



CAMS Junior

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM



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Southern Districts Car Club CAMS Junior Development Program



Introduction

Young people with motorcars generally demonstrate a desire to experience the limits of both their ability and their machine. To enable this in a controlled and safe environment is surely the responsible thing for any community to do.

The SDCC CAMS Junior Development Program is aimed at enabling young people to participate in activities that take place in well organised, highly disciplined and controlled environments. CAMS in conjunction with the Southern Districts Car Club have enabled this project to happen.

The SDCC CAMS Junior Development Program is more than just assisting young people with the development of good motoring skills.

Yes, CAMS does believe that letting young drivers develop an ability to cope with a motor car, prior to the official civil driving licence minimum age, does make them better and safer public road users.

However just as importantly and perhaps even more so, the SDCC CAMS Junior Development Program is about helping young people with their general personal development. This is achieved by introducing them into the extended family environment that exists in the Southern Districts Car Club.

CAMS believe that our car clubs play a very important role in the general community. The Southern Districts Car Club offers great opportunities for the young to improve their confidence and ability to cope with life, by assisting them to develop positive vital day to day social and personal skills. These skills include self-discipline, self-promotion, networking, teamwork and leadership. The associated activities also involve the meaningful and constructive use of leisure time.

Motorsport is also an activity that the whole family can compete together in, and become a real family activity. The Southern Districts Car Club has many families who compete against each other in the same car. Motorsport can be a remover of the generation gap where parents and children can be involved with the same interest and grow and evolve together.



This course presented by the Southern Districts Car Club is not designed to teach children the specific road rules. It is a course that will introduce families to the CAMS way of life in Motorsport. This course will enable you to acquire driving skills for future use, and develop an understanding of vehicle safety and maintenance. Southern District car club appreciates the support of VTECH Automotive Training the sessions are enjoyed by the students and provide via skills.

Junior's who display adequate skills to compete in a motorkhana or Khanacross will be given the opportunity to use the Southern Districts Car Club Junior Development Cars for a small fee at Southern District Car Club events through out the year. If Southern Districts Car Club cars are used in competition events, an experienced Southern Districts Car Club driver will be made available as an instructor to sit in the passenger seat.



About Southern Districts Car Club

Southern Districts Car Club is fast getting the reputation of being the premier dirt Motorsport club in South Australia. We offer the chance for our members to compete at club only dirt Motorkhanas through to running a round of the SA Bitumen Motorkhana Series. We run a SDCC Khanacross Series at our club track at Lanac Park, we also run a round of the SA Khanacross Series at Lanac Park as well as holding the South Australian Khanacross Championships at Lanac Park.



We also run a round of the South Australian Rally Championship in Kuitpo and We run the South Australian Autocross Championships at Lanac Park. The Adelaide Hills Tarmac Rally is run under the Southern District Club banner with The Management provided by Ultimate Motorsports events. This event is part of the Australian Classic Tarmac Rally and the Australian Modern Tarmac Rally Championship. On top of all this competition our club has social evenings where we have tenpin bowling nights, go-cart nights or play mini golf etc.

Members are also invited to attend club meeting which are held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 8.00pm at the Women's Playing Fields (Tennis Courts) Corner of Ayliff's Road & Shepherds Hill Road. Entry of Shepherds Hill Road. Southern Districts Car Club Junior Development Program was the first step for James Rodda. James has taken the skills that he learnt further and is now competing in State and National level.



Registration

The cost to register for the SDCC Junior Development Program is as follows;

\$200.00 Per Child which includes the following:

SDCC Junior Membership for 1 year
CAMS Level 2NSJ License for 1 year
SDCC Junior Development Cap
CAMS Motorkhana Test Booklet
SDCC Car hire and maintenance for 4 days
Helmets Supplied
Track hire for 4 days

Deposit must be received by SDCC to ensure that your child will have a place in our program.

2012 Junior Development Program Days

The dates are;

March	10th
April	28th
July	21st
August	18th

Clothing

Drivers will need to wear enclosed footwear and wrist to ankle clothing. This is a safety requirement and is MANDATORY

Equipment

Southern District Car Club will supply helmets as well as the cars for use on all Junior Development days. Own helmets can be used and own cars can be used by arrangement only. Both must be passed by SDCC CAMS Scrutineer.

Session Times

Upon registration, we would ask you to select a session time that best suits you. These sessions will start at 9.30am and 12.30pm. There is a maximum of 15 students per session, as they will be split up into 3 smaller groups of 5. Session will run for two and half-hours. The itinerary is as follows;

9.30am or 12.30pm	Documentation
10.00am or 1.00pm	Drivers Briefing
10.15am or 1.15pm	Start class 1
10.45am or 1.45pm	End class 1
10.50am or 1.50pm	Start class 2
11.20am or 2.20pm	End class 2
11.25am or 2.25pm	Start class 3
11.55am or 2.55pm	End of class 3
12.00pm or 3.00pm	short de-brief



Students will rotate between the 3 classes in a group no bigger than 5.

The 3 classes will consist of;

1. Theory training session.
2. Practical vehicle safety / familiarization / maintenance.
3. One on one driver tuition

Parents/Guardians

Parents / guardians are reminded it is **MANDATORY** to be present for the entire program.



Training Sessions

1. Aims of the Junior Development Program
2. Driving and Safety on Public Roads (Presentation by SA Police)
3. Overview of Motorsport in South Australia
 - a) Types of Events
 - b) Competition Licenses and Upgrade Requirements
 - c) Role of CAMS and the CAMS Manual of Motorsport
 - d) Role of Car Clubs / Promoters
 - e) Officials and Licensing
4. Overview of Lanac Park Facilities and Layout
5. Motorkhana / Khanacross/ Autocross
 - a) Event structure
 - b) Eligible vehicles
 - c) Motorkhana classes
 - d) Motorkhana safety equipment
 - e) Khanacross/ Autocross classes
 - f) Khanacross/ Autocross safety equipment
 - g) Calendar of Motorkhana events (bitumen and dirt)
 - h) Calendar of Khanacross and Autocross events
 - i) Use of SDCC Junior Development Program Cars
6. Preparation Before the Event
 - a) License
 - b) Parental Consent (Junior)
 - c) Supplementary Regulations
 - d) Apparel
 - e) Car Preparation
 - f) Transport
7. Procedures and Responsibilities of Competitors on the day
 - a) Presenting a car for scrutineering
 - b) Documentation
 - c) Obeying the direction of the officials
 - d) Safety in the pits
 - e) Safety before and during your run
 - f) Procedures in an emergency
 - g) Behaviour after the event
8. Drugs and Alcohol
9. CAMS Judicial Process and Driver Responsibilities and Rights
10. Where to from here?





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