

# ***Glenrothes MSC***

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## **SUMMER STAGES RALLY**

**Saturday 10th June 2023**

Approx. 55 miles of Tarmac Stages at  
Crail Airfield, Fife

A round of

Scottish Single Venue Rally Championship (SSVRC)

Scottish Tarmac Rally Championship

The North of England Rally Championship



**2022 Summer Stages Rally Winners**

Image Courtesy **West Coast Photos**  
**Past Winners - Summer Stages Rally**

## Summer Stages Rally

2011 Peter Taylor / Jack Morton - Renault Clio R3

2012 Alistair Inglis / Greg Inglis - Mitsubishi Lancer Evo V

2013 Bruce Edwards / Jim Smith - Darrian T9

2014 John Rintoul / Ross Hynd - Hyundai Accent WRC

2015 Bruce Edwards / Grum Wilcock - Darrian T9

2016 Bruce Edwards / Jim Smith - Darrian T9

2017 Nigel Feeney / Phil Sandham - Mini John Cooper Works WRC

2018 Gordon Morrison / Calum MacPherson - Subaru Impreza

2019 John Rintoul / Ross Hind - Fiesta R5

2020 Cancelled – Covid19 restrictions

2021 Cancelled – Covid19 restrictions

2022 Jonathan Mounsey / Richard Wardle -Ford Fiesta Rally 2

## Supplementary Regulations

### 1 Announcement

Glenrothes Motor Sport Club Limited will organise and promote the Summer Stages Rally (hereafter referred to as “the event” or “the meeting”), an Interclub permit Single Venue Stage Rally on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2023 at Crail Airfield, Fife, KY10 3XL (MR 59/620085).

### 2 Jurisdiction

The meeting will be held under the General Regulations of Motorsport UK (incorporating the provisions of the International Sporting Code of the FIA), the Motorsport UK COVID-19 Guidance for Events, these Supplementary Regulations, and any written instructions that the organising Club may issue for the event.

The 2023 FIA International Sporting Code can be found at: [www.fia.com/sport/regulations](http://www.fia.com/sport/regulations)

The 2023 General Regulations of Motorsport UK can be found at:  
<https://www.motorsportuk.org/News-Publications/Publications/Yearbook>

### 3 Authorisation

Motorsport UK permit number 131459

### 4 Eligibility

The event is open to fully elected members of the organising club, registered competitors in the championships outlined in SR 6, and fully elected members of clubs affiliated to SAMSC, ANICC, ANECCC, and ANWCC.

## 5 Licences

All competitors must hold, and be able to produce a valid 2023 Competition Licence and Club membership card.

GMSC membership can be obtained for £10 at [www.glenrothes-msc.com](http://www.glenrothes-msc.com) and applied for and paid prior to the date of the event.

Drivers require a Motorsport UK – or Motorsport Ireland equivalent (H.26.1.5.) – RS Interclub Stage Rally, RS National Stage Rally, or Rally International R licence.

Co-Drivers require a Motorsport UK – or Motorsport Ireland equivalent (H.26.1.5.) – Interclub licence or higher.

Licences cannot be applied for or upgraded at the event.

## 6 Championship

The event is a round of the following championships:

Scottish Single Venue Rally Championship

Permit No. TBC



Scottish Tarmac Rally Championship

Permit No. TBC



North of England Rally Championship

Permit No. TBC



## 7 Programme

Entries Open	20:00hrs	Sunday	7 <sup>th</sup> May 2023
Entries Close for Seeding	19.00hrs	Monday	29 <sup>th</sup> May 2023
Close for Media Accreditation		Tuesday	6 <sup>th</sup> June 2023
Final Instructions Issued		Monday	5 <sup>th</sup> June 2023
Service Park Opens	14.00hrs	Friday.	9 <sup>th</sup> June 2023
Competitor Briefing	08.00hrs	Saturday	10 <sup>th</sup> June 2023
Scrutineering	15:00hrs - 18:30hrs	Friday (Crail Airfield)	9 <sup>th</sup> June 2023
Service Park Opens	06:00hrs	Saturday	10 <sup>th</sup> June 2023
Scrutineering	07.00hrs	Saturday (Crail Airfield)	
	08:00hrs		10 <sup>th</sup> June 2023
First Car Starts	08:30hrs	Saturday	10 <sup>th</sup> June 2023
Results Final, Awards Presentation	18.00hrs	Saturday	10 <sup>th</sup> June 2023

