ROB ROY HILLCLIMB CLUB CHALLENGE

ROUND 1 SUNDAY 18th March 2018



Official Rob Roy Hillclimb Logo

PROMOTED AND CONDUCTED BY THE M.G. CAR CLUB VICTORIA

SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

AUTHORITY

The Event will be held under the International Sporting Code of the FIA, the current National Competition Rules (NCR) of the Confederation of Australian Motor Sport Limited (CAMS), the Speed Event Standing Regulations, the 2018 MGCC Competition Rules, (applicable to MGCC Club event entrants), these Supplementary Regulations, and any Further Regulations or Bulletins that may be issued, and will be subject to **CAMS PERMIT NO:** 318/1803/05

The Event will be conducted under and in accordance with the CAMS OH&S and Risk Management Policies, which can be found at www.cams.com.au.

PROMOTER

The Event will be Promoted and Organised by the M.G. Car Club Victoria, c/- P.O. Box 1309 Waverley Gardens Vic 3174. The Competition Committee of the MG Car Club shall be the organising committee.

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EVENT DESCRIPTION

CHIEF SCRUTINEER

The Event will be a Multi-Club Hillclimb to be conducted at Rob Roy Hillclimb, Clintons Road, Smiths Gully Vic 3760 (Melway Map Ref 265 A9) on Sunday 18^{tht} March 2018, over a distance of 670 metres in a single direction, from a standing start. The event will also include a Come & Try Class for a limited number of entrants.

ENTRIES

ENTRIES OPEN WITH THE PUBLICATION OF THESE REGS AND CLOSE ON <u>TUESDAY 13th MARCH 2018</u>. THE ENTRY FEE IS \$100 (includes GST) Junior Competitors under 18 years of age can enter for the reduced fee of \$50 (incl GST)

Entry is via the CAMS Event Entry, which is available at: -

www.cams.com.au.

A good explanation of the system can be found at the following link: -

http://www.cams.com.au/get-involved/events/camsevententry

If for any reason, you are unable to enter via the **CAMS Event Entry**, please contact Kaye Thatcher on 0405-620-145 or John Kelso on 0417-398-606 for assistance and or advice.

COME &TRY ENTRIES

Come & Try Entry Fee is \$50 and Come and Try (Level 1) CAMS Licences will be available for \$25 and a single day MGCC membership if required will also be available for \$5 on the day.

Come & Try Entrants without a CAMS Lic are welcome to entry on the day.

Certain public, property, professional indemnity and personal accident insurance is provided by CAMS in relation to the Event. Further details can be found in the CAMS Insurance Handbook, available at www.cams.com.au

The Promoter reserves the right to stipulate the number of entries for this Event. The maximum number of entries shall be 105, accepted in order of receipt.

The Promoter reserves the right to refuse any entry in accordance with NCR 83 in the current CAMS Manual.

COMPETITION

- A FAMILIARITY RUN will be conducted immediately following the Drivers Briefing for Drivers who have not
 competed at Rob Roy previously. This is being done as a time-saver so we can maximise the number of runs
 on the day. Your co-operation with will be greatly appreciated.
- All runs on the day will be deemed as official, with total number of runs dependent on the number of Competitors entered and the number of track time interruptions (ie sweeping, recoveries etc) At 2.00 pm an announcement will be made as to what will be the total number of official runs for the Event.
- One issue that limits the number of runs we can achieve on the day is how quickly a Competitor enters the Return Road as this is the trigger for the start of the next competitor run. Please view "Entering the Return Road" Memorandum at the following Link. www.robroyhillclimb.com.au/forms/rob-roy-return-road.pdf
- Come & Try entrants will be provided with mentors and will run as a group at the end of each completed run. There will be no timing or results for Come & Try Entrants.

PERSONS ELIGIBLE

The Event will be open to members of clubs affiliated with CAMS who are holders of a current CAMS Level 2S/2SJ or superior Licence.

PARENTAL CONSENT

If any Competitor or Driver is under 18 years of age, the consent of his/her Parent or Guardian must appear on the Entry Form.

SCRUTINY

Scrutiny will commence at 7.00 am and conclude at 8.30 am on the day. All vehicles must be Scrutineered and passed for competition prior to participation. Current CAMS Licences, Competition Records and CAMS Log Books (if issued), associated Certificate of Description (Category 5 cars only excluding Group S and Group N), and current Club Membership Cards must be produced at scrutiny and on request during the meeting. Competitors may attend Scrutiny before doing their documentation if they wish.

