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SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

FESTIVAL OF POWER - DRAG RACE AT SANTA POD RACEWAY 30 March – 1st April 2018

A EUROPEAN OPEN competition will be organised by the Santa Pod Racers Club on the **30 March – 1st April 2018** at Santa Pod Raceway, Podington, Bedfordshire.

JURISDICTION The meeting will be held under the National Sporting Code and Standing Regulations of the ACU, these Supplementary Regulations and any further instructions issued or official announcements made.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Promoter: Santa Pod Raceway
Airfield Road
Podington
Northants
NN29 7XA

Permit Nos: TBA

OFFICIALS

National Steward: TBA
Clerk of the Course: Mrs C Ismail
Asst Clerk of the Course: Mr K Birkinshaw / Mr D Warren
Deputy Clerk of Course: Mr I Marshall
Incident Officer: Mr D Krauesslar
Chief Technical Official: Mr S Johnson
Timekeepers: Mr D Anniwell
Club Stewards: Mr S Tramm & Mr S McDonald
Child Protection Officer: Mrs Y Tramm
Secretary of the Meeting: Mrs Kathy Taylor

SPRC
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ELIGIBILITY

EUROPEAN OPEN COMPETITION: TOP FUEL BIKE, FUNNY BIKE, PRO STOCK BIKE, COMPETITION BIKE, SUPER STREET BIKE, 9.50 BIKE, 8.50 BIKE, JUNIOR DRAG BIKE, SUPER TWIN TOP GAS, ET BRACKET

BIKE/NAST

This competition is open to adults and minors riding solo machines being holders of a current competition licence of National or Clubman level issued by the ACU or the Scottish ACU or holding a licence issued by a European Community FMN and endorsed for use elsewhere in the European Community, including repatriation **and** be a member of SPRC or APIRA. **Riders with licences issued by other European federations other than the ACU/SACU must have start permission and insurance from their licence issuing federation.**

MACHINES

Must conform to the eligibility rules of the current Santa Pod Racers Club Official Yearbook and ACU Standing Regulations (Drag Racing) in the following classes:

Top Fuel Bike	Competition Bike	Super Street Bike	8.50 Bike
Funny Bike	Junior Drag Bike	Pro Stock Bike	9.50 Bike
Super Twin Top Gas	ET Bracket Bike		