Competitor briefing will be onsite at Crail raceway next to the officials hut at 08:00hrs.

## 8 Route

The event will not use the Public Highway, and will consist of 8 special stages totaling approximately 55 miles, on the runways and perimeter roads of Crail Airfield, MR 59/620085. The surface will be 95% tarmac and 5% concrete. The organisers' mileages will be deemed to be correct. The event shall run to Target Timing, with special stages timed to an accuracy of less than 1 minute. Cars will start at 30 second intervals. Route features will be formed by a mixture of straw bales, tyres and other barriers.

## 9 Vehicles

All vehicles must comply with Motorsport UK Technical Regulations. Registration Documents (V5/V5C) and Motorsport UK / Motorsport Ireland Competition Car Log Books / Vehicle Passports are required, and must be presented at Scrutineering. Vehicle tax is not required for this event. For vehicles for which they are required, MOT Certificates may be inspected or proof of MOT requested.

## 10 Classes

The event will consist of five classes as follows:

Class 1: Up to 1400cc	Class 4: 2001cc and above 2WD
Class 2: 1401cc to 1600cc	Class 5: 2001cc and above 4WD
Class 3: 1601cc to 2000cc	

Forced induction, and rotary engines: Equivalence factor of 1.7 applies. Forced induction rotary engines: Equivalence factor of 2.89 applies.

## 11 Awards

Awards will be presented as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup> Overall:	Driver and Co-Driver
2 <sup>nd</sup> Overall:	Driver and Co-Driver
3 <sup>rd</sup> Overall:	Driver and Co-Driver
1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> in Class:	Driver and Co-Driver

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Overall are not eligible for Class Awards or Best GMSC Award.

## 12 Entries

The Entry Fee is £320. Entry is only an online at

<https://www.rallies.info/webentry/2023/summer/webentry.php>

Payment can be made by direct bank transfer to Sort Code : 80 16 84 Account number : 0060 2954 Account Name "Glenrothes Motor Sport Club" with the **drivers name** quoted as a reference.

To be considered as an entry payment must be done by Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2023

**A complete entry = complete entry form + seeding info + payment**

Cheque payments and on-the-day payments are not accepted.

Competitors with a medical condition advised to Motorsport UK, must declare details on the entry form, for the awareness of the Chief Medical Officer, in confidence.

The maximum entry for the event is 70 The minimum is 50, The minimum for each Class is 6. Should any of the above minimum figures not be reached, the organisers reserve the right to cancel the meeting, reduce awards, or amalgamate classes as necessary.

Entries will be accepted as follows; The organisers will select up to 10 entries at their sole discretion, and the Remaining "Complete Entries" will be selected on a first come basis. We do not expect to be oversubscribed but in the event that we are, a reserve list of complete entries in order of receipt will be maintained.

Entry fees will be refunded if withdrawal is notified to the Entries Secretary prior to close of entries for seeding, with a deduction of £40 to cover administration costs. Any withdrawals thereafter may receive a partial refund at the discretion of the organisers. Should the organisers require to cancel the meeting prior to the first car starting the event, entry fees will be refunded in full. **Entries will not be accepted under any circumstances after 12:00 on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May 2023 in accordance with D.20.1.**

## 13 Seeding

The order of starting will be at the organisers' discretion, based on competitors' previous results as declared on the entry form. Spot checks will be carried out, and the organisers

may use information from other sources in addition to the information supplied on the entry form to verify competitors' seeding position. Any competitor found to have supplied false information concerning previous results on the entry form may be disqualified and their entry fee forfeited.

