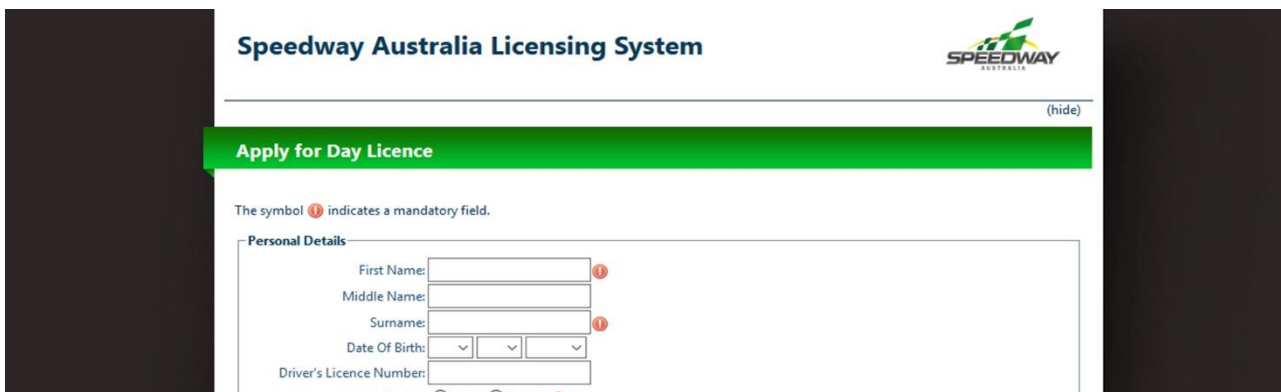


Welcome to the second edition of Speedway Australia's Speed eNews, a newsletter being distributed to tracks, divisions and clubs on a weekly basis.

As mentioned last week, this is a part of our strategy to improve communication and the flow of information throughout the sport, and is in addition to the quarterly newsletters that are sent to all licence holders. Just a reminder that in general, the contents of this email will be more administrative, so we don't expect to see this appear on club or track Facebook pages. If something in this newsletter needs to enter the public arena, we'll get it out there through our social streams.

Generally, if one track or division are asking a question then others out there will be wondering the same thing. So if you have any suggestions or comments about the topics within the newsletter, please get in touch.

## DAY LICENCE REFUND POLICY



The screenshot shows the 'Speedway Australia Licensing System' interface. At the top right is the Speedway Australia logo and a '(hide)' link. Below this is a green bar with the text 'Apply for Day Licence'. A note states: 'The symbol ⓘ indicates a mandatory field.' The 'Personal Details' section contains the following fields: 'First Name:' (with a mandatory field icon ⓘ), 'Middle Name:', 'Surname:' (with a mandatory field icon ⓘ), 'Date Of Birth:' (with three dropdown menus), and 'Driver's Licence Number:'.

Although the refund and transfer policy is clearly noted in every Day Licence email, we still get many enquires. Hopefully this below will explain why the policy is in place.

Once a race meeting has commenced and the licence holder has signed in under the Day Licence and entered the red zone of a venue, regardless of if they get to race or not the licence is activated and covers them for any accidents.

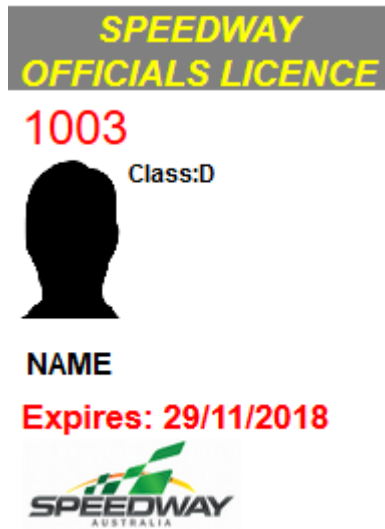
This is no different to if you purchase a ticket to an event like a concert. If the licence holder finds they can no longer attend they are not entitled to a refund or transfer.

