



RALLY OF CHAMPIONS

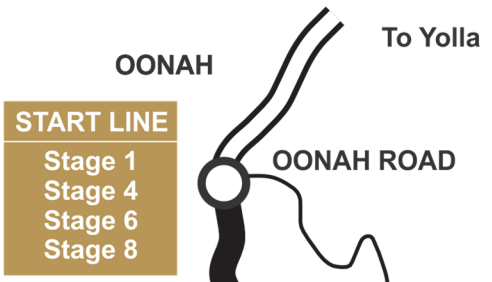
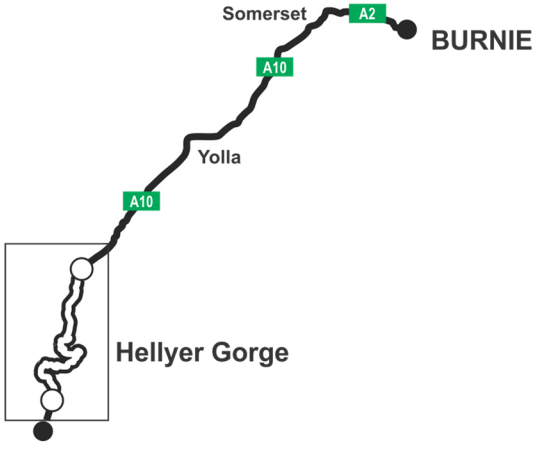
GUIDE TO THE EVENT



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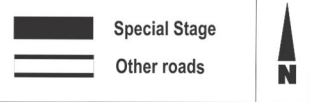
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1. INTRODUCTION

A MESSAGE FROM THE EVENT DIRECTOR

WELCOME TO THE FIRST ANNUAL HELLYER NORTH RALLY OF CHAMPIONS



2021 marks an exciting milestone – the reintroduction of North West Tasmania’s very own tarmac rally event!

Motivation behind developing this new event was unpretentious – arrange for the closure of an amazing piece of Tasmanian road and create an event where mates compete against mates in their own unique cars, with a firm focus on having fun, and having good post-event debrief at a beach party after the finish line!

From the outset, this single day event was designed to be a place for tarmac rallying’s competition front runners as well as backmarkers. North West Rally is a place for motorsport stalwarts as well as those just starting out on their fast journey, and for everyone else in between.

I am extremely grateful for all the support we have received from competitors and officials, but also from the team at Burnie City Council and the Tasmanian Government through the Department of State Growth, as well as a number of fabulous local event partners – as without ALL of them this event simply would not be possible.

On behalf of the organising team of the 2021 event, I wish everyone all the very best of luck for a safe and fun event.

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of stylized initials 'SB' and a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Stuart Benson
EVENT DIRECTOR

2. EVENT OVERVIEW

2.1. FAST FACTS

Approx. Distance:	240km (130km competitive)
Event HQ:	Corner Murchison Highway and Oonah Road, Oonah
Documentation:	Marine Terrace Carpark, Burnie
Scrutineering:	Marine Terrace Carpark, Burnie
Service / Re Group	Corner Murchison Highway and Oonah Road, Oonah
Event website:	www.autocorsa.com.au

2.2. CONTACT DETAILS

Event Organiser	Auto Corsa Group 17 Kelson Place Acton Park Tasmania 7170 Email: info@autocorsa.com.au
Event HQ:	Corner Murchison Highway and Oonah Road, Oonah
Media Enquiries:	Stuart Benson 0412 868 979 or stuart@autocorsa.com.au

2.3. EVENT ITINERARY

TIME	ITEM	LOCATION
3.00pm > 5.00pm Friday, 26 Feb	Scrutineering and documentation	Marine Terrace Carpark, Burnie
7.30am Saturday, 27 Feb	Officials briefing	Event HQ, Oonah Road, Oonah
7.45am Saturday, 27 Feb	Media briefing	Event HQ, Oonah Road, Oonah
7.45am Saturday, 27 Feb	Competitor briefing	Marine Terrace Carpark, Burnie
8.00am	Competition commences	Marine Terrace Carpark, Burnie
4.30pm	Estimated competition finish time	West Beach, Burnie
5.00pm	Awards presentation	West Beach, Burnie

3. PRE-EVENT RECONNAISSANCE

Reconnaissance of the course is permitted prior to the Event, though high-speed practice is NOT permitted.

To assist with pre-event reconnaissance, Auto Corsa Group has prepared a course map (see front of this document) and marked time controls the roads with ST (start), FF (flying finish) and SP (stop point).

Entries will be provided with a route chart road book to navigate the event course, but pace notes can purchase for this event also:

PROVIDER	CONTACT DETAILS
Smoothline	Contact: Bernie Webb or Steve Glenney Tel: 0402 256 395 Website: www.smoothline.com.au Email: notes@smoothline.com.au

4. AASA LICENCE AND LOG BOOK

4.1. LICENCING

Drivers, co-drivers/navigators **must** hold the following current AASA licences to compete:

CATEGORY	MINIMUM LICENCE LEVEL REQUIRED
All – driver/co-driver:	AASA National Tarmac Rally Licence
All – navigator:	AASA National Tarmac Rally Navigator Licence

Only AASA licences are valid for use at this event and no day licence is available.

Nominated drivers/co-drivers must **also** hold a current civil driver's licence. If you can't drive a normal road vehicle, you can't drive a competition vehicle.

The Organisers will identify each crew as having suitable experience, to ensure they are capable and competent to participate in the Event. The crews may be requested by the Organisers to confirm their competition experience.

