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## **Arai CK-6 – Setting a New Standard For Junior Kart Helmets**

Arai has developed the new CK-6 junior kart helmet well ahead of new regulations.

The Snell-FIA CMH 2007 (Children's Motorsport Helmet) approval was developed to provide a suitable helmet for children to use in motorsports, rather than a helmet designed for the adult head (and neck) and shrunk down to kid sizes.

The primary reason in doing this was for safety as a reduction in helmet weight will help to lessen the chance of neck injury following an incident.

With two world, one European and five British karting championships won in 2008 by Arai users, the Japanese factory has worked closely with the FIA and Snell to produce its first ever extra, extra small (XXS) motorsport helmet. Young drivers can be assured of an original Arai CMH approved helmet with all the features unique to the brand

The CK-6 includes a 4-point inlet/exhaust ventilation system with a dual chin vent, multi-density hybrid inner shell and a Coolmax washable lining. Filling the 90mm aperture is a 2mm thick visor complete with tear off posts and utilizing Arai's new advanced visor pivot system.

With this new regulation becoming mandatory for all under 15s participating in CIK FIA events from 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 2010, the CK-6 will be readily available for the new karting season. An announcement for the UK is expected in September, but all MSA karting events are expected to follow suit from January 1, 2011.

Only available in white, the CK-6 will cost £367.02 (inc. VAT) and is available in sizes XXS, XS, S, M and L (51-60cm). Orders are being taken now with availability in November.

The first opportunity for drivers to see the CK-6 and try the full range of sizes will be at the KartMania show on November 28-29, 2009, held at the Ricoh Arena, Coventry. Arai will be showcasing the entire range of motorsport helmets along with offering its free race service support.

For more information on Arai products or to find your nearest dealer, contact 01782 569 800 or visit [www.whyarai.co.uk](http://www.whyarai.co.uk)

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