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Jeff Reed receiving congratulations from Matty Aaron for being the overall winner of the Steven Aaron Memorial event for 2011.

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Next Club Meeting:

Wednesday 7th September at 8PM
Ryde-Eastwood Leagues Club
117 Ryedale Road
WEST RYDE

Practice Days for 2011

Eastern Creek

Saturday 13th August
Friday, 30th September
Friday, 21st October
Friday, 11th November

Cars/Bikes/L2S
Cars/Bikes/L2S
NSW Motor Race Championship
Competitors Only
Cars/Bikes/L2S

Wakefield Park

Too many to list
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Wakefield's website and look for "speed off the streets
days"
Wakefield Park Website www.wakefieldpark.com.au

President's Report

Hi all

It's August already. It seems only yesterday that we were starting the year. Truth be told it seems only a little of time ago that it was August last year and we were saying the home stretch to Christmas was approaching. Well it is again!



The Steve Aaron Memorial was a wonderful event at Wakefield. Freezing cold, light rain, it made for an interesting days racing. Many thanks to Matty Aaron for donating the prize money and trophies and a big congratulation to Jeff Reed on taking out the 2011 event.

Ian Mash gave a presentation to the members on Bathurst at the August monthly meeting. This is what we're trying to deliver to the CAMS track safety committee. The presentation was amazing. A big thank you to honorary members Doreen Butchers and Neil Turner for attending, also to Graeme Emerton for taking the time to attend as well. The efforts of these 3 people are amazing and we appreciate the time they give to us.

I've just received the entry forms for our State Title Round in October at Eastern Creek. You'll have them shortly. A quick look at the forms seems to show we'll be running on the FULL Eastern Creek circuit that we know. This could one of the last or now rare times that we race this configuration so I'd like to think that you all will be attending for a hit out. In saying that, doesn't the link between turn 4 and 9 look amazing in construction. It will be great to try the new layout as well.

I wonder how many of you have considered joining the ARDC on top of your club membership. I, along with a few others, have done this. It's fantastic value, \$160.00 your 1st year then \$120.00 yearly after that. I get a \$50.00 discount off entry fees that are State/ARDC run. Cheaper practice days. Free entry to ARDC events as well. 2011 with 2 passes I will save, \$100.00 in 2 state rounds. \$80.00 for 2 entries to World time attack. \$80.00 for 2 entries to the muscle car masters. \$10.00 for the all Ford day. This is not to mention anything else I may attend at the creek.

The exec is currently in the process of buying scales that we can use at Wakefield Park. We'll also be buying promotion material to hand out at the Telstra 500 display. Your money is hard at work to reinvest in the club for all our future. Your efforts over the last few years in supporting the club have allowed such exercises to take place.

We shall also be at Wakefield Park at a Drift meeting in late November. We'll be doing a display but the main focus is "entertain the crowd" between sessions. This is the same promoter for the Telstra 500 display so let's put on a show!

How good was the Australian Championships at Eastern Creek. Well done SKA, and well done to all participants on a great effort from around Australia. NSW is sitting a nice position after round 1. Warren McIlveen leading the 250 Twins, Dalton Rowell 2nd in the 250 Nationals, and Jeff Reed, Paul Campbell, Mehmet Sinani being 1, 2 and 3 in the 125 class.

Cheers All

Wayne

RACE RESULTS – STEVE AARON MEMORIAL WAKEFIELD PARK 10TH JULY 2011

WAKEFIELD PARK 10-07-2011 (5)			Total
Class code	Driver Number	Driver	Round Total
A	6	Paul Rose	1272
A	66	Paul Degan	870
A	49	Alex Soravia	250
B	62	John Pellicano	566
B	33	Matthew Wark	240
C	34	Jeffrey Reed	1428
C	90	Mark Vickers	1268
C	19	Goran Milenkovic	710
C	20	Paul Campbell	456
C	76	Stewart Matthews	456
C	52	Anthony Cristallo	161
E	111	Wayne Horswell	1136
E	26	Mark Robin	1006
E	57	Allan Parker	610
F	77	Alan Dodge	1108
F	64	Craig Woods	998
F	8	Graeme Taplin	879
F	79	Jeff Hanley	638
F	85	Anthony Dykstra	637



Vice President Report

Hello all

Would like to inform you all that i have taken over from Sam as VP as Sam's racing commitments were taking up a lot of his time and he felt it was unfair to the club not being able to give 100%.