### EXCERPT FROM THE DAY LICENCE EMAIL

\*\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\*\*

Only under circumstances where the race meeting is cancelled prior to commencing will you be entitled to a refund or transfer of your Day Licence. If the event is cancelled and you would like your Day Licence transferred you must reply to this email giving at least 5 business days notice for the transfer to be made.

## STEWARD AND SCRUTINEER CHECKS



We are finding many venues and divisions are allowing standard officials to Steward or Scrutineer. All Steward and Scrutineers must hold a licence, but they also need to obtain a Steward or Scrutineer Card. Steward and Scrutineer Cards are issued at no cost they just need to be applied for and approved by the club / division.

Further information can be found in your Club Pack, Track Operator Manual, Racing Rules and Regulations or our website under downloads.

## PRACTICE AND TRACK PERMITS



All race meeting dates are normally declared on a Track Commitment Form forwarded to Marsh Advantage at the beginning of the season. With invoices being issued by Marsh Advantage roughly a month in advance.

Any race meeting dates or alterations not declared on the Commitment Form should be declared in writing by email to Mark Holmes at Marsh Advantage as soon as possible but ideally no later than 2 weeks prior to the event date along with a payment remittance emailed to Mark Holmes.

We understand that sometimes these things are overlooked but too frequently we are receiving permit requests with a day's notice or payment after business hours on a Friday night. Without a permit or insurance your event shouldn't go ahead therefore it should be one of the first things you organise when planning an event.

Practice Permits are complimentary as long as there is no admission to the general public, paying or not. If you plan on opening your gates to spectators, you will need to be invoiced by notifying Marsh Advantage. Marsh Advantage issue an Executive Summary to all tracks at renewal time. We recommend you read this thoroughly as it explains the practice permit and other common procedures.

Practice Permit requests need to be emailed to Speedway Australia with at least 5 day's notice. The concession for Practice Permits allowed by insurers is intended for imminent paid race meetings and should not exceed the number invoiced race meetings.

## SOCIAL MEDIA MISCONDUCT



Earlier this season, an update was made to the rulebook in regards to the process of dealing with potential social media misconduct. Rule 7.6.6 gives an overview of this process, including the seven grades of severity and the relevant penalties attached to each.

As mentioned in last weeks edition of Speed eNews, Speedway Australia is taking social media misconduct very seriously and we have been dealing with a large amount of potential infringements over the last few weeks. We can now confirm the following penalties have been delivered;

- **Grade One** | Four infringements
- **Grade Two** | One infringement

We are pleased to say that two of these infringements were reduced one grade due to compliance with rule 7.6.6 (i), showing licence holders do realise the importance of this issue.

## Speedway Australia Contacts

We're in the process of recruiting a new Office Administrator, so in the meantime it helps us if you are able to direct your call or email to the right person as follows:-

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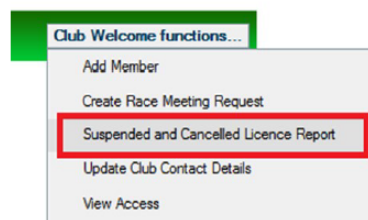
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## Suspended List

As per last week, please see the table on the following page for the update Suspended List, with any additions added in green. You'll also find right a quick reminder on how to check this list yourself at any time using your club login details.

### Suspended / Cancelled Licence Report



By hovering your mouse over the "Club Welcome Functions" then click on "Suspended and Cancelled Licence Report"

You will be able to view a full list of all licences that are cancelled or suspended.

Note: If a licence is suspended until the year 2020 this means they have an outstanding fine.

### Suspended and Cancelled Licence Report

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Family name	Given name	Club	Type	Status	From	To
Anderson	Robert	Nyora Raceway Inc	Competition	Cancelled		
Arnold	Nicole	NQ Speedway Kart Club Inc	Competition	Suspended	09/01/2016	09/04/2020
Balaburova	Chris	Victorian Saloon Car Federation - VSCF	Competition	Suspended	30/10/2015	30/10/2020
Ballantyne	Trae	Speedway Sedans SA	Competition	Suspended	21/11/2015	21/11/2020
Biviano	Jordan	Lismore Automobile Club	Competition	Suspended	24/04/2016	23/04/2020

