

# SOUTH EASTERN AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF SA INC RALLYCROSS 2021



## **SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS**

Rallycross SATURDAY 9<sup>th</sup> October 2021

### **1. SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS:**

To be read in conjunction with the current Motorsport Australia Manual, the Rallycross Standing Regulations, bulletins or instructions issued by the Organizers.

These Supplementary Regulations will take precedence over any item where conflicting Instructions are identified.

### **2. THE EVENT:**

The Event will be a Club Rallycross Event, known as the 'SEAC Rallycross' herein after referred to as 'the Event'.

The Event will be conducted on the Motorsport Australia sanctioned tracks on private property, being SEAC Park, Megaw Road, Compton, S.A. from the 9<sup>th</sup> of October 2021.

Course length - 1.2km. Surface type – dirt. The Event shall be in a clockwise or anticlockwise direction.

### **3. AUTHORITY**

The Event will be conducted under the provisions of the FIA International Sporting Code including Appendices and the National Competition Rules (NCR) of Motorsport Australia, The Speed Event Standing Regulations, these Supplementary Regulations and any Further Regulations and Bulletins which may be issued by the Organizers.

This Event will be conducted under and in accordance with Motorsport Australia OH&S, Motorsport Australia Safety 1st and Risk Management Policies, which can be found on the Motorsport Australia website at [www.motorsport.org.au](http://www.motorsport.org.au)

Certain public, property, professional indemnity and personal accident insurance is provided by Motorsport Australia in relation to the Event. Further details can be found in the Motorsport Australia Insurance Handbook, available at [www.motorsport.org.au](http://www.motorsport.org.au)

**PERMIT NUMBER: 521/1010/02**

### **4. SCHEDULE OF DATES:**

ENTRIES OPEN:	Upon publication of the Supplementary Regulations
ENTRIES CLOSE:	2400 (midnight) Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> of October 2021
BOOK IN:	12:00pm – 1:00pm
SCRUTINY:	12:00pm – 1:00pm
DRIVER'S BRIEFING:	1:10pm
RECONNAISSANCE LAP:	1:15pm
QUALIFYING: *	1:30pm
EVENT START:	Immediately after Qualifying

\*Qualifying: 4 cars at a time, staggered start, 2 laps including 1 joker lap  
Qualifying time = total time for 2 laps

## **5. ORGANISATION AND PROMOTION:**

The Event will be organised and promoted by the:

South Eastern Automobile Club of SA Inc  
PO Box 1551  
Mount Gambier SA 5290  
[www.seacsa.com](http://www.seacsa.com) / [info@seacsa.com](mailto:info@seacsa.com)

## **6. KEY PERSONNELL:**

Clerk of Course:	Ross Shephard	ID # 9340640	0427 095 924
Assistant:	Curtis Boyd	ID # 1504129	0417 902 182
Steward:	Peter Hearne	ID # 9884629	
	Peter Lock	ID # 9765380	
Chief Scrutineer:	Paul Height	ID # 1072334	
Medical:	TBA		
COVID Marshall:	TBA		
Event Secretary:	Amy Ryan	ID # 1703737	0405 534 252
	amesryan20@gmail.com		
	P.O. Box 1551, Mount Gambier SA 5290		

## **7. DEFINITION OF A RALLYCROSS:**

Rallycross is a type of speed competition, but is not a race, involving one to four automobiles simultaneously and conducted on a track with a combination of sealed and unsealed surfaces and/or obstacles.

## **8. PASSANGERS**

Passengers are NOT permitted for Rallycross events.

## **9. CREW ELIGIBILITY**

### Rallycross 1

Drivers must hold a minimum of a Motorsport Australia Speed licence and must be able to demonstrate previous competition in at least one Autocross, Sprint or Supersprint event held on a closed circuit (e.g. not a straight line sprint).

### Juniors

Drivers must hold a Motorsport Australia Speed Junior – Ages 14 years and up to and including 17 years Juniors may only drive a restricted class vehicle (see Technical Regulations) unless approved by the Clerk of the Course.

### Rallycross 2

Drivers will be required to hold one of the following: -

- Motorsport Australia Licences and (if not competing with a Licence eligible for racing) must have passed the Motorsport Australia On-line Licence Lecture or to have attended a face-to-face lecture:
- Speed
- Speed Junior
- A licence of superior status, or
- An equivalent status licence issued by a FIA affiliated ASN

## **10. ENTRIES:**

Rallycross Entry Fee for Juniors (age 14 to 18 years) is \$35.00 (GST inclusive)

Rallycross 1 Entry Fee for Senior (age 18 plus) is \$70.00 (GST inclusive)

Rallycross 2 Entry Fee for Senior (age 18 plus) is \$70.00 (GST inclusive)

Only fully completed entries will be accepted.

