

# Drivers Practice/Training Day

## Supplementary Regulations

### Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2020.

**Welcome** to this event organised by South Hams Motor Club which we hope will be useful for competitors for the 2020 season.

**The** landowner Lloyd Stevens has kindly agreed the use of his land for practise/driver training.

Are you rubbish at starting? Too many revs or keep on stalling at that vital moment?

Can't fathom how to correct understeer or oversteer?

Power slides and Scandinavian flicks or even the basic clutch control then this can be the ideal place to learn.

We have the full use of the venue between 10am and 3:30pm for you to do as you choose.

Hopefully, this will give you the boost to your confidence for the season ahead, whether it's rallying, sprinting, autocross or gymkhanas.

It is entirely a practise/training event organised for the sole purpose of enabling drivers to gain experience of their vehicles.

There is **NO** element of competition.

There will be **NO awards**.

Times will not be recorded.

Cars will **NOT** be started simultaneously.

After the long queues and waits at signing on previous years, we are asking for all entries to be made online via [shmc.co.uk](http://shmc.co.uk) where you can pay via paypal. This should mean that we can get started on time, ensuring a full day.

Memberships can also be completed on line, and you will have to make sure you leave enough time to allow your membership card to be processed and posted out to you as you will have to show it on the day.

## **ARTICLE 1 - ANNOUNCEMENT**

1.1 South Hams Motor Club will organise and promote a driver's training day, based at Upottery Airfield otherwise known as Smeatharpe on **Saturday 18th January 2020**, on the Devon/Somerset border.

## **ARTICLE 2 – Jurisdiction**

2.1 The event will be held under these Supplementary Regulations and any written instructions, which the organising club may issue for the event.

## **ARTICLE 3 – Authorisation**

3.1 Public Liability Insurance has been applied for the value of £5 million.

## **ARTICLE 4 – Eligibility**

4.1 The event is open to fully elected members of South Hams Motor Club who must hold a valid DVLA driving licence.

4.2 Competitors are reminded of the requirement to produce Club Membership cards at Documentation.

4.3 All vehicles MUST POSSESS A VALID mot Certificate (if applicable) and a Motorsport UK Log Book (if applicable)

4.4 Vehicles will not be required to be taxed or insured for the public highway.

4.5 Passengers will be allowed and will need to produce a valid Club membership card as per 4.1. All passengers to pay cash on the day, this can not be paid online in advance.

4.6 All entrants to be aged 17 or over.

## **ARTICLE 5 – Timetable**

5.1 The timetable for entries and the event is as follows:

Entries Open On Publication of Regulations

Entries Close 11th January 2020

Saturday 18th January 2020

09:00 Documentation Opens / Venue Opens

09:45 Documentation Closes

10:00 Parade Lap

12:30 - 13:00 Lunch break

15:30 Venue Closed

5.2 The venue is now subject to strict laws imposed by the local authority that allow motorsport events and car engines to be run between 09:01am and 4:00pm ONLY.

## **ARTICLE 6 – Vehicle Eligibility**

6.1 All vehicles must comply with MSA Regulations J Competitors: Vehicles

6.2 The organisers reserve the right to reject any vehicle they deem not fit to take part.

## **ARTICLE 7 – Entries**

7.1 Entries for the event will open on the publication of these regulations and close on 6th January 2018.

7.2 The organisers reserve the right to accept entries after this date should the maximum number not be reached.

7.3 The entry fee is £79 per Driver and Car. This includes insurance which is compulsory and costs £29.00 per car. £10 per Passenger. Additional drivers in the same car are allowed at an extra £50 per driver.

7.4 All entries should be made on-line via SHMC.CO.UK and paid for using Paypal

7.5 Incomplete details may be deemed as not accepted.

7.6 Entry questions should be directed to: **Pete Bold, 07817 861894 e-mail: petebold52@aol.com**

7.7 Entries cancelled by email up to and including 11th January 2020 will be refunded in **FULL**.

7.8 Entry fees will not be refunded to any entry that fails to start or meet the Documentation requirements.

7.9 Entries will be on a first come first serve basis which shall be allocated at the discretion of the organisers.

7.10 The **MAXIMUM** number of starters for the event is 50

7.11 The **MINIMUM** entry for the event is 30.

7.12 Should 7.11 not be reached the organisers have the right to cancel the event.

## **ARTICLE 8 – Route & Format**

8.1 The event will take place on private land at Smeatharpe aerodrome otherwise known as Upottery Airfield.

8.2 It is entirely a practise/training event organised for the sole purpose of enabling drivers to gain experience of their vehicles.