COURSE	Length of course is 1/4 or 1/8 mile - Course Licence No: 54
ENTRIES	Entry forms are supplied by the Club. Each entrant must fill in full details of his or her name and address, licence number and sign.
ENTRY FEE	The entry form and fee of £150.00 or £175.00 must arrive no later than 12 noon on Friday, 9 th March 2018. All cheques and postal orders made payable to Santa Pod Racers Club. Payment of the entry fee can be made by Credit Card subject to a surcharge by completing the appropriate section on the entry form. The entry form and payment should be sent to SPRC, P O Box 12, Rushden, Northants, NN10 0ZU. In addition an Electricity fee of £60 for providing single phase 240 volt, 13 amps will be charged to all competitors. Competitors wishing to upgrade to 3 phase 380 volt/16amp have to request this on the entry form and will be charged an additional fee of £100. If not requested in advance on the entry form an additional fee will be incurred at the event. An entry may be made by fax provided it is received before the closing date and entry form with the entry fee is despatched simultaneously. Cheques for entry fees must not be posted dated after the closing date. The entry form and payment should be sent to SPRC, P O Box 12, Rushden, Northants, NN10 0ZU. The club reserves the right to refuse any entry and abandon, cancel or postpone the meeting or alter the programme of events and awards.
ENTRY FEE REFUND	Is at the discretion of the Club. And only if a cancelation is received 3 days prior to the event start date. The Organisers undertake to insure each competitor, indemnifying him against any third party claim made, arising out of the races or official practice excluding claims by other competitors, entrant, sponsor or mechanic.
FIRE EXTINGUISHERS	All competitors must have a fire extinguisher within their pit area to conform to Health & Safety requirements. This is <u>in addition</u> to any fire extinguisher systems within race vehicles.
TECHNICAL CONTROL	The competitor is required to produce to the Technical Official his or her machine and protective clothing, helmet, gloves, boots, leathers, licence and identity tag.
TECHNICAL CONTROL & SIGNING ON	Will start at 7am Friday morning.
QUALIFYING	TOP FUEL BIKE, FUNNY BIKE, COMPETITION BIKE, PRO STOCK BIKE & SUPER STREET BIKE will all qualify up to an 8 bike maximum field. Over 8 will qualify for set fields on the following basis: 9-12 qualifiers – 8 bike field, 13-14 qualifiers – 16 bike field, 24+ qualifiers – 32 bike field. 9.50 BIKE, 8.50 BIKE, JUNIOR DRAG BIKE, Super Twin Top Gas and ET Bracket Bike will all run first round.
PRACTICE & PROGRAMME OF THE MEETING	The following minimum number of qualifying sessions will be held: 2 day qualifying – 4 sessions (2 per day), 1 day qualifying – 3 sessions, track conditions permitting. There will be compulsory alternate lane qualifying. For first qualifying run pairs should be run where possible, lane choice for first qualifier is at the discretion of the start crew and singles should be restricted to one only per session, track conditions permitting. A valid qualifying run must be made under engine poser and an ET and/or TS must be recorded. If the race distance is reduced before the conclusion of qualifying then the positions in the ladder will be established over the distance for the last complete round of qualifying. Once qualifying has concluded and a ladder has been established, pairings will not be changed. However, should a qualified bike and rider be unable to make the first round of eliminations (not reach the burnout water area) an alternative will be inserted in their place. The quickest non-qualifier will take the first available space, the second quickest non-qualifier the next available space and so on.
METHOD OF STARTING	Green light in pairs where possible.
AWARDS	Trophies will be awarded to the Winner and Runner Up in each class. Prize monies will be awarded to all eligible competitors via BACS where possible within 10 days of the completion of the event, foreign competitors will be paid via card payment (if applicable).
PRIZE GIVING	Will be awarded in all classes 30 minutes after the final race.
PROTESTS & APPEALS	Reference should be made to the Sporting Code of the ACU, 2018 edition.
CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT	2018 ACU/UK Drag bike Championship – Top Fuel Bike, Funny Bike, Pro Stock Bike, Competition Bike, Super Street Bike, Junior Drag Bike. 2018 National Championship – 9.50 Bike, 8.50 Bike. 2018 SPRC Sportsman Championship – Funny Bike, Pro Stock Bike, Competition Bike, Super Street Bike 9.50 Bike, 8.50 Bike, Super Twin Top Gas, ET Bracket Bike, Junior Drag Bike
JUDGES OF FACT	For the events are Mr S Johnson for eligibility, Mr I Marshall for false start and boundary line violations, Mr D Anniwell for timing matters and boundary line violations.

OFFICIAL EVENT ENTRY FORM

ENTRY FEE £150

Single Phase Electric £60

ACU PERMIT NO: TBA

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES AT NORMAL FEE: **9th MARCH 2018**

EVENT: FESTIVAL OF POWER: **30 March – 1st April 2018**
PROMOTED BY: SANTA POD RACEWAY

VENUE: SANTA POD RACEWAY
ORGANISED BY: SANTA POD RACERS CLUB

Riders Name..... Address.....
Post Code.....Tel.....
Entrants Name.....Address.....
Post Code.....Tel.....
Make of Bike.....Model.....Name.....
Engine Size.....Race No.....Date Of Birth.....
In case of emergency contact: Mr/Mrs/Miss.....
Address..... Post Code..... Tel.....

