

## Scottish Sprint and Hillclimb Championship – Report for SAMSC

The championship entries have been open for a month and so far we have 61 entries which is slower than last year but there is a lot of interest and we have 5 new comers and several returning to the championship after many years away so with regulars yet to enter things are encouraging.

Over the winter we have managed to secure two new sponsors and whilst we have lost one long term sponsor due to their economic situation we are still ahead of the game and will use the funds to support our organising clubs with their safety issues.

We are of course monitoring the recent Covid-19 outbreak and reviewing it's possible implications on our events, we have a meeting on 21 March to discuss the season and establish further policy.

With regard to dates we think a dates submission meeting at the beginning of the year would be a good idea, whilst it may take some co-ordinating it will be beneficial as one of our organising clubs already have their dates set for 2021 to be confirmed at a dates meeting for the British Championship this weekend at Prescott, this often sets the scene for the rest of the clubs involved.

Marshal availability is still a key issue for all of us but thankfully all our clubs seem to cope each year.

Following the sad passing of Rob Mckinna we have appointed a new eligibility scrutineer for the championship, Gordon Hay.

Tim Thomson  
Chairman

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