

FINAL INSTRUCTIONS



















EVENT TIMETABLE

Monday 20th October: 20:00 Seeded Entry List Released

20:00 Final Instructions Emailed

Monday 27th October: MSV Oulton Park access tickets emailed (Note: if not received by Wednesday

29th October, please check your junk box, then contact the entries secretary

ASAP

Friday 31st October: 10:00 Gates Open

13:00 Rally Pack Collection Opens

Noise Testing Opens Scrutineering Opens Signing On Opens

Competitor Garages Available

18:30 Noise Test Closes

Scrutineering Closes

19:00 Signing On Closes

21:00 Oulton Park Gates Close

Overnight Noise Curfew 18.30 to 07.45

Saturday 1st November: 06:30 Gates Open

08:00 Stage reconnaissance (via walking / cycling) closes

08:00 Competitors Briefing in Scrutineering Bay

08:10 Safety Car(s) Open Stage

08:30 SS1 Starts

09:39 SS2 Starts

11:07 SS3 Starts

12:13 SS4 Starts

13:47 SS5 Starts

14:51 SS6 Starts

16:14 SS7 Starts

17:19 SS8 Starts

18:30 SS8 Ends & MTC2 Closes

19:00 Awards Presentation in Fogarty Moss Centre (5 mins after final results)

Please note that all timings are approximate and subject to change.





PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CONCERNS ONLY CHANGES AND ADDITIONS TO, AND RE-EMPHASIS OF, THE SUPPLEMENTERY REGULATIONS.

1. INTRODUCTION

Bolton-le-Moors Car Club thanks you for your entry to the Salford Van Hire Neil Howard Stages Rally 2025 and looks forward to your participation in this, the 38th running of the Neil Howard Stages and 14th time at Oulton Park on the 1st November 2025.

The 2025 Salford Van Hire Neil Howard Stages will be the first round of the Protyre Circuit Rally Championship as well as a round of the ANWCC and SD34 regional association championships.

The organisers would like to extend their thanks to Salford Van Hire without whose sponsorship the rally may not have happened and to also recognise the support of Oulton Park Race Circuit and MSV.

Finally, we extend our thanks to all the volunteer marshals and officials, without whose input the rally wouldn't happen.

2. ORGANISATION

2.1 Club Contact Details:

Bolton-le-Moors Car Club: www.blmcc.co.uk Email: neilhowardstages@yahoo.com

2.2 Rally Location:

Oulton Park Race Circuit, Little Budworth, Tarporley, Cheshire, CW6 9BW

2.3 Key Organiser Contact Details:

Clerk of the Course: Jack Mather

Mobile: 07568 555242

Entries Secretary: Victoria Swallow

Mobile: 07972 355542

Chief Marshal: Ian Swallow Mobile: 07989 600764

Competitor Liaison Officers: Julie Sharples / Sheila Cawley

Mobile: 07722 316983 / 07811 765754

3. CHANGES TO SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

3.1 Changes to Officials

Additions

Motorsport UK Steward: Philip Barley

Deletions

Environmental Scrutineer: Peter Clingan

3.2 Changes to Event Classes

Due to having less than the minimum entry of 6, cars in event classes 10 and 12 have been amalgamated into the correctly corresponding event class. Event class 10 will now be split between class 3, 5, and 8, depending on engine capacity. Event class 12 will now be part of class 9. This has been reflected in the entry list.

3.3 Awards Presentation and Catering

Due to a recent fire, Chequers Restaurant will sadly be closed. We will therefore instead hold the post event awards presentation in the Fogarty Moss Centre, located approximately 200m to the south-west of Chequers Restaurant. Many alternative food and drink outlets will still be available catering for all needs.





4. Motorsport UK PERMIT

Motorsport UK Event Permit Number: 204828

5. OFFICIAL NOTICEBOARD

The official noticeboard can be found via the Sportity App. Make sure you have downloaded the app. Logon details are given in the Supplementary Regulations. Please check the virtual noticeboard on a regular basis. Information will also be notified via push notification from the app. Stage diagrams, garage allocation and MTC1 start times will also be duplicated in Rally HQ.

