



FORMULA CLASSIC RACING

Newsletter

February 2020

2019 CAMS State Formula Classic Champion

Congratulations to Simon Alderson for winning the CAMS 2019 State Championship.





2020 Season – Opening Round

The 2020 season opening round is just a few weeks away. It would be great to see a full grid of Formula Classic cars at Barbagallo on 29th February / 1st March ready to kick off the season so please get your entries in.

Although this is a two day meeting the WASCC are only charging the single day race fee for this event - \$250 for WASCC members, this will give you a very good weekends racing with a lot of track time for a modest fee.

As always, if anyone needs some help, technical advice or anything else to get their car on the track please let me know as there are several FCR members willing to assist.

Also a reminder that the WASCC 2019 prize giving is taking place on Saturday 29th February at McCrackan House after the day's racing has finished. Afternoon tea is provided however you will need to RSVP. The WASCC February 2020 Newsletter has all the details including how to RSVP.

Saturday 22nd February 2020 – Tuning Day

The WASCC have a tuning day scheduled for 22nd February, one week before the season opening round. FCR would encourage all the members to attend this tuning day to ensure their cars (and drivers) are ready. There will be several FCR members on hand throughout the day to offer advice and assistance, if needed.

CAMS Entry Portal

When entering an event via the CAMS entry portal it is recommended to describe your car classification as **Formula Classic** as this will ensure we are all entered in the same group rather than the more precise classification such as; Formula Atlantic, Libra, Junior, Sportscar, etc. The CAMS entry portal does not allow you to amend an existing car classification however it is very simple to add the vehicle a second time using the description **Formula Classic**. (The description **Formula Classic** is found in the second box marked 'Modern')

2020 Season

Below is a summary table of the local 2020 Formula Classic race meetings.

Date	Venue	Event
29 th Feb. / 1 st March	Barbagallo	WASCC Birthday Meeting
14 th – 15 th March	Collie	Ice Breaker
28 th March (Saturday)	Barbagallo	Night Masters
19 th April (Sunday)	Barbagallo	April Race Meeting
2 nd – 3 rd May	Collie	Ernie Hastie Memorial
11 th July (Saturday)	Barbagallo	Tander Cup
16 th August (Sunday)	Barbagallo	Torque Trophy
3 rd – 4 th October	Collie	Coalfields 500
18 th Oct. (Sunday)	Barbagallo	T.R.Y. Memorial

2020 Championships

The following Formula Classic championships will be run this year;

1. **FCR Championship** – this is a handicap championship run over all nine rounds shown above, with the best eight results counting towards the championship.
2. **WASCC Championship** – this is an open championship run over the six rounds at Barbagallo circuit, with all six rounds counting towards the championship.
3. **Motorsport Australia State Championship** – this is an open championship over selected rounds at both Collie and Barbagallo circuits with all rounds counting towards the championship.

Volunteer Needed

FCR needs a volunteer to run the handicapping system on race weekends. Anyone interested in this role please contact me.

New Drivers

Any new driver requiring OLT (Observed Licence Tests), please see note below from Cameron Edwards at the WASCC.

Dear All Category Reps,

As we gear towards the start of the 2020 Racing Season, there is generally a call out from New Drivers/Members of each club to get OLTs completed before the first racing meeting of the year so that entry grids are as high as possible.

Therefore, should you have new drivers in your category who require an OLT to start the racing year off, the WASCC will be holding an OLT session on Tuesday February 18th from 4pm-6pm.

Instructors will be on hand for any driver who needs to be assessed.....but please note, that this is NOT A PRACTICE SESSION.

Drivers will need to bring the following:

1. *Suitable car to have an instructor sitting alongside*
2. *Helmet, enclosed shoes, neck to ankle to wrist clothing*
3. *OLT paperwork – that is already filled out where appropriate*
4. *RSVP to cameron@wascc.asn.au with name/category*
5. *\$100 payable to the WASCC*

Remember that this is for Drivers who need to sit the OLT to gain their MotorSport Australia Competition Licence.

I thank you for your assistance in forwarding this information on where you see appropriate within you club/category.

Contact details; admin@formulaclassic.com.au

