

WEALD MOTOR CLUB LIMITED

The 2017 - 2018 12 Car Rally Series

Supported by Utting Estates Limited

A series of seven 12 Car Rallies
which will comprise the following events:

Friday, 20 October 2017 (Borough18 Promotion)

Friday, 10 November 2017 (Sevenoaks Promotion)

Friday, 1 December 2017 (Bexley Promotion)

Friday, 19 January 2018 (Blackpalfrey Promotion)

Friday, 16 February 2018 (Croydon Promotion)

Friday, 9 March 2018 (Eastbourne Promotion)

Friday, 6 April 2018 (Southern Promotion)

This booklet contains the Supplementary Regulations and an Entry Form for all rounds of the Championship.

INTRODUCTION

We are very pleased to announce that thanks to the generosity of Utting Estates Limited a degree of financial support will be available during this current series in order to stimulate interest for beginner crews. The introduction of 12 Car Rallies many years ago was intended to encourage newcomers into rallying and today this is still very much the principle aim. In this series beginners will be very welcome and a subsidy of £15.00 will be available on each round as a contribution towards their expenses.

The 2017 - 2018 12 Car Rally Series is a series of seven 12 Car Navigational Rallies and will comprise the following events:

Round 1	Friday, 20 October 2017 (Borough 18 Promotion)
Round 2	Friday, 10 November 2017 (Sevenoaks Promotion)
Round 3	Friday, 1 December 2017 (Bexley Promotion)
Round 4	Friday, 19 January 2018 (Blackpalfrey Promotion)
Round 5	Friday, 16 February 2018 (Croydon Promotion)
Round 6	Friday, 9 March 2018 (Eastbourne Promotion)
Round 7	Friday, 6 April 2018 (Southern Promotion)

SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

To be read in conjunction with the MSA Motor Sport Regulations (2017 & 2018 Editions as appropriate) contained within the 'MSA Competitors and Officials' Year book – the "Blue Book", copies of which are held by the Club Secretaries and can be accessed searching for MSA Yearbooks on the internet; or try

<https://www.msauk.org/assets/bluebook2017completevlow-res.pdf>

1. STATUS

All events will be 12 Car Navigational Rallies held under MSA Permits. Events will be promoted by Croydon & District Motor Club Limited, Sevenoaks and District Motor Club Limited, Borough 18 Motor Club, Blackpalfrey Motor Club of Kent Limited, Eastbourne and Ram Motor Club Limited, Bexley Light Car Club and Southern Car Club Limited.

2. JURISDICTION

The events will be governed by the General Regulations of the Motor Sports Association, incorporating the provisions of the International Sporting Code of the FIA, these SR's and any written instructions issued by the organisers.

3. PERMITS

Permits are being applied for by Weald Motor Club Limited.

4. ELIGIBILITY

The events are open to all fully paid up members of Weald Motor Club Limited (which includes members of CDMC, 7Oaks, B18, Blackpalfrey, Eastbourne, Bexley and Southern and all other Weald member clubs – Census, Chelmsford, Maidstone, B19 and North West Kent). Club membership cards will be inspected at signing-on.

5. CLASSES

Classes will be defined as follows:-

Beginner:

Neither crew member has taken part in any navigational rally.

Novice:

Neither crew member has previously won a class award or finished in the first three overall in any navigational rally.

Semi Expert:

The navigator has taken part in only one Weald 12 Car series and won a class award or finished in the first three overall in any navigational rally.

If a crew is classified as Beginner, Novice or Semi Expert at the beginning of the series they will remain so for the whole of the series.

Expert:
All other crews.

6. PROGRAMME

Entries Open - Publication of SR's
Entries Close - Wednesday PRIOR to the Meeting
Scrutineering/Documentation - 19.00 to 19.30 hours
1st Car due at the First Control at Start – 19.31 1st Car departs start - 20.01 hours

7. ROUTE

Competitors will start at 1 minute intervals - Car One leaves the start at 20.01 hours. The Total Mileage will be 40-45 miles on Maps 177/178/187/188/199, Scale 1:50,000, latest edition. Please ask the particular event Entries Secretary for precise details. The start venues will be published in the club magazines of all Weald member clubs and a flyer will be issued for each event in advance.

8. WEALD CHAMPIONSHIP

The champion Driver and Navigator will be the highest placed Beginner or Novice Crew overall with the highest points score from 5 of the 7 events.

One championship point will be awarded to each Driver and Navigator for starting each event.

One further point will be awarded for each Crew beaten on each event.

The Championship is open to all entrants who are members of Weald Motor Club (see paragraph 4 above). Registration is automatic upon entry to the first meeting entered.

ROD WRAY 12 CAR RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP

To be eligible for this championship the Driver or Navigator must be a member of Croydon & District Motor Club Limited before the start of the first event that they enter.

Three Championship points will be awarded to qualifying entrants for starting each event.

Three Championship Points, based on overall classification, will be awarded to each Driver or Navigator for each starter beaten in the Overall results.

