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# Midland Moto Stages Rally 2012

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Saturday 24th and Sunday 25th March 2012

Organised and promoted by Midland Motor Club

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2nd Round of the  
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Championship  
& 3rd round of the  
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## ORGANISATION

1. The Midland Stages Rally is promoted and organised by Midland Autosports Ltd trading as Midland Motor Club (hereinafter called the Club).
2. The rally is a qualifying round of the Loughransigns.com Midlands East Championship.
3. The Rally will take place over a route of approx. 130 stage kilometres.
4. These regulations have been submitted to and approved by Motorsport Ireland and the necessary permit for holding the competition has been granted.

**MI Permit No: (12/041)**

### Article 1.

The Competition will be held under the International Sporting Code of the F.I.A, The General Competition Rules of Motorsport Ireland Appendix 25 and 29 of the Motorsport Ireland Yearbook and these supplementary regulations. All competitors who forward completed Entry Forms agree to be bound by these rules.

Final Instructions will form an integral part of the Supplementary Regulations.

### Article 3.

- A. Entries open on the 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2012.
- B. Entries may be made by post to event secretary. All cheques and signed indemnities must be posted to the event secretary, JOSEPHINE LANE-FLYNN, RAVENS ROCK, STONEPARK, LONGFORD.  
*\*All cheques to be made payable to Midland Motor Club.*  
Tel: 043 33 47819 / 086 8376934. NO CALLS AFTER 9pm. Email [jodylaneflynn@gmail.com](mailto:jodylaneflynn@gmail.com). Entry fee €450, Junior and Historic fee €250, including Personal Accident Insurance, Standard IRDS Insurance and Fire Extinguisher Levy. Cheques may only be post dated to the 20<sup>th</sup> March 2012.
- C. **All drivers must produce a letter of acceptance from one of the IRDS/BRDS Insurance Schemes.**
- D. The Club reserves the right to refuse an entry without assigning a reason. Closing date for entries is on 16<sup>th</sup> March 2012.

### Article 4.

- A. 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.
- B. Entries are confined to 131 main field and 20 Junior and Historic entries. Should more than the stated amount of fully paid up entries be received, entries will be allocated as follows; (i) 10 at C.O.C's discretion, (ii) Priority for entries for the Loughransigns.com Midlands East Rally Championship as per Championship Regulations.

### Shakedown Stage:-

The Shakedown Stage is open Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March from 16:00 to 18:00 – All competitors must pass Mechanical and Paper Scrutiny before entering the Shakedown Stage. A competitor who has started the Shakedown Stage but does not start the Rally on Sunday morning shall be entitled to 2/3 of their entry fee refund.

## TIMETABLE

|                                  |   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| <b>Entries Open</b>              | 3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2012.  |
| <b>Entries Close</b>             | 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2012. (Note: all signed and completed indemnity forms and methods of payment to be received by this date). |
| <b>Final Instructions Posted</b> | Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> March 2012.  |
| <b>Entry List Published</b>      | TBA.  |

### Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> March:

|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| <b>08.30 – 11.30</b> | Recce Sign-On   |
| <b>09.00 – 17.00</b> | Recce, max. 3 runs per stage.<br>(Penalty of exclusion for exceeding this number) |
| <b>13.00 – 18.00</b> | Mechanical Scrutiny, Dermot Hughes Toyota.  |
| <b>16:00 – 18:00</b> | Shakedown Stage Open. (Paper Scrutiny must be complete)                           |
| <b>13.30 – 20.30</b> | Paper Scrutiny, Abbey Hotel Roscommon.  |

### Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March:

|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| <b>09.00</b> | Competitors Safety Briefing, HQ Ballroom (compulsory for all) |
| <b>09.40</b> | First Car Away Parc Ferme                                     |
| <b>17.00</b> | First Car Due Back Parc Ferme                                 |

### **Cost of Entry:**

€450 for Main Field and €250 for Junior and Historics, includes Personal Accident Insurance, IRDS at standard rate and Fire Extinguisher Levy.

