

M.G. CAR CLUB LTD WISCOMBE PARK SPEED HILLCLIMB Saturday Sept 8th 2018

SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

- 1. The M.G. Car Club (South West Centre) will organise a NATIONAL B Status Speed Hill Climb on Saturday 8th September 2018 at Wiscombe Park, Honiton, Devon. EX24 6JE
- 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 F.I.A), these Supplementary Regulations and any written instructions that the organising club may issue for the event.
- 3. M.S.A. Permit Number: 106948
- **4.** The event is open to all fully elected members of the :
 - (a) MG Car Club
 - (b) Association of South Western Motor Clubs (ASWMC)
 Classic Marques Sports Car Club,
 Lotus Seven Club,
 Vintage Sports Car Club
- 5. All Competitors and drivers must produce a <u>valid competition licence</u> and <u>Club Membership Card</u>.
- **6.** The event is a round of the following Championships:

Classic Marques Speed Challenge	CH2018/S062
D.E.W.S. (Downton Motor Club Speed Championship)	CH2018/S052
MG Car Club Speed Championship	CH2018/S041
Northampton Motorsport Lotus Seven Club Speed Championship	CH2018/S057
Revington TR/TR Register Sprint & Hillclimb Championship	CH2018/S015
Tillicoultry Quarries Wiscombe Park Hillclimb Championship	CH2018/S035
Torbay Speed Championship	CH2018/S086

7. The programme of the meeting will be: Signing On: From approximately 0730 hrs

Scrutineering: From approximately 0745 hrs. Practice in class order: Starts at 0830 hrs.

First Timed Run: Follows the lunch break

8. Any competitor not signed on by 1000 hrs. may be excluded.

Any competitor who, because of distance or other genuine reason, finds difficulty in complying with the above times may report at a different time provided that prior permission has been obtained from the Clerk of Course.

Competitors will be permitted to enter Wiscombe Park (MR 193/185924) via the Course until 0815hrs. After that time they will be held in the Top Paddock until it is convenient to send them down the Course.

- 9. Individual times for scrutineering will not be notified. Entrants shall be responsible for obtaining the services of a scrutineer in time to practice in batches to be notified in the Final Instructions.
- 10. The length of the course is 900m (1000yds) and consists of one sharp left hander at the start, a sweeping gradient leading to several fast bends which end with a RH hairpin leading onto a straight, ending with a LH hairpin with the finish just beyond. The average gradient is 1 in 13.6 and the steepest part is 1 in 6.9. The surface is sealed tarmacadam.

11. The event will consist of classes as follows:

- Class 1. (a) Vintage cars, sports saloons and touring cars pre 1931.
 - (b) Sports saloons and touring cars pre 1941.
- Class 2. (a) Pre 1955 Std & Mod, sports cars up to 750cc.
 - (b) Pre 1955 Std & Mod, sports cars 751-1100cc un-s/c and up to 750cc s/c
 - (c) Pre 1955 Std & Mod, sports cars 1101-1500cc un-s/c and up to 1100cc s/c
 - (d) Pre 1955 Std & Mod, sports cars 1501-2000cc un-s/c and up to 1500cc s/c
 - (e) Pre 1955 Std & Mod, sports cars 2001cc and over un-s/c and up to 2000cc s/c
 - (f) Pre 1955 Racing sports racing and hill climb specials not within classes (a) to (e)
 - currently, or originally fitted with two seats.
- Class A1. Road-Going Series Production Cars up to 1400cc
 - **A2.** Road-Going Series Production Cars over 1400cc up to 1800cc
 - A3. Road-Going Series Production Cars over 1800cc up to 2600cc
 - A4. Road-Going Series Production Cars over 2600cc
- Class B1. Road-Going Specialist Production Cars. Car engines up to 1400cc
 - **B2.** Road-Going Specialist Production Cars. Car engines over 1400cc up to 1800cc
 - B3. Road-Going Specialist Production Cars. Car engines over 1800cc and M/C engines
- Class C1. Modified Series Production Cars up to 1400cc
 - C2. Modified Series Production Cars over 1400cc up to 1800cc
 - C3. Modified Series Production Cars over 1800cc
 - C4 Modified Specialist Production Cars. Car engines & M/C engines
- Class D1. Sports Libre Cars up to 1800cc
 - **D2.** Sports Libre Cars over 1800cc
 - D3. Rally Cars
- Class E1. Racing Cars up to 1100cc
 - **E2.** Racing Cars over 1100cc up to 1600cc
 - E3. Racing Cars over 1600cc up to 2000cc
 - **E4.** Racing Cars over 2000cc
- Classic Marques Speed Championship
- Class 4. D.E.W.S. (Downton Motor Club Speed Championship)
- Class 5. Northampton Motorsport Lotus Seven Club Speed Championship
- Class 6. Revington TR/TR Register Hillclimb Championship

