



New Zealand Three Quarter Midget Grand Prix



16th February 2019

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. The event will be run according to the Speedway New Zealand Inc. Rule Book 2017 and subsequent amendments.
2. All competitors must hold a current SNZ Inc. License and all vehicles must comply with the current Speedway New Zealand Rule book and supplementary regulations.
3. Noise level of 95dba will be enforced, as measured on the Nelson Track.
(Please note - due to the size of this track, noise levels can be slightly higher than on other tracks).
4. Competition vehicles are subject to Technical Inspections, please pay attention to SNZ Rules E2-3-1 to E2-3-5.
5. Electronic Lap scoring will be used. Please ensure you have a transmitter, it is working, correctly mounted for scrutineering and the number is entered on your Official Entry Form. Vehicles without a transmitter will not be permitted to race. The Nelson Speedway Association does not provide transmitters.
6. No telephone entries will be accepted and all entries are to be on the Official Entry Form. A list of confirmed entries will be regularly updated at www.nelsonspeedway.co.nz. The closing date will be strictly adhered to. Late entries will only be accepted at the discretion of the promoter and if accepted will attract a non-refundable late entry fee of \$50.00, which must be forwarded to the promoter prior to participating in the championship.
7. The Promoter reserves the right to alter the format and closing date after consultation with officials, if deemed necessary. You will be notified of any such changes.
8. The Promoter reserves the right to issue temporary numbers to avoid duplication. Competitors will be advised of any such change to their racing number. It is a condition of entry that competing vehicles arrive at scrutineering displaying any alternate number allocated to them and that the numbers comply with the rules of Speedway New Zealand Inc.
9. For promotional use, please include a clear coloured, non-copyright photograph of your car. This image may be E-mailed in JPG format to promotions@nelsonspeedway.co.nz, please quote your name and usual race number. Photos need to be received by Friday 1st February 2019, 5.00pm.
10. In the event that you have already forwarded an entry form and discover that you are unable to attend this meeting, you must notify the Secretary as soon as possible. Any absentees will be referred to SNZ per Rule M6-8-2.
11. In the event of a rainout, the Promoter, reserves the right to hold the event on the next most opportune day and time and in accordance with SNZ rules and regulations. Rain out date will be Sunday 17th February 2019.
12. It is a Speedway New Zealand Inc. requirement that competitors must obtain clearance from their home track to race in all National Championships, regardless of whether your home track is holding a meeting or not. A completed clearance form must accompany your entry form, alternatively please ask your promoter to email a clearance to info@nelsonspeedway.co.nz.
13. All competitors will use Race Radio, Nelson Speedway operates on the Speedway New Zealand Channel - frequency 455.056250
14. The championship sponsors advertising transfers may be affixed to each competitor's vehicle.
15. Under our Health and Safety Plan, Children under 12 years old are prohibited in the pit area during racing unless an application has been made and approved prior to the day of the event by the Committee. This must be notified on your entry form.
16. Alcoholic beverages will not be consumed in the Pits at any time and may only be purchased from and consumed in the clubrooms. No BYO.
17. Nelson Speedway Assn requires bank details for payment of any prize money won by the competitor

ENTRIES CLOSE ON:

Friday 1st February, 5.00 pm

All correspondence to:
NZ TQ Midget GP
Nelson Speedway Association Inc
P O Box 3368
Richmond
Nelson 7050

Any queries please contact:
Karen McLauchlan – Nelson Speedway Assn
Assistant Secretary/Treasurer
Ph: 027 491 9250 (7.30am to 8.30pm only)
E-Mail: info@nelsonspeedway.co.nz



COMPETITOR INFORMATION

(Please Retain for your information)



VENUE – Milestone Homes Top of the South Speedway, Lansdowne Road, Appleby, Nelson
Turn at the traffic lights on Queen St, Richmond (right if traveling from north, left if from the south), continue along Lower Queen St approx. 4km, proceed across the intersection into Lower Queen Street, entry gate approx. 150 metres from the intersection, follow road around to pit gate. Please note: due to traffic congestion, the Lansdowne Road Pit Entry Gate is no longer in use before meetings.



SCRUTINEERING

Saturday 16th February 2019 – 3.00 pm – 4.45pm at Milestone Homes Top of the South Speedway

All competition vehicles will be required to access the Scrutineering Pad via the Scales.

Pit Gate Opens at 2.30 pm. The first event of this race meeting is scheduled to start at 6.00 pm.

COMPETITOR'S BRIEFING

All competitors must attend the briefing in the clubrooms at 4.45pm. The marble draw will take place immediately following the briefing.

WARM UPS

Warm ups will be held for all cars immediately after the drivers briefing.

OFFICIAL PRACTICE

The official practice will follow the warm up laps at approximately 5.30pm. Cars will form up on the dummy grid and go onto the track in groups of 8-10. It will be on a first up best dressed basis, but with a maximum of ten cars on the track at one time.

FORMAT

Entrants will be seeded into 4 groups depending on numbers. Each group races each other on a rotating basis.

The top 16 points scorers will qualify directly into the final.

The next 16 highest point scorers will contest a B main.

If required a C main will be held. The top 2 cars proceeding to the rear of the B main field.

The top 6 cars from B main transfer to the A main final.

C main 12 laps, B main 12 laps.

In the case of a tie on points, whoever has the higher finishing position of the persons tied on points will be given the higher grid, if this cannot separate them, a coin toss will decide.

All resumptions will be single file.

The winner of the 25 lap A Main Final will be crowned the 2018/9 New Zealand Three Quarter Midget Grand Prix Champion.

