

National Sprint Association Ltd

Smeatharpe 2019: Southern Section of the NSA



We have the opportunity this season to run at Smeatharpe with the Straightliners Club. There are 5 events and we can have an NSA presence at all the events listed. We are nominating two of the events as official southern rounds with points counting towards the southern section championship.

With the current lack of venues, this is an important step forward for the club and its future and it is to this end that I hope the membership will support the events. Smeatharpe is located near Honiton in Devon and will be familiar to many NSA members. Some of us ran at this venue last year and times were consistent with Westonzoyland, so hopefully we can put on a good show as there is usually a good crowd in attendance.

Event Details

Organising Club: Straightliners under ACU Permit and Track certificate.

Name of Event: Drag and Drift at Dakota Raceway Southwest.

Location: Smeatharpe Airfield Devon EX14 9RF. Sign posted at entrance.

Dates

March 16th

April 27th

July 20th --- Southern Championship Round

October 5th --- Southern Championship Round

November 9th

All events are on a Saturday and access is allowed into the venue on Friday night for those who wish to camp.

Entry Procedure

All entries must be made via Straightliners web site or by post or phone to Helen Greathead. Please use the Event name above and state NSA. You can use your existing NSA number as these are on the data base. Entries for NSA classes will close 7 days before the meeting. ACU licence required. Day entries will be accepted but you will have to run with the Straightliners classes and will not be included in the NSA batch or be awarded championship points. Over seventies without a current ACU licence can enter under the IOPD permit and insurance and run with Straightliners. Payment can be made using Credit/Debit cards or Cheque payable to "Straightliners Ltd".

WEBSITE: www.straightlinersonline.co.uk

Helen Greathead. 5 Carr Street, Brighouse, West Yorkshire, HD6 4AZ.

Tel: 07291 712266 or 01724 347801

ENTRY FEE: £40+£10 gate for pre-Entry £45 + £10 gate for Day entry

PLEASE NOTE: The gate entry fee will be collected by the gate staff on the day and all persons are required to pay this as a condition of entry to the venue.

Event Format

PIT AREA: The NSA will be located a designated area for this purpose. Please inform the gate staff you are NSA so you can be directed to the designated area.

SIGNING ON: All NSA pre-entries will be signed on by the NSA, an entry list will be issued to the NSA by Straightliners and will start at 08.30. Racing starts at 10 am.

SCRUTINEERING: This will be carried out by NSA technical officials in accordance with NSA procedures. A sticker will be issued for the bike and helmet. Start time 08.30 once you have completed signing on.

TIMED RUNS: The NSA will run as a batch at designated times, most likely on the hour. We will form up and the cars and day entries will be stopped, and the barriers opened to access the start line. Once we have completed our six runs you will be free to join the day entry queue and run as many times as you like.

RESULTS: These will be made available to the NSA at the end of the event. Individual timing tickets will be available for collection at the completion of each run. Please retain these in case of any dispute.

NSA REBATE: For each rider that has pre-entered the NSA will receive a £10 rebate. The amount total paid will be decided by the entry list.

PLEASE NOTE: This event involves cars as well as motorcycles, please take care and be aware of vehicle movements. Drifting takes place at the other end of the airfield so there is plenty of action to watch when not racing. Caterers are onsite and toilets are provided.

I am hopeful we get enough NSA riders to make this worthwhile, it's a great chance to promote our sport and meet new people involved in the art of going fast down that quarter mile. Any questions please contact Rob Brittain 07778 480796 or brittain133@gmail.com

Any help with signing on or scrutineering will be greatly appreciated. Please contact me if interested.

See you there!

Rob Brittain

Chairman NSA Southern Section.