Touching on a few things our fearless leader has spoken of is the telstra 500. I for one am interested in going to the meeting and doing a bit of promo work just to see the other side of the coin. I think with around 150,000 odd people to come through the gates, it should generate some interest in our top sport. Not only for that weekend but for the weekend before at Wakefield with the drifters as well. Never know might even see if I can swap someone a few laps in my rotax, so i can go sideways on the black top. As of late i have noticed that there has been slightly more members showing up to our monthly club meeting, and more members getting involved in the direction that they would like to see the club heading so well done to you all.

Need to say a huge well done to Ian Mash for the presentation he gave at the last club meeting. If you didnt get to see it make time to! it was brilliant the amount of very cool information in the presentation was mind blowing. I would have been happy for Ian to start the presentation again so i could pick up on more informtion that i missed the first time.

Well done to all the NSW drivers in the current Nationals series. NSW seems to be in a good position in all the classes especially the 125GB.

If anyone is interested in being up in the tower commentating (mainly Wakefield at the moment), please come and see me its always good to have different points of view going out across the loud speaaker for others to enjoy. Whether you have a machine for sale or you are the sponsor of the round i can always mention your name and number during commentary. And you get a good view of the track action too.

If anyone has anything they want to discuss come and see me or you can email/ring me anytime (within reason with the phone calls)

And yes Im hoping to have the twin going for October.....

See you on the flip side

Jay Cutting (Donkey Kong)



Reedy's Report

NSW 125 gearbox class representative

Nationals Report.....Round 1 - Eastern Creek

This year we had 17 superkarts turn up in the 125 gearbox class. Sadly missing was the young star of the class Steve Tamasi who this year decided to annoy the 250 international class. Steve ended up in 7th place overall with a haul of 34 points. Well done young fella.

The regular nationals boys were in attendance including ex national champ Brad Stebbing , Matt Bass, Rod Conn & Rob Xerri rounded out the Victorians. Queensland was well represented with Tim Philp, Drene Jamieson, Brien Wild & Steven Bell all making the trip South to the state of the cockroach (state of origin talk) lone South Australian Anthony Lappas & the local boys from N.S.W. (Paul Campbell, Anthony Cristallo & myself) rounded out the field. Bad luck for Sean Whitfield who could not make the journey from the A.C.T.

Included in the 125 gearbox class were four guys representing the Stock Honda Class, from Victoria Greg Bass, Queenslander Mike Wayne driving Stewy Matthews kart, Paul (PIL) Degan & gun stock Honda N.S.W. pacesetter Mark Vickers.

QUALIFYING....

1- Tim Philp	1:39.35
2- Brad Stebbing.....	1:39.58
3-Jeff Reed.....	1:40.29
4-Rob Xerri.....	1:40.73
5-Matt Bass.....	1:41.14
6-Anthony Cristallo.....	1:42.03

RACE 1

The twins got out of the dummy grid and rapidly made their way around the circuit . The rest of us slowly filtered out and by the time we made our way on to the straight the race was apparently already underway! Exiting turn three we had a number of twin and national drivers with their hands raised. Thinking that these guys had seen a red flag or something I got off the gas only to be swamped by several karts. The next couple of laps Mehmet and I cruised around in the greasy conditions until eventually I found some grip in the corners. At this point I made my way back through several 250s and pressed on in search of my competition. Tim Philips had done a runner and took out the first race by 11 seconds. I salvaged 2nd place followed by Paul Campbell a further 8 seconds back. Fourth place went to Mehmet with Rod Conn 5th then came Rob Xerri, Anthony Cristallo and Drene Jamieson.

First of the stock Hondas was Mark Vickers followed by Paul Degan, Tony Lappas separated the next two stock Hondas of Greg Bass and Mike Wayne. Brad Stebbing trailed the field with obvious problems.

RACE 2

The track after having F3 and sports sedans had gained some grip and the lap times started to fall. I got a much better start and ended up with a win and a best lap time of 1:38.77. Paul Campbell took second with Queenslander Drene Jamieson in 3rd place.

