



MAYO & DISTRICT  
MOTORSPORT CLUB LTD.

## LOOSE SURFACE AUTOCROSS

9<sup>th</sup> August 2020 Event Permit: 20/174

### SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

Harrington's Quarry, The Valley, Swinford, Co. Mayo

Authorised by Motorsport Ireland under permit no: 20/174

To be held under the International Sporting Code of the FIA, the General Competitions Rules of Motorsport Ireland, Appendix 86 of the current Motorsport Ireland Yearbook, these Supplementary Regulations, current HSE/government regulations and guidelines regarding Covid-19, and any further regulations which may issue. The event is organised and promoted by Mayo & District Motorsport Club CLG.

#### **1: Officials.**

**Clerk of the Course:** Sammy Carroll  
**MI Steward:** Pdraig Boylan  
**Safety Delegate:** David Jordan  
**MI Covid Officer:** Trevor O'Connell  
**Chief Scrutineer:** John Prendergast  
**Secretary:** Deirdre Burke  
**Equipment Officer:** Colin McGowan

**Assistant CoC:** John McCarthy  
**Club Steward:** Pdraic Roche  
**MI Safety Delegate:** Christy Carey

**PRO:** Lorraine Munnelly  
**Chief Marshal:** Eddie Quinn  
**Timekeeper:** Michael Jordan

#### **2: Schedule.**

**Entries open:** On publication of these Supplementary Regulations.

**Entries close:** Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> August at 5pm.

**Scrutiny:** Harrington's Quarry at 08:00 – 09:30. The venue will be signposted from Knock Airport and access to the quarry will be via this route **only**.

**N.B: PLEASE ARRIVE IN GOOD TIME AT THE VENUE AS GATES WILL BE CLOSED AT 09:15.**

For your safety, temperature checks will be in operation on entering the venue.

Any driver not signed on by **09.30** may be excluded.

**THE EVENT IS CLOSED TO SPECTATORS – NO EXCEPTIONS.**

**NO UNDER 18'S ALLOWED IN THE QUARRY UNLESS COMPETING IN THE EVENT.**

**Drivers Briefing:** 09:45

**Familiarisation:** 10:00

**Start:** 10:30

### **3: Entries.**

Entries are limited to a maximum of 60 competitors, based on a competitor + 1 per entry and to allow for the required number of marshals and officials, in order to stay within current guidelines for mass gathering. If more than 60 entries are received, a reserve list will operate on a first come first served basis. Due to COVID-19 restrictions, all Motorsport Ireland events will be restricted to competitors and service crew members who are resident on the island of Ireland, until further notice.

All competitors wishing to take part MUST Complete an **ONLINE** entry form – click on the link below or available at: <https://www.shannonsportsit.ie/evo/Entry?event=IE-MAYO-AC20>

and pay the **entry fee of €120/£110 or €85/£80 for class 6 & class 7 competitors** (Inclusive of Personal Accident Premium) **before the closing date** in order to confirm entry.

Electronic payment via bank transfer, completed by the closing date, is the primary method of payment:

**Bank Details:** Bank of Ireland, Pearse St., Ballina Co. Mayo  
**Account name:** Mayo & District Motorsport Club CLG.  
**IBAN:** IE05BOFI90527230889349  
**BIC:** BOFIE2D

**VERY IMPORTANT: Please ensure to include your name in the reference field of the payment.**

**Enquires Secretary:** Deirdre Burke. **Email:** deirdreburkemmc@gmail.com **Tel:** 087 2380376

**Once your online entry has been received, the Event Secretary will send you Covid 19 declaration forms and indemnities which must be signed and sent back electronically to the Event Secretary, between Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> August and Friday 7<sup>th</sup> August. In order to facilitate this, please note that GCR 68 is being waived for the time being.**

A competitor who wishes to withdraw their entry must contact the Event Secretary on or before Friday 7<sup>th</sup> August, otherwise the entry fee will not be returned.

All drivers must be in possession of a valid competition licence and vehicle logbook.

