



MSA NATIONAL SARMC BAMBINO TECHNICAL REGULATIONS



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REVIEW AND AMENDMENTS

Amendments and updates to the rules will be recorded in the Amendment Record, detailing the amendments, date applicable and a short summary of amendments.

AMENDMENT RECORD

<i>Modified SSR / ART</i>	<i>Date applicable</i>	<i>Date of Publication</i>	<i>Clarifications</i>

SARMC BAMBINO SUPPLEMENTARY SPORTING AND TECHNICAL REGULATIONS

Bambino Class

1. Open to competitors from the year of the 5th (fifth) birthday until the end of the year in which the 9th (ninth) birthday occurs.
2. The Top-Kart Comer according to these regulations is the only permitted kart. Minimum weight of kart and driver as raced is 74 (seventy-four) kg.
3. Engine must comply with the 2026 Bambino Comer CX52 Technical Regulations published on <https://kart.co.za/regulations/>
4. Engine claim system remains in place for 2026. This is clearly set out in the SARMC Sporting Regulations.
5. Only Top Kart Chassis are eligible.
 - 5.1. The chassis is to be raced as supplied, without expensive accessories or replacement parts fitted.
 - 5.2. Older models are acceptable subject to the current plastic rear bumper being fitted.
 - 5.3. A generic aluminum engine mount may be used in place of the weld-on metal version.
 - 5.4. A metal plate with a maximum thickness of 3 (three) mm may be fitted to aid engine alignment.
 - 5.5. A rev-counter / lap timer is permitted. No additional sensors (CHT, throttle position, etc.) are allowed during the event.
 - 5.6. Top Kart camber washers may be fitted to allow adjustment of caster/camber.
 - 5.7. Maximum rear width measured from the outside of the rim/tyre shall not exceed **1075 (one thousand and seventy five) mm.**
 - 5.8. Sidepods must be flush with or wider than the outside face of the rear wheels/tyres.

- 5.9. The rear bumper if adjustable must be as wide as, or greater than the width of the rear wheels.
 - 5.10. No modifications to the chassis is permitted and any variations must be approved **in writing** by the series promoters prior to the modification being made.
 - 5.11. Only original Top Kart or EMR Bambino rear axles are permitted.
6. Tyres – Only Mojo C2 new or used tyres are permitted.
Wet Tyres - Only Mojo W2 / W3 / W5 new or used tyres are permitted.

It is permitted in Bambino to use a heat gun or other means to remove rubber from the tyres between practices and/or races. This may not be abused to pre-heat tyres before a race and any competitor arriving at the pre-race grid with hot tyres will not be permitted to start until sufficient water has been poured over the tyres to cool them down. The onus is on the competitor/entrant to cool the tyres to the satisfaction of the officials. **NB:** the organizers at various circuits have limited power supply so competitors are urged to bring their own generator if they intend using a heat gun.

7. 95 (RON) Octane pump fuel mixed at 25:1 with Rotax XPS is the only fuel/oil permitted.

----- END OF TECHNICAL REGULATIONS -----