1.....Jeff Reed
2.....Paul Campbell
3.....Drene Jamieson
4.....Rod Conn
5.....Mehmet Sinani

Stock Honda

1.....Paul Degan
2.....Greg Bass
3.....Mike Wayne
4.....Mark Vickers (DNF)

RACE 3

Brad Stebbing put his earlier problems behind him and took a well deserved win followed by Reedy who had a huge race long chase on Anthony Lappas who had found some speed . I managed to get past Lappas and came in a couple of seconds behind Brad followed by Paul Campbell and Anthony Lappas.

- 1.....Brad Stebbing
- 2.....Jeff Reed
- 3.....Paul Campbell
- 4....Anthony Lappas
- 5...Mehmet Sinani

Stock Honda

- 1.....Mark Vickers
- 2.....Mike Wayne
- 3.....Paul Degan
- 4.....Greg Bass

RACE 4

For some reason the last race was shortened from 10 to 7 laps. Again Brad Stebbing got away well and I chased hard until the 5th lap where I found myself centimetres from his rear crash bar going down the straight. At this point Brads engine decided to eject his carby, so Reedy went exit left and led to the finish to amass another 25 points. Paul Campbell Raced hard in second place to finish a mere 0.5 of a second behind me with Lappas a further 16 seconds behind in 3rd place.

- 1.....Jeff Reed
- 2.....Paul Campbell
- 3.....Anthony Lappas
- 4.....Rod Conn
- 5.....Mehmet Sinani

Stock Honda

- 1.....Mike Wayne
- 2.....Mark Vickers
- 3.....Paul Degan
- 4.....Greg Bass

OVERALL POINTS FOR ROUND 1 (EASTERN CREEK)

- | | |
|---------------------------|----|
| 1.....JEFF REED..... | 79 |
| 2.....PAUL CAMPBELL..... | 69 |
| 3.....MEHMET SINANI..... | 50 |
| 4.....ROD CONN..... | 49 |
| 5.....ANTHONY LAPPAS..... | 46 |
| 6.....TIMOTHY PHILP..... | 40 |

Stock Honda

- | |
|--------------------|
| 1.....PAUL DEGAN |
| 2.....MIKE WAYNE |
| 3.....MARK VICKERS |
| 4.....GREG BASS |

Also well done to Warren in the twin class and Dalton in the nationalsgreat effort boys.....BRING ON PHILLIP ISLAND!



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SKA Report

Dear Members,

The first round of the Australian Superkart Championship was held at Eastern Creek on the 14/17 of July. 52 Superkarts made the grid and it was a sight to see to watch the largest field seen in years fly from the start. I was impressed with the quality of the driving and the Superkarts on show. My task was to make our category look professional, and I have to say over the four days, we did just that. There are always challenges over this type of meeting but to my delight, they were small and all the of entrants did a wonderful job getting settled and showing Shannons what Superkarting is all about. Making my job very easy.



Eyebrows were raised when the track record fell to 1:27.6794 by Queenslander Russell Jamieson sending a clear message that the weekend was going to be a battle of mind and machine. In the 250 Inter class there were different winners till the last heat. Darren Hossack, Russell Jamieson, Yaini Harpas, Darren Hossack. The National 250cc class was dominated by Luke May with a 4 heat clean sweep. The 125cc class had Timothy Philp, Jeff Reed, Brad Stebbing and Jeff Reed once more taking line honours.

The final placing for the weekend stand,

250cc Inter Warren McIlveen
Darren Hossack
Anton Stevens

250cc Nat Luke May
Dalton Rowell
Martin Latta

125cc Jeff Reid
Paul Campbell
Mehmet Sinani

Congratulations to our NSW competitors who took all places in the 125cc class, Mehmet sneaking in by one point and 2nd in the 250cc Nat class.

Thank you to all NSW club members who supported the Eastern Creek event. If round one is anything to go by, round two at Phillip Island will be amazing. SKA is expecting over 55 Superkarts again, with some Victorian locals coming out for the weekend. Pushing the grid close to 60.

