

SACC Race Discipline Report - September 2017

The current year is undoubtedly proving to be a challenging one with entries down to the lowest levels for some time and losses being incurred by SMRC in the running of some of these meetings. The costs for running events are increasing and every expense is being monitored to see if any savings can be made. An entry figure of just over 100 allows an event to cover its costs and the number was below that for the last one on 10th September.

Classes have remained relatively static for the last few years but ideas are being put forward by the Club to current and potential competitors to look at what changes might be made to improve the show but still be affordable for the Scottish racer.

SMRC are working hard to look at alternative sources of income, and direct involvement with Ignition and the Ingliston Revival are business opportunities for a Club which until last year had only ever run Race Meetings as a source of income. Sandy Denham is already working hard on 2018 and looking for even more angles for the Club to exploit in its quest to keep moving forward.

The Annual Dinner and Awards Presentation will take place on Saturday 2nd December at the Sheraton Hotel in Edinburgh.

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