



# *News Letter*

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**SHPG**  
***Southern Hemisphere  
Proving Grounds  
New Zealand***

*Hello again from New Zealand.  
Winter is approaching!*

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*Greetings from the Southern Hemisphere Proving Grounds - New Zealand.*

*SHPG is your counter seasonal winter proving ground, operating during your summer from late June to late August.*

*SHPG is comprised of 12 independent closed facilities, each consisting of a combination of testing surfaces (snow, ice, split  $\mu$  flat and gradients and ride and handling courses) workshops and offices.*



# Summer Success



- *During the Northern Hemisphere summer of 06 many of you enjoyed successful winter testing here at SHPG. We hope that this June, July, August again brings great conditions for winter testing in New Zealand.*



# What's New



- *Preparations for our season are well under way. We have Invested heavily in new machinery over our summer to continue to increase our service to you (specifically snow quality).*

2 x new 5 tonne snow compaction rollers  
new snow blower  
new zamboni (ice resurfacing machine)  
new grader  
new water truck  
new broom sweeper machine  
new snow making machines

- *We have also upgraded the re-fueling bay and continued to widen some testing surfaces for increased speed and safety.*



# Until next time...



- *We will be displaying at the Stuttgart Expo this week 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and look forward to meeting many of you there again this year.*
- *As usual, we are heavily booked for most of the season especially July. However, we do have some spaces left on excellent Facilities, so please contact us [admin@shpg.co.nz](mailto:admin@shpg.co.nz) to check availability.*
- *We look forward to meeting you this season.*

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