There will be no entries and payment accepted after the Entry Close date.

Participant / Competitors who do not start the Event will have their Entry Fee refunded.

Entries submitted online via Motorsport Australia <https://www.motorsport.org.au/>  
A Motorsport Australia disclaimer must be signed by each competitor / driver(s) and submitted to [amesryan20@gmail.com](mailto:amesryan20@gmail.com) or at Event Book In.

Direct bank transfers can be made to:

BSB: 105-002 Account number: 041 622 040

Please enter your surname as a reference followed by "RX" and retain a copy of the online payment receipt to be shown at Book In when requested.

(please note that personal Accident Insurance is provided).

Payment by cheque will be accepted only at the discretion of the COC or Event Secretary before close of entries. Where accepted cheques should be made payable to 'South Eastern Automobile Club of SA Inc'.

Participants are reminded of the penalties under NCR for false statements.

**Participants under the age of 18 must have written consent of Parent or Guardian to enter and participate.**

The Organisers reserve the right to refuse any entry in accordance with the NCR's.

The field will be limited to the first 60 correctly written and paid entries received by the Secretary.

Entries will be limited to 2 Drivers per vehicle.

## **11. STARTING ORDER & PROCEDURE:**

### **Starting Orders**

Each driver and automobile is considered to have come under "Starter's Orders" on arrival at the start grid. Having come under starter's orders, such driver and automobile shall be considered to have started. Failure to proceed to the allocated start line on the grid when directed to do so may involve forfeiture of the run.

### **Starting Procedure**

Automobiles will start two at a time for Rallycross 1 and four at a time for Rallycross 2 from a Rolling Start, Start procedure will be Explained at the competition.

### **Jumping the Start**

A driver starting when red lights are illuminated, or before the start flag is raised, shall be penalized 30 seconds, which is added to the driver's time for the event.

The Stewards shall have the power to increase any specified penalty and/or to apply other penalties.

## **12. RUNNING DETAILS:**

### **Heats**

Automobiles from different categories and type in Rallycross 1, will run separately in the heats, placings allocated after each heat has been run and drivers will be allocated points. Total of points over 4 heats will determine placings on the day.

Automobiles that have left the track may only return to the track when it is safe to do so, taking into account the presence of other automobiles.

Drivers who deliberately shorten the course to gain an advantage shall incur a time penalty of 30 seconds per offence.

### **Rallycross 1 and Rallycross 2**

The competition will consist of heats only and the general classification shall be based on the total number of points over the 4 heats, plus penalties, if any.

The winner will be the driver with the highest aggregate points score from all 4 heats.

Where drivers have equal points at the end of the 4 heats the higher place will be awarded to the driver who has the fastest time in heat 4.

### **Joker Route**

In each heat one of the laps must include the Joker Route. The penalty for a driver who does not take the Joker Route once will be 30 seconds.

The penalty for a driver taking the Joker Route more than once in a heat will be 30 seconds. Judges of fact will be appointed to record which automobiles pass through the Joker Route, and how many times.

## Grid

No work may be carried out on automobiles on the grid, except on the grounds of safety, and only with the approval of the Chief Scrutineer.

### Rallycross 1

The grid shall consist of Four automobiles, with left and right sides of the grid alternated as necessary in the heats, staggered start 2 x 2.

Front Wheel Drive, Rear Wheel Drive, 4WD

Heat 1	Heat 2	Heat 3	Heat 4
1 2	3 1	1 4	2 1
3 4	4 2	2 3	4 3

If there is a non-starter/s the starting position/s on the grid remains vacant. Position 1 is determined by Fastest Time in Qualifying 2 Laps, Position 2 is the second fastest time from qualifying and so on.

### Rallycross 2

The grid shall consist of four automobiles, with left and right sides of the grid alternated as necessary in heats.

