





THE BASIC CONCEPT OF THE 86 WAS TO BUILD A REAL DRIVERS CAR, WHERE THE DRIVER CAN CONTROL EVERYTHING THEMSELVES.

AUSTRALIAN DRIVERS ARE YOUNG, TALENTED AND HAVE A LOT OF PASSION. SOMEDAY I WANT TO INVITE EACH COUNTRY'S CHAMPION TO JAPAN'S FUJI SPEEDWAY AND MAKE A WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP WITH 86.

TETSUYA TADA Toyota 86 Chief Engineer & Toyota 86 Series Patron (Australia)



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AFTER AN EXCITING AND EXHILARATING FIRST 2 YEARS OF COMPETITION, TOYOTA IS INCREDIBLY PROUD TO ANNOUNCE WE HAVE EXTENDED OUR COMMITMENT TO THE 86 RACING SERIES THROUGH UNTIL AT LEAST 2020.

This year's competition promises to shift up yet another gear. The passionate 86 drivers are ready to race to victory and take hold of the opportunity to advance their motorsport career in Australia's most affordable mainstream national motorsport series.

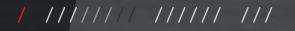
Toyota is delighted to mentor and support these enthusiasts as they chase their sporting dreams, by enabling them to learn from accomplished guest drivers, perform in front of large race-day crowds including motorsport decision-makers and Supercar team owners, and to gain exposure through significant tv and online audiences.

## **SEAN HANLEY**

Vice President – National Sales and Marketing Operations, Toyota Motor Corporation Australia







TOYOTA'S REPUTATION CONTINUES TO GROW AFTER YEARS OF RACING SUCCESS WITH THE TOYOTA 86 RACING SERIES. THIS AFFORDABLE, GRASSROOTS MOTORSPORT SERIES HAS NOW EVOLVED INTO AN AUTHORITATIVE AND INFLUENTIAL MARQUEE EVENT ACROSS THE GLOBE. FROM THE BRILLIANCE OF THE VEHICLES, THE SKILL OF THE DRIVERS AND THE THRILL OF THE RACE, NOTHING IN MOTORSPORT CAN COMPETE.

Since its launch in 2012, the Toyota 86 quickly reached the status of a cult car in Australia and the racing series has become a credible platform for new talent to emerge and thrive on the big stage.

It's all about performance, technology and design combined with sheer exhilaration. This is what it feels like to experience racing at its finest.

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# THE TOYOTA 86 RACING SERIES IS EXACTLY WHAT AUSTRALIAN MOTORSPORTS NEEDS - AN AFFORDABLE NATIONAL SERIES RUN IN FRONT OF SUPERCARS TEAM OWNERS, TALENT SCOUTS, LARGE CROWDS AND SIGNIFICANT TV AUDIENCES.

Our aim is to become the premier affordable motor racing series in Australia, showcasing our passion for cars and people.

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Two invited professional drivers will compete against a potential field of more than 35 drivers, mentored by one full-time dedicated motorsport expert. Races share billing in selected Supercars rounds and have been sanctioned by the Confederation of Australian Motor Sport (CAMS). Like similar one-make series races, the Toyota 86 Racing Series demands competitors adhere to a strict car setup, ensuring that driver talent, rather than team budget, is key to winning.









PHILLIP ISLAND 500 (VIC) 20 - 22 APR



BATHURST 1000 (NSW) 4 - 7 OCT



SANDDOWN 500 (VIC) 14 - 16 SEP

10 \*Note: Events and dates are subjected to change and FIA approval.





# THE BEND SUPERSPRINT (SA) 24 - 26 AUG

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NEWCASTLE 500 (NSW) 23 - 25 NOV



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# ENTRY FEE PER EVENT - \$1,500 INCL. GST

Toyota 86 manual models produced before August 2016 can be acquired by competitors in the free market and entered to race using the Control Specifications.

Taking into account pricing for the mandatory package and estimated costs for the other required components, if a competitor chooses a used 86 GT (manual) as their base vehicle, a race-ready car, complete with Dunlop Extreme performance Direzza Z3 rubber plus initial race entry fee, could be on the grid in 2018 for less than \$70,000.

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# TOYOTA IS OFFERING A TOTAL PRIZE POOL OF \$150,000

PLACE	PRIZE MONEY
<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>	\$50,000
<b>2</b> <sup>ND</sup>	\$30,000
3 <sup>RD</sup>	\$15,000
<b>4</b> <sup>тн</sup>	\$6,000
5 <sup>TH</sup>	\$5,000
<b>6</b> <sup>тн</sup>	\$4,000
<b>7</b> <sup>TH</sup>	\$3,000
8 <sup>TH</sup>	\$2,000

In addition to these prizes, the 'Kaizen Award' is given to a competitor who is judged to have improved the most throughout the season. The winner will receive prizes to the value of \$35,000.

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# THE FRONT-ENGINE, REAR-DRIVE 86 IS IDEALLY SUITED TO CLOSE RACING DUE TO ITS SUPERB HANDLING AND EXPECTED MAXIMUM SPEEDS DOWN CONROD STRAIGHT OF ABOUT 230KM/H.

The series is based on the GT and GTS manual with controlled key specifications to ensure suitability and reliability, while keeping costs as low as possible.

