

BOURNEMOUTH & DISTRICT CAR CLUB

Present



Bovington Stages 2022 Supplementary Regulations Sunday 6th March 2022

A Qualifying Round of the

2022 ASWMC DL Motorsport Parts LTD Stage Rally Championship
2022 Hamilton Classic ACMSC Rally Championship
2022 AEMC Marsh/Bluefin Sports Stage Rally Championship

The Bovington Stages 2022 Sunday 6th March 2022

Supplementary Regulations Introduction

Bournemouth & District Car Club are now pleased to announce this years' running of the Bovington Stages, comprising of eight stages.

We would also like to thank the Armour Centre at Bovington for giving us permission to continue running the event. We will be once again supporting The ABF – The Soldiers Charity. With your support of the event since 2009 we have been able to raise nearly £30,000, you should all feel very proud and give yourself a pat on the back!

Unfortunately, due to the nature of the venue, this is a **non-spectator** event, however there will be a dedicated viewing area within the venue for mechanics, service crew and guests.

We hope that you can come and join us and enjoy a fantastic day's motor sport.

We look forward to seeing you on Sunday 6th March 2022, but if you are unable to compete then please come along and give us a hand marshalling, further details can be obtained from our Chief Marshall, Aaron Booth on 07974 557245.

The Organising Team
The Bovington Stages 2022

<u>ARTICLE 1 – Announcement</u>

1.1 Bournemouth & District Car Club will organise an Interclub Permit Multi Use Special Stage Rally, based at Bovington AWDC, on Sunday 6th March 2022.

ARTICLE 2 – Jurisdiction

2.1 Held under the General Regulations of Motorsport UK (incorporating provisions of the International Sporting Code of the FIA), and the Supplementary Regulations and any written instructions, that the organising club may issue for the event.

ARTICLE 3 – Authorisation

3.1 MOTORSPORT UK Interclub Permit Number

<u>ARTICLE 4 – Competitor Eligibility</u>

4.1 The event is open to competitors (whether Entrant, Driver or Co-driver) holding a valid MOTORSPORT UK competition licence appropriate for the event, who are fully elected members affiliated to either:

The Association of South Western Motor Clubs

The Association of Central Southern Motor Clubs

The Association of Eastern Motor Clubs

The British Armed Forces Rally Team

- 4.2 Competitors are reminded of the requirement to produce valid and appropriate Competition Licence, Club Membership cards, Championship cards and Entrants Licences (If applicable) at Documentation.
- 4.3 All vehicles must possess a valid MOT Certificate (if applicable) and a Motorsport UK Rally Car Logbook.
- 4.4 Vehicles will not be required to be taxed or insured for the public highway.

ARTICLE 5 - Championships

The event is a qualifying round of the following championships: -

The 2022 ASWMC DL Motorsports Parts Stage Rally Championship: Championship Number: 51/2022

The 2022 ACSMC Stage Rally Championship: Championship No: TBC

The 2022 AEMC Marsh/Bluefin Sports Stage Rally Championship: Championship No:

ARTICLE 5 – Timetable

The timetable for entries and the event is as follows:

Publication of Regulations Entries Open

Friday 25th February 2022 Entries Close at 23:59

Saturday 26th February 2022 Competitor Bulletin No. 1 issued

Saturday 5th March 2022 13:00 – 16:00 Scruntineering TBC

Sunday 6th March 2022 06:00 Venue opens

07:45 Venue closes for access

08:57 First car due at MTC 1

16:00 First Car finishes (approx.)

Awards Presentation 30 minutes after last car

finishes.

ARTICLE 6 - Classes & Vehicle Eligibility

6.1 The event will consist of the following classes:

2 Wheel Drive Vehicles 4 Wheel Drive Vehicles

Class A – Up to 1400cc Class E – All 4 Wheel Drive

Class B - 1401cc to 1600cc

Class C - 1601cc to 2000cc

Class D - Over 2000cc

- 6.2 The event is open to all vehicles complying with R47.1.1 & R47.1.2
- 6.3 All vehicles must comply with MOTORSPORT UK Regulations.
- 6.4 The organisers reserve the right to re-classify any vehicle where they deem it fair to do so.

ARTICLE 7 - Entries

- 7.1 Entries for the event will open on the publication of these regulations and close on **Friday 25st February 2022 at 23:59**
- 7.2 The entry fee is £260.00.
- 7.5 PLEASE NOTE THAT ALTHOUGH WE WILL ACKNOWLEDGE ALL ENTRIES THEY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNTIL FULL PAYMENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED.
- 7.6 If both members of the crew have been members of B&DCC on or before 13th January 2022 then they will be entitled to a 5% discount on their entry fee.
- 7.7 Payment is required within SEVEN days of the entry being submitted. If payment is not received within this period, then your entry maybe withdrawn from the entry list.
- 7.8 Entries will be posted as pending until full payment has been received by BACS as per the website online entry system. **PRIORITY WILL BE**GIVEN TO PAID ENTRIES NO MATTER WHAT ORDER THEY WERE RECEIVED IN.

