

# Laois Rally Sport CLUB LIMITED

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## AUTOTEST

SUNDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2019

### Round 09 of 2018/19 Hewison Trophy Championship

To be held under the International Sporting Code of the FIA, the General Competition Rules of MI, Appendix 90 of the MI Yearbook and these Supplementary Regulations.

Clerk of the Course: John Fogarty  
MI Permit No. 19/ 010

Lrsc Steward :Padraig Gorman  
MI Steward: Trevor Foster

### START: Hyland's Yard, Rosenallis Co. Laois at 11.00 am SHARP

**(Check-in from 10.00 am)**, by kind permission of Ger Hyland. All drivers must hold a valid competition licence, which must be available for inspection at the start.

### ONE EVENT LICENCES WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE START FOR THOSE WHO ARE NOT HOLDERS OF A FULL ANNUAL COMPETITION LICENCE

**PENALTIES:** The time taken for each test will be the penalty for that test, with additional penalties as follows: each initial contact with a pylon: 5 seconds, each line fault: 5 seconds. The maximum loss (including failure) on any test will be the best correct performance in class plus 20 seconds.

**NOTE THAT ALL LINES DURING A TEST MUST BE CROSSED BY A CAR'S LEADING WHEELS ONLY - i.e., STOP ASTRIDE ALL LINES. THERE IS A 5 SECOND PENALTY FOR PUTTING THREE OR FOUR WHEELS (or only ONE) ACROSS A LINE.**

**ENTRIES:** These should be sent to: *Katie Scott, Bridge Meadow Farm, Cappagh North, Portlaoise, Co. Laois* on or before Thursday 31st January 2019 (phone 086-7577613 ) (or e-mail to [katec@lightstream.ie](mailto:katec@lightstream.ie) )

Entry fees: Experts and semi-experts: €50.00.

For beginners and novices, these fees will be: €35.00.

All fees include CPA insurance premium. In all cases, €2 reduction for drivers aged 16 or 17 because of reduced personal accident insurance premium

**CLASSES:**

- A All Mini saloons
- B Front wheel drive Specials
- C Rear wheel drive Sports Cars & Specials
- D All saloons, other than Minis
- E Road going cars, including Multi-Venue cars**

More than one driver will be allowed per car. Ties will be decided by the better time on test 1. The organisers will be the sole judges of eligibility for each class.

**AWARDS:** Overall winner. 1st, 2nd in each of classes A-D, provided there are sufficient entries. 1st, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3rd in class E. 1st Novice in each of classes A-D. Best Semi-expert (overall). No competitor may win more than one award. The organisers reserve the right to amalgamate classes if necessary. Further awards may be given at the organisers' discretion.

**IMPORTANT NOTE :** COMPETITORS ARE REMINDED THAT THEY ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING GOOD ANY DAMAGE, CAUSED BY THEM OR THEIR CARS, TO PROPERTY DURING A MOTORSPORT EVENT WHICH IS NOT COVERED BY THE EVENT'S INSURERS.

**TESTS IN ALL HEWISON CHAMPIONSHIP AUTOTESTS WILL BE MUCH MORE SUITABLE FOR ROAD-GOING AND MULTI VENUE CARS THAN IN PREVIOUS YEARS. THEY WILL BE SHORTER, EASIER TO LEARN AND REMEMBER, AND MORE OPEN SO THAT DRIVERS IN CLASS E WILL BE ABLE TO ENJOY THEMSELVES.**

**PLEASE SUPPORT THIS EFFORT TO INCREASE ENTRY NUMBERS WHICH HAVE BEEN VERY LOW DURING LAST SEASON.**