

Welcome to edition 212 of Speedway Australia's Speed eNews.

NOMINATE NOW!!



Reminder nominations are now open for the **2022 Australian Speedway Awards**. The categories are below. Don't leave it until the last minute! Get your nominations in now!

AWARD NOMINATIONS OPEN NOW

Nominations are now open for the 2022 Australian Speedway Awards and Hall of Fame Ceremony, to be held at the Melbourne Showgrounds on July 2.

We encourage you all to make sure the personalities of past and present who you believe deserve the recognition are nominated.

Award categories are:

- Track of the Year
- Most Improved Track of the Year
- Official/Volunteer of the Year
- Photographer of the Year
- Promotional item of the Year
- Innovation of the Year
- Competitor of the Year – Sedan, Open Wheel, Modified, Karting, Youth (5 awards)
- Sportsperson of the Year

Also on the night will be inductions into the Australian Speedway Hall of Fame. Nominations are now open for those members of the speedway community who have excelled over a longer period to be considered for recognition. Competitors and non-competitors from both car and motorcycle speedway are eligible for inclusion in this select group of individuals.

Nominations close 5pm Monday May 2 so be sure to get yours in quick. You can nominate for both the Australian Speedway Awards & Speedway Hall of Fame by clicking [here](#).

EXPRESS YOUR INTEREST!



The Speedway Australia Industry Expo is back for 2022!

Off the success of our first industry expo, Speedway Australia is proud to be bringing the Speedway Australia Expo back in 2022.

Coinciding with our Night of Champions awards night. It will be held at The Melbourne Showgrounds on July 2.

Why not make a weekend of it!

The expo is designed for showcasing our sport, our people, our products, our equipment and our culture.

If you are a Vendor of any capacity to the sport, we want to hear from you!

Give us a call and express your interest in applying for a site.

We have already had so many business's call us and express their interest, it will be a first in best dressed scenario. So be quick, sites are limited!

The expo is not just for vendors.. It covers every aspect of the sport, there will also be displays and representatives from all National Divisions and Gallagher Insurance who will be ready to chat and answer all questions. We are really excited for this years expo and look forward to seeing you there.

REMINDER

Just a reminder to track operators and competitors that are attending venues with low phone reception. **Don't screenshot your digital license!** When in good phone coverage areas open the app, open the digital license then minimise the app. Don't close the app. This way when you need to present you digital license you can re-open the app and it will automatically show the digital card. Track operators; if your venue is one that has issues with low coverage, promote visitors to follow this process to avoid frustration for competitors/attendees and your back gate staff.



NOW HIRING



WE'RE LOOKING FOR ANOTHER TEAM MEMBER TO "SLIDE" INTO ONE OF OUR ROLES!

Speedway Australia is on the lookout for a new Sport Development Officer to service the NSW area. We're looking for someone who's passionate about motorsport, driven by advancement, and possesses the skills and desire to work with a great team to take our sport to the next level!

Our Sport Development Officers work hard but have a lot of fun on the journey of advancing Speedway in Australia. Some of these tasks include:

- Co-ordinating Speedway Australia's public relations and corporate relations
- Assisting with the operational strengthening of Speedway Australia's affiliated clubs and divisions, both national and state based
- Working with a portfolio of Speedway Australia tracks to assist them with funding activities and other initiatives that strengthen their capabilities as venue operators
- Co-ordinating Speedway Australia's national officials training programme and be an advocate for officials within the organisation
- Nurturing programs to support youth engagement and retention within the sport
- Planning and delivering the annual Australian Speedway Expo and Speedway Awards
- Producing weekly and quarterly stakeholder newsletters
- Managing Speedway Australia's Social Media Misconduct process
- Representing Speedway Australia at various stakeholder events
- Undertaking track inspections in consultation with the Track & Safety Officer
- Devoting time to developing and nurturing new ideas within the sport
- Assisting with implementing and monitoring Speedway Australia's Strategic Plan
- Other duties in consultation with the General Manager

If you think you have the skills, passion, and experience to make a difference, please get in touch with Speedway Australia's General Manager Darren Tindal today.

A full copy of the job description is available on request, and it's preferable that resumes and letters of application are sent in .pdf format, with a 5mb size limit.

Email: darren@speedwayaustralia.net.au

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WORKSHOP WEDNESDAY IS BACK IN MAY!



Our Workshop Wednesdays in March were extremely popular and had great feedback... Make sure you join us for these sessions throughout May!

MAY 1 - 7PM EST "How to secure GRANTS FUNDNG for your club or Venue" featuring "The Grants Guy" Keith Whelan.

Speedway ticks all of the boxes of community impact that government and corporate grants officers are looking for, and renown Grants expert "The Grants Guy" will show us how to apply and get results in a special 2 hour session.

REGISTER HERE: <https://forms.gle/pZjNaqssDVAAQmb26>

MAY 11 - 7:30PM EST - "SPONSORSHIP PART 2 - How to KEEP A SPONSOR."

Part 1 in March was awesome, so our super team of Laurie Erhart, Sharon McHugh and Kellie Atkins return this time with added guest, Libby Ellis.

REGISTER HERE: <https://forms.gle/cLTyVoJYLyzfAyUZ>

MAY 18 - 7:30PM EST - "DESIGNING A GREAT CAR LIVERY"

The presentation of our sport is vitally important, so we're bringing in some experts to help teams with some of the do's and don'ts of getting the best looking racecar!

EB Graphics' Emma Beare, Williams Graphix' Liam Williams will be hosted by Nev Ross.

REGISTER HERE: <https://forms.gle/hcgJJsdLhDzQWBq89>

MAY 25 - 7:30PM EST - "PRESENTING TO CAMERA"

Especially designed for racers and track operators looking to improve their social media video posts, Supercars' own Briony Ingerson and Chad Neylon return to give some tips on how to get your message across confidently!

REGISTER HERE: <https://forms.gle/Yh4Y5zhySMiM9L566>



AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS CONTINUE...



This weekend we head to Archerfield Speedway in Queensland for the SCCA Australian Sprintcar Championship. We wish everyone involved all the best.

- SCCA Australian **Sprintcar** Championship – Archerfield Speedway – April 30th – May 1st, 2022
- **Modlite** Australian Title - Broome Speedway - May 27-28, 2022
- SSA National **Street Stock** Title – Hi-Tec Oils Toowoomba Speedway – June 10-12, 2022
- Australian **Late Model** Championship: Postponed To 2023

Premier Speedway
Where History Happens!

WE ARE HIRING

GENERAL MANAGER

Premier Speedway is looking for a full time General Manager to oversee the day to day running of the club and venue. To Obtain a comprehensive position description and application please email the club:

office@premierspeedway.com.au

APPLICATIONS CLOSE ON
THURSDAY 12th MAY, 2022

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