Bank Account Lloyds Bank High Street Poole,

Account Number 03026022

Sort Code 30-96-73

PLEASE ENSURE YOU USE YOUR ENTRY NUMBER AS REFERENCE

- 7.9 Please contact the Event Secretary Sarah Christopher (or via email on entries.bdcc@gmail.com if you have any questions regarding your entry.
- 7.11 Entry fees will not be refunded to any entry that fails to start or meet the Noise Scrutineering/Documentation requirements.
- 7.12 Entries will be on a first come first serve basis except for 10 championship places, which shall be reserved and allocated at the discretion of the organisers.
- 7.13 The order of starting will be at the organiser's discretion and will be based upon information given on the entry form. No discussions will be entered into regarding the starting order of any competitor.
- 7.14 The MAXIMUM number of starters for the event is 80 paid entries plus reserves.
- 7.15 Priority will be given to fully paid entries no matter what order they are received in.

- 7.16 The MINIMUM entry for the event is 40.
- 7.17 Should 7.16 not be reached the organisers have the right to cancel the event.
- 7.18 Entries will be refunded in full should the venue be required for military manageuvres.
- 7.19 The Organiser reserves the right to refuse any entry should they wish to do so.

ARTICLE 8 - Route & Format

- 8.1 The event will take place in BOVINGTON AWDC. The route will be defined in a road book that will be issued at Documentation.
- 8.2 Noise Test, Scrutineering and Documentation will take place on the Saturday 5th March 2022, venue TBA.
- 8.3 The event will consist of 8 special stages covering up to 45 miles on sealed surface roads.
- 8.4 Any competitor not signed on 45 minutes before their due start time may be disqualified without refund and their place may be allocated to a reserve.
- 8.5 At Documentation competitors will receive a road book, any relevant additional Instructions and timecards.
- 8.6 The correct route will be defined by STAGE DIAGRAMS.
- 8.7 The event will utilise TARGET TIMING in accordance with R31.2.1
- 8.8 Competitors due time at MTC1 will be notified on Official Notice Board in the HQ at documentation.
- 8.9 On completion of each stage, Competitors will be issued with their due time at the next Stage Arrival Control by a Marshal under the supervision of the MOTORSPORT UK Timekeeper.
- 8.10 Competitors WILL be required to start stages at 30-second intervals.
- 8.11 Special Stages will be timed to an accuracy of 1 second by marshals under the supervision of a Motorsport UK Licensed Timekeeper.

ARTICLE 9 – Modifications to the General Regulations

- 9.1 R5.4.3 Only the nominated driver shall drive on any special stages.
- 9.2 Red Flags will be used during the rally and will be positioned at mandatory radio points throughout the stage.
- 9.3 R25.7.2 The starting procedure for Special stages will be via a 'Traffic Light' system. At 15 seconds to go, the RED LIGHT will show. At 10 seconds to go, the RED and AMBER LIGHTS will show. At 5seconds to go, these will be replaced by an AMBER CLUSTER, which will individually extinguish each second 5-4-3-2-1. At 0 seconds to go the GREEN LIGHT will show this will be the signal to START.

- 9.4 R30.1.1 Stages will open upon arrival of the first competitive car and close 1 minute after the due time of the last car.
- 9.5 There will be NO PENALTY FREE LATENESS between time controls.
- 9.6 R46.1.2 Vehicles must have a registration document V5 and a valid MOT certificate (as required) which must be presented at Scrutineering.

ARTICLE 10 – Results, Ties & Protests

- 10.1 Interim results will be displayed on the Official Notice Board and available online at www.vola-racing.com/rallypro/nicholls/ throughout the event.
- 10.2 Provisional results will be published within 30 minutes after the end of the event and Final results within 1 hour from the end of the event.
- 10.3 Ties will be resolved in accordance with R40.1.2
- 10.4 All Protests must be made in accordance with C5.1 and Appeals made in accordance with C6

ARTICLE 11 - Awards

11.1 Awards for the event will be presented to both the driver and codriver as follows:

1st Overall

2nd Overall

3rd Overall

1st in Class (Min 4 starters)

2nd in Class (Min 6 starters)

3rd in Class (Min 8 starters)

Best BDCC Crew

Best Channel Island Crew

- 11.2 No competitor may win more than 1 award
- 11.3 The organisers reserve the right to amend the awards list at their discretion. Once the SRs have been published and other than class awards then only additional awards can be added unless there is no finisher for that award.
- 11.4 To be eligible for the Best Club Awards competitors must have been fully elected Members of the relevant club prior to 13th January 2022.
- 11.5 Award winning competitors must be present to collect their award and failure to do so **WILL RESULT IN FORFEITURE AND TROPHIES WILL NOT BE POSTED ON TO THE CREW AFTER THE EVENT**. Such forfeiture will not apply to placing in the results.