## 14 Officials

Motorsport UK Steward	???????????		
Club Stewards	Ian Gemmell		
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Clerk of the Course	George Hay	07966030596	<a href="mailto:George1960hay@gmail.com">George1960hay@gmail.com</a>
Deputy Clerk of the Course	Nigel Atkinson		
Secretary of the Meeting			<a href="mailto:secretary@glenrothes-msc.com">secretary@glenrothes-msc.com</a>
Entries Secretary	Gordon Milne		<a href="mailto:entries@glenrothesmsc.com">entries@glenrothesmsc.com</a>
Event Safety Officer / Spectator Safety Officer	Colin Rodger	07767 726075	<a href="mailto:colin.rodger@glenrothes-msc.com">colin.rodger@glenrothes-msc.com</a>
Chief Medical Officer	George Miller		
Chief Marshal	Kenny Wilson		<a href="mailto:marshals@glenrothes-msc.com">marshals@glenrothes-msc.com</a>
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Chief Scrutineer	Willie Greig	07703 436023	<a href="mailto:willie.greig@glenrothes-msc.com">willie.greig@glenrothes-msc.com</a>
Environmental Scrutineer	Colin Wallace		
Chief Timekeeper	Ian Sharp		
Results Officer	Raymond Mann		
Competitor Relations Officer	Pete Weal		<a href="mailto:cro@glenrothesmsc.com">cro@glenrothesmsc.com</a>
Media Officer	?????????		<a href="mailto:media@glenrothes-msc.com">media@glenrothes-msc.com</a>
Club Safeguarding Officer	Bill Creevy	07740 374458	<a href="mailto:bill.creevy@glenrothes-msc.com">bill.creevy@glenrothes-msc.com</a>

**Please do not phone officials after 21:00**

## **15 Results**

Interim Results will be available during the event at [www.scotresults.co.uk](http://www.scotresults.co.uk), and on the "Sportity" App digital notice board.

Provisional Results and final results will also be posted in these locations upon completion of the event, within 2 hours of the final car completing the event (D26.1.2)

## **16 Protests, Appeals**

All protests must be lodged in accordance with C.5., and appeals in accordance with C.6.C.7, with the Secretary of the Meeting or Clerk(s) of the Course, electronically.

## **17 Documentation**

Competitors will be supplied with detailed sketch diagrams and time cards electronically pre-event – it is the responsibility of the competitor to print these prior to the event; no spares will be made available. These documents will provide all necessary information to enable competitors to comply with R.33. Competitors at the conclusion of their Competition must sign and submit electronically to the Secretary of the Meeting within 72 hours of the event, a declaration form confirming they have not been involved in any incident that may have caused damage to persons or property, or alternatively give details of any such incident. Failure to comply will be penalised with a fine of up to £100 and may be reported to Motorsport UK for further disciplinary action.

The first £450 of any claim against the Motorsport UK master insurance policy for damage to property, will be the responsibility of the competitor causing the damage.

## **18 Identification**

Competitors will be identified by competition numbers in accordance with J.4. on both sides of the vehicle. These will be supplied by the organisers at the sound test, and must be in position before the car is presented for scrutineering.