SPORTITY

Please download the App and Log In using the password provided.

Competitors, Marshals and Officials will have access to the latest documentation, notices, amendments, bulletins and relevant information as soon as they are published.

Competitors will receive a notification of any new or amended documents.

There will also be a link to the live results throughout the day.







6. ENTRIES

6.1 Entry Packages

Six tickets will be sent out per car electronically ahead of the event. Please don't ask for anymore as we are unable to give them to you.

For clarity, the six tickets are for driver, navigator, and four service crew.

If you have not received your ticket by Wednesday 29th October, please contact the entries secretary as soon as possible.

6.2 Additional Tickets

Additional tickets can be bought direct from MSV at a 20% discount.

The discount code is available from the Entries Secretary on request.

7. ADMINISTRATIVE CHECKS

7.1 Administrative Checks

These will be completed **IN PERSON** at the event in Rally HQ. Signing on will take place on Friday 31st October between 13:00 and 19:00, and on Saturday 1st November by appointment only (please contact Clerk of the Course).

Licence spot checks will be carried out immediately after the competitors briefing, with the list of required competitors announced during the briefing. Further licence spot checks may be carried out throughout the event day.

All other administrative regulations are no longer valid.

7.2 Membership

Competitors must be able to produce a valid membership card for an eligible Motorsport UK registered motor club, if required by the organisers.

Competitors unable to produce a valid club membership will be required to join Bolton-Le-Moors Car Club for a fee of £5 for membership that expires on 31st December 2025.

8. SCRUTINEERING

8.1 Scrutineering

All cars are required to attend scrutineering and noise testing on Friday 31st October between 13:00 and 18:30.

Scrutineering will be undertaken in the following order:

- 1) Ensure rally pack has been collected (from Rally HQ) and all numbers and decals are fitted to the car (decals will be provided in rally pack). These do not have to be fitted in the queue, competitors may attach the numbers and decals in the service area if preferable.
- 2) Present car for noise test located adjacent to the scrutineering bay.
- 3) Present car for scrutineering when noise test passed. Please follow instructions of the Chief Scrutineer.
- 4) Take your process card to Rally HQ and sign on to complete the process.

Limited provision will be made for Saturday morning scrutineering. This will be sanctioned by the Clerk of the Course on an individual basis taking into consideration any mitigating circumstances. Similarly, noise scrutineering will also be available on Saturday morning for anyone who is not tested before the Friday evening noise curfew expires.

Motorsport UK stickers for Helmet and Frontal Head Restraints are available at the event, please speak to Scrutineer Martin Beamish at Noise Testing.





8.2 Noise Testing

Noise testing is located at the rear of the refuel area, behind the scrutineering bay.

8.3 Scrutineering Location

Scrutineering will be located in the Scrutineering Bay.

8.4 Auxiliary Lights

Due to the shortage of daylight hours, auxiliary lights may be required. Competitors wishing to start a stage with these lights must have them mounted on the car at the time of scrutineering.

8.5 On-Board Cameras

The entrant of any car which carries an on-board camera must have selected this on their entry form. Authorised cameras must be mounted in the car at the time of Scrutineering. Competitors wishing to use an in-car camera must indicate this within the relevant section on the entry form with the intended use of the footage.

9. SERVICING

Servicing will only be permitted in the official service area that is flat asphalt. A maximum of three vehicles and one trailer are allowed into the service area (i.e. rally car, barge and support vehicle). Ground sheets must be used. All service vehicles must carry an environmental spill kit.

The service area in front of the garages is reserved for those competitors with garages only. The fire lane must be kept clear at all times.

The area between the Special Stage Arrival Control and the Stage Start is Parc Ferme. No servicing is allowed in such area except for the cleaning of glass, lights, competition numbers, and replacing of punctured tyres, and then only by the crews of the competing car using items carried in the car.