ARTICLE 12 - Officials

12.1 The Officials of the Meeting will be:

MOTORSPORT UK Steward

Club Stewards Pete Henness/Graham Lacey

TBA

Clerk of the Course Phil Muspratt

Deputy Clerk of the Course Richard Brooks/TBA

Event Secretary Laura-Tuesday Brickwood

Event Co-Ordinator Rob Dance

CLO Paul Corbin

Chief Medical Officer: Dr Stuart Hateley

Event Safety Officer Nigel Winkworth

Deputy Safety Officer Jason Hayes

Chief Marshal Aaron Booth

Radio Co-ordinator Dick Pease

Spectator Safety Rod Coleman

MOTORSPORT UK Licensed Timekeeper Gary Nicholls

MOTORSPORT UK Licensed Chief Scrutineer John Cooper

Please DO NOT telephone officials after 21:00 hours

ARTICLE 13 - Venue, Access & Service

- 13.1 Competitors are reminded that ALL persons connected with their entry are subject to the rules and regulations governing servicing and service personnel.
- 13.2 Servicing will take place in a central location for the entire event, due to the Secure Status and space limitations of the venue
- 13.3 **SPECTATORS ARE PROHIBITED AT ALL TIMES**. However, there will be a dedicated viewing area for mechanics, service crew and guests within the venue.
- 13.4 Any competitor found servicing in any areas other than the specified Service Area WILL BE DISQUALIFIED. ALL AREAS OTHER THAN THE SERVICE AREA ARE OUT OF BOUNDS.
- 13.5 Any person(s) found in areas deemed out of bounds shall cause the entry with which they are associated, or have entered the venue, to be deemed as in contravention of Article 13.4 and may be subject to penalty (up to and including disqualification).

- 13.6 PERSUANT TO GR. J5.13.1 –J.5.13.8 MOTORSPORT UK have confirmed the use of fuel up to but not exceeding that permitted by FIA Appendix J, Article 252, Article 9 (maximum 102 Octane).
- 13.7 Petrol & Water will not be available at the Service Area.
- 13.8 Hot food & drink will be available throughout the day at the Service Area.
- 13.9 Any person found using any Quad Bike, Moped, Motorcycle, Bicycles, Balance Boards, and the like. in the Service Area will be penalised as per SR13.1
- 13.10 Competitors are reminded of the requirements under the Health & Safety at Work Act regarding the refuelling of vehicles.
- 13.11 All entrants must ensure that all persons connected with their entry have read and understood the following statement: 'Every person participating in this event, whether employed or voluntary, shall take reasonable care for health and safety of themselves or other people who may be affected by his / her acts or omissions during the operation of the event.' Notes for Service Area Best Practice will be issued with the Finals and all Service Personnel are required to comply with the conditions within.
- 13.12 All servicing must be carried out on a suitable groundsheet.
- 13.13 No drilling into the concrete is permitted.
- 13.14 All spillage must be contained and removed from the site.
- 13.15 ALL SPILLAGES MUST BE REPORTED TO AN OFFICIAL OF THE EVENT IMMEDIATELY.

ARTICLE 14 – Markings & Penalties

- 14.1 Numbers must be displayed as per J4.1 numbers will be on sale at Documentation.
- 14.2 Markings will be as printed in R29.1Appendix 1
- 14.3 Penalties will be as printed in R32.2 Appendix 1
- 14.4 R32.2. c. is deemed to include hitting chicanes in order to gain an advantage and taking wrong routes at split junctions. Judges of Fact will be named on the official notice board at Rally HQ.
- 14.5 Any competitor reported to have traversed the stage in the wrong direction (R25.6—R25.6.2) will be automatically disqualified and will have their competition licences endorsed.
- 14.6 Contravention of SR13 Disqualification from Event & removal from the venue.
- 14.7 In accordance with R32.2 (a)(ii)

Not reporting or reporting OTL at any other Time Control 30 minutes

Article 15—Final Instructions & Results.

15.1 Final Instructions and results will only be sent out via email, please ensure that you provide an email address which is legible and valid.

ARTICLE 17 – Additional Information & Reminders

- 17.1 R46.1.5 All competing vehicles must carry a small spillage kit in accordance with J5.20.13
- 17.2 Competitors are strongly recommended to carry a First Aid Kit
- 17.3 Competing numbers must be in place at Scrutineering.
- 17.4 Due to Military requirements at the venue only in car cameras that have been notified to the Secretary of the Meeting and that are fitted in the car at time of being scrutineered are allowed.
- 17.5 AS THE EVENT IS TAKING PLACE ON MOD LAND THE FOOTAGE CAPTURED AT THIS EVENT WILL BE FOR PERSONAL USE AND WILL NOT BE POSTED TO ANY SOCIAL MEDIA SITES anyone found to be doing this may have entries to future events refused.
- 17.6 There is NO OVERNIGHT CAMPING AT THIS VENUE.
- 17.7 Provisional entry lists will be available via the event Internet site at www.bdcc.org.uk/bovingtonstages 7 days before the event. It should be noted that this information will be provisional only.

<u>ARTCLE 18 – Acknowledgements</u>

The organisers gratefully acknowledge the following organisations and individuals for their support and assistance to the rally:

DIO Estate Office, Bovington
LandMarc
MOTORSPORT UK
Rescue Units
Recovery Units
All the Marshals