8.3 There is **NO** element of competition.

8.4 There will be **NO awards**.

8.5 Times may be recorded but not published.

8.6 Cars will **NOT** be started simultaneously.

## **ARTICLE 12 - Officials**

12.1 The Officials of the Meeting will be:

Director of the event: Pete Bold 07817 861 894

Secretary of the Meeting: Pete Bold 07817 861 894

Scrutineer & Noise official: Andy Collard 07506 102 713

**Please DO NOT telephone officials after 21.00 hours**

## **ARTICLE 13 – Health & Safety**

Competitors are reminded of the requirements under the Health & Safety at Work Act regarding the refuelling of vehicles. All entrants must ensure that all persons connected with their entry have read and understood the following statement: - 'Every person participating in this event, whether employed or voluntary, shall take reasonable care for health and safety of themselves or other people who may be affected by his / her acts or omissions during the operation of the event.' Notes for Service Area Best Practice will be issued at signing on and **ALL** Service Personnel are required to comply with the conditions within.

13.1 All servicing must be carried out on a **Tarpaulin ground sheet**.

13.2 All spillage must be contained and removed from the site.

13.4 There will NOT be a designated re-fuelling area.

13.5 Petrol & Water will NOT be available at the Service Area.

13.6 Hot food & drink will be available throughout the day at the Service Area.

## **ARTICLE 14 – Acknowledgements**

The organisers gratefully acknowledge the following organisations and individuals for their support and assistance to this practice/training day:

**Lloyd Stevens & The Landowners**



## Smeatharpe Test Day

18th January 2020

### ENTRY FORM

Organised by SHMC

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY AND USE BLOCK CAPITALS

COMPETITOR DETAILS:	
DRIVERS NAME:	2nd DRIVER NAME:
ADDRESS:	ADDRESS:
POSTCODE:	POSTCODE:
TEL NO:	TEL NO:
E-MAIL:	E-MAIL:
MSA LICENCE NO:	MSA LICENCE NO:
EMERGENCY CONTACT:	
NAME:	NAME:
RELATIONSHIP:	RELATIONSHIP:
TEL NO:	TEL NO:
CAR DETAILS	
MAKE:	MODEL:
MODEL:	REGISTRATION NUMBER:
COLOUR:	FORCED INDUCTION: YES NO

PAYMENT DETAILS	
ENTRY FEE PER SINGLE DRIVEN CAR INCLUDING INSURANCE:	£ 79.00
Additional drivers @ £50.00 EACH:	£
MEMBERSHIP TO SOUTH HAMS MOTOR CLUB:	£ 15.00
TOTAL:	£.....

I declare that:

1) I declare that I am physically and mentally fit to take part in the event and I am competent to do so. I acknowledge that I understand the nature and type of competition and the potential risk inherent with motor sport and agree to accept that risk. I understand that motor sport can be dangerous and accidents causing death, injury, disability and property damage can and do happen. I understand that these risks may give rise to my suffering personal injury or other loss and I acknowledge and accept these risks.

2) To the best of my belief the driver(s) possess(es) the standard of competence necessary for an event of the type to which this entry relates and that the vehicle entered is suitable and roadworthy for the event having regard to the course and the speeds which will be reached. The use of the vehicle hereby entered will be covered by insurance as required by the law which is valid for such part of this event as shall take place on roads as defined by the law.

3) I understand that should I at the time of this event be suffering from any disability whether permanent or temporary which is likely to affect prejudicially my normal control of the vehicle, I will not take part unless I have declared such disability.

4) If I am the Parent/Guardian/Guarantor of the driver I understand that I shall have the right to be present during any procedure being carried out under the rules issued for this event. Note: Where the Parent/Guardian/Guarantor is not present there must be a Guardian who must produce a written and signed authorisation to so act from the Parent/Guardian/Guarantor as appropriate.

5) I understand that my personal data is being processed solely for the purposes of running this event.

Indemnity: In consideration of the acceptance of this entry I agree that neither any one of or any combination of the organisers, the track owners or other occupiers, the promoters and their respective officers, servants, representatives and agents (the "Parties") shall have any liability for loss or damage which may be sustained or incurred by me as a result of participation in the Event including but not limited to damage to property, economic loss, consequential loss or financial loss howsoever caused. Nothing in this clause is intended to or shall be deemed to exclude or limit liability for death or personal injury. To the fullest extent permitted by law I agree to indemnify and hold harmless each of the Parties in respect of any loss or damage whatsoever and howsoever arising from my participation in this event.