The area immediately in-front of rally HQ and adjacent to the Oulton Park podium is reserved for officials parking.

10. GARAGES

Garages will be available from 13:00 from Friday 31st October 2025. By hiring a garage you are bound by the terms of use which are clearly displayed within the garage.

Competitors who have hired a garage must keep the doors that back on to the pit lane closed at all times. This is a safety consideration and to prevent anyone inadvertently walking onto a live pit lane. Any wires that run across this fire lane must be securely fastened down.

11. TYRE SUPPLIERS

The following tyre suppliers will be present at the event:

Protyre: Tyres can be ordered via the Protyre Motorsport Website, or telephone 01782 411001

Slicks Tyres: Tyres can be ordered by email andrewjohnknott@hotmail.com, or telephone 01142470485

12. REFUELING (SR24 AND SR25)

There is NO refuelling permitted in the service area (except from Oulton Parks Fuel Station Pumps)

Competitors are only permitted to use fuel that conforms to the definition of Pump Fuel in the 2025 National Competition Rules. Additives are NOT permitted unless specified in the Motorsport UK definition of Pump Fuel.

Two refuelling options are now available:

- 1) Self-refuelling in the refuelling zone
- 2) Pump fuel purchased from Oulton Parks Fuel Station located in the paddock





1) Self-refuelling

This must only take place in the designated re-fuel zone adjacent to the scrutineering bay. Competitors using the self-refuel area must deposit their BS standard fuel canisters in the self-refuel area between 07:30 and 08:30 on Saturday 1st November. Canisters will be tagged and logged by the Official in charge. Additional fuel canisters may be accepted after this time at the discretion of the Official in charge. Competitors are reminded that it is their responsibility to ensure the self-refuel area contains sufficient fuel for their days sport. In the event of early retirement, you must have the consent of the Official in charge to collect your canisters and you must follow their instructions in doing so. Competitors must collect their fuel cans and all associated equipment from the self-refuel zone within 30 minutes of the last car finishing the final stage of the event.

NB: As per Motorsport UK Service Area Guidelines (Annex P Section B) Refuelling should be by hand pumping, rather than hand held containers. If fuel is dispensed from hand held containers a suitable pouring spout must be used. Open pouring from hand held containers with or without the use of a funnel is not permitted.

When in the refuelling zone, relevant personnel must be wearing clothing that provides adequate protection against fire. This can be your race suit.

Fire extinguishers must be armed whilst in the refuel zone and hand-held extinguisher must be out of the car and ready for use.

A 5mph speed limit will apply in the Refuelling Zone

2) Oulton Park Fuel Station

Fuel can be purchased onsite from Oulton Parks Fuel Station located within the paddock. The Fuel Station will be operated by a member of MSV staff.

The fuel station will be open from 8am until 5pm.

Please take care when entering and leaving the fuel station site and watch out for pedestrians in the paddock.

General Fuelling Guidelines

The engine must be switched off and there must be no occupants in the rally car throughout the refuelling operation.

You must only refuel on your way out to stage, not on your way in from stage. This will allow chance for your vehicle to cool down.

No under-17s will be allowed in the refuelling zone.

Mobile phones must not be used in the refuel zone or whilst pumping from Oulton Parks Fuel Station.

13. RALLY PACKS

13.1 Identification

Each competing car will be identified by competition numbers in accordance with the NCRs. The event will supply numbers for the door on both sides of the car, each rear side window and for the bottom of the rear screen (or equivalent space on two-seater cars). These will be supplied in your pack at Rally HQ.

13.2 Rally Pack Contents

Competitors will be provided with the following items in the rally pack:

- Road Book
- Event Programme
- Competition Numbers
- Rally Plates
- Sponsors Decals
- Time Cards
- Tyre declaration form
- Fuel container yellow stickers





14. PENALTIES

Competitors are reminded of the penalties identified SR27 and SR28 of the Supplementary Regulations.

