

#### Brisbane, Australia

#### Wednesday 16 to Sunday 20 October 2019

The Queensland Miniature Race Car Club Inc (QMRCC) together with the Tethered Race Car Association of Australia (TRCAA) and Sydney Society of Model Engineers Inc (SSME) is pleased to provide details and an **entry form** for the 2019 World Championships for tether cars to be held in Brisbane, Australia.

#### Venue

The **Queensland Miniature Race Car Club's** tether car track is located 10 km east of Brisbane's CBD in Minnippi Parklands, Tingalpa QLD 4173 (off Stanton Road West).

Two world records (Class III and Class IV) are currently held on this super-fast track!

#### Registration

An entry form is attached to this document, and entries close on Sunday 1 September 2019.

To receive regular updates, news or a personal invitation for any Visa application, please send a request to the race organising committee c/-

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#### **Classes and Technical Rules**

The following WMCR classes will be run during the event...

Class V	(10 cc)
Class IV	(5 cc)
Class III	(3.5 cc)
Class II	(2.5 cc)
Class I	(1.5 cc)

Due to subtle differences between current WMCR and FEMA rules, cars entered will need to comply with *either* the WMCR Technical Regulations (Revised May 2001) *or* FEMA Technical Regulations 2018 (Rev. 02, 2019-04-28).

#### Scrutineering

All cars must be inspected by the race machinery examiners, and pass scrutineering prior to its first run on the track. Special attention will be paid to pan handle dimensions and design, fuel shut-off height and tail skid construction.

As each car is made ready to run (fuelled etc) it will be weighed and impounded in parc fermé until just prior to it being taken onto the track.

#### Practice

Practice will be available on the first two days of the event. Practice for each class will be run sequentially in order of capacity (I through V), with each car being offered one chance to run whilst the relevant cable is on the track.

If a car is not ready to run whilst the relevant cable is on the track (or the driver chooses not to practice) the next opportunity to practice will not be available until the next cycle of the cable.

#### Race Starting Order

Classes will be run from largest to smallest capacity (i.e. Class V to I) on Friday 18 and Saturday 19 October.

Cars within each class shall be run from fastest to slowest according to the "World's 20 Fastest" list (published on <u>www.speedmodelcar.com</u>) as at 10 August 2019 (i.e. after the European Championships results are listed).

Unranked cars shall be added to the end of the list according to a ballot draw by the organisers, and participants with multiple cars in any one class shall have their second car run at the end of the first car's group.

On Sunday 20, the classes will be run from smallest capacity to largest (i.e. Class I to V) but cars within each class shall be run from slowest to fastest, according to the previous two days' competition.

#### **Trophies**

First, second, third, fourth and fifth place winners in each class will be awarded World Championship trophies.

All participants will be presented with a memento of the event.

#### Merchandising

Shirts, hats and stickers will be available for purchase, and an order form is attached.

#### **Travel and Transport**

All flights arrive into Brisbane Airport, with the domestic and international terminals linked via a shuttle bus.

Taxis are available from the rank immediately outside the terminals, or an Uber (a less expensive ride sharing service <u>https://www.uber.com/au/en/</u>) can be booked via their app or online.

There is also a train service from the airport (<u>https://www.airtrain.com.au/</u>) which links near to the accommodation via Central Station.

#### Accommodation

The closest accommodation (3.5 km from the track) is Quest Serviced Apartments, 930 Wynnum Road, Cannon Hill QLD 4170. It is approximately 13 km from Brisbane Airport.

https://www.questapartments.com.au/properties/qld/cannon-hill/quest-cannon-hill/overview

Discounted rates for the various room types have been negotiated for those attending the World Championships, and are available by booking with the promo code "**QMRCC**".

Discounted pricing is as follows:

Apartment Type	Discounted Rate Per Night	Guests Per Apartment	Bedding Configurations
Studio Apartment	AUD 185	2 Max.	1 x King or 2 x King Split Singles
One Bedroom Apartment	AUD 195	2 Max.	1 x King or 2 x King Split Singles
Two Bedroom Apartment	AUD 335	4 Max.	2 x King or 4 x King Split Singles
Three Bedroom Apartment	AUD 495	6 Max.	3 x King or 6 x King Split Singles

Otherwise, many hotels are available in the CBD and across Brisbane's suburbs.

#### Lunches

Tea, coffee, soft drinks etc will be available for purchase at the track on a cash basis.

Lunches will also be available daily, and the pre-order form is attached.

#### **Official Race Opening and Welcome Party**

Once practice is completed on the afternoon of Thursday 17 October, the official race opening will be held **at the track**.

#### **Official Dinner**

The official dinner of the World Championships will be held on Friday 18 October 2019 (venue to **be confirmed**) and will include a banquet dinner, with drinks available for purchase at the bar.