CLASS YOU WISH TO ENTER –

Funny Bike		9.50 Bike	
Competition Bike		8.50 Bike	
Pro Stock Bike		Super Twin Top Gas	
Super Street Bike		ET Bracket Bike	
Junior Drag Bike		Please see the pit form for electricity requirements	

The correct entry fee & electricity fee, this form and a stamped addressed envelope should be returned no later than 9th March 2018 to:- S.P.R.C. PO BOX 12, RUSHDEN, NORTHANTS, NN10 0ZU. I agree to abide by the 2018 Santa Pod Racers Club Official Drag Racing Rulebook, ACU rules and any subsequent regulations officially promulgated. Riders under 18 years of age must complete a "Parental Agreement Form". The Parent or Legal Guardian must attend signing on with the competitor and be available for the duration of the meeting.

SIGNED.....**DATE**.....

PLEASE ALSO SIGN THE DECLARATION ON THE SECOND PART OF THIS FORM

I enclose cheque/postal order in the sum of £210 (inc elec) made payable to SPRC

I enclose cheque/postal order in the sum of £360 for late entry (after 9/03/2018) made payable to SPRC

Payment of £.....* has been sent by BACS to the SPRC Account No 90798290 Sort Code 20-45-77
International payments:- IBAN GB91 BARC 2045 7790 7982 90 SWIFTBIC:- BARCGB22

I wish to pay by Mastercard/Eurocard/Visa/Delta/Switch/Barclay Connect
A SURCHARGE OF 2% WILL BE MADE FOR CREDIT/DEBIT CARD PAYMENTS
I authorise you to debit my card number with the amount of £210 PLUS £4.20 surcharge

I wish to pay by Mastercard/Eurocard/Visa/Delta/Switch/Barclay Connect
A SURCHARGE OF 2% WILL BE MADE FOR CREDIT/DEBIT CARD PAYMENTS
I authorise you to debit my card number with the amount of £360 PLUS £7.20 surcharge, for late entry
Card Number

In order to pay by BACS please complete the amount * and add your surname and race number as the payment reference (Max 16 characters please)

Expiry Date

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Signature of Card Holder **Last 3 digits on reverse of card**

If paying by Switch card, please advise Issue No: ___ and/or Valid from and Valid to dates:

Name of Card Holder.....

Address.....Post Code.....

FOR OFFICIAL USE	No of Tickets left on gate.....	No of Tickets sent.....	Entry Fee Received.....
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TO BE SIGNED BY RIDER & ENTRANT

This event is held under the National Sporting Code of the Auto-Cycle Union, the Standing Regulations, Supplementary Regulations and any Final Instructions issued for the meeting. The ACU National Sporting Code and Standing Regulations are published annually in the ACU Handbook.

ENTRY DECLARATION: I the undersigned apply to enter the event described above and in consideration thereof:

- I hereby declare that I have had the opportunity to read, and that I understand the National Sporting Code of the ACU, the ACU Standing Regulations, such Supplementary Regulations as have or may be issued for the event, and agree to be bound by them.
- I declare that I am physically and mentally fit to take part in the event and I am competent to do so. I confirm that I understand the nature and type of event I am entering and its inherent risks and agree to accept the same notwithstanding that such risks may involve negligence on the part of the organisers or officials.
- I confirm that I am not currently suspended from ACU permitted competition nor on the ACU Stop List as a result of incurring a Concussion injury.
- I accept that insurance arranged on my behalf by the organisers of events that I may enter specifically excludes liability between the participants. I understand that this form may be used in litigation as evidence that any serious injury will be principally the result of my voluntary decision to engage in a high risk activity.
- I consent to details of any injuries I may suffer at this event being passed between all medical services and the Clerk of the Course.
- I consent to the collection and retention of my personal information by the ACU.
- I confirm that the machine(s) as described below which I shall participate on shall be suitable and proper for the purpose. I confirm that I am eligible to participate on the machines for which I have entered.
- I confirm that if any part of the event takes place on a public highway, the machine(s) described below shall be insured as required by the Road Traffic Acts, or equivalent legislation, and that they will comply with the regulations in respect thereof.
- I accept responsibility for any items borrowed from the Organiser during the course of the event. These items include but are not restricted to (safety clothing, transponders, and accessories). I understand that I am liable for the cost or replacement of any items lost or not returned and non-payment or non-replacement of items borrowed may affect my entry into subsequent events.
- I confirm that I have not been refused an ACU Licence, nor had an ACU Licence suspended, nor have I been excluded from any ACU competition.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE RISKS OF MOTORSPORT: I understand that by taking part in this event I am exposed to a risk of death, becoming permanently disabled or suffering some other serious injury and I acknowledge that even in the event that negligence on the part of the ACU, any event organiser, any circuit owner, the promoter, the organising club, the venue owner, or any individual carrying out duties on their behalf were to be a contributory cause of any serious injury I may suffer, the dominant cause of any serious injury will always be my voluntary decision to take part in a high risk activity.

