

Step 1 – Introduction

These steps for getting started have been put together to offer some practical advice and guidance so that you can get going into the wonderful sport of Sprinting. However, they are not designed to be definitive documents. The regulations, standards and rules can be updated and changed from time to time. Therefore, please be aware that it is the responsibility of each competitor to understand, and be familiar with, the current Motorsport UK National Competition Rules, championship regulations, and the regulations for each event prior to participating. What are these rules and regulations? that is where these documented steps can help.



Step 2 – Club Membership

A good first step is to join a club as its members are a useful source of helpful information and advice. Not only are the officials, competitors and marshals an immense source of experience, you will find a like-minded community of people who are always open to answering questions and providing guidance as you take your first steps into the sport.

Joining an MSUK approved club will mean that you will get access to a range of events and championships that suit your needs. Borough 19 Motor Club has over 60 years of experience in organising and taking part in Sprint events and is now recognised as one of the foremost sprint focused clubs in the UK. To find out more about the club and its ethos, you can read our vision statement here - [Club Vision, Policies & Support - B19MC \(borough19motorclub.org.uk\)](https://borough19motorclub.org.uk) and join the club here - [Membership - B19MC \(borough19motorclub.org.uk\)](https://borough19motorclub.org.uk).

We always like to see new members, so if you want to know more about the club or the sport, please feel free to contact the B19 team at [Contact - B19MC](https://borough19motorclub.org.uk) or come along to an event!

Also, if you want to be involved but not as a competitor, then please get in touch with our Marshals Secretary at chiefmarshal@borough19motorclub.org.uk to see what is involved or any of the B19 team who always welcome volunteers to support our events.



Step 3 – Getting Your Motorsport UK (MSUK) Licence / MSUK National Competition Rules (NCR)

Having joined a club, the next thing to do is get your Motorsport UK Licence (from age 14 years old). To take part in a licensed MSUK Sprint event, you need to have a suitable competition licence prior to taking part. For the very latest information, it is best to go to the 'Getting Started' section on the Motorsport UK website - [Sprint - Motorsport UK - The beating heart of UK motorsport](#).

From here, you can gain access to all sections of the MSUK 'National Competition Rules (NCR)', formerly referred to as the "Blue Book". These sections cover all the rules and regulations for motorsport in the UK.

Getting your competition licence not only allows you to take part and/or officiate, but also there are a number of additional benefits that can help you save money when buying your equipment.