## RALLY SERVICES

**Scrutiny / Parc Feirme /** C.B.S Roscommon Town, Co. Roscommon

**Trailer Park:** Behind Dermot Hughes Toyota adjacent to Service Matters-  
Access only L1812 Curraghboy Road .

**Service:** St. Faithleachs G.A.A. Park, Ballyleague, Lanesboro

## LIST OF OFFICIALS

|                                   |                                 |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Clerk of the Course               | Sean Cahill                     |
| Deputy C.O.C                      | Frank Clancy                    |
| Assistant C.O.C                   | Jeremy O' Connor                |
| Motorsport Ireland Stewards       | Brendan Flynn & Darren McCarthy |
| Motorsport Ireland Safety Officer | Bill Ryan                       |
| Club Safety                       | Bernie Flynn                    |
| Club Steward                      | Barry Molloy                    |
| Event Secretary                   | Josephine Lane-Flynn            |
| Chief Medical Officer             | Dr. Niall Walsh                 |
| Chief Marshall                    | Joe Brady                       |
| Chief Scrutineer                  | Pat Tarrant                     |
| Radio Controller                  | Bill Fitzgerald                 |
| Press Officer                     | Adrian Grealy                   |
| Results Officer                   | Angus Sealey                    |
| Competitor Liaison Officer        | Paul McLoughlin                 |
| Car Accountability                | Jimmy Halligan                  |
| Equipment Officer                 | Joe Lenehan                     |
| Chief Rescue Officer              | Frank Henehan                   |
| Road Open/Closed                  | Garry Hughes                    |
| Chief Time-Keeper                 | Richard Howard                  |

## CLASSES

|          |  |
|----------|--|
| Class 1  | Group N up to 1400cc   |
| Class 2  | Group N 1401cc to 1600cc   |
| Class 3  | Group N 1601cc to 2000cc   |
| Class 4  | Group N over 2000cc  |
| Class 5  | Group A up to 1400cc   |
| Class 6  | Group A 1401cc to 1600cc   |
| Class 7  | Group A 1601cc to 2000cc   |
| Class 8  | Group A over 2000cc  |
| Class 9  | Modified Cars up to 1451cc, 2 wheel drive, normally aspirated  |
| Class 10 | Modified Cars 1451cc to 1650cc, 2 wheel drive, normally aspirated with not more than 2 valves per cylinder |
| Class 11 | Modified Cars 1451cc to 1650cc, 2 wheel drive, normally aspirated with more than 2 valves per cylinder     |
| Class 12 | Modified Cars 1651cc to 2100cc, 2 wheel drive, normally aspirated with not more than 2 valves per cylinder |
| Class 13 | Modified Cars 1651cc to 2100cc, 2 wheel drive, normally aspirated with more than 2 valves per cylinder     |
| Class 14 | Modified Cars 2101cc to 3500cc, 2 wheel drive, normally aspirated or forced induction, as per Appendix 29. |
| Class 15 | Four-Wheel Drive whose homologation has expired and other specified cars, as per Appendix 29.              |
| Class 16 | Junior Class up to 1650cc. Driver under 26 on 1st Jan 2012   |

### Historic Classes:-

See Motorsport Ireland Yearbook 2012 Appendix 29 Articles 17 to 20.

Note Article 17.2 :- All cars must comply with the requirements of Appendix 2 of the current Motorsport Ireland Yearbook.

### Historic Vehicle and Classes

CATEGORY 1 HISTORIC CARS - Vehicles first registered from 1/1/1960 to 31/12/1967

Class B1 : up to 1000cc

Class B2 : 1001cc up to 1300cc

Class B3 : 1301cc up to 1600cc

Class B4 : 1601cc up to 2000cc Excluding all Porsche 911 and 912

Class B5 : over 2000 cc Including all Porsche 911 and 912

CATEGORY 2 POST HISTORIC CARS - Vehicles registered between 01/01/1968 and 31/12/1974

Class C1 : up to 1300cc

Class C2 : 1301 up to 1600cc.

Class C3 : 1601 up to 2000 cc

Class C4 : Over 2000cc

Class C5 : All cars having engines with both more than one camshaft and more than two valves per cylinder. All cars with a rotary engine

CATEGORY 3 CLASSIC HISTORIC CARS - Vehicles first registered between 1/1/1975 to 31/12/1981

Class D1 : up to 1300cc

Class D2 : 1301cc up to 1600cc

Class D3 : 1601cc up to 2000cc

Class D4 : over 2000cc

Class D5: All cars having engines with more than one camshaft and more than two valves per cylinder. All cars with a rotary engine.

**(Historics will compete on Stages 1 to 6 before the main field)**

**The onus is on the competitor to prove compliance in all classes.**

## AWARDS

Overalls 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Overall – 2 Trophies per Crew

Classes 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> – 2 Trophies per Crew

Highest placed mixed crew

Historics 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Overall – 2 Trophies per Crew

1<sup>st</sup> Junior Overall will receive an entry to Midland Moto Stages Rally 2013 sponsored by Wilton Waste Recycling



### Other Awards

Tony Gibbons award (highest placed Club Member not receiving Class Award)

Ciaran Kelly Award (Spirit of the Rally)

Declan Collum Award (fastest Club Member on Stage 2).

