

# **GALWAY MOTOR CLUB LTD**

## *Grass Surface Autocross*

**Saturday & Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> July 2012**

### **Rounds of the D&B Windows National Championship**

*This will be an Grass Surface Autocross to be held under the international sporting code of the FIA, the GCR'S of motorsport Ireland including appendix 85 of the current Motorsport Ireland yearbook, these supplementary regulations and other instructions that may be issued. **Motorsport Ireland Permit***

*12/098 has been issued for the event. The organizers have reserved the right to cancel or postpone the event or part of it in exceptional circumstances.*

#### **Officials**

MI Steward	Brian Keegan		
Clerk of the Course	Seamus Daly	Chief Marshall	Martin Greenwood
Dep COC	Pat Diviney	Club Steward	Ken Flanagan
MI Scrutineer	Eugene Butler	Chief Timekeeper	Alan Corrigan
Secretary	Joan Vaughan	Club Safety Officer	Kevin Keane

The event takes place at Dartfield, Loughrea, Co. Galway by kind permission from The Leahy Family. The event will be arrowed from Loughrea. GPS N53.22325 W8.47615  
Mechanical Scrutiny will be in the pit and starts at 1PM on Saturday & 10AM on Sunday.

#### **Saturday**

**Scrutiny & Check In @ 1pm**

**Drivers Briefing @ 1.45 pm**

**Practice Run @ 2pm**

**1<sup>st</sup> timed run @ 3pm Sharp**

Entries are open to all drivers whom hold a current license and log book which must be produced at scrutiny.

Entries are open on publication of these regulations

Competitors will be excluded from the results for the following offences.

- 1 Failure to wear safety belt and crash helmet of the approved type while on the course.
- 2 Failure to have appropriate type fire extinguisher in the car at all times during the event
- 3 Failure to pass scrutiny or to arrive at scrutiny after practice has begun.
- 4 Failure to obey a reasonable request from an official.
- 5 Use of spikes, studs, chains and altered tyre patterns.

#### **Scrutiny Requirements.**

All cars must pass scrutiny

All cars must be fitted with fire extinguishers of approved type

All cars must be fitted with full roll cage and have laminated windscreens.

All cars must be fitted with FIA approved seats.

Fire proof clothing must be worn as per MI regulations.

Overhead/ roof skid pans and side netting are compulsory on specials.

Seats, safety belts and helmets of approved type must be used. See specification in current yearbook and latest MI bulletins.

#### **Classes**

Class 1	Sports Cars & Saloons cars up to 1400cc with engine over driven wheels.
Class 2(a)	Saloon & Sports Cars from 1401cc to 1650cc with engine over driven wheels.
Class 2(b)	All other Saloon & Sports Cars to 1650cc.
Class 3(a)	Saloon & Sports Cars over 1650cc with engine over driven wheels.
Class 3(b)	All other Saloon & Sports Cars not qualifying for Class 1, 2 or 3(a).
Class 4(a)	Specials, Single Seaters Sports Racing Cars all Motorcycle engined cars including 4WD cars up to 2100cc. Open only to Competitors 18 years and over.
Class 4(b)	Specials, Single Seaters & Sports Racing Cars including 4WD Cars over 2100cc. Motorcycle engines not allowed. Open only to Competitors 18 years and over.
Class 5(a)	"Intermediate class" for 16 – 18 year olds, holding a "Speed National B" license in saloon cars up to 1650cc.
Class 5(b)	"Junior Class" for 14 – 16 year olds, holding a "Junior" license in saloon cars up to 1400cc.
Class 6	Optional Class for Club Members cars, unlimited cc. This class is not eligible for championship awards and points.

#### **AWARDS**

FTD Specials and FTD Saloons 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> in each class, GMC Driver, Ladies Award and Best Newcomer.

Winners of the overall award will not be eligible for class awards. Additional awards may be presented.

**Protests will only be accepted as per MI regulations. No case for force majeure will be considered once a competitor has started the event.**

**Ties except for FTD will be resolved in favour of the competitor with the smallest cc's. Failing this, the fastest first run.**

**THE CLERK OF THE COURSE HAS THE RIGHT TO REFUSE AN ENTRY without having to assign a reason.**

Event entry forms with entry fee of €90, junior/intermediate entry fee €45 per day to be returned to event secretary by Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2012:

**Joan Vaughan, Galway Motor Club, Ballyvaughan, Co. Clare. Ph (086) 8902057**

**Addendum to the Autocross Regulations:**

The event will also be a round of the Midget Car Racing Club Championship.  
Midget Car Racing Awards as per MRCCI Regulations.

**Midget Car Racing Drivers**

Each driver must complete and return an entry form, two drivers entries will be accepted in respect of each car but must be stated on the entry form which races each driver will compete in. All drivers must present a current competitions licence and medical certificate on demand.

**MIDGET RACING CAR MARKS AS PER MRCCI RULES**

**Midget Racing Car – Fence**

All drivers must attend to erect the fence before racing starts and to take down the fence when the racing is over. **No Driver is to leave venue until truck is loaded**

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**ENTRY FORM**

Name of Driver:.....Licence no:.....

Address:.....

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Phone No : .....

Make of car : ..... Model: .....CC: .....

Class entered : .....Car Number: .....

Newcomer (Yes/No) ..... Junior (Yes/No) : .....GMC(Yes/No).....

If competing in Junior Class, please specify Date of Birth: .....

Double driving with .....

(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 Galway Motor Club Ltd (Organising 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 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.

(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."

Signature (entrant) .....

Signature (driver) .....

Where the above is signed by a person under 18 years, the entry form shall be countersigned by that person's parent or guardian, whose full names and address shall be given.

Parent / Guardian .....

Address .....

Entries To: Joan Vaughan, Galway Motor Club, Ballyvaughan, Co. Clare. Ph: 086 8902057.