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SPORTING CAR TRIAL 2017

Supplementary Regulations

- 1 Coventry and Warwickshire Motor Club Ltd and Midlands Trials Car Club will co-promote a National B and Clubman's Sporting Trial on **Sunday 22nd October 2017**.
- 2 The Meeting will be governed by the General Regulations of the Motor Sports Association Ltd., (incorporating the provisions of the International Sporting Code of the FIA), by these Supplementary Regulations and by any other written instructions that the organising club may issue for the event.
- 3 MSA Permit No. (National B and Clubman's) have been issued.
- 4 The event is a round of the REIS BTRDA and MSA Championships. It is open to all fully elected members of the organising clubs and BTRDA, NPTCC, 750 Motor Club, Southsea Motor Club, Kentish Border, Camel Vale Motor Club, Launceston and North Cornwall, Ross and District Motor Club, Peterborough Motor Club, Bristol Motor Club, Loughborough Car Club, Midland Automobile Club and the Historic Sporting Trials Association.
- 5 All drivers in the National B event must produce a valid competition licence, club membership card and championship registration card (if applicable) at signing on.

All drivers in the Clubman's event must produce a valid club membership card at signing on.
- 6 Passengers must be a member of one of the invited clubs and produce a valid Club Membership Card.
- 7 The start will be at Long Compton, Warwickshire, CV36 5JJ. Public roads will not be used to link sections. There will be at least 8 tests on private land and at least 3 runs will be allowed at each hill (weather and time permitting). The entry will be split into groups starting at different hills to enable the programme to be completed.

Scrutineering begins at 9.00. First tests start at 10.15. Any competitor not signed on by 10.15 may be excluded.
- 8 All cars will comply with the MSA Technical Regulations and with the MSA National Trials Formula, the 750 Motor Club Trials Car Formula or the Post Historic Trials Car Formula as applicable.
Tyres:
 - National B & Clubman's - any tyres listed in 2017 Blue Book Section L, List 3 complying with relevant championships.
 - Post Historic - Cars complying with T14 can as per T14.8.2 use any tyres from current and previous tyres lists.
- 9 Double drives MAY be accepted dependent on experience/passenger arrangements. PLEASE PHONE THE SECRETARY OF THE MEETING TO DISCUSS.
- 10 Awards will be presented as follows, subject to a minimum of four starters in each class. Organisers reserve the right to reallocate awards:-
 - 1st Overall – Triumph Cup
 - Passenger of Above
 - 1st in Independent Red
 - 1st In Independent Blue
 - 1st in Live Axle Red
 - 1st in Live Axle Blue
 - 1st Rookie
 - 1st Clubman's
 - 1st Post Historic Class

11. The maximum entry for the meeting is 50; if entries exceed this number, entries will be accepted on a 'first come, first served' basis. The minimum is 20; should the minimum number not be reached the organisers reserve the right to cancel the event.
12. The entry list opens on the publication of the S.Rs and closes at 12:00 noon on Thursday 19th October. Entries must be completed on an entry form and accompanied by the correct entry fee. Entries will be refunded in full with 24 hours' notice or cancellation of the event.

Send entries to: **Mike Stephens, Willow Cottage, Bradnocks Marsh Lane, Barston, Solihull, B92 0LH.** Telephone No. 01676 532337 (NOT AFTER 8pm).

13. Entry fee:

	National B	Clubman's
Before Wednesday 11 th October	£39	£30
After Wednesday 11 th October	£43	£34

Cheques payable to **Coventry & Warwickshire MC Ltd.**

14. Event Officials:
 Secretary of the Meeting – Mike Stephens
 Assistant Secretary of the Meeting - Elaine Smyth
 Clerk of the Course – Dave Oliver
 Assistant Clerk of the Course – Tristan Veale
 Scrutineer – Jim Knifton
 National B Steward – Steve Burn
 Clubman's Steward – Josh Veale
15. Provisional results will be displayed as soon as possible following the end of the event.
16. Any protests must be lodged in accordance with GR C5 although in the spirit of the meeting these are not expected.
17. Competitors will be identified by numbers provided by the organisers at signing-on. Competitors are responsible to ensure that these numbers remain clearly readable during the event.
18. Marking and penalties will be as printed in the appropriate section of the MSA General Regulations
19. All other General Regulations of the MSA will apply as written.
20. The use of motorcycles, quad bikes etc., is restricted to authorised persons only. Dogs must be kept on a lead at all times.
21. No person may drive a competing car on the site except the driver entered. No "practicing" before **or** after the event is permitted as not covered by MSA Insurance with the penalty being exclusion.
22. An effective silencer must be fitted to every vehicle.
23. Arrangements are being made for 'essential services', however, **unfortunately there will not be a catering van in attendance this year.**
24. **Final instructions will ONLY be sent out by e-mail where details are CLEARLY PROVIDED on the Entry Form.**

Coventry & Warwickshire M C Ltd. is glad to acknowledge with thanks, the kind assistance of:

- Mr Richard Slatter for the use of this venue. We ask all competitors and visitors to respect the land and property.
- All volunteer marshals and those who have given valuable advice and assistance during the organisation of this event.