





# The 2016 AUTOSPORT INTERNATIONAL

# BTRDA Clubman's Rally Cross Championship.

# Supplementary Regulations.

- 1. The British Automobile Racing Club (WALES) will Organise a National B permit Rallycross at Pembrey Circuit, Carmarthenshire, SA16 0HZ on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> & Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2016.
- 2. The meeting will be held under the General Regulations of The Motor Sports Association Ltd (incorporating the provisions of the International Sporting Code of the FIA) these Supplementary Regulations and any final instructions and / or Official Programme issue by the organising club for the event.
- 3. The following MSA permit has been issued: 95850
- 4. The Event is a Double Header Round of The "2016 Autosport International BTRDA Clubman's Rally Cross Championship" Permit No :- CH 2016 TBA (Grade C) The Irish Rally Cross Championship and any other Licenced competitor.

5. Officials

MSA Steward :- TBA

Club Stewards: - Mr Phil Derbyshire Mr Allan Jones Clerk of the Course :- Mr Chris Gibson Mr Steve Gibson

Chief Scrutineer :- Mr Alun Morgan Eligibility Scrutineer :- Mr Huw Jones

Time Keeper :- Mr Gethin Rees T.S.L. Ltd

Medical Officer's :- Dr Satish Mummidi Chief Marshal :- Mr Ernie Preece

Sec's. of the Meeting :- Mr Brian Parsons Mrs Pam Preece

**Entry Secretary:-**

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- 6. The event is open to fully paid up valid card holding members of: BTRDA, BARC, MDA & D&DMC, The Irish Rallycross Championship and Invited non Championship drivers from CKMC & CCC. All competitors registered are invited to the event.
  - All competitors must produce a valid 2016 Competition Licence, Club Membership Card and Championship Registration Card (if applicable).
  - Competitors wishing to collect a signature for upgrading their Competition Licence must use the Upgrade Card (Fully completed, with photograph attached) (See MSA Regulation [H 13])
- 7. The Course is 1.448 Km per Lap in Distance of mixed Tarmac & Gravel Surface and run in a Clockwise direction. Every competitor must complete at least one practice lap to qualify for racing. There is NO joker Lap used at this Event.
- 8. Sign on will take place in Race Administration from 7.15 a.m. Any competitor not signed on by 8.30am may be deemed as a non starter. Scrutineering will take place in the scrutineering bay from 7.15 a.m.

- 9. All vehicles must comply with MSA Safety Regulations as per the 2016 MSA Yearbook section [N6.1] to [N7.1.23.3]] being specific regulations for Rallycross and the relevant Sections of K as referred to in Section N.
- 10. Categories & Classes -

The event will consist of 8 Classes [which may be extended] as follows;

Class A Clubman 4x4: Complying to BTRDA Clubman's Rallycross Championship

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Class B Production 4 x 4 Complying to BTRDA Clubman's Rallycross Championship Regulations 2016

### **Supermodified**

Class A Up to 1600cc (including Super 1600)

Class B Over 1601cc and up to 2100

Class C 2101cc and over (including Turbo and Supercharged cars)

Class D BMW Mini

<u>Production:</u> Complying to BTRDA Clubman's Rallycross Championship Regulations 2016

Class A Up to 1600cc 8v
Class B Up to 1600cc 16v
Class C Up to 1600cc 16v VVT
Class D 1601cc to 2000cc

Junior Rallycross: Complying to BTRDA Clubman's Rallycross Championship Regulations 2016

Classic Mini: Complying to MDA Technical Regulations 2016

**BMW Rallycross:** Complying to MDA Technical Regulations 2016

Rally Cars 2 wd: Complying to MSA Safety Regulations for Rallycross.

Historic 2wd Rallycross: Complying to MSA Safety Regulations for Rallycross.