DRIVERS BRIEFING

THE ATTENDANCE OF ALL DRIVERS IS COMPULSORY AT THE **DRIVERS BRIEFING TO BE HELD AT 8.30** am ON THE DAY. Drivers who fail to attend the Briefing and sign the attendance sheet may be liable for a penalty applied by the Stewards. The starting order will be advised at the Drivers Briefing, and any change to the running order during the Event will be at the absolute discretion of the Clerk of the Course. For new Competitors, a separate Briefing will be held after the Drivers Briefing to explain the start line timing procedure at Rob Roy.

There will be an additional and separate Drivers Briefing for Come & Try entrants following the main Drivers Briefing.

TIMING

Timing will be electronic, and be accurate to 1/100th of a second. Class winners will be those Competitors with the fastest time for a single run in each class. In the event of a tie, the next fastest official time of each Competitor will determine the class winner. Timekeepers will be considered Judges of Fact. Facts to be judged include departing from the course, shortening the course and failing to complete a run.

PROTESTS

Any protests must be lodged in accordance with Part XII of the NCR.

ABANDONMENT

The Promoters reserve the right to abandon, postpone or cancel the event in accordance with NCR 59 of the current CAMS Manual.

REFUELING OF VEHICLES

This may only be carried out in the designated refuelling area located in the centre lane of the Scrutiny Bay. Whilst the vehicle is being refuelled a second person must be in attendance with immediate access to an appropriate fire extinguisher. NO REFUELING IS TO BE CARRIED OUT IN THE PITS OR PADDOCK

SAFETY - CARS

The attention of Competitors is drawn to General Requirements for Cars and Drivers of the current CAMS Manual of Motor Sport, in which all vehicle requirements are listed in detail. All vehicles must comply with Schedules A & B. Vehicles must be fitted with a fire extinguisher complying with Schedule H of the current CAMS Manual. Competitors are reminded that the possession and use of Halon/BCF fire extinguishers, other than where specific approval has been given by the E.P.A., is prohibited. Fuel must be in accordance with Schedule G of the current CAMS Manual.

SAFETY - DRIVERS

Drivers must wear a helmet to a standard listed in the current CAMS Manual of Motor Sport, and be deemed by Scrutineers of the Event to be in a suitable condition for motor sport use, non flammable clothing, including cover from ankles to wrist to throat, suitable footwear, and goggles or visors with lens other than glass in open cars (see General Requirements for Cars and Drivers, Schedule D of the current CAMS Manual).

NOISE

All competing vehicles must be fitted with a device that restricts the exhaust noise level to a maximum of 95dB(A) measured at a distance of 30 metres on a drive by test under full acceleration. Vehicles may be checked during competition. Any Competitor's car that exceeds this limit will be warned. A second offence will result in expulsion from the remainder of the Event.

DAMAGE

The cost of rectifying any damage caused by a competing vehicle to the protective barriers and other infrastructure at the venue will be charged to the Driver concerned.

TYRE CLEANING

Tyre cleaning is permitted at the start. Drivers must commence their tyre cleaning with the car past the start line, and any part of the vehicle must not pass over the false start line during the tyre cleaning exercise, or that run will be forfeited and the time disallowed. Start line officials will be Judge of Fact in this regard. Drivers must signal clearly outside the window of the car to the start line officials if they wish to perform tyre cleaning.

Long burnouts utilising brakes to slow the car whilst the tyre cleaning is being done, are not permitted. Only "tyre cleaning" is permitted. Transgressors will be given a single warning by the Clerk of the Course and a further offence will result in **ALL** of the Competitor's times being forfeited and he/she will not be permitted to continue competing on the day.

TURN 2 TRACKSIDE MARKER (Referred to as the Noodle)

A noodle has recently been installed at the apex of Turn 2 and time penalties will be applied to anyone that hits the noodle, as cutting a corner shortens the course and is therefore deemed an unfair advantage.

A time penalty of 5 seconds will be applied to anybody that hits the noodle. Officials located at Turn 2 and who will be named at the Drivers Briefing will be Judges of Fact in this regard and report back through Race Control for the penalty to be applied.

COMPETITION NUMBERS

Preferred car numbers (as requested on the entry form) will be allocated in order of receipt. Numbers will be available at document check at \$3.00 each.

RADIO/TV TRANSMITTERS

Radio/television transmitters operating in the 2.4GHz or 5GHz band, eg. RaceCams, Telemetry, etc, must not be used, as this can cause interference with the finish line camera used by Race Control.

