Go Karting - COMPETITOR NOTES

It is compulsory for all entrants in this event and their supporters to read this notice and comply with its stipulations. They are also responsible for familiarising themselves with the Event Location, Rules and all its hazards. Please inform your supporters of their responsibility to comply.

Signing your waiver or completing your online entry is an indication you agree to comply with these guidelines.

COMPETITOR PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY

- You are responsible for your own health and safety during the event.
- You should only undertake to participate in this event if you believe that you are fit to do so.
- At no stage during this event should you engage in activity that would threaten your own safety and the safety of other people.
- You should obey marshals and Event Staff where they are instructing you for your safety.
- Marshals are giving up their time to help you, please treat them with respect. If you have any issues with a marshal's conduct, please do not approach them independently – please refer to the Event Manager.
- Whilst every effort is made to make sure the track is marked accurately, and marshals are available at key points it is your responsibility to know the track prior to starting your race.
- The course will be marshalled, but the ultimate responsibility is with you to drive safely and be aware of other drivers.

GAMES REGISTRATION

All participants are required to check in at the Registration Desk at the Games Hub (Rotorua Energy Events Centre) in person before playing sports or taking part in an activity.

For safety and security, we cannot accept someone checking you in on your behalf. This includes Teams. Each Team Member is required to check in individually at the Games Registration.

VENUE

The venue for the Go Karting will be at Off Road NZ, 193 Amoore Road, RD2, Rotorua (Karting Track)

COURSE MAP



PARKING

Parking is provided at the venue.

APES Games Competitors, Supporters and Spectators are to park in the Off Road NZ car park.



EVENT CHECK-IN

Event Check-in for the Go Karting will be at the following time / location:

Tuesday 7th March 2023 from 09:30am at Off Road NZ, 193 Amoore Road, RD2, Rotorua (Karting Track)

COMPETITION RULES

Description: This Go Karting takes place on Off Road NZ, 193 Amoore Road, RD2, Rotorua (Karting Track)

The racing takes place on the Rotorua International KartSport Raceway. This is a 1.2km long, 8 metres wide, 150m straight Karting Track. There are 11 corners and 6 hairpins.

You will be racing in Sodi 390cc 4 stroke karts imported from France reaching speeds close to 100km/hour.

Race Details:

The Go Kart racing will be as follows:

- Approximately 15 competitors in each 10-minute qualifying session.
- Once qualifying is completed competitors will be sorted into Finals Groups. These groups will be based on your best individual lap time during the qualifying.
- The first Final will be the slowest qualifiers with subsequent finals moving up to the Fastest qualifiers.

Equipment:

Off Road NZ will supply the following equipment:

Go Karts

- Helmets
- Safety Clothing (Gloves, Balaclava, Race suit (Wet & dry weather race suits)

Competitors are required to wear COVERED FOOTWEAR and must be 1.4metres tall.

No drugs or alcohol are to be consumed before or during the racing.

SCHEDULE

Tuesday	7 th March 2023	
09:30am	Registration	
10:00am	Participant Briefing	
10:00am	Go Kart Racing – Qualifying Starts	
12:00pm	Race Heats & Finals	
14:00	Event Finish	
approx.		

Timings will run as close to those published but may be subject to change depending on the weather and any race incidents. Please listen for announcements on the day of the event.

MEDICAL PROVISION

First Aid Medical services will be present at the event provided by Off Road NZ.

SPECTATORS

Spectators are welcome to attend the Go Karting. The Go Karting is on a closed Go Karting Circuit which provides plenty of opportunity for spectators. Spectators are encouraged to watch the event from the designated spectator areas.

Here are some pointers to help spectators stay safe while watching the event:

- Be responsible and keep your own safety in mind.
- Always follow and obey marshal's instructions.
- Observe and follow all event signs.
- Stay within designated spectator areas.
- Do not enter any restricted areas. If you are unsure, please ask a marshal.
- Keep off the Go Karting Circuit and always pay attention.
- Children to be accompanied at all times.

If spectators wish to have a go at the Karting this can be arranged after the event with Off Road NZ (normal price rates apply). There is a minimum age of 14 for karting.

PRIZE GIVING

Prize Giving will take place at the Games Hub, Rotorua Energy Events Centre between 5pm – 7pm on Tuesday 7th March 2023. Full details of the medal ceremony will be provided once Games Registration closes on 10th February 2023.

KEY CONTACTS / INFORMATION

Name	Role/Organisation	Contact Number
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Graham Perks	APES Games Sports Manager	021 191 3660

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Competitors will be able to complete additional Races (outside of the APES Games competition) by paying-as-you-go at the event with Off Road NZ.

Food / Drink will be available to purchase at the venue, but this is limited. Competitors and spectators should bring any refreshments they require whilst participating in the Go Karting event.