Class A Supermodified

Class B Modified

Class C Classic Minicross

#### Rally Car Class

(Not part of the Championship)

- 11. The entry list opens on publication of these Supplementary Regulations and closes on 17<sup>th</sup> June 2016. The entry fee is £370 (or £220 for single day entry). Any driver who may be eligible for more than one class may enter both classes with an entry fee of £500. Invited non Championship drivers from CKMC & CCC £270. All entries must be made on the official entry form. Payment will be made by Cheque Postal Order to BARC Wales.
- 12. In the event of a competitor cancelling there must be a letter or e-mail to the Entry Sec. before the 24<sup>th</sup> of June for a full refund. If the cancelation is after the 24<sup>th</sup> June there will be NO REFUND
- 13. If the event is cancelled or postponed, entry fees will be refunded less £10 administration costs in accordance with MSA Regulation [H 31.1.2].
- 14. Competitor identification and timing at all events requires every competing car to be fitted with an AMB TranX 260, or in approved cases, an AMB TranX 160

  Transponder. Cars fitted with other makes or types of transponder will not be included in any practice or race results.

It is, therefore, the responsibility of each competitor to:

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- a. Fit an AMB TranX 260 Transponder in the location approved for the type/class of car.
- b. Provide the unique 7 digit Identification Number of the Transponder being used on the Entry Form for each event.
- c. Ensure the transponder is secure and in good working condition for every practice, heat and final.
- d. Notify the Secretary of the Meeting of any change of transponder being used.
- e. Replace any transponder damaged, lost or inoperative

Any competitor starting a practice, heat or final with an inoperative transponder will not be timed until the defect has been rectified or a replacement transponder has been fitted.

- 15. Competitors will be identified by competition numbers which will be allocated (but not supplied) by the organisers (see MSA Regulation [S 9.2.5]. Numbers must be displayed on both sides of the competing car. Where a car is double entered, the numbers not applicable must be completely masked. If this is not done, the MSA timekeeper may not give a time and a re-run will not be given.
- 16. The maximum entry for the meeting is 100 plus, the minimum is 50. Should any of the minimum figures not be reached, the organisers have the right to either cancel the meeting.
- 17. The minimum period of practice to be provided is to be as specified in the MSA Regulations N 5.2. Should any practice session be disrupted, or a competitor does not complete the session the Clerk of the Course shall not be obliged to resume the session or re-run sessions to achieve the MSA Regulations and the decision of the Clerk of the Course shall be final.
- 18. A maximum of 4 Qualifying Heats will be run, the minimum will be one.
- 19. All categories will start Heats in 3-2-3 format.
- 20. Start-line Procedure Drivers will be notified in the Driver's Briefing &/or Final Instructions.
- 21. Practising and Tyre Warming The practising of competing cars outside the designated course area is strictly forbidden and may result in the competitor being excluded from the meeting forthwith.
  - There are no designated practice start or tyre warming areas at this venue.
- 22. Protective Clothing MSA approved Helmets, FHR Device, Race Overalls and Gloves are required to be worn by all drivers on the circuit. See MSA Regulations Section K Blue Book. FHR are not yet a requirement in Rallycross
- 23. Camping & Entry to the Venue :- Competitor's can enter the Venue from 6.00pm on Friday the 1<sup>st</sup> July 2016. The Venue will be open 24/7 for Competitor Access BUT will be required to show your Competitor Passes for entry ! NO TICKETS NO ENTRY!
- 24. No Dogs are Allowed on site.
- 25. Paddock Parking A Paddock Plan for the parking will be issued in the final instructions. Failure to park in the designated area will result in your vehicle being asked to be re located. Each team shall provide a ground sheet which the competition vehicle must be parked on throughout servicing.
- 26. The Secretary of the Meeting will be as prescribed on the event Entry Form. All entries should be sent to the Entries Secretary with the payment in full.

27. Awards will be presented at the end of the meeting as follows:(Any award due to a competitor who fails to attend the prize-giving will be (forfeited)

1<sup>St</sup> in Class – an award

2ndin Class - an award (subject to least 3 cars Starting)

3<sup>rd</sup> in Class – an award (subject to least 6 cars Starting)

Class awards will be presented to BTRDA / IRISH competitors separately.

