



**Scottish Association of
Motor Sports Clubs**

***From the Training Co-
Ordinator***

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Report to the SAMSC General Meeting, Tuesday 16 March 2021

The Association's training programme has continued its series of webinars for volunteers across a range of subjects. The 2020 Programme saw us run 2 face to face training events pre-covid and 14 webinars, and a half day Medical, Rescue & Recovery conference. SMMC have provided significant support, and the establishment of a learning portal where delegates can find supporting materials afterwards. This system is now being adopted by other regions elsewhere in the UK.

Last year across the 14 online marshals training events we received 1511 registrations, and had 1250 attendances, an average of 89 delegates an event. Five events saw well over 100 delegates in the "room", significantly more than we had seen at face to face training events in the past. The Medical, Rescue & Recovery conference saw 7 speakers from across the globe (Scotland, England, USA, Australia) presenting to an audience of 218 in December. Feedback across all of these events has been exceptionally positive, and provided useful learning points that have allowed us to continue developing our offering.

We have now received offers of grant aid from the British Motor Sports Training Trust to support the 2021 programme totalling £16,577.70 across 21 planned events. These include a significant webinar programme, details of which can be found at <https://training.scottishmotorsportsclubs.co.uk/> The webinar programme will allow us to continue to reach a large number of volunteers across Scotland, with face to face events envisaged when covid restrictions allow to deliver practical supporting modules such as incident handling, fire practical and radio practical. Additionally to support the Scottish Motorsport Marshals Club we are looking at running one or more introductory events to bring new marshals in to motorsport, and help existing marshals consider opportunities to upgrade/choose different opportunities. We also intend to continue to run specialist rescue recovery and medical training during the year.

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