CLUB CHALLENGE CLASSES

SPORTS AND SEDAN CAR CLASSES

RRI-J Sports & Sports Sedans Up to 1000cc

RRI-A Sports & Sports Sedans 1001 to 1300cc

RRI-B Sports & Sports Sedans 1301 to 1600cc

RRI-C Sports & Sports Sedans 1601 to 2000cc

RRI-D Sports & Sports Sedans 2001 to 3000cc

RRI-E Sports & Sports Sedans 3001cc and over

RRI-F Clubman sports - all capacities

Note: : <u>Turbo/supercharged type cars within the sports and sedan car classes will have the appropriate factor of 1.7 times the engine capacity applied to determine class placement. Rotary engined cars will have a factor of 1.8 applied and a Turbo/Supercharged factor as appropriate.</u>

RACING CAR CLASSES

RRI-G Racing Cars Pre 1960 **R**RI-H Racing Cars Post 1960

Come & Try

CLUB CHALLENGE AWARDS

CLASS TROPHIES: First, second and third placings in each class will receive trophies.

CLUB TROPHY: A trophy will be awarded to the club which accumulates the most points over all of the InterClub Challenge rounds based on the following system:

Placings: 1st - 10 points; 2nd - 8 points; 3rd - 6 points; 4th - 5 points, 5th and below - 1 point

A trophy is awarded for the FASTEST TIME OF THE DAY and the FASTEST FEMALE COMPETITOR.

ACCEPTANCE OF ENTRIES

If entered via the CAMS system, acceptance will be notified by automated email, and any further information will be available on the CAMS website. Paper type entrants will receive notification of acceptance of entry via email or post in the week prior to the event. This advice will also include any additional necessary information

Note: IT IS MANDATORY FOR ALL COMPETING CARS TO BE LOCATED IN THE PIT AREA. THERE ARE TO BE NO TENDER VEHICLES OR TRAILERS IN THIS AREA WHILE COMPETITION IS UNDERWAY. After unloading they are to be parked in the trailer park on the hill on Driver's right as you come up the entrance road. Ensure that your vehicle is parked across the pit area, not facing down the hill for safety reasons. Further instructions regarding parking will be advised in the Further Regulations issued to all competitors with their Entry Acceptance.

RESULTS

These will be available on the MG Car Club website – <u>www.mgcc.com.au</u> and the Rob Roy website <u>www.robroyhillclimb.com.au</u> in the week following the event. Any competitors who wish to receive a copy of the official results either by email or normal post please advise the Event Secretary.

ALCOHOL. DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES

Any holder of a CAMS 'Competition' or 'Officials' licence (or equivalent licence issued by another ASN) may be tested for the presence of drugs (or other banned substances) and subject to a penalty (ies) for a breach in accordance with the CAMS Anti-Doping Policy and/or the CAMS Illicit Drugs in Sport (Safety Testing) Policy as published on the CAMS website. Consumption of alcohol in the paddock, pits or any section of the competition venue/course under the control of the Officials is forbidden until all competition is concluded each day. Accordingly, any holder of a CAMS 'Competition' or 'Officials' licence (or equivalent licence issued by another ASN) may also be tested for the presence of alcohol by a CAMS Accredited Testing Official (CATO) in accordance with the CAMS Standard Operating Procedure for Breath Alcohol Testing.

PASSENGERS AS INSTRUCTORS ONLY

This Event will include a Motor Sport Passenger Ride Activity (MSPRA) which shall be run under and in accordance with the CAMS MSPRA Policy. Passengers are only allowed where their role is as an 'Instructor'.

- (a) A Briefing must be attended by each Driver and Passenger (and guardians of each Passenger if Passenger is under 18 years of age) conducted by the Clerk of the Course prior to the MSPRA commencing.
- (b) Instructors must:
 - i. Be experienced and have the permission of the Clerk of Course. The suitability of the Passenger is at the discretion of the Clerk of Course.
 - Wear the same protective gear as a Driver in accordance with Schedule D of the current CAMS Manual of Motor Sport.
 - iii. Be fitted and restrained as required for each Automobile with consideration for their physical attributes.
 - iv. Complete a Passenger Ride Entry Form and disclaimer.
 - v. Drivers must fill out a Passenger Ride Entry Form to ride as a Passenger.
- (c) Vehicles and Apparel used must pass Scrutiny.
- (d) Vehicles shall only carry one Passenger at a time, unless otherwise approved by CAMS.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

7.00 am - 8.30am Entry verification and Scrutiny
8.30 am Drivers briefing
8.45 am Familiarisation run
9.00 am Commencement of competition
2.00 pm Announcement re Total Number of Runs
At completion of Official Runs Presentation of trophies