The organisers reserve the right to transfer a car out of the class in which it was entered if it is deemed necessary by the organisers in the spirit of these regulations.

The organisers' decisions on classification shall be final and the right is reserved to sub-divide or amalgamate classes at their discretion.

The onus of responsibility for the eligibility of competing vehicles rests with the Competitor. In the event of a dispute concerning compliance of a vehicle to the regulations, the onus will be on the competitor to satisfy the organisers, NOT the organisers to prove compliance.

12. All vehicles must comply with M.S.A. Technical Regulations as appropriate.

In addition particular notice should be taken of Section S in the 2018 MSA Yearbook : Competitors attention is specifically drawn to the requirements of :

GR S.10.1.3 which states: Road-Going Specialist Production, Modified Series Production Cars and Modified Specialist Production Cars must comply with GR K.1.6.1 or K.1.6.2 with the exception of Standard Cars as defined in GR S.11.9 where GR K.1.6.1 or K1.6.2 is recommended.

Hill Climb Super Sports Cars, Sports Libre Cars and Racing Cars must be equipped with a currently homologated FIA safety harness complying with GR K.2.1.3 or K.2.1.4

- **13. 1.** Wiscombe Ltd cannot provide the infrastructure required by the MSA for hybrid and electric vehicles, therefore entries from these types of vehicle cannot be accepted.
 - 2. Competitors cars, support vehicles and equipment are parked in all areas of Wiscombe at their owners risk.

14. Awards will be presented in order as follows:

* Fastest Time of Day: An Award

* The Cider Apple Trophy:
 * The Don Smith Trophy:
 For the best time by an MG T-Type.
 * For the best time by an MG MMM Car

* Bristol Motor Company Cup: Best performance by an MGCC member driving an M.G. car

Ist in each Class An Award (subject to 3 starters)
2nd in each Class An Award (subject to 6 starters)
3rd in each Class An Award (subject to 9 starters)

Fastest Time by a Lady Driver: An Award

No competitor may win more than one Award with the exception of the Fastest Time by a Lady driver. MG Trophy's and Cup awards take precedent over class position.

- 15. The entry list opens with the publication of these regulations and closes finally on **Sun 2nd September 2018**. The entry fee is £80. Entries must be made on the official entry form and be accompanied by the appropriate fee.*
 - 1. Cheques made payable to MG Car Club Ltd which will not be presented to the bank until the closing date. or
 - 2. Entries by e-mail or post on the official entry form and payment by BACS* into the account of: MG Car Club SW Centre: NatWest: Sort Code 52-10-48: Account No 04905091.

Entries will be acknowledged strictly in order of postal receipt with a cheque. E-mailed copies will be acknowledged once confirmation of a cheque or BACS transaction is received.

Please ensure a legible e-mail address is given in all cases.

Entry fees may be refunded as follows:

Up to closing date of entries – 2nd SeptemberUp to 5th September - Half refund:
After 5th September - No refund

In the event of cancellation the sum of £15 will be deducted from each entry for administration expenses.

Any Competitor failing to secure an entry will be notified by the Entries Secretary at or before the closing date.

