

April 15, 2023 - ROOKIE SCHOOL

Are you new to karting? Genesee Valley Kart Club hosts a Rookie Driving School to help new drivers of all ages get their season off to a successful start. Mark your calendars for Rookie School 2023!

GVKC Rookie Driving School Saturday, April 15, 2023

9 AM until complete

**2123 Lakeville Road
Avon, NY 14414**

This event gives new drivers the basics of driver safety, track rules and kart maintenance. Learn what to expect on race day, with a review of safety gear, flags and driving rules.

Please dress warmly, as it can still be cold at this time of year. Drivers will walk the track and if the weather is good expect to finish the day off driving your kart!

Rookie School Fees: \$40 for current GVKC members, or \$50 for non-members. All minor drivers must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Pit Passes are \$10 for members, \$15 for non-members. Membership forms will be available at the track for attendees who have not yet registered by mail.

Advance registration: Please let us know if you plan to attend through our online pre-registration form. This will ensure that we can contact you with any updates regarding Rookie Driving School. Go to <https://bit.ly/2023RookieSchool> and pre-register now!

Schedule:

Start the day off at 9 am
Registration, Practice & Race Day Schedules
Track/Pit Safety
Safety Gear
Basic Kart Maintenance & Set Up
Flagging
Driver Etiquette/Sportsmanship
Demonstration of Race Start
Walk the Track / Question Session

Practice

Club rules require new drivers to complete three practices before competing in a race day. Rookie drivers who wish to participate in the opening weekend on April 23rd should plan to attend practice on Saturday April 16th, and Saturday April 22nd.

What to bring:

Notebook & pen if you want to take notes

Race-ready kart & motor

Driver's suit / abrasion-resistant jacket & jeans**

Full finger gloves**

Full face helmet complying with NKA standards (4.8 Protective Clothing)**

Neck brace and Chest Protector

High top sneakers, boots, or racing boots**

Fuel, oil, & chain oil

Air tank & air gauge

2-cycle or 4-cycle starter, if needed

Catch can for dumping 4-cycle oil

Basic tools – ratchet, sockets (7/16, 1/2, 9/16, 5/8), spark plug, pliers, screw drivers, allen wrenches, hammer, combination wrenches

**For more information on required safety gear, please view the GVKC rulebook.

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