

The D1NZ National Drifting Championship is coming to Manfield

Round One is going down at Manfield Raceway on the 16th and 17th of January 2009.

We are in search of volunteers in the Manawatu region to help promote the event before it commences and becoming involved at the track on the day. Volunteers prior to the event will receive tickets to the event and a limited edition D1NZ t-shirt. Volunteers on the day will receive free entry plus one and free drinks at the after party. We need Marshalls, runners, flyer droppers, spammers and anyone who loves drifting to get involved and help grow this increasingly popular motorsport to be New Zealand's number one professionally run championship.

All help will be greatly appreciated. Come and be a part of Round One of the D1NZ National Drifting Championship and help us to make it an unforgettable event.

Accommodation

- D1NZ and D1 Rookie drivers have the choice of 2 or 3 places
- D1 Management will be staying at Fielding Holiday Park:
Fielding Holiday Park
<http://www.feildingholidaypark.co.nz/>
- Other alternatives are below (NB: these may book up quickly):
<http://www.racewaycourtmotel.co.nz/>
<http://www.manfeildparkmotel.co.nz/>

They are aware of the drivers and supporters ringing to confirm and will offer a discount to D1NZ people. A bus has been arranged on Saturday evening to escort those who would like to go to the after-party in Palmerston North at the Governors Bar and bring everyone back so there is no excuse for drink driving or non-drinking.

TV Coverage for 2009

TV Coverage confirmed for the D1NZ National Drifting Championship 2009 is as follows:

- The first airing will be on **PRIME TV** from 2.30 – 3.30 on Sunday afternoon (*date TBC as it may be delayed to coincide two weeks before the second round*) which receives a viewership of approx 40,000 -50,000 per episode.
- The second and third screening will feature on **SKY SPORT**, one week later and then two weeks later; both will receive three replays on air during those weeks - a total of eight shows each round on SKY.

After the Prime screening, we will also load the full round on our website as a pod cast view.

We will also be providing footage to other TV shows for extra exposure for the drivers, these include: The Crowd goes Wild (PRIME TV), Dobbo Sports tonight (TV3), Petrol Therapy (ALT TV) MekeMyWaka (MAORI TV)

Segments will be broken up into five minute videos. They will be put up on the new D1NZ website and available for download to mobile phones for a small cost (other downloads will include D1NZ driver car sounds, pictures and wallpapers).

All drivers are welcome to receive help from D1NZ to ensure drivers and sponsors know exactly how much their car is worth in sponsorship and the value of their coverage through TV, Print and Web. If you would like a full list of where D1NZ's driver exposure will be gained and how much it is worth to your car, please get in touch with D1NZ Management.

If you would like to come along and help please register your interest by emailing brendon@d1nz.com

IF YOU HAVENT REGISTERED TO COMPETE PLEASE DO SO ASAP.