MAIDSTONE & MID KENT MOTOR CLUB

EVENING AUTOTEST SERIES 2008

CLASS J, for JUNIOR DRIVERS.

For 2008 we are continuing with our successful **Class J** for "***Junior Drivers***", which will be run under MSA specific regulations for a **Production Car Autotest** as follows:-

1. All *Junior Drivers* must be 14, 15, 16, or 17 and not hold a full RTA Driving Licence.

2. Whilst competing on the tests each *Junior Driver* must carry **one passenger** in the car, who may assist in giving directions to the driver, holds a full RTA Driving Licence and is experienced in autotesting

3. It is permitted for the passenger and Junior Driver to swap roles, in order to give further tuition, provided an additional entry, as appropriate, is completed. However, only the Junior Drivers times will count towards any award.

4. Both Driver and Passenger must be a member of Maidstone and Mid Kent Motor Club or one of the invited clubs, and sign on as appropriate.

5. The passenger must occupy the seat alongside the driver and **wear a properly fastened approved seat belt** at all times during the test.

6. All vehicles in this Class must be by definition a **touring car.** They do not have to be driven to the event, however, they must comply with MSA Vehicle Regulations and pass scrutineering at the event.

7. The tests will be the same as the main event, and only a drivers best time at each test will count towards results.
    *   Tests will be timed to 1/10 second
    *   Penalty for touching a course marker – **10 seconds**
    *   Penalty for a wrong test - **30 seconds** plus the fastest time in **Class J** for that test.

8. If you need to know anything else, **ASK** someone !

We hope that **Class J** will continue to provide an opportunity for, and encourage, young drivers to have a go at competing in motorsport. Autotesting is an ideal place to start, as it is a highly competitive sport in its own right at National level, and the skills and car control learnt will prove invaluable in any other motorsport discipline.

Just Have A Go.

Dave Cook