



Hi Club Colleague,

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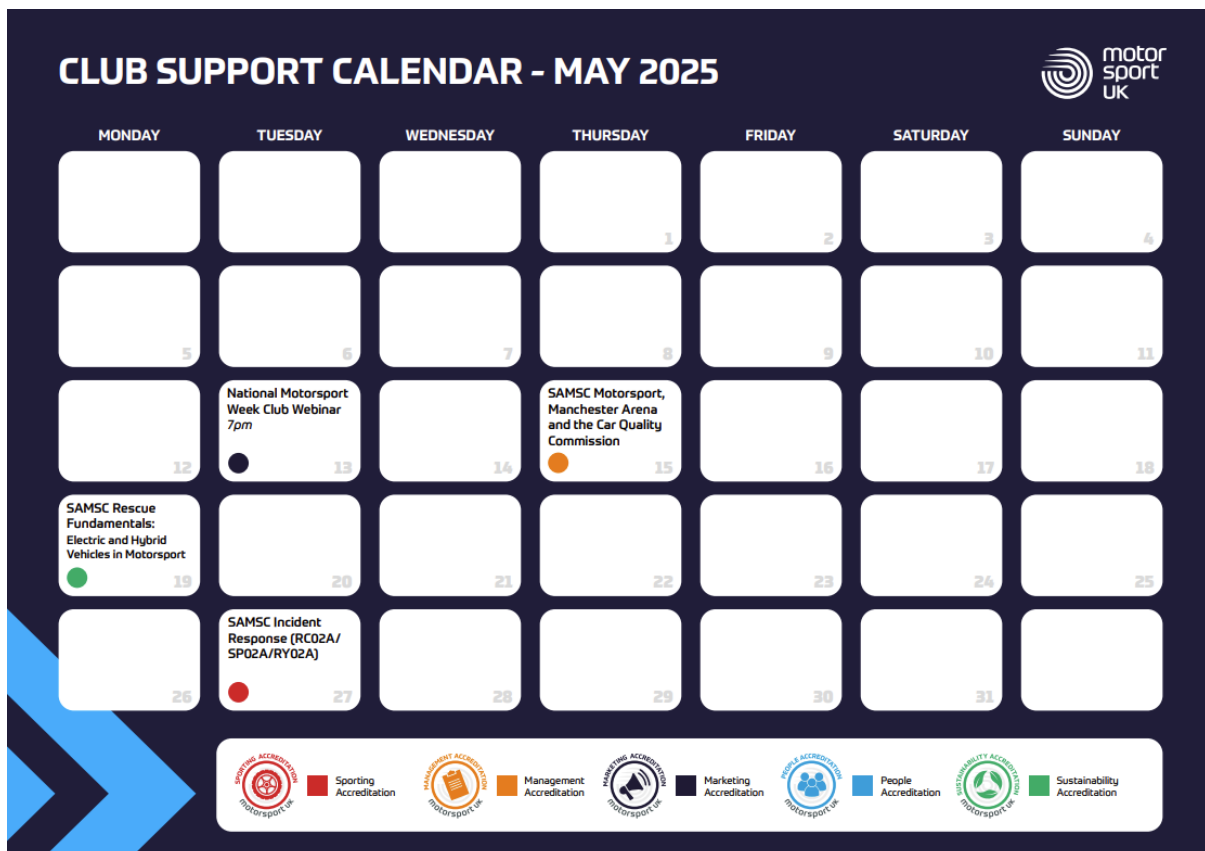
## National Motorsport Week Webinar

Join us on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm to find out more about National Motorsport Week. We will be discussing topics such as taster events and marketing assets. Join us to find out what your club can be doing to get involved.

Register to join the webinar [here](#).

## Club Calendar






This month's calendar offers a variety of learning opportunities, from Finances to Emissions. Take a look at the calendar to see if any sessions are suitable for you.