### **4: Organisation.**

- All competition vehicles must pass scrutiny in accordance with Appendix 2 of MI Yearbook 2020.
- Car bodywork must be in presentable condition.
- Safety equipment MUST include a safety harness and a securely fitted 1.75 Kg minimum AFFF (or FIA Approved equivalent) Fire Extinguisher, as per Appendix 2 of the current MI Yearbook.
- Helmets and protective clothing must comply with standards set out in Appendices 2 & 5 for Autocross events in the current MI Yearbook.
- Mud flaps are obligatory on all wheels.
- Please co-operate with marshals and officials and stay in line with current social distancing guidelines in relation to Covid-19. Please remain with your vehicle while in the Service Area and do not congregate in groups around the Paddock.
- Please bring your own supply of PPE / disinfectant wipes / hand sanitizer etc for your own personal use.

#### **Multiple Drives:**

- A maximum of three drivers will be permitted per competing car. Cars being double or treble driven MUST be sanitised when changing driver.
- Sharing of helmets, balaclavas, gloves or other equipment is **not allowed** due to Covid-19, except for family members living in the same household.
- There will be a designated "Change-Over Point" for multiple drives in the Paddock for the purposes of cleaning / disinfection between runs.
- Each driver will be permitted one untimed familiarisation run during which stopping or holding back unnecessarily on the track is prohibited. This is not a competitive run.

- You must notify the event secretary if you intend to double drive with another competitor.

### **5: Competition.**

The event will consist of 3 timed runs. Each run will be of 2 laps of the track. Overtaking is not allowed. Any competitor who feels he/she has been baulked/delayed by another competitor or has been yellow flagged by a Marshal can request a re-run but must do so immediately on return to the Paddock. A re-run will only be granted at the discretion of the Clerk of the Course. Deliberate delay in taking a run as scheduled will result in forfeit of the run.

### **6: Penalties:**

Penalties will be applied as per Appendix 86, Art. 2. A time penalty of 5 seconds will apply for moving blue barrels at chicanes outside of a marked circle. **Competition cars must not leave the venue under their own power at any time, before, during or after the event. The penalty for breach of this regulation is EXCLUSION.**

**All servicing must take place on a 5m x 4m Ground Sheet. Failure to do so will result in exclusion.**

**Please comply with the direction of marshals and officials who are there for your safety and protection regarding Covid-19. A Time penalty of 30 seconds will be applied to a competitor's fastest time of the day for failure to comply with directions or instructions relating to Covid-19.**

### **7: Timing /Results.**

Timing will be to the nearest 1/100th second from a standing start to a flying finish and in accordance with Appendix 86 Art. 9.7 of the current Motorsport Ireland Yearbook. The Timekeeper's times will be judged as final and correct. Results will be based on a competitor's fastest time (including penalties) for 1 run. The competitor with the overall fastest time (including penalties) for 1 run will be the winner. If a competitor is unable to complete a timed run a run maximum of 10 minutes will be applied.

### **8: Classes.**

**Class 1:** All saloon cars up to 1450cc

**Class 2:** All saloon cars from 1451cc to 1650cc with not more than 2 valves per cylinder

**Class 3:** All saloon cars from 1451cc to 1650cc with more than 2 valves per cylinder

**Class 4:** All saloon cars from 1651cc to 2100cc

**Class 5:** All saloon cars 2101cc and over, all 4WD cars & all turbocharged saloon Cars.

**Class 6:** Intermediate class for 16 – 18-year olds, holding a "Speed National B" licence in saloon cars up to 1650cc.

**Class 7:** Junior class for 14 – 16-year olds holding a "Junior" licence in saloon cars up to 1450cc.

Please note all dual occupancy in competing cars is currently suspended and will only be reinstated when covid-19 restrictions have been lifted by the HSE and government guidelines in conjunction with approval from Motorsport Ireland Council. This means class 7 competitors CANNOT carry a parent/mentor in the vehicle during practice as outlined in Appendix 86 Art. 17.

### **9: Awards.**

- Fastest time of the day.
- 2-wheel drive of the day. (This award will not be presented should the fastest time of the day be a 2-wheel drive vehicle.
- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> in each class, provided there are 5 or more entries in each class (otherwise classes may be amalgamated) NOTE: The overall winner and 2-wheel drive winner are not eligible for class awards.
- Ladies award - Awarded to the highest placed lady not receiving any other award.
- Highest placed Mayo & District Motorsport Club Member not receiving any other award.

**Prizegiving will be held after the event in the quarry in line with social distancing and infection control precautions.**

**ELECTRONIC/ON-LINE ENTRY FORM AVAILABLE AT:**

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