#### **After Race Party**

After the trophy presentations on Sunday afternoon, an informal party will be held **at the track** to farewell participants and share stories of the week's events.

# **Preliminary Program of Events**

Wednesday 16 October 20	019
0900-1200	Scrutineering
0900-1200	Free Practice (in Order of Classes I, II, III, IV and V)
1200-1300	Lunch break
1300-1600	Free Practice (in Order of Classes I, II, III, IV and V)
Thursday 17 October 2019	9
0900-1200	Scrutineering
0900-1200	Free Practice (in Order of Classes I, II, III, IV and V)
1200-1300	Lunch break
1300-1600	Free Practice (in Order of Classes I, II, III, IV and V)
1730-1900	Official Race Opening and Welcome Party at the Track
Friday 18 October 2019	
0900-0915	Drivers' Briefing
0915-1200	First Round (in Order of Classes V, IV, III, II and I)
1200-1300	Lunch break
1300-1600	Continuation of First Round
1600-1700	Australian Un-piped Speed Competition
1900-2300	Official Dinner (Venue to be confirmed)
Saturday 19 October 2019	
0900-1200	Second Round (in Order of Classes V, IV, III, II and I)
1200-1300	Lunch break
1300-1600	Continuation of Second Round
1600-1700	Australian Un-piped Speed Competition
Sunday 20 October 2019	
0930-1200	Third Round (in Order of Classes I, II, III, IV and V)
1200-1300	Lunch break
1300-1600	Continuation of Third Round
1600-1700	Trophy Presentation Ceremony
1700-0000	After Race Party at the Track
Monday 21 October 2019	
0900-1700	Contingency in Case of Rain
Tuesday 22 October 2019	
0900-1700	Contingency in Case of Rain

Note that start timing of various classes is approximate, and subject to change according to the number of entries received.

#### **Contingency Dates**

If rain prevents a full round of each class being contested by the formal completion of the event on Sunday afternoon, contingency dates of Monday 21 and Tuesday 22 October will be used.

Only classes that have not completed a full round will be eligible for further competition on these dates.

#### SSME 'Sydney International' Race

The Sydney Society of Model Engineers (located ≈1,000 km south of Brisbane in Sydney's western suburbs, at 893 Luddenham Road, Luddenham NSW 2745) is holding the **Sydney International** race on the weekend following the World Championships.

The Class V world record is currently held on this track.

Free practice will be available at the SSME on Saturday 26, with racing (two rounds of each class) on Sunday 27 October.

Further enquiries regarding the Sydney International can be directed to either:

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We are looking forward to seeing many participants from around the world competing on these great tracks.

Kind regards,

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# **Entry Form**

## **Contact Details**

Participant's Name	
Attending Companion's Name/s	
Postal Address	
Country	
Model Club	
E-Mail Address	
Contact Telephone	

## **Tether Car Entry**

Class	Car No.	Chassis Manufacturer	Engine Manufacturer

Lunch Order
Yes, I will pre-order lunches for the following days:
🗌 Wednesday 📄 Thursday 📄 Friday 📄 Saturday 📄 Sunday
Amount payable is Person/s x days at AU\$10 per lunch = AU\$
No, I will not require lunches
Official Opening and Welcome Party
Yes, I will attend the Thursday afternoon official opening and drinks (no charge).
No, I will not be attending the official opening and pre-race drinks
Official Dinner
Yes, I will attend the Friday evening dinner at AU\$70 per head
Amount Payable is Person/s x AU\$70 per person = AU\$
Special dietary requirements
No, I will not be attending the dinner
After Race Party
Yes, I will attend the Sunday evening after race party at AU\$20 per head
Amount Payable is Person/s x AU\$20 per person = AU\$
No, I will not be attending the after race party
Merchandising Order
Yes, I would like to purchase the following merchandise
Collared shirt/s with the world championships logo (chest size noted) at AU\$30
□ S (53.5 cm) □ M (56 cm) □ L (58.5 cm) □ XL (61 cm)
2X-L (63.5 cm) 3X-L (66.5 cm) 4X-L (70 cm) 5X-L (73.5 cm)
Baseball hat/s with embroidered logo at AU\$25 each
Logo Sticker/s (UV stable vinyl 150 x 70 mm) at AU\$2 each
Total is Shirts x AU\$30 + Hats x AU\$25 + Stickers x AU\$2 = AU\$
No, I do not require any merchandise
Sydney International Race (26-27 October)
Yes, I will attend the Sydney International Race on the weekend of 26-27 October
No, I will not be attending the Sydney International
All costs are payable to the race organisers (in Australian dollars) on the first day of practice.