

What is Driver Directions?

Driver Directions is a chance for young drivers with their caregivers to gain practical driving experience and skills in a safe off road environment.

We offer the day to 14-19 year olds learning to drive.

Key Stakeholders

- Education providers including District High Schools, Polytech's
- Taupo Motorsport Park
- AA Driver Foundation
- Police
- Taupo District Council
- Traffic Management New Zealand

Driver Directions provides:

- **15 minute introduction**
- **Emergency braking and stopping distance**
- **Learners area**
- **Parking, reversing and low speed skills**
- **Skid control, different roading surfaces**
- **Various judgment exercises**
- **Driver Licence Quiz, activities and lunch with prizes**
- **Expert driver knowledge**
- **6 hours of experience with a supervisor**
- **Evaluation**

15 Minute Introduction

- Police presentation on 'Fatal 5'
- Rules of the Taupo Motorsport Park and sign indemnity
- Skills Station overview – includes a map
- Discussion on Frontal lobe/driver awareness
- Vehicle development – ABS ESC
- Questions

Emergency Braking and Stopping Distance





Restricted Driver!!!!



Learners area

First Time Driving on Ice



Parking, reversing and low speed maneuvers



How Not to Reverse!!



Slow Speed Skills

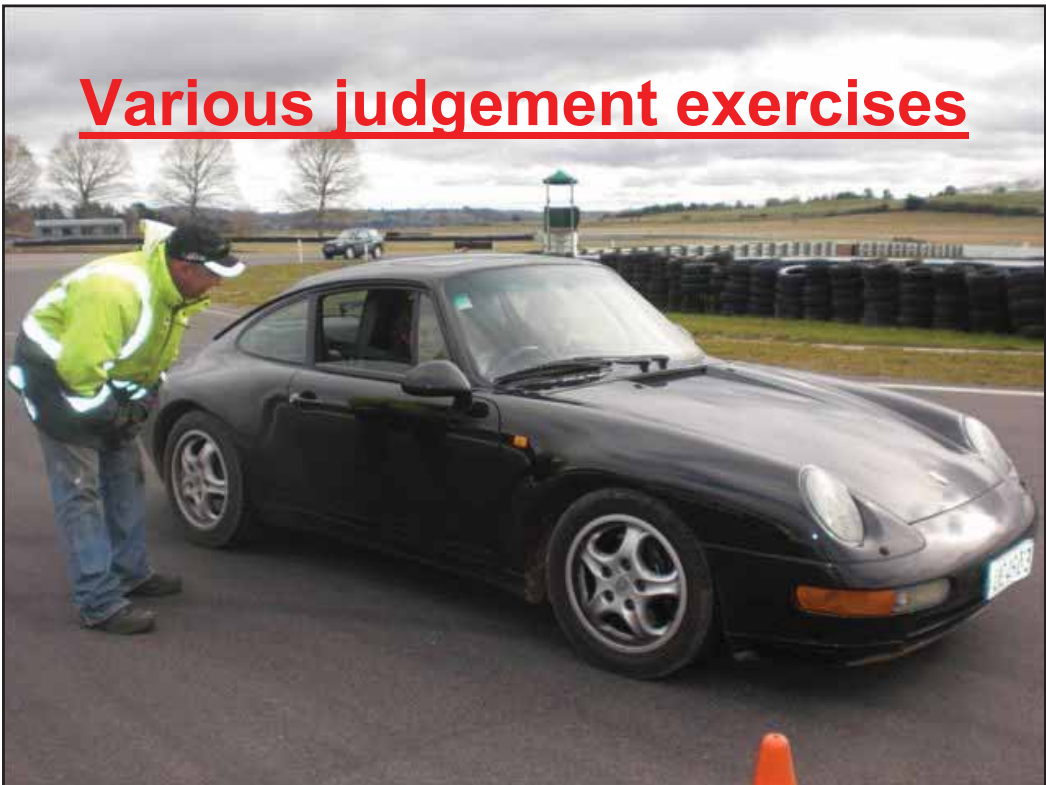




Wet Road, Restricted Driver



Various judgement exercises







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