I have read the above and acknowledge that my participation in motorsport is entirely at my own risk. I agree that I am required to register on arrival by "signing on" at the designated place before taking part in any Practice Session or Race.

Rider's signature.....

If under 18 state date of birth *:

* For riders and passengers **under 18** years of age - I accept the above conditions of entry to this event and give my approval:-

Signature of parent or person with parental responsibility

Riders and Passengers under 18 years must also complete a 'Parental Agreement Form' in addition to this entry form. Parental Agreement Forms are available from the organisers and the ACU. Their Parent or Legal Guardian must attend signing on with them and must be available for the duration of the meeting. Parental Agreement forms are available from the organisers

FESTIVAL OF POWER, SANTA POD RACEWAY
30 MARCH – 1st APRIL 2018
PIT SPACE FORM

PREFIX & RACE No

Dear Racer, please note our pit form has been updated and now includes both electric and additional facility requests, please take a moment to check you have completed all of the required information.

We are writing to you to ask for your help. As most of you know we have a limited area for pitting of your vehicle and we normally have to squeeze everybody in and make best of what we have. It is therefore essential that you give us your exact width and length dimensions so we can try to plan it as properly as possible, please make the effort to measure your combination so that you can give us the exact measurements. We will not guarantee a wider pit space than 7.00 meters and that will include your awning. Those of you who have a wider combination will not be able to use your awning here at Santa Pod and I advise you to make contact with us a minimum of 3 weeks prior to the event to see if we can sort something out, but only after you have filled in the extra pit space form. Thank you for your help.

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND SENT BACK TO SANTA POD RACERS CLUB TOGETHER WITH YOUR ENTRY FORM PLEASE.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE SECTION THAT BEST REPRESENTS YOUR RACE OPERATION



TOTAL VEHICLE LENGTH.....
TOTAL VEHICLE WIDTH INCLUDING AWNING.....



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ELECTRICITY AND ADDITIONAL SERVICES
PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SECTION

SINGLE PHASE ELECTRICITY IS SUPPLIED AS PART OF THE TOTAL ENTRY FEE, THIS IS NOT OPTIONAL AS GENERATORS ARE NOT PERMITTED, 3 PHASE IS AN OPTION (415V 16a) AND **MUST** BE SELECTED, PLEASE NOTE THIS CARRIES AN ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF £105.00 PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU TICK THE CORRECT BOX AS IF NOT COMPLETING CORRECTLY MAY RESULT IN THE INCORRECT POWER BEING SUPPLIED
 IF A PIT LOO IS REQUIRED PLEASE TICK THE APPROPRIATE BOX ON THE RIGHT, PLEASE NOTE THAT PAYMENT *WILL BE TAKEN SEPERATLEY AT YOUR PIT BAY FOR THE PIT LOO.

SINGLE 220V 13A	<input type="checkbox"/>	3 PHASE 415V 16A £105 EXTRA	<input type="checkbox"/>	PIT LOO*	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Other important information relating to your pitting requirements.

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Alternatively you can print and post, or save and attach to an email to ir.marshall@btconnect.com