

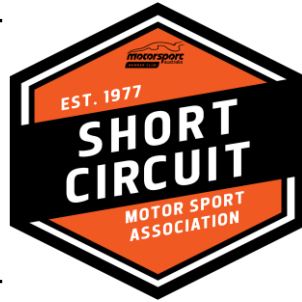
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## President's Update – Carnell Raceway

**Date: 14/7/2025**

Dear Members,

I'm writing to provide you with an update on the current situation at Carnell Raceway and to keep you informed of the progress being made behind the scenes.

Over the weekend, the committee took the important step of packing up all club equipment into the on-site container, including safely storing the Excel vehicle. The timing tower has also been completely cleared out in preparation for upcoming site work.

We held a brief but constructive meeting with representatives from Southern Downs Regional Council's Assets team, who have already commenced work to remove power from the site in readiness for the safe removal of asbestos materials. It is reassuring to see the council taking swift action to make the site safe and compliant.

At this stage, we do not have a firm timeline for when we will regain full access to Carnell Raceway. However, the council has confirmed that our Permit to Occupy remains in place, which is a positive indication of their ongoing support as we move forward.

While the circumstances are challenging, the committee remains committed to working with all relevant parties to ensure that the future of motorsport at Carnell is protected and strengthened. Your patience, support, and passion for the club are what keep us going.

In the meantime, SCMSA is actively working with the team at Morgan Park to secure a date to ensure the continuation of our events. We are excited to announce that we are aiming to run at least one more event this year at Morgan Park, and going forward, we plan to include at least one Morgan Park event in our annual series next year. This is an important step to keep our members engaged and our racing program alive during this transitional period.

I would also like to take this opportunity to personally thank everyone who contributed to making our previous event such a friendly, well-run, and enjoyable day. The spirit and sportsmanship of our club members truly make all the difference, and it's that community energy that keeps the wheels turning - on and off the track.

We'll continue to keep you updated as more information becomes available. As always, thank you for your ongoing support, your patience, and your belief in the future of our club.

Yours in Motorsport

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