

Final Instruction No.1

Thank you for your entry to the Abbey Hotel in association with Casey's Topaz Midland Moto Stages Rally 2015. The seeded list is available on www.midlandmotorclub.com



Don't forget clocks go forward 1 hour

29 Mar Forward 1 hour

<u>Entries</u>

If you intend to withdraw please contact Josephine Lane-Flynn 086 8376934 /086 8358848 ASAP as we have a reserve list.

LATE ENTRIES WILL STILL BE ACCEPTED AND PLACED ON RESERVE LIST.

Parking.

No trailers/Service Vehicles are permitted in the car park of Rally HQ the Abbey Hotel or at the front footpath at the Abbey Hotel entrance or CBS Roscommon outside Parc Ferme area. The trailer Park is beside Scrutiny entrance and adjacent to Service Matters on the L1812 Curraghboy Road (Golf links road) Roscommon. (All unoccupied Trailers shall be moved and not released until after the event should they be found to be causing an nuisance) This is a warning in the interest of public safety and orderly parking. We appreciate your cooperation in this matter. In trailer park the onus is on the competitor to make secure their trailer for overnight parking as Midland Motor Club will not accept liability for loss or damage caused to property or equipment as this area will not be attended overnight.

Recce.

Sign on for Recce will be in Rally HQ the Abbey Hotel Roscommon Saturday 28th March from 08:15 to 11:30. Recce marshals will be on duty all day. You are permitted to Recce Saturday 28th March after Recce sign on between the hours 8:30 and 17:00. Pace notes will be available for sale from Third Parties. The Club has no involvement with their preparation or sale and accepts no responsibility for their accuracy or otherwise. Competitors will be allowed make pace notes on Saturday 28th March 2015 between 08.30 and 17.00. Recce stickers must be displayed on the top corner of the windscreen of the recce car. A maximum of three runs per stage is permitted and <u>no commercial vans</u> are allowed to be used. The road will be open to normal traffic, therefore the safety and rights of other road users must be respected. The speed limits must also be adhered to.

Please respect the residents on all the stage routes and road sections. It is with their good will that this Rally can take place. Please obey the rules of the road including road speed limits and any speed limit imposed on the stages by Midland Motor Club during Recce. An Garda Síochána will be active on both Recce day and Rally day.

STRICTLY NO SPEEDING ON RECCE, PENALTY OF EXCLUSION WILL APPLY. All Licences and IRDS/NES (Drivers Only) letters must be produced at paper scrutiny. Any crew not signed on for recce will be deemed as non starters.

Mechanical Scrutiny.

Please present your car for Mechanical Scrutiny at the rear of Dermot Hughes Toyota Garage- Note:- Entry shall be **one way** via L1812 Curraghboy Road only. N 53 37.570, W 8 11.243 - Scrutiny will be open 14:00 to 19:30. Your car must be placed in Parc Ferme immediately after it passes Mechanical Scrutiny.

Paper Scrutiny.

Rally Office opens at 14:00. You will have 30 mins to attend Paper Scrutiny in the Abbey Hotel Roscommon N 53 37.562, W 8 11.705 once you have finished Mechanical Scrutiny. Paper Scrutiny closes at 20:00.

Parc Ferme.

Parc Ferme is located in the CBS school grounds across the road from the Abbey Hotel entrance. N 53 37.562, W 8 11.705 There will be security on Parc Ferme all night.

Service Area.

Service Area shall be open on Sunday March 29th at 07:00. Service Area is located in Roscommon Racecourse on the N60. N 53 38 52.3, W 8 13 28.7 .We are grateful to Roscommon Racecourse for permission to use this area. Please obey Service manager and marshals.

All Competition Cars must use a large non porous Service Mat when in the Service area. Penalty for not using a mat or littering the service area: 2 minutes. Appendix 29 ARTICLE 9.1,14 & 15. Strictly No Parking on the Main Road outside service. Please dispose of all rubbish in service using the bin bags provided in your pack. We request that competitors and service crews respect this property and keep their service area tidy. Local Authority Litter Warden will be in attendance and penalties will be applied to crews who leave rubbish.

Entry to the Service Area is strictly by "Service Pass" only – You will be issued a pass in you pack. No service vehicle will be permitted without this pass.

Ground sheets are compulsory for service and must be used at all times.

Competitors attention is drawn to App2.14.1 .Windscreen and windows shall bear no advertising, with the exception of a maximum 10CM strip on the upper part of the windscreen, and, provided that this does not interfere with the visibility of the driver, an 8cm high strip on the rear window.

GCR 187.2.Cars entered by residents of any part of the United Kingdom who hold MSA Competitors Licences may carry advertising in accordance with MSA Rules when competing in events in Ireland held under MI permit.

Drivers Briefing.

Drivers briefing will take place in rally HQ the Ballroom 08:45. A random roll call of 10 crews will be made. First Car away from Parc Ferme at 09.40.

I wish all involved a safe and enjoyable event.

Yours In Motorsport

Jeremy O'Connor Clerk of the Course.