Rallycross 2 - 4WD, Front Wheel Drive, Rear Wheel Drive

Heat 1	Heat 2	Heat 3	Heat 4
1 2	4 1	3 4	2 3
3 4	3 2	2 1	1 4

## Grid Positions

START LINE	
GRID 2	GRID 1
GRID 4	GRID 3

Clockwise Direction RallyX 1 & 2

RallyX 1 - Staggered Start

### **13. FINISH PROCEDURE:**

At the end of each run the Driver is to immediately decelerate the vehicle and proceed to the Pit Area via the Track Exit, **stopping at the stop sign**, before proceeding to the Pits. At all times when moving within the Pit Area and leaving the Rallycross area, the maximum speed limit is to be 10kph.

### **14. DRIVERS BRIEFING:**

A meeting of all Participants/Competitors for a Drivers Briefing shall be called as per the 'Schedule of Dates' prior to the commencement of the day's Event, by the Organisers to elucidate regulations, allot starting times etc.

**All participants in the event must attend the drivers briefing. Penalty for non-attendance will be referred to the Stewards with the recommendation of exclusion from the event.**

### **15. DOCUMENTATION AND SCRUTINY:**

Participants/Competitors must present the relevant current Motorsport Australia Competitor Licences. Drivers will be required to also present Motorsport Australia Vehicle Log Books, if applicable, and current Motorsport Australia affiliated Club Membership Cards.

Scrutiny will be conducted as per the 'Schedule of Dates' on the day of the Event, at the Venue in

the Pits Area. Social Distancing Applies.

Vehicles must comply with Schedule A and B of the Motorsport Australia Manual.

Vehicles will be scrutineered for safety, general requirements, noise and eligibility.

Any vehicle damaged during the Event will be re-scrutineered before being allowed to restart in the Event.

No vehicle will be allowed to participate with a defective exhaust.

Tyre types allowed are street tyres and semi slick type tyres. No rally or knob type's tyres allowed.

## **16. SERVICE AND REFUELLING**

Available commercial pump fuel only shall be used in accordance with Schedule G of the current Motorsport Australia Manual.

Servicing will be undertaken only in designated Pits Area.

Refueling will be undertaken only in the designated Refuel Area

Vehicle speed in the Pits Area must not exceed 10km/h, breaches will be reported to the Stewards of the Event

## **17. JUDGES OF FACT:**

In accordance with NCR 181 the following Officials are deemed to be Judges of Fact:

Officials of the Event are deemed to be Judges of Fact of the following:

- Not wearing seatbelt, helmet or safety clothing
- Failure to follow the prescribed course
- Service/Pit Area infringements
- Speeding in Service/Pit Area
- Hitting or movement of course makers
- Excessive vehicle speed

Scrutineers are deemed to be Judges of Fact of the following;

- Vehicle unsafe to start/continue
- Weight of a vehicle
- Eligibility of Vehicles
- Driver Apparel

Medical Officers are deemed to be Judges of Fact of the Medical condition

- of any Crew Member or Team Member

## **18. VEHICLE CLASS:**

Type 1 Autocross Automobiles (grid of 1 to 2) Rear Wheel Drive/Front Wheel Drive/4WD

Type 2 Rallycross Automobiles (grid of 1 to 4) Rear Wheel Drive/Front Wheel Drive/4WD

Automobiles shall be classified as follows: Category: Autocross & Rallycross.

## **19. METHOD OF SCORING:**

Timing will:

- Be carried out to an accuracy of 0.1 second;
- Commence concurrently for all automobiles in an event
- Timing equipment in use for Race Meetings will be the only official times for Results – No third party equipment will be recognised to determine results

### **Pointscores**

All Classes:-

All the heats (4) will be timed and the fastest driver in each heat will be awarded 50 points, the second fastest 45 points, the third fastest 42 points, the fourth fastest 40 points, the fifth fastest 39 points, the sixth fastest 38 points, the seventh fastest 37 points and so on. Those drivers who did not complete a heat "DNF" will be credited with a total of points equal to the number of points that the slowest driver would be given, less one point.

Supposing that all the starters in the Competition were classified, those drivers who did not start the Heat "DNS" and those drivers who were excluded "EXC" from the heat will not be credited with any points.

If a race is restarted, a Driver who started in the first or subsequent starts, but was not able to start in the race that was completed, will be shown as "DNF" instead of "DNS" and will be credited with the appropriate number of points.

Known non-starters will be omitted from the published grid sheet. After the first race in a heat has

started, a non-starter in a later race will only be replaced if his absence means that the race has fewer than three starters.

After the heats, there will be an intermediate classification according to each driver's total points scored in the Four heats.

