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I am pleased to send you this short Bulletin in which you will find details of the forthcoming World Hovercraft Federation Speed Trials and Endurance Racing which will take place in Great Britain in June this year followed by the **World Hovercraft Championship 2012 BGS Sport Event** in Germany in September.

The World Hovercraft Federation Speed Trials and Endurance Racing are part of a week long 'Hovercraft Extravaganza' which will include among other activities a Hoverclub of Great Britain (HCGB) National Championship round and a European Hovercraft Federation race meeting. These WHF events will compliment the WHF World Hovercraft Championships which will follow in Germany in September.

The World Hovercraft Championship 2012 BGS Sport Event speaks for itself!

All in all a very exciting year ahead and I hope to see you at one or both of these events.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tony M. Drake'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a horizontal line underneath the name.

Tony M. Drake JP. President of the World Hovercraft Federation.

P.S. As usual this Bulletin will be circulated to as many people as possible but please pass it on to anyone who you think may be interested.

Hovercraft Extravaganza ~ Great Britain.

The Hovercraft Club of Great Britain is pleased to announce that they have now put all the details for this event on their web site. They are calling it 'The Big Lake Extravaganza'. All the details can be found at www.hovercrafttraceevents.co.uk.

There are links from this to their registration pages but if you wish www.ekmpowershop12.com/ekmps/shops/hovercraft/the-big-lake-extravaganza---2-10-june-2012-72-c.asp will take you straight there.

If you have any further enquiries about this event please do contact Keith Rhodes from the HCGB at karhodes@btinternet.com who will be pleased to help.

World Hovercraft Championship 2012 BGS Sport Event

As previously reported the 2012 WHC World Championships will take place at Saalberg, Germany, from the 12th to the 16th of September. They will be called World Hovercraft Championship 2012 BGS Sport Event to acknowledge their German sponsors. You can now make your reservations at <http://www.hovercraft-wm2012.de/en/registration-form-drivers-and-officials.html>

If you have any further enquiries about this event please do contact Susanne Bösche at s.boesche@bgs-event.de who will be pleased to help.

News ~ The Hovercraft Club of Great Britain's youth development project.

The Hovercraft Club of Great Britain is embarking on an exciting project to reinvigorate their popular Formula Junior. We attach a leaflet they have prepared for this purpose which is being circulated very widely in Great Britain. The WHF would urge you to consider something of this nature in your country ~ after all, the youth drivers are our future. We are sure that the HCGB would be very pleased to offer you any advice should you need it. It is hoped that in the fullness of time the HCGB scheme could be expanded into Europe and ultimately across the world.



Furthermore, the HCGB are working on a similar project for senior youth groups, colleges and universities.

And finally we will continue to circulate all our communications as widely as possible and always to your Countries Delegates.

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