15. STAGE RECONAISSANCE / TRACK SIGHTING

Competitors are welcome to walk or cycle the stage route on the morning of the event only. Access is permitted via the start and finish control only. Please be off the stage by 07:55 at the very latest, and allow enough time to walk to the competitors briefing in the scrutineering bay at 08:00.

The use of any Vehicles, Quadbikes, Mopeds, Motorbikes, Electric Scooters etc is not permitted, though e-bikes are acceptable.

All competitors sighting the stages **MUST** wear hi-vis clothing at all times along the stage route. Event setup teams will be working during this period. Failure to follow instruction of an event official, or failure to wear hi-vis clothing during the reconnaissance will be reported to the Clerk of the Course and may be penalised in accordance with SR 28(i).

Whilst it may be convenient, please do not walk or cycle the stage route on the Friday before the event, as this causes issues from a safety perspective, and will not provide useful information as the setup is continually tweaked.

16. COMPETITORS BRIEFING

The competitors briefing will be held, in person, at 08:00, in the **SCRUTINEERING BAY**. All competitors are required to attend. There will be licence spot checks immediately after the competitors briefing, announced during the briefing.

Failure to attend the competitors briefing may result in a stage maximum for SS1.

Could all competitors please read/watch the safety information provided on the virtual notice board, specifically the following, as it is very useful information and is in the competitor's interest:

- First Competitor on Scene
- MSUK First on the Scene Video

17. LIVE RESULTS

Live Results will be available throughout the day and can be viewed in Rally HQ, on the Sportity App or via the Rallies Info website: www.rallies.info

There will also be a live social media feed on Facebook providing updates throughout the day.

18. OULTON PARK REGULATIONS

18.1 Noise Curfew

Please respect the noise curfew. Competition vehicles must not be started after 18:30 hrs, or before 07:45 hrs under any circumstances. This includes returning from scrutineering or noise testing. Any person starting or running a competition vehicle in the curfew may be disgualified from the event.

18.2 Animals

Animals or pets are not allowed into Oulton Park; doing so will lead to disqualification from the event and venue.

18.3 Service Area

The use of Quadbikes, Mopeds, Motorbikes, Electric Scooters etc, in the Service Area will lead to event disqualification.

18.4 Third Party Damage

Please remember that Motorsport Vision is extremely sensitive to any damage caused to their venues. If you have a puncture, please do not drive on the circuit, but stop and change it. Any damage caused and/or costs incurred will be the responsibility of the competitor as per SR30.





Don't forget to sign the DAMAGE DECLARATION (SR30) and return to MTC2 or the Secretary of the Meeting before leaving the venue or at the latest within 72 hours of the event. Failure to comply will be penalised under NCR Ch.13 App.8 and App.14 and may be reported to Motorsport UK for further action.

19. DECAL POSITIONING AND LOCATION

Competitors will be required to display competition numbers, official rally plates and event sponsors logos on their vehicles in the locations as follows:

- Black identification numbers in white surround on either side of vehicle (on front door).
- Orange identification numbers on e ach rear side window.
- Competition number plate on the bottom of the rear screen (or equivalent space on two-seater cars)
- Rally Plate on front of vehicle in suitable locations.

 Event sponsor door crest decal on BOTH sides of vehicle in suitable location, preferably above or below door numbers.







Rear competition number plate

Rally Plate

Door Crest Decal

Please note that door numbers, rally plates and event sponsor decals must be affixed prior to scrutineering. The rally pack containing these can be picked up prior to joining the queue, so they can be affixed in the service area if more convenient.

20. LIVE STEAMING AND VIDEO

BLMCC are delighted to announce that Special Stage are once again returning to the event, with live streaming of stages, post stage interviews, and a post event video review. As part of this, you may be asked to undertake a small in car interview between the stop line control and passage control. You will not receive any penalties from this.

21. 2025/26 CIRCUIT RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP

For those competitors who have not yet registered for 2025/26 Protyre Circuit Rally Championship then you should do so A.S.A.P. via the on-line championship registration system at Home (circuitrally.co.uk).