16. The Entries Secretary to whom all entries must be sent is :

Bruce Weston, Paddock Lodge, Cherry Pie Lane, Sparkford, Yeovil, Somerset. BA22 7AT. 01963 440941: E-mail address: brucemweston@gmail.com

- 17. The maximum entry for the meeting is 140 including reserves. The minimum is 60. The minimum for each class is 3. Should any of the above minimum numbers not be reached, the organisers have the right to either cancel the meeting or amalgamate classes as necessary.
- **18.** Other officials are:

M.S.A. Steward : TBA Club Stewards : TBA

Clerk of Course : Bruce Weston
Secretary of the Meeting : David Mothersdill.

Deputy Clerk of Course : Jon Pittard.

M.S.A Timekeepers : South West Timekeepers : Peter Locke. Sarah Forsyth

Chief M.S.A. Scrutineer: Tony Freeman

M.S.A. Environmental Scrutineer: Gwyn Wright (with judge of fact M.S.A. Paul Wright)

Chief Medical Officer Stuart Hateley
Rescue & Paramedics Westcountry Rescue

Club Safeguarding Officer Jim Lott

^{*} When making BACS payment please make reference to: Wiscombe -Your surname and initials.

- 19. Provisional Results: Will be published as soon as possible after each class has completed its run and displayed at the results caravan adjacent to signing on. Results will be forwarded by e-mail (or post if requested) within 7 days.
- **20. Protests**: Any protest must be lodged in accordance with **GR C.5** (page 72) The appropriate fee should accompany each protest.

Appeals: Appeals should be made in accordance with **GR. C.6** (page 73).

- 21. Cars will be directed to and positioned on the start line by the Start line Officials. Cars will start singly in their own time after the green light is displayed. The method of timing will be electronic on the breaking of beams at the start and finish. The finish will be indicated by a banner over the finish line. Timing struts must be fitted in accordance with GR S10.9 (page 342)
- **22. Practice:** All competitors will have the opportunity of two practice runs. All competitors will have the opportunity to walk the hill (with care as it is the main route to the paddock) and are strongly advised to do so. The hill will close to walkers at **0820 hrs.** See also **GR S2.1.4**
- 23. Competitors will be identified by numbers which <u>will not</u> be provided by the organisers. Numbers to be in accordance with **GR S9.2.5** (page 342)

24. COMPETITORS ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO:

- **1. GR S7.1.5** (page 339) with reference to the need for a National A (Open) licence for certain car over 2000cc.
- **2. GR S10.10** (page 342) with regard to Classes A1 E3
- 3. GR J5. 21 (page 152) On-Board Cameras
- 25. Conformity: All vehicles shall conform to GR J5.17 concerning silencing Chart 5.18 Section J (110/108dB (G) at 0.5m) (pages 151 & 152)

All cars with engines running on diesel fuel will be subject to a 30% capacity reduction e.g. 2000cc diesel engines equate to 1400cc.

Non-diesel forced induction equivalent will be 140% e.g. 1000cc forced induction engines equate to 1400cc. (Except Class 2 as stated)

Cars using non-pump fuel must display a 75mm (3 inch) diameter 'Day Glo' orange disc on a contrasting background affixed to their competition number on both sides. **GR J5. 13.6** (page 150)

All other general regulation of the M.S.A. apply as written except for the following which are modified. **GR S 9.2.3**. No driver may drive more than one car in any class of more than 2 cars in the whole competition. No car may be driven by more than two drivers.

Each driver will be given two runs in the same car in each class entered, the faster run to count for the results. Additional runs may be permitted subject to time available.

Any additional timed runs allowed will not count towards results or awards.

- 27. The organisers reserve the right to restrict each driver to one entry only depending on the number of double entries received.
- 28. A red flag means complete and immediate stop. (Then proceed under C of C instruction)
- 29. Competitors are informed that some information from the Entry Form for this event will be stored in a computer system by the Entries Secretary for the use of the MG Car Club SW Centre in the administration of speed events.

All other information will be sent to you by e-mail in the "Final Instructions" during the week before the event.

NOTE: Entries will be acknowledged by e-mail OR Please enclose an S.A.E. with your entry.