Aaron Hagan Award for the Highest Placed Midland Motor Club Crew (Junior Class)

Finnegan's Garage Award (highest placed Subaru)

# ENTRY FORM

## ENTRANT

Surname:.....

Forename:.....

Comp. Licence No:..... Tel. No:.....

Address:.....

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## Driver

Surname:.....

Forename:.....

Comp. Licence No: ..... Tel. No: .....

Address :.....

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Next of Kin .....

## NAVIGATOR

Surname:..... Comp. Licence No:.....

Forename:..... Tel. No:.....

Address:.....

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Next of Kin:..... Contact No:.....

## DETAILS OF CAR

Make:..... Model:..... CC:.....

**Year of Manufacture:**..... **Reg. No:**..... **Colour:**.....  
**Entry Class:**.....

**SERVICE CAR**  
**Make:**..... **Model:**..... **Reg. No:**.....

**Entry Fee:**    **Amt:**.....    **Cheque**    **Cash**    **Postal Order** (Please Tick)

**Correspondence to be sent to:**    **Driver** .....    **Navigator** .....    (Please Tick)

## INDEMNITY

(a) I have read the supplementary regulations issued for this event and agree to be bound by them and by the General Competition Rules and Regulations of MI including the guidelines and regulations contained in Motorsport Ireland's Code of Conduct for Children's Sport. In consideration of the acceptance of this entry or of my being permitted to take part in this event I agree to save harmless and keep indemnified the Midland Motor Club, Irish Automobile Club Ltd. t/a Royal Irish Automobile Club, Irish Motorsport Federation Ltd. t/a Motorsport Ireland and their respective officials, servants, representatives and agents from and against all actions, claims, costs, expenses and demands in respect of death, injury, loss of or damage to the person or property of myself, my driver(s), passenger(s) or mechanic(s) (as the case may be) howsoever caused arising out of or in connection with this entry or my taking part in this event and notwithstanding that the same may have been contributed to or occasioned by the negligence of the said bodies, their officials, servants, representatives or agents. Furthermore, in respect of any parts of this event on ground where Third Party Insurance is not required by law, this Agreement shall in addition to the parties named above extend to all and any other competitor(s) and their servants and agents and to all actions, claims, costs, expenses and demands in respect of loss of or damage to the person or property of myself, my driver(s), passenger(s) or mechanic(s).

My age (driver) is ..... (If applicable, state "over 18 years").

My age (co-driver) is ..... (If applicable, state "over 18 years").

(b) I declare that to the best of my belief the driver(s), passenger(s) possess the standard of competence necessary for an event of the type to which this entry relates and that the car entered is suitable and roadworthy for the event having regard to the course and the speeds which will be reached.

I declare that the use of the car hereby entered is covered by Insurance as required by the Road Traffic Act, which is valid for such part of this event as shall take place on roads as defined in the Act.

(c) I understand that should I at the time of this event be suffering from any disability whether permanent, temporary or otherwise which is likely to affect prejudicially my normal control of my automobile, I may not take part unless I have declared such disability to MI, who have, following such declaration issued a licence which permits me to do so.

(d) I undertake that at the time of the event to which this entry relates I shall be in possession of a current certificate of medical fitness. In the case of MI Licence Holders, only certificates on the official MI or FIA Medical Forms will be accepted.

(e) Any indemnity and/or declaration as prescribed by sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) above which is signed by a person under the age of 18 years shall be countersigned by that person's parent or guardian, whose full names and address shall be given. Furthermore, the parents and/or guardians of persons under 18 years of age shall grant permission to MI and the Irish Sports Council to carry out tests in accordance with the Irish Anti-Doping Rules (Rule No 139) in the following form:

"I/We hereby grant permission to MI and the Irish Sports Council to carry out tests as set out in Rule No 139 of the GCRs in accordance with the Irish Anti-Doping Rules."

**Entrant (Signature):** ..... **Parent/Guardian:** .....

(If entrant is under 18yrs)

**Driver (Signature):** ..... **Parent/Guardian:**.....

(If driver is under 18yrs)

**Navigator (Signature):** ..... **Parent/Guardian:**.....

(If navigator is under 18yrs)

**Date:** .....

**SEEDING**

**1 – 20    21 – 40    41 – 60    61 – 100    101 – 131    Junior**

                  

**RECENT RESULTS**

| <b>EVENT</b> | <b>YEAR</b> | <b>CLASS POS.</b> | <b>OVERALL POS.</b> |
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