

Hillclimb & Sprint – Speed report August 2013

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Championship registrations for 2013; These are down from 2012 figures;

| | 2013 Championships | 2012 Championships |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Total registered | 107 | 121 |
| Newcomers | 7 | 18 |
| Sprints | 98 | 104 |
| Hills | 99 | 110 |
| Speed | 90 | 93 |

2013 Events;

There were a total of 27* counting rounds run by 9 clubs across the two disciplines and three Championships in 2013;

- 12 Hillclimbs at Doune, Fintray and Forrestburn
- 15 Sprints at Kames, Golspie, Boyndie and Alford

*The ADMC-run Sprint at Boyndie kart track has had to be moved from 21st & 22nd September to 28th & 29th September for reasons outwith the club's control. The required acceptance of this change by all registered competitors in the Scottish Sprint Championship was not received and hence the two rounds have had to be dropped as counting rounds for the 2013 Scottish Sprint Championship.

Attendance is down from last year at all events across the three Championships;

- Low of 29 at the season opener sprint at Kames (EACC) in April
- High of 103 for the British Championship Doune Hillclimb (LCC) in June

Motorsport News has published a brief report after each round of the Hillclimb Championship – a first in 5 years! A half page season review is planned for a future edition.

Venues;

All clubs reported carrying out substantial upgrades and improvements at all venues for 2013.

The Hillclimb championship has finished with the final at Doune this past weekend being won by Gary Dixon.

Jonathan Rarity has won the 2013 Scottish Hillclimb Championship, closely followed by George Coghill Junior, The Modified division has been won by Les Mutch with a

clean sweep of division wins at all 12 rounds, with John Lowe in second place. The road car Championship has been won by Craig Nicol, followed by father Alan.

In the Sprint Championship, David Reid has won, with Les Mutch in second place. The Top 10 award being won by Gary Dixon with son Danny in second place.

(These results are all provisional).

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