PRIZE MONEY – Total \$4,000
Qualifying Races – no prize money

A MAIN CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL

1st. \$650
2nd \$500
3rd \$300
4th – 6th \$200
7th – 8th \$180
9th – 12th \$150
13th – 15th \$130
16th – 20th \$100
21st – 22nd \$50

Sashes and Trophies will be presented to 1st, 2nd & 3rd places.

ADMISSION TO VENUE

Admission Prices are: Adult \$20 Child*\$10 Family** \$40 Pensioners and Nelson Members \$12 Under 5 free
*CHILD = (5 to 15 years inclusive) **FAMILY = (Maximum 2 adults and up to 3 children, 5 to 15 years incl.)

Tow vehicles and trailers only in Pit Area. All other vehicles to be parked in Public car park.

ADMISSION TO PITS

Nelson Speedway has a closed pits policy for the duration of the race programme. Visiting competitors and up to five named crew members are required to wear an Authorised Visitor's Armband and suitable enclosed footwear – NO JANDALS. Authorised Visitor Armbands are to be collected adjacent to gear checking prior to the competitors briefing, additional armbands may also be purchased at \$5.00 each. Children under 12 years old are prohibited in the pit area during racing unless approved prior to the day of the event. All children approved must be fully supervised, wear appropriate footwear and clothing, including a hi viz with reference to the race vehicle and obtain an armband.

RACE RADIOS

We will be operating on Speedway New Zealand Channel frequency 455.056250. We request each competitor brings their own radio ear piece and transmitter. Nelson Speedway has a limited supply of radios for Hire (\$20 for the event) and ear buds for sale (\$30), please indicate on your entry form of your situation. Those needing to hire or purchase need to do so from the Nelson Speedway Office, upstairs in the tower during Scrutineering.

MERCHANDISING

No Merchandise to be sold in the Main Stadium or Main Carpark/Entrance area. Merchandising is permitted to be sold in the pit area but only from the Competitor's towing rig in their parking area. No special stands are to be set up.

EXITING THE PITS AFTER RACING

The Pit Gate remains closed for 10 minutes after racing finishes. This is purely for safety reasons to allow the walking public free movement out the pit gate and to avoid congestion at our vehicle exit point.

PRIZE GIVING

Prize giving will be held in the Clubrooms which will be open for all competitors and crews at the conclusion of racing. There is a wide range of food and drinks, including non-alcoholic beverages, available for purchase. The clubrooms are a Licensed Premises and as such, all current liquor licensing rules apply and are adhered to by our staff, including only allowing purchases to members and authorised visitors, proof will be requested. We do not have a BYO licence. We encourage a family atmosphere so children are welcome.

CAMPING

Nelson Speedway Assn is allowing camping for fully self-contained accommodation only. Camping Rules are available at www.nelsonspeedway.co.nz. Please be respectful of our neighbours.



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OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM
(Please print clearly)



NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

_____ Postcode _____

CONTACT PHONE Numbers Home _____ Mobile _____

Email _____

Racing No _____ Track Code _____ Alternative Race No _____

SNZ Licence No. _____ Transmitter No. _____ No of Crew _____

Names of Crew Members _____

RACE RADIO (Please circle which applies to you)
I have my own Radio I need to hire a race radio I need to purchase ear buds

PRIZEMONEY
 Bank Details _____

I wish to enter the above event and by signing this entry form I declare that I understand the format and conditions of entry and agree to abide by them and also indemnify the track, their officials, SNZ officials and staff from all liability in connection with my practice or racing at this meeting. I agree to allow any details contained on this entry form to be used for promotional purposes.

- I enclose: -
- Completed Competitor's Profile Form
 - Completed clearance form to race at Nelson
 - Coloured non-copyright Photograph of Car
 - I will e-mail photo to promotions@nelsonspeedway.co.nz

Signed: _____ Date: _____

ENTRIES CLOSE ON: Friday 1st February 2019, 5.00pm

PLEASE SEND ENTRIES TO:
By Post: NZ TQ Midget GP
Nelson Speedway Assn.,
PO Box 3368, Richmond, NELSON 7050
Or Email: info@nelsonspeedway.co.nz

Late entries will only be accepted at the discretion of the promoter.

Speedway New Zealand Inc. - Competitor Release

Track: _____ (contract track)

Releases: _____ Vehicle No: _____ (competitor's name)

To compete at: NELSON, NZ TQ MIDGET GP, 16TH FEBRUARY 2019 _____ (track, event & date)

Signed: _____ Position: _____

Print: _____ (promoter/club position)

PLEASE NOTE: If this competitor decides to race back at his/her home track on the above dates, a new release form from the away track must be given back to allow them to race at their home track. Also if a competitor's class is being stood down for the night a release form is still required.

NELSON SPEEDWAY ASSOCIATION INC

COMPETITOR PROFILE/ANNOUNCERS INFORMATION SHEET

The information you include on this form will be used for promotional purposes to promote You and the Club

COMPETITOR'S NAME: _____

NICKNAME: _____

AGE: _____

MARITAL STATUS: _____

CHILDREN: _____

OCCUPATION: _____

INTERESTS/HOBBIES: _____

STARTED RACING: _____

CLASSES RACED: _____

FAVOURITE TRACK: _____

WORST TRACK: _____

BIGGEST INFLUENCE: _____

MOST MEMORABLE EXPERIENCE: _____

MOST RESPECTED RIVALS: _____

LIKES ABOUT SPEEDWAY: _____

DISLIKES ABOUT SPEEDWAY: _____

HOW YOU GOT STARTED: _____

SPONSORS: _____

CREW CHIEF: _____

PIT CREW: _____

TITLES/ACHIEVEMENTS: _____

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: _____

CAREER DISAPPOINTMENTS: _____

BEST FINISH AT THIS EVENT: _____

VEHICLE PROFILE

RACE NO. _____

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ANY OTHER INFORMATION YOU WISH TO INCLUDE