Registration is just £40 for Drivers and £25 for Co-drivers. Please note that Championship registration should be done in advance of your first event to be eligible to score points on that event.

If you have any championship registration queries please contact Membership Registrar Mark Wilkinson. Email registrar@circuitrally.co.uk

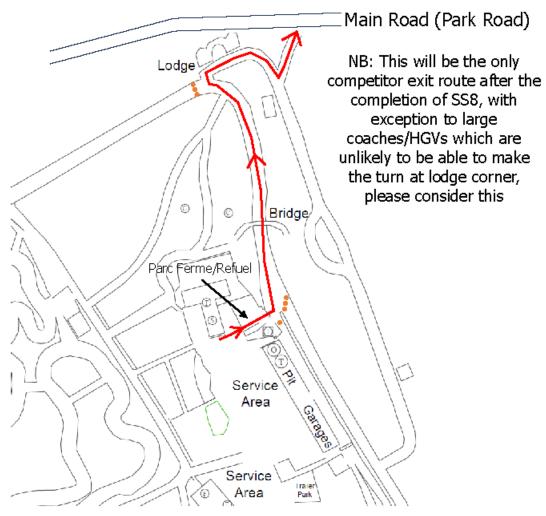
22. COMPETITOR EXIT ROUTE

As per previous years, we will once again have a competitor only exit route that will open immediately after the completion of stage 8. Please note, at this point, this will be the only exit route possible for competitors, with exception to large coaches/HGVs which are unlikely to make the turn at lodge corner, so please consider this. We tend to find the traffic has died down after the awards presentation.

The route will be printed on the back of the road book, and is detailed below:







Exit through gate before scrutineering bay, straight through parc ferme (rally refuel area) through double gates onto main straight. Left up to lodge corner, exit here, keep right, then hairpin left through exit gate onto Park Road.





23. GARAGE ALLOCATION LIST

Garage	Car No	Driver	Co-Driver				
1	7	Kiaran Hankin James Swallow					
2	31	Louis Baines	Kris Coombes				
3	43	Jack Ives	David Read				
4	90	Chris Cooper Victoria Swallow					
5	2	John Griffiths Emma Morrison					
6	21	Nigel Wetton Louise Wetton					
7	3	Stephen Simpson Chris Williams					
8	10	Wil Owen	Chloe Louise Thomas				
9	8	Mike English	Lewis English				
10	19	Adrian Spencer	Mark Hewitt				
11	14	Philip House	Nick Beaumont				
12	22	Luke Sedzikowski	Andrew Ford				
13	24	James Garner	Callum Young				
14	35	Bradley Carroll	Gareth Short				
15	47	Lee Clarke	Michael Abbott				
16	60	Richard Kay	Ryan Witty				
17	62	Dean Davies	Cameron Wheatley				
18	70	Bob Walker	Karen Phelps				
19	63	Paul Gorge	aul Gorge Charlie Stephens				
20	85	Ben Taylor	Harriet Sheard				
21	74	Peter Taylor	Cat Taylor				
22	81	Rhys Williams	Dylan Richards				
23	83	Pierre Newton	Paul Grattidge				
24	96	Paul Yeomans	Jon Shepherd				
25	97	Josh Dallimore	Kayleigh Duggan				
26	104	David Lawson	Jonathan Cragg				
27							
28		EVENT ORGANISERS					
Res 1	11	Adrian Atkinson David Riley					
Res 2	48	Andy Jones Catrin Jones					
Res 3	92	Allen Russell Harry Nicholls					
Res 4	80	Danny Cosgrove	y Cosgrove Harry Stubbs				
Res 5	13	David White	Paula Hannan				





