

NRKL Spring 2024 Season Opener

1- Event Details

This event is to be held at Cumbria Kart Racing Club (CKRC) at Rowrah. The Venue's address is: Cumbria Kart Racing Club, Kirkland, Frizington, CA26 3XU.

All competitors should arrive at the circuit by **12:00** so that we can start racing as planned at 13:00. Please note that we will not wait for late comers.

2- Event Format

2.1 - Session Lengths

The event will see each driver complete a practice session, 3 heats and a final.

All Practice sessions will be 5 minutes

All Heats will be 10 minutes

All Finals will be 15 minutes

An NRKL event runs to a tight schedule, so drivers are asked to be ready for their session and present in the pitlane with 2 minutes of the previous session on circuit.

2.2 - Running Order

The event will run in the following order:

Featherweight Practice & Heat 1

Lightweight Practice & Heat 1

Heavyweight Practice & Heat 1

Remaining heats following the same order

Featherweight Final

Lightweight Final

Heavyweight Final

3- Event Specifics

3.1 - Pre Event Sign on

All drivers must present themselves for sign on at reception, located on the bottom floor of the clubhouse near the start/finish straight prior to attending a briefing.

All drivers have been sent a registration form that is to be printed & completed prior to arriving at the venue. This will allow for a smooth sign on.

It is the driver's responsibility to make sure that they are correctly signed on for the event, prior to it's start.

3.2 - Driver's briefing

All drivers must attend a mandatory drivers briefing, prior to taking to the circuit. Failure to attend may result in those drivers being unable to race.

The drivers briefing will take place in the scrutineering bay (see paddock plan attached).

3.3 - Race Start Procedure

All races will use a standing start format. Karts will be released directly from the pitlane and form up on the grid, without a formation lap.

4- Circuit Specifics

4.1 - Race Equipment

Should any competitor require race equipment, this can be supplied by the circuit. Please note that the venue has a limited amount of seat inserts. Should a competition require one of these, it is advised to make your own arrangements to use one.

4.2 - Onboard Cameras

Rowrah does allow helmet mounted cameras, but not body mounted cameras. Any camera must be securely fixed so that it won't come off. The final say on whether a camera set up is safe to use will remain with the race director/circuit manager.

5- Weight & Weight Checks

5.1 - Eligibility

Drivers are reminded that it is their responsibility to ensure that they are above the minimum weight for their class at all times during the event.

5.2 - Artificial Ballast

While artificial ballast is allowed at all NRKL events, the race director/circuit manager will have the final say on whether a competitor's ballast is safe to use. Competitors are reminded that the NRKL does not provide ballast, and that it is the driver's responsibility to ensure they meet the minimum weight.

5.3 - Weight checks during the event

5.3.1 All drivers must present themselves for weigh in prior to taking part in any official session, including practice.

5.3.2 Random weight checks will take place during the event. As a minimum, the following drivers will be required to present themselves for weigh in at the end of each heat: Top 5 on circuit, 10 further drivers selected at random. Wherever possible, the whole grid will be weighed at the end of each heat.

5.3.3 Following the conclusion of any final, all drivers must report for weigh in.

6- Heat Grids

5.1 - Heat Grids

The grids for each heat can be found in Appendix 3. Please familiarise yourself with the grids & running order. This will allow for a smoothly flowing event.

5.2 - Final Grids

The grids for each final will be worked out using the following points system (0-2-3-4-5-6...etc) ties between positions will be separated by fastest laps over the heats.

5.3 - No-Shows

Should a driver fail to show for a race, all drivers will move up a place on the grid to compensate for this.

