# FAQ's about Kart Racing at the Martin County Kartway www.southfloridakarting.com

#### Where is the track?

The track is located on Bridge Road in Hobe Sound Florida between US1 and I95. Go to our home page and click on the "contact us" tab. A map and directions to the track are detailed there.

#### Can you rent Karts at the track?

The Martin County Kartway is owned by Martin County and leased by the South Florida Karting Association. Liability regulations preclude us from renting karts. Short answer: The SFKA does not rent karts.

## When is the track open?

The track, by county regulation is only open to the public for racing on the published dates on our home page. Click on "SFK Schedule" in the body of our home page.

## When Can I take my kid out to learn to drive and practice?

We have new racer orientations every race day. Every class has the opportunity to practice on race days only. We are only opened for Karting on published race days.

## Can I run my yard kart at the Martin County Kartway?

No. Only AKRA / WKA approved oval racing karts may race at the Kartway. All karts have to pass a technical safety inspection before they are allowed on the racing surface.

## If you have to own your own race kart, how much does one cost?

Go the SFKA home page and click on the "Getting Started in Karting" link for details about cost.

#### Where can I buy a NEW Oval Racing Go Kart?

There are many manufacturers and vendors of fine kart chassis. Once you have made a decision on what chassis you want, contact the manufacturer directly.

#### Where can I buy a USED Oval Racing Kart?

There are several ways to find quality used karts and components. Our "Forum "tab on our home page has a Karting sales section. Visit Bob's 4 Cycle, a national racing forum that has an extensive "For Sale" area. There are also racers at the track who have used karts for sale as well. Many times as skills improve, racers move up to more technologically advanced chassis or change classes. There are always a few karts for sale at the track.

#### How old does my child have to be to start kart racing at the Martin County Kartway?

5 years of age and up. Of course the SFK controls the performance of our youngest racers karts. Click on the "Classes" Tab on our Home Page for more class information.

## I am interested. What do I do?

Come to the track on a race day and talk to any racer or the Race Director. If you are interested, we will help you get off to a good start. We can also likely arrange a "test drive" at the end of the race day. To test drive a kart, please show up to the track with long pants and closed toe shoes. Once you get started, how far you go is up to you.