**CLUB SUPPORT CALENDAR - MAY 2025**

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY SUNDAY

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	National Motorsport Week Club Webinar 7pm	14	SAMSC Motorsport, Manchester Arena and the Car Quality Commission	16	17	18
SAMSC Rescue Fundamentals: Electric and Hybrid Vehicles in Motorsport	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	SAMSC Incident Response (RC02A/SP02A/RV02A)	28	29	30	31	

 Sporting Accreditation
  Management Accreditation
  Marketing Accreditation
  People Accreditation
  Sustainability Accreditation

## Renewal for 2025 Deadline

Don't miss out! The deadline to complete your club renewal is the **30th of April 2025**. If your club does not complete their renewal for 2025 by this date, your club will be deemed as lapsed and will need to complete the recognition process before applying for permits or rejoining Motorsport UK.

You can view a step-by-step guide to help you through the renewal process [here](#).

If you need assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us

[club.development@motorsportuk.org](mailto:club.development@motorsportuk.org).

## Updates for Clubs from the Sporting & Safety Team

Please click [here](#) to read updates from the Sporting & Safety Team regarding various different disciplines and information for event organisers. Topics include:

- General updates.
- Rally – Submission of Stage and Test diagrams, Single Venue Stage Rally – chicanes and Stage Rally class structure.
- Trials – 2025 Motorsport UK British Car Trial Championship.
- Kart - Short circuit permit applications.

## Upgrade your RS Clubman Licence

Please do let your club members know that for 2025, Motorsport UK is offering RS Clubman members the opportunity to upgrade their membership for £21.99, to access a range of enhanced benefits, including:

- Peace of mind with additional Personal Accident Insurance\* while competing at Motorsport UK permitted events.
- A 2025 physical and personalised RS Clubman licence card Motorsport UK lanyard
- A 2025 Motorsport UK Competitor car sticker
- Enhanced partner Member Benefits including:
  - In-store and online discounts at Halfords
  - A free fuel card (RRP £43) with a discount on the pump price of both petrol and diesel
  - Free 90-day Tastecard trial that gives you access to a range of 2-for-1 dining or 50% discounts at a wide range of restaurants and takeaways (including Prezzo, Zizzi and Carluccio, Papa Johns, Domino's, Pizza Hut Delivery), discounted cinema tickets and days out including Alton Towers, Legoland and others!
  - Discounted MOTs, road tyres and competition tyres at Protyre
  - Discounts on the full range of Wera Tools via Tool Maniac
  - Many more additional motorsport, automotive, event, experience, travel and high street savings

To secure your RS Clubman upgrade with all these additional benefits, simply log in and select:

1. View profile
2. Options and Totals from the main menu
3. +Add Options and Totals

\*All Licence holders are covered by Motorsport UK's £100m Public Liability Insurance whilst participating in a permitted event

## Safeguarding Module

We are pleased to announce the launch of a new e-learning module specifically designed for CSOs. This introductory course is tailored to the unique needs of your role and will provide a valuable introduction into Safeguarding practices.

- The E-Learning is not intended to replace full course but serves as a valuable precursor or refresher for those who have attended in 2023/24.
- Available through the Learning Hub. A guide for accessing this module can be found [here](#).
- We strongly encourage all CSOs to complete this module. It is an important resource that will help ensure our Safeguarding standards remain robust and up to date.

## Licensed Officials – Digital Download

All licenced officials can now download their licences in a digital format. In your account, click on the licences type you hold and select the three dots to the right of your current licence. You will then be given the option to ‘Download Licence E-Pass’. In this format the licence can be added to your phone wallet and be easily accessible.

## Marketing Accreditation

With social media being a key way to reach new members and keep current members informed, it is more important than ever to stay up to date with different marketing tools. The Club Development Marketing Accreditation gives your club the tools to be able to create your own marketing plan and discover the best way to advertise your events. If you want to know more about the accreditation, take a look at the marketing accreditation [website page](#).

Want to see if you will pass the accreditation? Take a look at our checklist to see if you are likely to be award the accreditation.

[Marketing Accreditation Checklist](#)

## Sustainability Accreditation

This month we have had two more successful applications for the Motorsport UK Sustainability Accreditation, the Scottish Sporting Car Club and the Association of North Western Car Clubs. A huge congratulations to both!

