

# \*\* ADVANCE NEWS \*\* ADVANCE NEWS \*\*

from

## Stratford & South Warwickshire Advanced Motorists

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### Skid Car Day - Skid Car Day - Places Available £55 each at Donington - Saturday 12 Mar 2011

We have 18 places, 3 in each of 6 x 1-hour sessions. We fill all to run the day at breakeven.

- Open to all.
- It's great fun
- Excellent experience
- Lift share to Donington (Easy as, each Skid-Car session is for 3-people)
- It's the best value, least-cost option we can find.
- Book Now! **Makes a Great Birthday Present**



We also have a Young Driver Scheme (YDS) for pre-provisional licence 16-17 year olds. On one Sunday most months. £25/lesson with ADIs in their Dual-Control cars at Long Marston. Call: Jan: 07847 802711 or [YDS@stratfordiam.org.uk](mailto:YDS@stratfordiam.org.uk) or see 'Young Drivers' at: <http://www.stratfordiam.org.uk>  
**AND: YDS 16-yr olds can do Skid Car session if their ADIs and parents say they are ready.**

#### What Happens?

With three people and an instructor in the Skid Car, first there is a demo drive and then each takes a turn with the instructor adding 'skid' while you grapple with the induced conditions and the others imagine they can do better - until it's their turn. By the time you have had your turn, you've cracked it!

The special Skid Car has external castor wheels on hydraulic rams controlled by the instructor in the passenger seat who creates every skid condition imaginable – gently, and telling you what to do.

Just when you think you have it sussed, an extra icy or greasy or piece of road 'suddenly happens' under your car and you remember just how very unexpected the unexpected can be. **It is!** Learning something so important is rarely such fun. The kit can change car-feel from front to rear-wheel drive.

Everyone leaves the car after an hour with more skid-driving experience than most of us get in a lifetime. Ear-to-ear grins tell you that everyone had a great time. So can you. **Remember Birthday Prezies!**

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