- 28. Provisional Results will be published on the day and the final results, if not issued on the day, will be posted on the club website
- 29. Cars will start in classes, up to the following:-

Clubman 4x4 :-	Practice	12	Heats	6	Finals	8
Super Modified :-	<b>Practice</b>	16	Heats	8	Finals	10
Production :-	<b>Practice</b>	16	Heats	8	<b>Finals</b>	10
Classic Minicross :-	<b>Practice</b>	16	Heats	8	Finals	10
BMW Mini Rallycross :-	<b>Practice</b>	16	Heats	8	Finals	10
Junior Rallycross :-	<b>Practice</b>	12	Heats	6	Finals	8
Historic Rallycross	<b>Practice</b>	12	Heats	6	Finals	8
Rallycar 2wd	Practice	12	Heats	6	Finals	8

## Classes may be amalgamated at the organises discretion.

- 30. A maximum of 4 heats will be run and the minimum will be 1. The grids for the heats will be pre determined and will be run over 4 laps. Heat Points which will contribute to the final qualifying positions only, and will be allocated as follows: Fastest 1 pt, 2<sup>nd</sup> Fastest 2 points etc. Competitors who do not record a total race time will be allocated 80 points, competitors who do not start will be allocated 90 points and competitors who are excluded may be allocated 95 points. Competitors must record at least one race time to qualify for the finals.
- 31. Grids for the Finals 6 laps will be decided by either :- Adding together the 3 lowest points scores when 4 heats are run or adding together the 2 lowest point scores if 3 heats are run or the single lowest score if only 2 or less heats are run. Each competitor will be eligible for a Final with the 1<sup>st</sup> two in each Final moving on to the rear of the grid for the next higher Final. An allowance of 5 minutes will be scheduled for refuelling.
- 32. Starting will be by the extinguishing of the Red Lights or by the dropping of a Union Flag should the lights fail. A 5 second board will be show before the Red Lights are displayed. In the event of a false start, the offending competitor will be moved to a new starting position behind the back row of the grid and the starting procedure will be recommenced.
- 33. If the whole grid has moved away successfully but a competitor is deemed to have infringed the starting procedure, that competitor will be penalised 10 seconds in addition to the recorded time. A chequered flag on the finishing line will indicate the finish.

- 34. All cars must carry the appropriate "Standard" competition numbers on each door and on the near side front corner of the roof and will be subject to the conditions of J4 of the MSA 2016 Yearbook. There is also an exemption for competitors in MSA Champ to run the yellow numbers on window.
- 35. The organisers reserve the right to refuse entries or exclude any competitor in accordance with 2016 MSA Competition Regulations H30 & H31.
- 36. The organisers reserve the right to postpone, abandon, or cancel the meeting or any part thereof.
- 37. Provisional results will be published at the end of the meeting in the Secretary's office. Protests and appeals may only be made in accordance with regulations as laid down in C5 & C6 of the MSA 2016 Yearbook.
- 38. Judges of Fact and Driving Standards Observers will be appointed to judge driving standards and incidents of contact between competitors. Penalties for offences will be first offence, a time penalty; second offence, exclusion from the heat or final; third offence, exclusion from the event.
- 39. Scrutineers will be examining the cars for presentation and Championship Decals. Cars that are poorly turned out and do not have Championship Decals displayed may fail scrutineering and may not be allowed to start in the event. There will be no refund of entry fee in this case.

### Timetable Day 1

SIGN - ON & SCRUTINEE	RING :-	7.15 am	DRIVER'S BRIEFING:-	8.45am
PRACTICE :-		9.00 am	HEAT 1 :-	10.00 am
HEAT 2 :-		11.00 am	HEAT 3 :-	12.00 pm
HEAT 4 :-		2.00 pm	FINAL :-	3.30 pm
Timetable Day 2				
RE - SCRUTINEERING	[If required]	8.00 am	WARM UP:-	9.00 am
HEAT 1 :-		9.30 am	HEAT 2 :-	10.30 am
HEAT 3 :-		11.30 am	HEAT 4 :-	1.30pm
FINALS :-		3.00 pm	PRESENTATION	5.00 pm