## **19 Penalties**

Marking and penalties will be as per R Chart 32.2., except as modified below

(c) Not performing a stage correctly:

Taking a wrong route:	Additional lap:	Actual time taken
	All others:	Stage Maximum
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Offence:	Disqualification
Moving a board, bale or other stage furniture:		10min penalty
Destruction of junction or chicane:	1 <sup>st</sup> Offence	10 min penalty
:	2 <sup>nd</sup> offence	Stage max



(m) Damaged or ineffective silencer system:

1st Offence:	Warning
2 <sup>nd</sup> Offence:	Disqualification

(p and R25.6.2) Driving in the opposite direction on a special stage:

Disqualification

(r) Not complying with a reasonable instruction by an official:

1 <sup>st</sup> Offence:	10 minutes
2 <sup>nd</sup> Offence:	Disqualification

1 <sup>st</sup> Offence:	Verbal Warning
2 <sup>nd</sup> Offence:	Formal Warning
3 <sup>rd</sup> Offence:	Disqualification and Removal from the Venue

## 20. General Regulations

All other General Regulations of Motorsport UK apply as written except for the following which are modified:

- R.5.4.3. Only the first named driver listed on the official entry form can drive during the competition.
- R.29.1.7. Stages will be identified by detailed sketch diagrams.
- R.31.2.5., Penalty-free Maximum Permitted Lateness will be 5 minutes. Each Service R31.2.6. shall be defined as a Regroup, whereupon lateness shall reset to zero at the 'in' control (R.31.2.10.).
- R.40.1. To be classified as a finisher, a Competitor must complete two-thirds of the stages [i.e. four out of five] and report to both MTC1 and the final control within the maximum lateness specified, with the car in which they started.

## 21 Red Flag Procedure

On any special stage where extreme circumstances make it necessary to neutralise the competition, e.g. where spectator safety is compromised, or to authorise the movement of non-competing or rescue vehicles, the system of Red Flags will be in place. The flags will be located at mid stage rescue points, all locations where a rescue/emergency vehicle may reenter the stage following a shortcut and at each mandatory Radio Point. Red Flags will be displayed at all Mandatory Radio Points preceding the incident, only on the specific instruction of the Clerk of the Course or Stage Commander. Red flags will be prominently displayed (held out steady not waved) by a designated marshal wearing a marshals' tabard. Competitors who have been shown a Red Flag will be given a notional time for the stage. No flag other than a Red Flag will be deployed at any point along the route of the special stage.

On passing a Red Flag displayed by a marshal wearing a marshals' tabard, the driver MUST immediately and significantly reduce speed as well as being prepared so stop at any time; at no time must they overtake any safety vehicle they encounter on the special stage route.

The driver must then follow the instructions of any marshals and/or stage safety personnel and maintain this reduced speed until leaving the special stage. Failure to comply with this rule will incur a penalty at the discretion of the Clerk of the Course.

## **22 Rejoining**

Competitors who exceed Maximum Permitted Lateness, fail to complete or miss a stage or control, may rejoin the rally, with a penalty of 30 minutes per stage or control not visited or completed, but must be re-scrutineered before attempting to rejoin.

All Special Stage Arrival Controls shall be designated Rejoin Points, where competitors may rejoin within 15 places, but not ahead of, their original seeded position.

## **23 Venue Requirements**

Some areas of Crail Airfield, particularly the control tower and other buildings, are out of bounds to all persons who are not signed on officials or Level 2 Media. Any other persons found in these areas will cause the associated crew to be disqualified from the event. Competitors, service crews and spectators must avoid trespassing on crops and must also keep off all bales. Competitors may be penalised for the behaviour of associated persons. Judges of Fact will be on duty.

Please take your litter home with you. Do not leave empty fuel containers or oil cans behind. Use of a ground sheet when servicing, and cleaning up spills of oil and other fluids, is mandatory. Smoking is not permitted in, or near, any of the buildings at Crail Airfield. Competitors will be held responsible for the actions of service crews and others accompanying them to the event and may be penalised.

The Service Park allows space for competing vehicles plus one service vehicle per crew. Other vehicles and trailers must be parked sympathetically, and competitors, service crew and support staff must follow the instructions of marshals.