Both have shown a real commitment to ensuring that everything that they do, in competition or otherwise, is done with environmental sustainability in mind. For example, Scottish Sporting Car Club have made their Club Board meetings and pre-event planning meetings virtual to reduce the travel distance for the club.

Tracey Smith, ANWCC General Secretary, commented ‘We are delighted to have attained this accreditation and look forward to helping other Associations and Clubs with the same.’

If you are interested in becoming an Accredited Sustainable club you can find more details [here](#), or contact the Club Development team directly at [club.development@motorsportuk.org](mailto:club.development@motorsportuk.org) who can provide support and guidance for your application.

Congratulations once again to the Scottish Sporting Car Club, the Association of North-Western Car Clubs, and all of our other Sustainable clubs. We can't wait to add more to the list!

### **New Military Liaison Officer**

We would like to welcome Martin O'Hanlon who has been appointed as the MOD Liaison Officers for ANECCC Regional Association area. If you are planning to use Military land in this region, make sure you reach out to Martin via email [martyohrulz@hotmail.com](mailto:martyohrulz@hotmail.com)

### **Sport:80 Update**

If you have recently logged into your Motorsport UK account, you may have seen a notification about the switch tool changing. As of 21<sup>st</sup> April, the account switch tool will be moving. To change into your club profile, you will now need to click on your profile in the top right-hand corner to find the 'Account Switch' tool.

### **Circuit Racing Light Panels – Race Control Video**

With the ongoing implementation of light panel systems at UK circuits, we are continuing with our wider education and awareness programme on how these systems are best used at race events.

We are pleased to announce that a new training video has been created for Race Control operators which explains the functionality of the EM Motorsport software in place at circuits with light panel installations.

### **[RACE CONTROL OPERATOR TRAINING VIDEO](#)**

If you are a Club that organise events where light panels are operated, we highly recommend that you watch this video to ensure you are familiar with the basic functionality of the software and how it should be used in accordance with the National Competition Rules.

This video will also be shared with all Marshals registered with Motorsport UK to ensure they understand how this system works from a Race Control perspective. This, in conjunction with the Marshal training video updated last year, will hopefully provide a mutual understanding between Race Control and Marshals on their specific roles and responsibilities to ensuring light panels are utilised safely and effectively.

If you would like to re-watch the Marshal video, you can do so by clicking below:

### **[MARSHAL TRAINING VIDEO](#)**

We hope that you find this new training video helpful, but should you have any queries surrounding light panels, please do contact the Motorsport UK Safety Team by emailing [safety@motorsportuk.org](mailto:safety@motorsportuk.org)



## Sustainable Rally Charter

This is a reminder to all of the clubs that organise Stage Rallies that the Sustainable Rally Charter is **mandatory**. To be compliant, your club needs to do the following...

- Agree to the [Sustainable Rally Charter](#) – you can do this simply by sending an email to [rally@motorsportuk.org](mailto:rally@motorsportuk.org) stating that you agree!
- Use the [Carbon Calculator](#) tool at one of your events – it doesn't necessarily need to be used at a stage rally! If it's easier, you can use it at an Autotest or 12 car. There are plenty of Environmental Volunteers who are happy to attend events and help you use the calculator too. Contact [sustainability@motorsportuk.org](mailto:sustainability@motorsportuk.org) for more details.
- Achieve the Motorsport UK Sustainability Accreditation – You can find full details of how to apply [here](#), or if you need any help getting started, please contact [club.development@motorsportuk.org](mailto:club.development@motorsportuk.org).

To be able to run Stage Rallies in 2026, your club must have completed the above three tasks. We are here to help and support you through the process, so please don't hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions.

We hosted a Webinar explaining the charter last year, you can re-watch it [here](#) to refresh your memory.

We look forward to receiving your Sustainability Accreditation applications!

## April Club Stories

As we dive into spring, the events season is picking up. We want to hear your stories and experiences of running and participating events. You just might see it in Club news next month!

[Please click here to submit your story.](#)

This month we have had a variety of stories, from our StreetCar Clubs running Disabled Drivers Assessment Day Take a look at our news page to see the latest articles [here](#).