuel Moat	22
744	Josh Holstead	20
361	Kayla Walden	18
151	Levi List	16
104	Thomas Johnson	14
20	Josh Machin	12