Awards

1st Overall Driver and Navigator - Rod Wray Trophy (to be held for one year and returned to CDMC upon request)+ 2

Awards

2nd Overall Driver and Navigator- 2 Awards

3rd Overall Driver and Navigator- 2 Awards

9. ENTRIES

The maximum entry for each 12 Car Rally will be 12. The minimum entry will be 6. 4 entries will be reserved for Expert Crews until 7 days before the closing date at which time they will offered to reserves. Reserves will be accepted **but only a maximum of 12 cars can start any one 12 Car Rally.** The entry fee (paid in advance) will be £15 per Car. Entry fees have remained at £10 since 2004. Entries were nearly full for all events last season and an early entry this year is recommended and makes the organisers' job so much easier. **If you can send your entry by Email to the appropriate Entries Secretary it would be much appreciated. Entries will be confirmed by the Entries Secretary for the event once the entry fee is received.**

Entries for the Croydon promoted event to:

Peter Turner, 43 Harrow Road, Warlingham, Surrey CR6 9EY.

Work and fax: 01883 623465. Mobile: 07778 857160. Email: apt.design@btinternet.com

Entries for the Sevenoaks promoted event to

Tim Loftus, Little Mote, High Street, Eynsford, Kent, DA3 0AA.

Tel: 07799 473124 Email: tim.loftus@prisma-recruitment.com

Entries for the Borough 18 promoted event to

Roger Keene, 39 New Road, Abbey Wood, London SE2 0QH

Tel: 0208 310 2699 Mobile: 07771 714228. Mail: roger.keene@ntlworld.com

Entries for the Bexley promoted event to

Howard Shaddock, 2a Betterton Drive, Sidcup Kent DA14 4PS.

Tel: 020 8300 0861. Email: howard@shaddock.co.uk

Entries for the Blackpalfrey promoted event to
Brian Millen, 35, Chapman Avenue, Maidstone ME15 8EN
Tel: 01622 671913. Email: brian@blackpalfrey.co.uk

Entries for the Eastbourne promoted event to
Tim Smith, 14 Little Common Road, Bexhill-on-Sea, Sussex TN39 4JB
Tel: 07752 269630. Email: ermcontact@aol.com

Entries for the Southern promoted event to
Ness Linley, 2 Hillingdale, Crawley, West Sussex, RH119PG
Tel: 01293 528798. Email: Vanessa.linley@gmail.com

All entries will be dealt with in the order of receipt once the entry fee is received. Any refund of all, or any, of the Entry Fee will be at the Organiser's discretion.

10. OFFICIALS

Clerks of the Course and Stewards will be announced in the Final Instructions

Entries Secretary of the Meetings:

Croydon Event:	Peter Turner
Sevenoaks Event:	Tim Loftus
Borough 18 Event:	Roger Keene
Bexley Event:	Howard Shaddock
Blackpalfrey Event	Brian Millen
Eastbourne Event:	Tim Smith
Southern Event:	Ness Linley

All Officials/marshals will be deemed as Judges of Fact in respect of any particular event.

11. FINAL INSTRUCTIONS

These will be issued before the event by email but failing that on the night at the start venue but should be available on each club's website as soon as they are published.

12. ROUTE INSTRUCTIONS

Time Cards and some Give Ways and Black Spots will be issued at Signing On. The Route will be defined by various forms of navigation handed out at the start and along the Route as follows:

Beginners – Marked map provided 30 minutes before start time

Novices – Simplified navigation issued 30 minutes before start time

Semi-Experts - Simplified navigation in sealed envelopes which must not be opened before departure from each Control.

Experts – Full navigation in sealed envelopes which must not be opened before departure from each Control

13. RESULTS

Provisional results will be published as soon as possible after the event, subject to any protest being lodged these will become final 30 minutes after publication.

14. IDENTIFICATION

Competitors will be identified by Registration Numbers.

15. PENALTIES

These will be assessed by the 'Fail' system and the main ones are as follows:

Not reporting or reporting OTL at any Time control: 1 Fail

Visiting any control more than once: 1 Fail

Not reporting at a manned Passage Control or providing proof of visiting a Route Check: 1 Fail

Departure from a control before scheduled time 2 marks per minute before scheduled time.

Departure from a control after due time: 1 mark per minute after due time.

Various other penalties are listed in Section R chart 13 of the "Blue Book", but the penalty for (k) will be EXCLUSION and SECOND OFFENCES for (k)(m)(n)(o) will be SERIES EXCLUSION.

16. CONTROLS

TC
Time Control, these will be at the Start and the end of a Section where competitors are requested to present their Time Card to the Marshal; the Final Control will be deemed a Time Control.

PC
Passage Control, these undisclosed intermediate controls are where a competitor is required to have their Time Card marked by the Marshal as proof of passage. In the event of any Control being unmanned, record the Code letter displayed immediately in the next available box on the Time Card.