There will be a Chairman's dinner on the Saturday night. Last year was a sell out and this year the venue seats 200 people. It will be a sit down 3 course dinner. Dress casual. We expect again to go close to selling out due to the laid back nature of the night and the recognition of the hall of famers 2011 to be announced. There will be a few surprises this year. Giveaways on the night, guest speakers from Shannons and stories flying around the tables make a great National experience. Interest in the annual dinner will be sent out shortly.

Stay tuned for entry updates and information on the Phillip Island event on November 5/7. This finish will be the best finale seen in a long time.

See you there.
Clint Brown.
Chairman.
Superkarts Australia.

Shannons Nationals Motor Racing Championship 2011
EASTERN CREEK INTERNATIONAL RACEWAY
2011 Australian Superkart Championship
MEETING CLASS POINTS REPORT

International

1	18	"Stockman S'karts, Macs Marine	Warren McIlveen (NSW)	Stockman MR2	13	17	15	20	65
2	1	Safe Evolutions	Darren Hossack (VIC)	Anderson	20	0	17	25	62
3	8	www.artmotorsport.com.au	Anton Stevens (VIC)	PVP	0	13	13	22	48
4	29		Yiani Harpas (SA)	ZIP Eagle 11	8	15	20	0	43
5	54	Martellco Equipent Hire	Brett Purdie (SA)	PVP	9	7	10	16	42
6	35	Coach Design	Russell Jamieson (QLD)	Anderson Maverick	17	20	0	0	37
7	99	Stockman S'karts/Domain Homes	Steven Tamasi (VIC)	Stockman MR2	11	0	9	14	34
8	25	Smash Solutions Racing	Vince Livaditis (QLD)	PVP 251	10	11	0	13	34
9	30	Fuji Xerox	Jason Smith (QLD)	Anderson Maverick	5	10	0	18	33
10	74	Buildersmile Constructions	Carlo Chemaz (QLD)	SKE 11	6	8	0	15	29
11	40	Top Torque Engines	Stephen Castles (VIC)	Stockman MR2	4	5	7	12	28
12	9	Stockman Karts	Sam Zavaglia (NSW)	Stockman MR2	15	2	11	0	28
13	21		Robert Oakley (SA)	Stockman MR2	1	6	8	11	26
14	33	Suburban Acc'ing & Tax'n Serv	Kristian Stebbing (VIC)	Stockman MR2	7	9	5	0	21
15	5	Maddern Oil Pty Ltd	Charles Maddern (SA)	PVP	0	3	6	10	19
16	64	"AdelaideTimberSupplies,Homeso	Shannon Novaski (SA)	PVP	1	1	4	9	15
17	96	Denture Professionals	Mark Hanson (WA)	Zip Eagle	1	0	3	7	11
18	45		Aaron Lawson (SA)	PVP	0	0	2	8	10
19	16	Zip BDH	Todd Johnson (SA)	Zip Eagle 11 BRC	1	1	1	6	9
20	4	Rocket Race Engines	Rod Prickett (VIC)	Rocket GPI	3	4	0	0	7
21	38	"Stockman S'karts,QANTAS Couri	Alex Soravia (NSW)	Stockman MR2	2	0	0	0	2
22	10	"Dunlop Kartsport, BRC Engines	Gary Pegoraro (VIC)	Anderson Maverick	0	0	0	0	0
23	15	Lofty Coaches	Dean McGinty (SA)	PVP	0	0	0	0	0
24	49	Ciscos Race Tuning	Steven Haywood (VIC)	Anderson CRTMirage	0	0	0	0	0

National

1	67	STR Truck Bodies/Dunlop Kart't	Luke May (VIC)	Anderson Maverick	20	20	20	25	85
2	43	"DLR Racing, Stockman S'karts"	Dalton Rowell (NSW)	Stockman MR2	17	17	17	20	71
3	6	Viper Racing UK/MJR Bricklayin	Martin Latta (VIC)	Anderson Maverick	15	15	15	22	67
4	48	STR Truck Bodies	Matthew Palmer (VIC)	Anderson Maverick	11	11	11	16	49
5	41	Soma Building Serv/Wizzer Engi	Brendan Luneman (VIC)	Anderson Maverick	0	13	13	18	44
6	62	Giova Racing	John Pellicano (NSW)	Avoig Elise	13	10	10	0	33
7	82	Betta Calibrations	Brett Campbell (VIC)	Anderson Maverick	0	9	9	14	32
8	17	"Raceteck,Sugarless Conf. Co."	Phil Webb (QLD)	PFP Raider	0	8	8	0	16
9	68	G R Industries	Frank Giglio (NSW)	Stockman MR2	0	0	0	15	15
10	71		Barry Kunowski (QLD)	Formula 1 F2	0	0	7	0	7