In the event of tied positions in the intermediate classification, precedence will be given to the driver(s) who were the fastest in the 4th heat. To appear in this intermediate classification a Driver must have crossed the finish line and been duly classified in at least two heats.

Club Day Pointscore		
	Placing/Per Heat	Points
1	Fastest Time	50
2	Second Fastest	45
3	Third Fastest	42
4	Fourth Fastest	40
5	Fifth Fastest	39
6	Sixth Fastest	38
7	Seventh Fastest	37
8	Eighth Fastest	36
9	Ninth Fastest	35
10	Tenth Fastest	34
	And so on	
	DNF	Slowest driver's points less 1 point

Championship Pointscore for Series Rounds (4)	
Placing	Points
1 <sup>st</sup>	16
2 <sup>nd</sup>	15
3 <sup>rd</sup>	14
4 <sup>th</sup>	13
5 <sup>th</sup>	12
6 <sup>th</sup>	11
7 <sup>th</sup>	10
8 <sup>th</sup>	9
9 <sup>th</sup>	8
10 <sup>th</sup>	7
11 <sup>th</sup>	6
12 <sup>th</sup>	5
13 <sup>th</sup>	4
14 <sup>th</sup>	3
15 <sup>th</sup>	2
16 <sup>th</sup>	1

**Penalties:**

Penalties shall be incurred for:

Art/No.	Infringement	Penalty
4	Nonattendance, no signature on attendance document, or late attendance at documentation/scrutiny	\$100 fine at discretion of Clerk of Course
4	Failure to practice	Exclusion from meeting
11	Jumping start before red lights are extinguished	30 seconds
12	Not taking Joker Route in heats	30 seconds
12	Taking Joker Route more than once	30 seconds
12	Incidents on track	Decision of the Steward
16	Exceeding speed limit in service area	Reported to the Steward

**20. PROTEST:**

Rallycross Event protests must be lodged in accordance with the current NCR's and accompanied by the appropriate Fee.

**21. ABANDONMENT:**

If necessary, abandonment, postponement or cancellation will be in accordance with the NCR' 59 of the current Motorsport Australia Manual.

**22. AWARDS:**

Awards will be presented at the discretion of the Event Director / Clerk of Course

**23. ALCOHOL, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES:**

The holder of a Motorsport Australia Licence (or a Licence issued by another ASN) may be tested for the presence of any drug or other banned substance and subject to a penalty for a breach of the

Australian National Anti-Doping Policy and/or the Motorsport Australia Illicit Drugs in Sport (Safety Testing) Policy at [www.motorsport.org.au](http://www.motorsport.org.au).

Consumption of alcohol in the paddock, pits or any other Reserved Area is prohibited until all Competition is concluded each day. The holder of a Motorsport Australia Licence (or a Licence issued by another ASN) may be tested for the presence of alcohol by a Motorsport Australia Accredited Testing Official (CATO) in accordance with the Motorsport Australia Alcohol Policy at [www.motorsport.org.au](http://www.motorsport.org.au).

#### **24. SOCIAL MEDIA**

Social Media, the Internet and all forms of social media including text is not anonymous. Any Competitor found to transmit images or comments regarding incidents, accidents, negative remarks or other items that could be deemed to be considered sensitive will be referred to the Stewards of the Event with the recommendation of exclusion from the Event. Further information may be included within the Drivers Briefing and remind all Competitors to respect the privacy of others and use common sense.

#### **25. GENERAL**

Drivers and Pit crew are encouraged to download the COVIDSafe App, and/or the MySA Gov App. Stay at home if you have any cold or flu symptoms. Please email the club to reschedule your booking. Maintain social distancing measure 1.5 metres. Do not gather in groups. Wash your hands frequently. Dispose of any paper towels that you have used in the bin. Sanitizer is provided at various locations around the facility and pits. Please use it regularly. If you develop symptoms while at the track, you must immediately isolate from everyone other than immediate family, inform the Covid-19 officer at the track, pack up and leave.

#### **26. RESTRICTIONS**

Under no circumstances should anyone with symptoms consistent with COVID-19 attend the event. This includes any fever, respiratory symptoms, shortness of breath, sore throat, cough, fatigue, or lack of sense of smell.

Under no circumstances should anyone attend the event if they have been:

- i. overseas / Interstate where required to isolate in the previous 14 days: or
- ii. in contact with someone who has been overseas in the previous 14 days: or  
in contact with a known COVID -19 positive case in the previous 14 days