24. IN CAR CAMERA REQUEST GRANTED FOR LISTED CARS

All in car camera requests have been granted						
Car No	Driver	Co-Driver	Car No	Driver	Co-Driver	
1	Michael Igoe	Will Atkins	49	Stephen Johansen	Colin Stephens	
2	John Griffiths	Emma Morrison	50	Stephen Amery	Martin Amery	
3 Stephen Simpson		Chris Williams	51	Jacob Glover	Garry Halford	
4	John Stone	Alex Stone	52	Ben Smith Snr	Ben Smith Jnr	
5	Joshua Davey	Tamsyn Davey	56	Adam Holt	Phil Boyle	
6	Ryan Burns	Shaun Hughes	57	Joseph Duffy	Daniel Duffy	
7	Kiaran Hankin	James Swallow	58	Alistair Hutchinson	Stjohn Dykes	
8	Mike English	Lewis English	59	Joe Merrills	George Merrills	
9	Jack Darbyshire	Ben Butterworth	60	Richard Kay	Ryan Witty	
10	Wil Owen	Chloe Louise Thomas	61	Dave Willett	John Davies	
11	Adrian Atkinson	David Riley	62	Dean Davies	Cameron Wheatley	
12	Mark Gellatly	Harriet Worth	64	Matthew Faulkner	Liam Howard	
13	David White	Paula Hannan	65	Mike Latham	Mike Fletcher	
14	Philip House	Nick Beaumont	66	Adam Hanner	Wayne Wood	
15	Nigel Worswick	Rachael Chandler	67	Kevin Williams	Andrew Davies	
16	Cristian Davies	Ethan Zdrodowski	69	Owain Thomas	Glyn Thomas	
17	Christopher Woodhouse	Lucy Wilding	70	Bob Walker	Karen Phelps	
18	Nathan Bolton	Phil Kenny	72	Jon Bray	Darren Styles	
19	Adrian Spencer	Mark Hewitt	73	Keith Anglesea	Christine Pearson	
20	Mark Holmes	Craig Simkiss	74	Peter Taylor	Cat Taylor	
21	Nigel Wetton	Louise Wetton	77	Andrew Pollard	Sam Burman	
22	Luke Sedzikowski	Andrew Ford	78	Lauren Groves	Iwan Jones	
23	Stefan Davies	Ben Duke	79	Mark Young	Jo Young	
24	James Garner	Callum Young	81	Rhys Williams	Dylan Richards	
25	Mick Johnson	Peter Pears	82	Mike Riley	Phil Gough	
26	Alasdair Stables	Neil Jones	83	Pierre Newton	Paul Grattidge	
27	Stephen Brown	Paul Stringer	85	Ben Taylor	Harriet Sheard	
28	Alfie Threlfall	Patrick Cross	86	Paul Steventon	Michael Hughes	
32	Tony Davies	Harry Walshaw	87	Jon Crook	James Crook	
33	Gordon Davies	Jack Morris	88	Kay Thompson	Jordan Joines	
34	Andrew Hutchinson	Joe Hutchinson	89	Martin Lee Quilliam	Adam Thompson	
35	Bradley Carroll	Gareth Short	92	Allen Russell	Harry Nicholls	
37	Andrew Mallinson	Harry Woods	93	Gaz Carless	Chris Ball	
38	Dave Orritt	Graeme Wood	94	Andrew Dyer	Richard Bliss	
39	lan Holt	Dan Briggs	95	David Forrester	Ben Forrester	
41	Kimberley Mather	Yvonne Mather	97	Josh Dallimore	Kayleigh Duggan	
42	Ian Woodward	Josh Woodward	98	Brendan Leonard	Duncan Leonard	
43	Jack Ives	David Read	101	Rhodri Jones	Yvonne Walton	
44	Mei Davies	Aled Edwards	102	Robert Foster	Charlotte Foster	
45	Chris Phillips	Sarah Hughes	103	Marina Miller	Iain Davidson	
46	Mick Jowers	Ben Jowers	104	David Lawson	Jonathan Cragg	
47	Lee Clarke	Michael Abbott	105	Mark Livesey	Graham Brown	
48	Andy Jones	Catrin Jones				