Any competitor between the ages of 16 to 18 are required to provide the Organiser a parental consent form signed by their parent or guardian. This can be completed at event documentation.

A minimum age for crew is 16.

5. EVENT REGULATIONS

There are two tiers of regulations for the event and all will be made available for download from the Auto Corsa Group website when approved. They are:

5.1. SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

These regulations provide further detail on both operational and logistical arrangements for the event.

5.2. FURTHER REGULATIONS

Further Regulations will only be issued to competitors in the instance something of significance is not covered or needs to be amended in the Supplementary Regulations and will only be done so directly to competitors via email. Alternatively, a bulletin may be issued at Documentation.

6. ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation available within Burnie and the great North West Coast on nights around the event the event.

For more information go to [Discover Tasmania](#).

7. PRE-EVENT SCRUTINEERING

Optional pre-event scrutineering will be available in the week prior to the event at a locations around Tasmania and details of this will be made available via further regulations to be issued.

8. SCRUTINEERING AND DOCUMENTATION

Scrutineering and documentation will be held at Marine Terrace Carpark between 3:00pm and 5:00pm on Friday 26 February.

9. SCORING, TIMING AND LIVE RESULTS

Being a rally event, all stage times will be cumulative and count, or the total time of every stage will produce the results, including touring stages but there are no penalties for early check-in.

The only the first competition stage requires special mention – you must simply start and finish Special Stage 1 to achieve no penalty time. This is a warm-up stage of 2.5 kilometres to settle nerves and get you in the game for SS2.

Stage times will be available via the RallySafe smart phone app. Make sure you download the app onto your smart phone prior to the event to save your data on the day. Download the app from either iTunes or Google Play store.

10. ROAD CLOSURES

The Murchison Highway from Oonah Road to Parawe will be closed for the purposes of the event between 9.00am and 5.00pm . Any changes to road closure times will be publicised via www.autocorsa.com.au

11. SPECTATOR INFORMATION

Information for spectators, including road closures times to access designated spectator points and a guide to safe spectators, will be published on the Auto Corsa Group website at www.autocorsa.com.au

12. INSURANCE

We all know that motorsport presents a vast number of risks, but are you aware of the implications of this risk and how these relate to insurance cover? Could it be beneficial to buy additional cover beyond the standard insurance included in an entry?

AASA have produced a really helpful guide to what is included in your entry and what other cover you might want to consider. Check it out here - [AASA insurance](#).

13. AWARDS PRESENTATION

The Awards presentation will be held at the waterfront Burnie Bites and Brews festival at West Beach Burnie from approximately 5.30pm where trophies will be presented to winners.

Complimentary tickets to the festival finish will be provided to competitors, service crew and officials.

14. APPAREL REQUIREMENTS OF PARTICIPATING CREW

The below tables summarise the various items of apparel that all crew members must wear while on the competition stage. Do note that minimum requirements differ significantly between categories:

Challenge 130 category:

Suit	H1	Non-flammable apparel that cover the body from mid-neck to wrist to ankles
Underwear	N	Not required but recommended!
Helmet	T1	AS/NZ1698, ECE 022 with 04 or 05 amendments, SA2005, SA2010 or SA2015
Socks	S1	Non-flammable socks or sufficient length to cover the ankles
Gloves	N	Not required but recommended
Balaclava	N	Not required but recommended
Boots	B1	Fully enclosed footwear with non-synthetic upper and lower
FHR	N	Not required but recommended

All other categories:

Suit	H2	Single or two-piece suit to SFI 3.2A Grade 1 (minimum). 8856-2000 OK.
Underwear	U2	Single or two-piece under wear to SFI 3.3. 8856-2000 OK
Helmet	T2 or T3	To Snell SA2010, SA2010Hm SA2015
Socks	S2	To SFI 3.3. 8856-2000 OK
Gloves	Y	Drivers gloves to SFI 3.3 Grade 5 (minimum). 8856-2000 OK
Balaclava	Y	To SFI 3.3. 8856-2000 OK
Boots	B2	Fully enclosed footwear with non-synthetic upper and lower and be designed and distributed for motorsport use
FHR	R2	To SFI 38.1. 8858-2002 OK

15. REQUIREMENTS OF PARTICIPATING VEHICLES

The below tables summarise the various items that all vehicles must present with at scrutineering in order to be deemed OK to start. Do note that minimum requirements differ significantly between categories:

Challenge 130 category:

Rollover protection	Not required but recommended
Seats	As supplied OEM
Belts	As supplied OEM
Rallysafe	Standard Rallysafe wiring kit and device mount
Fire extinguisher	Not required but recommended
Tow hooks	Not required but recommended
Safety triangles	Not required but recommended
First-aid kit	Not required but recommended

All other categories:

Rollover protection	Fitted in accordance with AASA Safety Cage regulations (Class 3), or an internationally recognised motorsport body as approved
Seats	As supplied OEM, to SFI 39.2, or in compliance with an internationally recognised motorsport body
Belts	AASA recommend the use of three-inch, five or six-point belts. Belts shall be marked having compliance with at least ECE 16, SFI 16.1, AS2586, or in compliance with an internationally recognised motorsport body
Rallysafe	Standard Rallysafe wiring kit and device mount
Fire extinguisher	One or more removable fire extinguishers to AS1841, with a combined capacity of two-kilograms.
Tow hooks	Front and rear tow hooks fitted and be of sufficient strength
Safety triangles	Two reflective 'safety triangles' fitted for the purpose of display if stopped on stage
First-aid kit	An in-date first aid kit



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