

AIDKA

DIRT FROM THE DESK



WOW! WHAT A MOVE!

It is here 'the new raceline'. At the AIDKA Annual General Meeting held Friday 13th December 2024, AIDKA affiliated clubs unanimously voted in the new AIDKA Constitution which is the 'start line' of a new look AIDKA in 2025.

Before we come around and 'face the green flag' a Strategic Meeting was held on the Saturday after the AIDKA AGM. This was a very positive step forward and clubs had great input into this and the direction we should be heading. There was great interest and anticipation prior to this meeting and we are sorry that you all weren't able to attend due to restricted number of attendees to make this a valuable information and resource gathering for our sport. We must thank Adam Frith and Matt Hill who both gave up their Saturday to conduct this vital meeting. A detailed document from this meeting will be circulated to all members once it has been compiled and further input will be required before we implement the AIDKA Strategic Plan in 2025.

Where to from here you ask, well it's your turn to 'suit up' and participate. We need to fill many positions if this is going to work. What is that saying "many hands make light work of it" and this is exactly how it will be beneficial than previously done. Remember AIDKA belongs to you, if we do nothing we wont succeed. Think hard about contributing to something you own, we are here to answer your questions. AIDKA will not benefit if we do not get the support and involvement of it's members.

Now is every members turn to suit up, face the green and change the raceline of AIDKA!!!

WHERE YOU CAN BE A PART OF IT

AIDKA are moving to a new structure. Details of what the structure looks like and a brief description of the positions are available in the third edition of the Dirt from the Desk Newsletter which is available at this link <https://www.aidka.com.au/aidka-dirt-from-the-desk-edition-3-new-aidka-structure-edition/>

In line with the implementation timetable advised in the Dirt from the Desk newsletter we can confirm applications are **NOW OPEN** for the following positions:

AIDKA BOARD

- Lead the association
- Strategic planning
- Setting goals
- Look to the Future
- Oversee all aspects of AIDKA

TECHNICAL

- Scrutineering aspects
- Technical advancement of AIDKA
- Engine updates & upgrades
- Fuel testing
- Adjudicate technical issues & penalties

PUBLICITY & MARKETING

- Marketing Strategies
- Promotional Ideas
- Investigate media opportunities
- Assist clubs with event promotion

RULE CHANGE PANEL

- Assess all rule submissions
- Liaise with clubs on submissions
- Determine implementation dates for rules
- Review supplementary regulations

CALENDAR & EVENTS

- Organise racing calendar
- Approve rescheduled events
- Approve special events
- Assist clubs with title preparations

- Board Member Positions x 5
 - Technical Committee 3 x positions (2x 2-year term, 1x 1 year term)
 - Rule Change Panel 1 x position (2-year term)
 - Publicity & Marketing 3 x positions (2x 2-year term, 1x 1 year term)
 - Calendar & Events Committee – 3 x positions (2x 2-year term, 1x 1 year term)

Nominations close 5pm **Wednesday 8th January 2025**. For a nomination to be accepted it must be received before the close of nominations on the correct form, with all the information supplied.

This is an exciting time for our sport, and there are a number of opportunities for **YOU** to get involved in the future direction and management of your sport. The first step in the successful implementation of these changes is for members to get involved. If you have any questions regarding the process or individual positions, please do not hesitate to contact Tony Dunn (generalmanager@aidka.com.au) or Kylie Thompson (secretary@aidka.com.au)

TIMELINE

Monday 16th December 2024

NOMINATIONS OPEN FOR AVAILABLE POSITIONS

Wednesday 8th January 2025

ALL NOMINATIONS CLOSE

Friday 7th February 2025 (face to face)

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING TO ELECT CANDIDATES

Saturday 8th February 2025 (face to face)

SECOND STRATEGIC PLANNING MEETING

LINKS

[NEW AIDKA CONSTITUTION](#)

[NEW AIDKA REGULATIONS](#)

[AIDKA CHARTERS AND JOB DESCRIPTIONS](#)

[NEW AIDKA STRUCTURE](#)

[NEW AIDKA STRUCTURE NEWSLETTER](#)

[RULE CHANGE PROPOSALS](#)

RULE CHANGES

Listed below are the proposed rule change that have now been emailed to all AIDKA Club's for VOTING.

Members are encouraged to speak to their Club Executive and be involved in the voting process! Clubs need to submit their votes by 5pm (ACDT) on Wednesday 15th January 2025. Votes received outside of this time will not be accepted.

Proposed Rule Changes:

2024-37	Outlaw Weight Change.
2024-41	Meeting Position Countback.
2024-42	Formats Heading Change.
2024-43	Meeting Position Countback.
2024-44	Points Heading Change.
2024-45	Race Meetings Forfeited if not submitted by due date.
2024-46	Option to purchase additional race meetings for clubs.

For more detailed information click on link [December 2024 Rule Change for Voting | AIDKA](#)



2025 TITLE DATES

SA TITLE - Adelaide

2nd - 4th May



NT TITLE - Top End

15th - 17th August



WA TITLE - Busselton

7th - 9th November



QLD TITLE - Weipa TBC if Running



To all our members, volunteers, officials, fellow karters and clubs. Have a safe and enjoyable Christmas and Happy New Year. We will see you all in 2025!!!