Abusive behaviour towards event officials &/or Crail Raceway staff will not be tolerated, will be treated in accordance with A.10.2. and C.2.1.5., and may result in refusal of entry / expulsion from the venue. There is Toilet facilities at the venue so please use them

Vehicles and trailers may be left in the Service Park overnight, at a rate of £10 per service area (10x10m), payable to Crail Raceway staff, prior to close of the Service Park at 21:00 Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2023. Camping is also available. Non compliance will result in left vehicles being removed to the Spectator Car Park.

Quad bikes, mopeds, motorcycles, scooters, go-peds etc. are forbidden in the venue, in accordance with Motorsport UK guidelines. Competitors face penalties if they or any member of their crew disregards this instruction.

## **24 Video Cameras**

Any competitor wishing to carry a video camera in car must complete the relevant section of the scrutineering and signing on process card and have the camera and mounting

arrangement approved by the Chief Scrutineer. It is an express condition of entry that competitors must make camera footage available to the organisers for any purpose, including resolution of disputes, although such evidence will be requested and used entirely at the organisers' discretion.

## **25 Baulking**

Baulking spoils rallies for competitors. If a faster car catches you, keep to the side on a wide section and allow room to pass. You are reminded of R.2.6. "the Clerk of the Course may disqualify any competitor proven to have unreasonably baulked another competitor".

## **26 Reconnaissance, Practising, Pace Notes**

As from the publication of these Supplementary Regulations, any Competition Licence holder who permits the unauthorised presence at any time of any vehicle on private land within Crail Airfield will be disqualified from the event itself and referred to the MSC National Court. No practising or testing is permitted at Crail Airfield before the event unless specifically authorised by Motorsport UK.

Authorised presence on private land within Crail Airfield shall be limited to competitors who also sign on as officials, to assist with marshalling, stage setup, etc. but only after written permission has been obtained from the Clerk of the Course. The only exception to this regulation will be for persons who live on, or whose employment causes them to travel, on a road used for the event. Once signed on, competitors may traverse the route up until 07:45 Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2023, by non-motorised means - i.e. on foot, bicycle, etc. - only.

The use, provision or possession of pace notes or any other means of giving a competitor advice relation to the traversing of a Special Stage that has not been provided by the Organisers, unless in accordance with the detailed sketch diagram, is prohibited. This does not however preclude a crew from recording information during an event for use later on in the same event.

## **27 Fuel**

Competitors may only use fuels conforming to the definitions of Pump Fuel in the 2023 Motorsport UK Yearbook, which now includes fuel that complies with FIA Appendix J, Article 252, Art 9.1. The use of FIA fuel is not permitted by cars complying with R.49.

There will be strict procedures for refuelling, detailed in the Safety Plan, Service Area Risk Assessment and Final Instructions. Failure to comply with the instructions may result in disqualification from the event.

## **28 Tyres**

Wheels and tyres must be in accordance with L.3. and R.48.5. Tyre suppliers at the event "To be Confirmed" will be Wheels Around ([www.wheelsaround.co.uk](http://www.wheelsaround.co.uk), 01764 662897) and Andrew Wood Motorsport ([www.woodsport.co.uk](http://www.woodsport.co.uk), 01896 820263).

## **29 Marshals**

Motorsport simply cannot happen without the support of the fantastic marshals we have in the UK. All marshals receive a hot meal for either breakfast or lunch, along with a bag of goodies. If you can help out on the day, please contact Chief Marshal or email [marshals@glenrothes-msc.com](mailto:marshals@glenrothes-msc.com).

If you have not marshalled at a rally before (either registered or new to marshalling), please make the Chief Marshal aware and you will be paired with an experienced rally marshal. For information on how to become a Motorsport UK accredited marshal, please visit <https://www.motorsportuk.org/volunteers/marshals/>.

## **30 Media**

Motorsport UK Level 1 & 2 accredited media personnel wishing to attend this event, please contact Media Officer Bob Irvine by email on [media@glenrothes-msc.com](mailto:media@glenrothes-msc.com). Applications close on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2023, and the applicant will be notified no later than Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2023. whether or not they have been successful.