Appendix 1: Rowrah Paddock Plan



Appendix 2: Entry List

Class	Nat	Driver	Team	Seed
FEATHERWEIGHT (25 DRIVERS)				
FW	GBR	Tommy Lee	Paragon Racing	1
FW	GBR	Connor Rathbone	R Sport Racing	2
FW	GBR	Jason Sharp		3
FW	GBR	David Metcalfe	Paragon Racing III	4
FW	GBR	Emma Rabbage	Paragon Racing III	5
FW	GBR	Sophie Gill		6
FW	GBR	Tom Ryder	Ryder Racing	7
FW	GBR	Tegan Edwards		8
FW	GBR	Maxwell Williamson	R Sport Racing	12
FW	GBR	Oliver Fuller	Carter Racing 2	16
FW	GBR	Lewis McGill	Thistle And Rose Racing C	20
FW	GBR	Jake Priestley	Thistle And Rose Racing	
FW	GBR	Kodi Cosford		
FW	GBR	Simon Cork	Wrong Direction Racing	
FW	GBR	Jack Smart	Thistle And Rose Racing B	
FW	GBR	Joel Hanson		
FW	GBR	Tommy Henson		
FW	GBR	Ross Honeyman		
FW	GBR	Amelia Charlesworth		
FW	GBR	Lewis Brook		
FW	GBR	Robert Ward		
FW	GBR	Ryan Moran	Thistle And Rose Racing C	
FW	GBR	Andrew Hughes		
FW	GBR	Junaid Jones		
FW	GBR	Ash Kandola	Lancaster Motorsport	
LIGHTWEIGHT (25 DRIVERS)				
LW	GBR	Jonathan Wilson	Paragon Racing	1

LW	GBR	Barry Lakes	Paragon Racing II	2
LW	GBR	Ben Pickard	Paragon Racing II	3
LW	GBR	Jack Metcafle	Carter Racing	4
LW	GBR	Graham Fernadnez	Carter Racing	5
LW	GBR	Lewis Jolley		7
LW	GBR	Michael Winder		10
LW	GBR	Scott Graham		13
LW	GBR	Aaron Simmons		20
LW	GBR	James Millar		21
LW	GBR	Arran Bell	Thistle And Rose Racing	26
LW	GBR	Paul Walsh	Wrong Direction Racing	
LW	GBR	James Lawson	JK Racing	
LW	GBR	Laurence Tindall		
LW	GBR	Colin Marshal		
LW	GBR	Brittaini Norfolk		
LW	GBR	Tom Fox		
LW	GBR	Luke Burrow		
LW	GBR	Maxwell Meldrum	Thistle And Rose Racing B	
LW	GBR	Chris Fuller	Carter Racing 2	
LW	GBR	Matthew Clarke		
LW	GBR	Matthew Keith	Thistle And Rose Racing C	
LW	GBR	Jonathan Allen	Carter Racing 3	
LW	GBR	Jamie Miller	Carter Racing 3	
LW	GBR	Jacob Connellan		
HEAVYWEIGHT (22 DRIVERS)				
HW	GBR	John Paragon	Paragon Racing	1
HW	GBR	Ian Wilson	Paragon Racing II	2
HW	GBR	Andrew Laister	Carter Racing3	5
HW	GBR	Cayle Simmons	Paragon Racing II	6
HW	GBR	Kyle Shorey	Carter Racing2	7

HW	GBR	Darren Stables		8
HW	POL	Krystian Strzalkowski	Ryder Racing	9
HW	GBR	Jake Dawson	Ryder Racing	10
HW	GBR	Daniel Maughan	Carter Racing	12
HW	GBR	Ben Coates		13
HW	ITA	Marco De Luca		15
HW	GBR	Caine Brown		20
HW	GBR	Hugh MacDonald	Thistle And Rose Racing	
HW	GBR	Kristian Whatcott	JK Racing	
HW	GBR	Phil Jackson		
HW	GBR	Sam Johnson		
HW	GBR	Joshua Pritchard		
HW	GBR	Jordan Boulton	Thistle And Rose Racing B	
HW	GBR	Hassan Zafar		
HW	GBR	Josh Elcock		
HW	GBR	Nathan Gelder		
HW	USA	Braden Sanborn		