



President's Report 25 July 2021

The club mission is to provide a friendly, well organised and safe environment for all blokart activities in Auckland, and the club continues to strive to meet these objectives.

The last 12 months has seen another busy year although blokarting has not been without it's challenges .

- With Lockdown due to Covid and lighter than normal winds due to climatic condition
- A full calendar of racing and activities is always prepared early each season and is well communicated to member on our website it is always a balance as it needs to work in with Ardmore's Management.
- Communication with our monthly ABC News and other medium platforms and with with the addition of Whatsapp as a instant communication to members , is working well.
- The ABC club has continued to provide strong support and commitment to the SIO, NIO Nationals, and Masters/Aged Games in NZ. Unfortunately no international commitments are currently imminent.
- This year despite some early challenges ABC ran a successful NIO in April.
- Resealing of a section of track and ongoing pot hole repair is a constant task with the aging sealed surface.
- After many years the ABC timing system like all electronics' is showing its age and a upgrade is underway.
- We look forward to hosting the NIO next year which will need early planning with our Lease Ardmore

Work behind the scenes has ensured ABC events runs efficiently, endeavouring to meet the current members needs. Our calendar is extensive with, have a go days ,and casual sailing, throughout the year, as well as the ever popular 90 Mile Beach trips which are run twice a year, now 90 Mile beach camp is operating again. Extra beach trips this year have not eventuated due to tides and lack of favourable winds. But have add the DOP Ohope trip to our calendar.

We continue to strive to ensure we run a 3 seasonal blokart racing series Summer , Winter, and Spring Series. Club Champs and Teams racing being major events although we have seen a dip in the number of entries.

One area we are pleased is to see the reassurances of our cruiser racing for our new members .

With the purchase and installation of a container which Ray ensures is tidy we wonder how we ever managed with only a trailer to store our club karts in and the "Have a go Days" are now well attended.

There are so many tasks to make the club a success, and our members are always supportive, both behind the scenes making things happen and mucking in doing the work. So special thanks to you all for making our club a continuing success.