

Welcome to the 49th edition of Speedway Australia's Speed eNews, your weekly update on the sport, tips and points to remember. It is our intention to continue this weekly form of communication and we look forward to providing you this support in the weeks to come. Just a quick reminder that if any of the information in here needs to find its way to social media, we will do so via our Speedway Australia channels only.

With the suspension list attached to the document, this is not information every licence holder or club member should be receiving. However, please make sure that if you are the contact receiving this information for your organisation that you pass the information on to the rest of your committee to make sure your team can also be kept aware. Feel free to get in touch if you have any questions or require a copy of one of the previous editions.

WEST AUSTRALIAN FORUM

Western Australia has been a major point of focus for Speedway Australia in the past few weeks, with many track visits preceding our Open Forums, beginning next Monday.

The Open Forum on Monday 25 February will be an opportunity for speedway stakeholders to come along and meet both the Speedway Australia Board, and insurance specialist Mark Holmes from Marsh Advantage. The Forum will be held at 7pm at the Crown Casino/Burswood on Swan complex.



We encourage all Venue operators, divisional bodies, competitors, crew and other stakeholders to attend.

A second Forum will be held at Geraldton Speedway, 7pm the following evening. General Manager Tim Savell and Sport Development Officer Ross Kirby available to answer any queries.

If you have any queries regarding the above, please get in touch with Ross Kirby (Perth Office) as soon as possible.

CHILDREN IN THE PITS

Whilst attending various events in the past week, staff have noticed an alarming number of children walking around the pits, both underage and unlicensed.

Clubs and Tracks are reminded children ages 12-15 and up MUST be in possession of either a Junior Competition Licence, or Junior Crew member licence. Should a child be between the ages of 5-11 and possess a Junior Competition licence, they are only allowed in the pits if they are competing at that event.



Parents need to be reminded that children under the age of 5, particularly babies are not permitted in the Pit Area, regardless of them being under adult supervision.

18.1.11. Children under the age of 16 years are not permitted in the Pits

The exceptions are: a) Children aged 12 to 15 years who possess a Speedway Australia Licence and/or Personal Accident Insurance; and b) Children aged 5-11 years who possess a Speedway Australia licence and/or Personal Accident insurance and are actively competing in the race meeting

Some venues have a variation of this ruling, so clubs are urged to check with the track operator in regard to their particular venues' regulations.

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