

As you are all aware the province is on high alert for potential fire danger.

Today we had a visit of the fire Marshal and we got notice from the the band that we need to be very careful operating the facility under these conditions. Hot karting engines, exhausts and fuel are adding to the risks we carry operating the track.

The club will be taking additional measures to protect the club's property and surrounding areas by purchasing water filled fire extinguishers and have them located on strategic spots around the track. We will try to have them on site for this weekend.

You can do your part by:

- Drive more carefully and try not to go off track into the grass
- Double check the mechanical state of your kart. Make sure all is secure and safety wired. Especially Briggs mufflers.
- As per WCKC regulations all members must have a fire extinguisher in their pit during open practice. We will be checking this the coming weeks. If you don't have one you will be either sent home or to the Hope Depot to buy one. Please put the extinguisher in a visible and easy to reach location.

**NO FUEL IN YOUR STORAGE UNIT!** This rule has been in place since day one. We have been made very clear by the fire marshal that absolutely NO FUEL can be left in the container unit. This means not only jerry cans but also the fuel in your kart. We will be more thorough checking this for your and our neighbor's safety.

If we all do our part the authorities will allow us to stay open in a safe manner.

Thank you for working with us on this.

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