



CADWELL PARK – ROADSPORTS BULLETIN

Access / Sign-On:

Access to the paddock allocated to Roadsports will be from 5.30pm on Saturday the 20th of July, early arrivals should park in the area marked "Overflow" in the Final Instructions. Non-essential vehicles should not be brought into the paddock. Signing On needs to be done electronically in advance of the meeting, please refer to the event Final Instructions for full details on completing the signing on process.

Paddock:

Roadsports have been allocated Paddock Area 8 as per the Final Instructions

Scrutineering:

This will be done physically in the Scrutineering Bay at 8.00am on Sunday morning. Once a vehicle has passed scrutineering and the driver's equipment (including 2nd drivers where applicable) has been checked and passed, the driver will be issued with a sticker that must be placed prominently on the front of the vehicle or the windscreen (for Saloon and GT cars.)

For those running in relay format, both cars must display the same race number, please also ensure you get the 2nd car in your team noise tested prior to the session. The 2nd car will then proceed as instructed from the assembly area to the pit lane where it can wait until the time for a change over.

Pit Access:

Teams and Second Drivers needing to access the pitlane will need to be present in the Assembly Area prior to your session. Personnel and Drivers may walk directly down the hill in the direction of Race Control, depending on time it may be possible to transport equipment to the pitlane via motorised means such as quadbike, golf buggy etc in which case you will be required to follow the circuit from the assembly area through the Hall Bends and Barn Corner and access the pitlane via the pit entry.

After each session teams can return to the paddock via the cut through near the Medical Centre and then up the escape road at the bottom of the mountain, golf buggies etc need to be capable of the climb.

Teams who do not pack their equipment promptly and vacate the pitlane immediately after the chequered flag, may be required to wait in the pits for the following race to finish before returning to the paddock.

Qualifying:

There will be a 25-minute qualifying session at 9.45am, for teams with two drivers both drivers must complete a minimum of 3 laps in either session. The grid will be formed by the best time set by each team in the qualifying session. **For teams running in "relay" format, only one car is permitted on track during the session, failure to adhere to this will result in exclusion.**

Briefing:

Please read this document carefully and any other relevant briefing notes that are placed on the online event noticeboard. There will also be a MANDATORY physical drivers briefing which will take place at 1.30pm in the Assembly Area please inform a member of the 750MC Team of your starting driver at the briefing.

Race Start:

The race will be a ROLLING START and there **will be a green flag lap.**

The procedure as shown in the Final Instructions is as follows:

Cars will be pre-gridded in the Assembly area then released to the grid, there will then be a 1m / 30s countdown followed by the start of the Pace lap behind a Lead Car. Once the Lead Car has returned to the pits the red lights will switch off – signalling the start of the race. Please note that should there be a deterioration of weather conditions from that in qualifying, there will be two laps behind the Lead Car.

Whilst on the Rolling Lap the Lead Car Driver or Observer or a Judge of Fact will assess the grid and if they are not satisfied that the formation is correct, they may elect to do a further Rolling Lap prior to the start to allow drivers to regain their correct positions. If after the Lead Car has pulled into the Pit Lane, the Clerk of the Course judges that the grid is not in good formation as it approaches the Startline, he may leave the Start Lights at Red. In these circumstances, all cars should proceed slowly round the circuit and stop back in position on the grid. The Start procedure will be recommenced at the 1 minute signal. It is the driver's responsibility to insure they are fully aware of the full start procedures in section 2.6 of their Championship Regulations.

Pitstops:

After 15 minutes a "PIT OPEN" board will be displayed at the start finish line, this will be shown for 3 laps.

After this teams will be permitted to make their mandatory stop and driver change (if required.) **All cars must be stationary for a minimum of 60 seconds.** Teams are responsible for timing their own pitstop.



The pitlane speed limit will be 50 km/h (31mph) We do have the ability to check pitlane speed. The penalty for excessive speed will be a "stop and go" penalty equal to 2 seconds per km/h over speed limit.

After 30 minutes a "PIT CLOSED" board will be displayed.

Teams not stopping for 60 seconds, or making their only pit stop outside of this time period will receive a time penalty. If short stopping the chief timekeeper who is judge of fact regarding pitstops will apply a penalty of the balance of the mandatory pitstop time x 2, plus an additional 30 seconds. If stopping outside the pit window a 60 second time penalty will be applied.

Engines may remain on during the pitstop.

DUE TO THE RESTRICTED NATURE OF THE CADWELL PARK PITLANE ALL CARS MUST PARK AT A 45 DEGREE ANGLE WITH THE FRONT OF THE CAR FACING TOWARDS THE PIT GARAGES. THIS APPLIES TO ALL PIT STOPS, ONCE A STOP IS COMPLETE THE CAR MUST BE PUSHED BACK BY TEAM MEMBERS (MAXIMUM 4 PEOPLE) EXERCISING AN APPROPRIATE LEVEL OF CAUTION. DURING THE RACE FAILURE TO ADHERE TO THIS WILL RESULT IN A 1 MINUTE STOP & GO PENALTY FOR EACH OFFENCE.

Drivers needing assistance in being pushed back should inform Race Administration where a staff member or marshal can be assigned to help.

Pit Penalties:

Class A: #1 S. Parkin +20 secs

Class B: #14 J. Munday + 10secs, #26 M. Burton +5secs

Class C: #195 S. Dennis + 20 secs, #3 B. Macauley + 10 secs

Class D: #22 C. Fantana + 10secs, #86 A. Anderson + 5secs

Class Stickers / Decals: Please ensure you collect your sponsorship decals and one of the official A, B, C & D class decals which are to be placed on the rear of the car, prior to going out for practice. These can be collected from Race Admin.

Awards:

Trophies will be awarded to 1st / 2nd & 3rd in each class.

There will be a prize giving approximately 45 minutes after the race, location: Podium next to Assembly.

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