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TO MAXIMISE SAFETY, PERFORMANCE, **AFFORDABILITY AND FAIR COMPETITION,** TOYOTA AUSTRALIA AND NEAL BATES **MOTORSPORT HAVE DEVELOPED** A CONTROL SPECIFICATIONS KIT.

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Exhaust - hea

Throttle stop

Suspension -

Front anti roll

Brakes - AP ra

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Tyres - Dunlo

Wheels - OZ

TRD rear spoi

Roll cage - T8



# CONTROL ITEMS INCLUDE

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T86RS front & rear shock absorbers and springs
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BGRS NBM control specification



# TOYOTA AUSTRALIA'S SUPPORT INCLUDES

- Acquiring a major support category to Supercars
- CAMS sanctioning
- Securing national television coverage via Supercars media
- Total series prize pool of up to \$150,000
- Category administration
- Race car research & development
- Media and public relations support
- Series logistical and spare parts support



# OUR PARTNERS

TOYOTA WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL OF OUR VALUED PARTNERS

# COMMERCIAL



Hino is an avid supporter of Australian motorsport and the accompanying developments arising from it. The commercial vehicle specialist will supply a 700 Series SS 2848 High Roof 6x4 prime-mover to help transport category support equipment and selected cars to race rounds.



# DUNLOP

With an extensive history and legacy in motorsport, founded on performance and technology, Dunlop is proud to have been endorsed by Toyota as its partner in this exciting racing category which is a thrilling Australian motorsport crowds. Dunlop's Extreme performance Direzza Z3 was selected after exhaustive on-track evaluation by four-time Australian rally champion Neal Bates and approved by the Confederation of Australian Motorsport.

# RACE

# SUPERCARS

The Supercars Championship (formally Australian Touring Car Championship) is the premier motorsport category in Australasia and one of Australia's biggest sports. International expansion is occurring as the sport becomes globally recognised as the best touring car category in the world and a leader in motorsport entertainment.

Toyota Genuine Motor Oil (TGMO) is a unique oil blend and the only engine lubricant that has been designed specifically with your car in mind. Unlike other brands, TGMO lubricants are tested and developed extensively in Toyota vehicles to ensure they are the best possible match for your engine's needs. TGMO is fully accredited and supported by Toyota Motor Corporation, Japan.



The Confederation of Australian Motor Sport Limited (CAMS) has been the custodian of motor sport in Australia since 1953. CAMS is the National Sporting Authority (ASN) for motor sport in Australia, and is delegated this responsibility by the Federation Internationale de l'Automobile (FIA).



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JIMMY VERNON 2017 T86RS Champion

THE TOYOTA 86 RACING SERIES WAS THE BEST CATEGORY IN AUSTRALIA THAT I COULD PLACE MYSELF INTO, THE **EXPOSURE AND CREDIBILITY RECEIVED** FOR A FRACTION OF THE COST OF **OTHER RACE CATEGORIES IS WHAT IMPRESSED ME THE MOST.** 

TO RACE AT AN ELITE LEVEL AT THE SUPERCARS MEETINGS AGAINST SOME OF THE BEST UP AND COMING **DRIVERS IS SOMETHING THAT IS** HARD TO BUDGET FOR, BUT THE **T86RS IS DEFINITELY THE MOST COST-EFFECTIVE WAY OF INCREASING YOUR PROFESSIONAL PROFILE.** 



# TELEVISION COVERAGE



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# SOCIAL MEDIA

Follow our Toyota Racing Australia channels to keep up to date with the latest news about the series:



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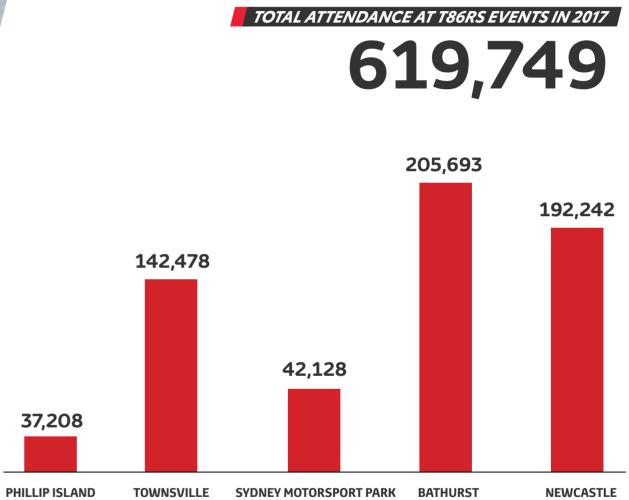




# ATTENDANCE

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Source: Supercars

# BROADCAS

# CUMULATIVE AUDIENCE IN 2017

**1.86M** 

A total of 808,812 viewers watched the T86RS on free to air in 2017, 43% of the total viewership.

A total of 1,053,570 viewers watched the T86RS on Fox Sports in 2017, 57% of the total viewership. FREE-TO-AIR **43%** 

FOX SPORTS **57%** 



SUPPORTED BY: TOYOTA AUSTRALIA NATIONAL CHANNELS

**AUSTRALIA CHANNELS** 

**SUPPORTED BY:** 

**TOYOTA RACING** 

**11K+** FANS

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306K+

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**1K+** FOLLOWERS

**33.4K+** FOLLOWERS

2017 SEASON RESULTS

640K+

2.4M+ REACH





# 93%+ POSITIVE SENTIMENT

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Source: Toyota Motor Corporation Australia





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