

Southern Tasmania Kart Club Opens New Track

The newly developed track and club facilities at the Southern Tasmania Kart Club in Orielton were officially opened today by Labor member for Lyons, Heather Butler.

Mrs Butler said the completion of the \$130,000 upgrade was a tribute to the club members who had donated significant time and money to the development.

"The development includes a redesigned and resurfaced track and upgraded club facilities, but what makes it even better is the community effort that has gone into bringing this dream to fruition," Mrs Butler said.

"Apart from the club's own contribution, the club members and volunteers have participated in countless working-bees and fundraisers to finish the job.

"I congratulate President Tim Rushworth and the Southern Tasmania Kart Club on this significant achievement."

Mrs Butler said the club's new facilities will be put to the test when the club hosts the Tasmanian Sprint Car Championships.

"More than 220 competitors from around Tasmania as well as interstate will test their mettle here next week," she said.