RC
Route Checks, these occur at any time on the route. Record the Code Board letters on your time card where indicated. At the end of each section, the marshal will strike through all empty boxes prior to that control. All Controls/Checks will open 15 minutes before the first car is due and close 30 minutes after the last car is due. Sample Control Boards and Code Boards will be displayed at the Start.

17. CARS

This Series is intended for normal road-going 'shopping' cars. Any car considered unsuitable will not be permitted to start - the Organisers decision will be FINAL.

The following will be checked on each event:

Lighting

No LED/HID lights are permitted unless they are a standard/factory fit.

The function of the following should be checked:

- Main Beam, Dipped Beam, Indicators and Brake Lights
- Additional spot lights should turn off when switching from main to dipped beam.

In-Car Cameras

Are NOT permitted.

Interior Trim

Check all original interior trim is present

- Interior Door Panels, Rear Seats and Carpet

Battery

Check to ensure the battery is securely fitted.

18. TIMING

Timing will be by clocks or watches, held by the Marshals at Time Controls set to BBC/British Telecom Time. Times will be recorded to the previous Whole Minute.

19. TIES

These will be resolved on the "furthest cleanest" basis and failing that by the smallest engine capacity.

20. INSURANCE

Richard Egger Insurance Services (REIS). The club has applied for a Blanket Cover Note under this Scheme for all events. This will provide competitors who need to use the Scheme with the Third Party Cover necessary to meet RTA requirements on Road Sections of the various events. The premium for each event (before any loadings) will be £15.00 (inclusive of IPT).

All applicants wishing to use the Scheme must be able to comply with all points of the REIS Declaration:

- Over 18 and held a full licence for at least 6 months.
- Not more than one fault accident in the last 3 years.
- No more than a maximum of 6 speeding points on the licence.
- No physical or mental disabilities.
- No other material facts.

If able to comply with all points competitors simply complete the form at Signing-On. No letter of acceptance is issued.

If unable to comply, obtain a Declaration Form from REIS and return it to them in sufficient time before the event to allow for a Letter of Acceptance to be issued. Faxed copies are acceptable. Peter Turner can provide contact details for REIS.

The Letter of Acceptance (with a possible loading) must be produced at Signing-On for the event.

Competitors **not** taking advantage of this Scheme **MUST** still sign the Declaration Form at Signing-On to confirm that they have extended their own Motor Insurance Cover appropriately and also sign the Entry Form which includes (ii) in the Declaration of Indemnity.

21. BEGINNER CREWS

A subsidy of £15.00 will be available to all eligible beginners and will be available to those signing on at the start of each round and actually starting

ENTRY FORM

1. Borough 18 Motor Club
2. Sevenoaks & District Motor Club Limited
3. Bexley Light Car Club
4. Blackpalfrey Motor Club of Kent Limited
5. Croydon & District Motor Club Limited
6. Eastbourne and Ram Motor Club Limited
7. Southern Car Club Limited

12 Car Rally Official Entry Form for **Round 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7**, (Please ring the Round number you are entering) of the 2017- 2018 12 Car Rally Series running on **Friday, 20 October 2017 (B18), 10 November 2017 (7Oaks), 1 December 2017 (Bexley), 19 January 2018 (Blackpalfrey), 16 February 2018 (CDMC), 9 March 2019 (Eastbourne), 6 April 2018 (Southern).**

Please send this entry form with the £15 entry fee to the Secretary of each event (See paragraph 8 above)

Driver's Name

Address

.....Postcode.....

Tel No..... Email please.....(Please PRINT)

Navigator's Name

Address.....

.....Postcode.....

Tel No. Email please.....(Please PRINT)

EXPERT / SEMI EXPERT/ NOVICE / BEGINNER (please select one)

Car Make/Model..... C.C.

Registration No. Colour

Insurance

Will be using the REIS facility

Private Insurance – Company Name

Policy No.

Please give these details for who can be contacted in the event of an accident.

Name

Address

Tel No.

CONTINUED OVERLEAF

Please sign the following **Declaration of Indemnity**:

(i)

I declare that I have been given the opportunity to read the General Regulations of the Motor Sports Association and the Supplementary Regulations for this event and agree to be bound by them. I declare that I am physically and mentally fit to take part in the event and I am competent to do so. I acknowledge that I understand the nature and type of the competition and the potential risk inherent with motor sport and agree to accept that risk. Further I understand that all persons having any connection with the promotion and/or organisation and/or conduct of the event are insured against loss or injury caused through their negligence.

(ii)

I declare that the use of the vehicle hereby entered will be covered by insurance as required by the law which is valid for such part of this event as shall take place on roads as defined by the law.

Driver's Signature Age if under 18

Motor ClubMembership Card No.

Navigator's Signature Age if under 18

Motor Club.....Membership Card No.

Date

THIS ENTRY IS MADE WITH MY CONSENT (if aged under 18):

Parent/Guardian of DRIVER Signature

Full Name of Parent/Guardian

Relationship Tel. No:

Address

Parent/Guardian of NAVIGATOR Signature

Full Name of Parent/Guardian

Relationship Tel. No:

Address