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1	34	Stockman Superkarts	Jeff Reed (NSW)	Stockman MR2	17	20	17	25	79
2	22	Redback Racepaint (ACT)	Paul Campbell (ACT)	Avoig Elise	15	17	15	22	69
3	69		Mehmet Sinani (NSW)	Benson	13	11	11	15	50
4	47	Arconn Refrigeration	Rod Conn (VIC)	Stockman MR2	11	13	9	16	49
5	7	Romeo's Foodland IGA	Anthony Lappas (SA)	Stockman MR2	5	10	13	18	46
6	23	Floth Sustainable Building Con	Timothy Philp (QLD)	Avoig Elise	20	0	0	20	40
7	32	Linra Property Group	Drene Jamieson (QLD)	Stockman MR2	8	15	0	14	37
8	72	Labour Options	Paul Degan (NSW)	BRM	6	8	5	8	27
9	76	Labour Options	Mike Wayne (SA)	Arrow X1	3	6	7	10	26
10	77	Suburban Acc'ing & Tax'n Servi	Brad Stebbing (VIC)	Stockman MR2	0	5	20	0	25
11	90	PERSAS	Mark Vickers (NSW)	Arrow X1	7	0	8	9	24
12	14	Top Torque Engines	Matt Bass (VIC)	Stockman MR2	0	9	0	13	22
13	19	Top Torque	Greg Bass (VIC)	GOLD Viper	4	7	4	7	22
14	50	"Iguana Signs&Concepts, N&G Mo	Brian Wild (QLD)	Stockman MR2	0	0	10	11	21
15	52	"JICG Construcion, B&K Cons"	Anthony Cristallo (NSW)	Avoig Elise	9	0	6	0	15
16	75	Linra Property Group	Stewart Bell (QLD)	Stockman MR2	0	0	0	12	12
17	46	Bakker Superkarts	Robert Kerri (VIC)	Bakker 01	10	0	0	0	10
18	87	Wild Digital / Giova Racing	Sean Whitfield (ACT)	Avoig Elise	0	0	0	0	0

CRAIG WOODS

Knick name: Woodsy

Age: 27

Class/es you race: Rotax Max Heavy

Occupation: Sparky

Family members who might be seen at the track: Clare White (partner)

What got you started in Superkarts? Came up from sprints

When did you start? Beginning of 2011

Have you raced anything before? Tag restricted and Sportsman 125

What do you do to relax when you're not racing? Watching NRL, V8's and motorsports on foxtel



Favourite food: Steak

Favourite drink: Extra Dry

Favourite movie: Friday

Favourite music: Rock and RMB

5 people you'd invite to dinner: Mark Webber, Clare White, Marcos Ambrose, Petro Covicinecuq, Greg Alexander

Cooking specialty: BBQ

Any tips for a newcomer: Dont give them an inch

Anyone you'd like to thank: the Girlfriend

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2011 Calendar

Round 1	Sunday, January 30	Wakefield Park	AASA
Round 2	Sat/Sun, March 19/20	Eastern Creek	CAMS (State Title 1)
Round 3	Sunday, April 10	Wakefield Park	AASA
	Fri/Sat, April 22/23	FoSC Easter@The Creek	CAMS
	Note: This is not a championship round.		
Round 4	Sunday, June 26	Wakefield Park	AASA
Round 5	Sunday, July 10	Wakefield Park Wakefield 300/Steve Aaron Memorial	AASA
Round 6	Sat/Sun, October 22/23	Eastern Creek	CAMS (State Title 2)
Round 7	Sunday, October 30	Wakefield Park	AASA
Round 8	Sunday, November 20	Wakefield Park	CAMS (State Title 3)

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