

# Pahaheke Rd Rallysprint 16TH February 2019



## 1. JURISDICTION

This Event is a Club Sport Advanced Rally Sprint promoted by the Dannevirke Car Club (Inc) and will take place on Saturday, 16th February 2019 on Pahaheke Road Dannevirke.

The Meeting will be held under the current Motorsport NZ National Sporting Code and its Appendices and Schedules particularly the Club Sport Standing Regulations, Appendix Five, Schedule C.

The Motorsport NZ Permit No is: TBA

## 2. MAJOR OFFICIALS

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| Clerk of Course       | : Bernie Keith        |
| Asst Clerk of Course  | : TBA                 |
| Organizer             | : Michael Mclean      |
| Motorsport NZ Steward | : TBA                 |
| Secretary of Event    | : Dianne Stewart      |
| Chief Scrutineer      | : Carl Brown (TBC)    |
| Chief Marshall        | : N/A                 |
| First Aid             | : DCC Volunteers      |
| Timing                | : Dannevirke Car Club |

## 3. THE EVENT

3.1. **Venue** The event will be held on Pahaheke and Waituna Roads, Dannevirke with documentation and scrutineering at the event HQ near 443 Waituna Rd. The course is 100% gravel.

3.2. **Length** the event is 5.8 kms long. 100% gravel. The road is in excellent condition.

### 3.3. Event Schedule

- 0745 – 0900 Documentation/Scrutineering/Set up timing and marshals etc
- 0915 Briefing
- 0930 Controlled recce run.
- 1000 First car practice.
- 1130 Run 1.
- 1600 – 1700 Course cleared and packed up

The total number of runs are dependant on force majeure on the day

3.4. **All vehicles are eligible for all runs;** there will be no elimination runs.

3.5. **Results for the day** will be the fastest of any of the runs held on the day.

3.6. **Official and Observations Runs** there will be one Recce run, a practice run and 3 timed runs. The number of runs being dependent upon the total number of entries received, and force majeure on the day.

3.7. **Return to Start Line:** each group will be held at the finish end before being sent back.

3.8. **Service Park** is in the paddock just prior to the start line. On Waituna road GPS location [-40.399200, 175.967588](#)

3.9. The **HQ Tent** will be situated on Waituna Road just prior to the Start Line.

## 4. ENTRIES

4.1. **Entries** open with the publication of these Regulations and Close on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2019. Entries postmarked or emailed after the normal closing date will be subject to late entry fee of \$30 extra (late entries will be taken up until closure of documentation on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2019

4.2. **Entry Acceptance** shall be made on the Official Entry Form online system, and to be deemed valid, must be complete in all details and accompanied by the appropriate entry fee. Acceptance will be at the Organizing Committees discretion.

4.3. **Entry Fee** will be \$150.00 per entry. **Late Entry Fee** will be \$180.00

- Please make your cheque payable to Dannevirke Car Club (Inc)
- Bank Account Details are: 03 0614 0580089 00

4.4. **Dual Entries** will be accepted, but it is the responsibility of the competitor to ensure that they are ready to start in the correct starting order to be advised, or the run will be forfeited.

4.5. **Number of Starters** will be up to 45.

4.5.1. The organizers reserve the right to abandon the event if less than 20 entries are received by the normal closing date.

5. **CLASSES** As this is also round 1 of The Engine Room Sprint Series 2019 classes have been adopted. Full class eligibility can be found at <https://www.dannevirkecarclub.co.nz/files/SERIES-REGS-2018.pdf>

- Class A 2WD 0-1400cc
- Class B 2WD 1400-1750cc
- Class C 2WD 1751cc and over
- Class D 4WD – manufactured after Jan.1st 1996 and all 4WD not eligible for Class E
- Class E 4WD – Pre-1996

6. **DOCUMENTATION AND SCRUTINEERING AUDIT**

Will be held on the day from 7.45am to 9.00am. Competitors must present themselves at documentation for the checking of documents, issuing of competitor numbers and applicable advertising material before presenting the car for audit scrutineering. Cars will not be cleared until numbers and advertising are firmly affixed in the appropriate places on the vehicle.

- 6.1. The venue for this is at the event headquarters

7. **RALLY SPRINT SAFETY REQUIREMENTS** This event is being held as a rally sprint to try and make it easier for the organisers. The structure of the day will still be similar to previous Engine Room Series events. There are a few extra requirements for the competitors - including (but not limited to):

- Must carry a passenger. Make sure they understand the safety procedures and expectations.
- Extra clothing - Balaclava and gloves. Check your overalls
- First aid kit
- 2kg fire extinguisher
- Safety triangle & SOS/OK sign (DCC can supply the SOS sign on the day)
- Tow rope

Take the time to read <http://manual.motorsport.org.nz/index.php/knowledgebase/36-2-01a-schedule-a-1/#a1-7> and ask if you have any questions.

8. **DRIVERS BRIEFING** A verbal briefing will be given at the Start Line of the venue at 9.15am. A roll call will be held, all drivers are required to attend.

9. **OBSERVATION RUN** The observation run will commence immediately after the Driver Briefing. This run will be in **CONVOY ONLY**.

10. **TIMING** Cars will start at one-minute intervals. The clocks used will be accurate to 0.1 seconds (1/10ths)

11. **ACCIDENT DAMAGE**

If you do cause damage to fences or other property you must advise an Official at the HQ caravan situated adjacent to the Start Line. You will be charged for cost of repairs at the cost charged to the Club.

12. **RUN NOTES AND RECONNAISSANCE Run** notes will not be supplied. You may create notes during the observation run only. You may not hold up the convoy to do these notes.

13. **CAR NUMBERS**

The car numbers issued to you are the property of the Dannevirke Car Club. You are required to return them to the HQ caravan BEFORE you leave the venue. If they are not returned you will be sent an account for \$25.00 per number for their replacement. Please ensure you have tape to affix them to both sides of your car in a clear to read position

14. **GENERAL INFORMATION**

**Accommodation** – there is a variety of motels, hotels and camp grounds available in Dannevirke and Woodville. If required Dannevirke Car Club members may be able to billet some competitors.

**Prize Giving** will be held in the pit paddock after the event. There are prizes to be awarded. If you are not there, sorry you do not receive your prizes.

If you require any further information on this event please **contact:**

**Michael Mclean (Organizer) 0272471369 All emails to: michaelwrx383@gmail.com**

or visit our website: [www.dannevirkecarclub.co.nz](http://www.dannevirkecarclub.co.nz) then click on Pahaheke Road Gravel Sprint for further information, map, supplementary regulations etc.

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