



Final Instructions 1 07th May 2019

Dear competitors,

We thank you for your entry for the event. Your seeded number can be found in the entry list as published on www.Carlowcarclub.ie & our Social Media Platforms, The entry list will be kept up to date here as much as possible. If you are unable to start the event.

Please inform the event secretary **Brid Harpur, Ph.086-8403017 or email bridharpur@gmail.com** as soon as possible. We will continue to accept entries.

1. Recce Sign on

All competitors please bring their **Competition Licence to Recce Sign On** where your licence will be kept till final sign on after scrutiny. This will help us greatly speed up document scrutiny later that day.

Any outstanding payment must be made at recce sign on.

Recce sign on will be available on

Friday night from 18:00-20:00

Saturday from 08:00 – 12:00.

No recce cars on the stages before 9am please

Please bring your IRDS with you to recce sign on.

Reseeding requests must be lodged at recce sign on. Only requests made at this time will be eligible for reseeding.

Pace notes will be available for sale from Third Parties. The Club has no involvement with their preparation or sale and accepts no responsibility for their accuracy or otherwise.

Recce stickers must be displayed on the top corner of the windscreen of the recce car. A maximum of three runs per stage is permitted. The road will be open to normal traffic, therefore the safety and rights of other road users must be respected. Please respect the residents on all the stage routes and road sections. It is with their good will that this Rally can take place. Please obey the rules of the road including road speed limits and any speed limit imposed on the stages by Carlow Car Club during recce.

2. Clarification of event name:

The Sheehymotorgroup Carlow Mini Stages Rally & O'Brien Cement MK11 Challenge 2019

3. Change of Officials

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| a. Spectator Control – | Aidan Kelly |
| b. Assistant Coc – | Brian Hutton, Ian Lawlor |
| c. Car Accountability - | Stefan Comerford |
| d. Deputy Stage 2 Commander – | Mark Cooper |
| e. MI Steward 1 – | Martin McKenna |
| f. Sweeper Car - | Brian Doyle |

4. Parking

No Trailers or Vans are permitted in the carpark of Rally HQ, Seven Oaks Hotel. Trailer park has been provided at Burnside Eurocyl on the O'Brien Road.

5. Changes in Rules

It would be advisable for competitors, especially overseas crews, to familiarize themselves with the scrutiny requirements for Irish events and also check their relative IRDS/BRDS insurance if unsure please contact our event secretary Brid Harpur. Please note the new format for SOS/OK boards introduced this year that will be checked in Scrutiny.

6. Service Area

Open Saturday 11th May evening 18:00- 20:00

- Smoking is Forbidden in the Service Area.
- Service Barges to be equipped with the following
 - 1 X 6KG ABC Dry Powder Fire Extinguisher (for each car serviced)
 - 1 X 6 litre AFFF (Foam Fire Extinguisher (for each car serviced)
- Extinguishers must be placed in a visible area, and have ease of access

Hot work is only undertaken by competent persons.

The service area manager will undertake checks on no smoking policy, signage and extinguishers

Ground sheets are compulsory for service and must be used at all times.

7. Competitors Safety - Safety Tracking System

All cars must be fitted with the Safety Tracking System (STS) device provided by the STS provider (Sporttraxx) during competition.

Competitor competition licences will be held by way of deposit on the device, returnable upon timely and undamaged return of the device. All crews must declare the number of the mobile phone which they will carry with them on board and maintain in the 'ON' state during the entire event. Please save the number that will call you from Rally control.

The device will be fitted to competition cars by Sporttraxx personnel before the Parc Ferme Out Control on the morning of competition.

The STS device will be collected at the Parc Ferme In Control (Final Control) by Sporttraxx personnel. In the event of retirement, the STS device must be returned to Sporttraxx personnel in the event Service Area or at the Parc Ferme In Control (contact phone number will be provided).

8. Scrutiny

Please present your car for Mechanical Scrutiny at Sheehy Motor Group, Green Lane, Carlow. Your car must be placed in Parc Ferme immediately after it passes Mechanical Scrutiny. Please obey the Marshals at Scrutiny, no trailers will be allowed past the unloading area.

Reminder Once Mechanical Scrutiny is completed please complete your paperwork at the HQ ASAP as rally office will close at 20.00hrs,

Any request for Sunday morning scrutiny to be made to the C.O.C

9. Drivers Briefing

A Competitor Safety briefing (compulsory for all and a roll call will be conducted) will be at 8.00am on Sunday morning in the HQ. This is subject to change so please see official notice board on Saturday.

10. Rally 2

This year's event will once again allow a restart procedure (Rally 2). Please familiarize yourself with the details published in the event regulations

11. Prize giving

Prize giving: If you are not attending prize giving please ensure you get someone to collect your prize on the night or you may forfeit your awards

12. Timetable

- *Friday 10 May*
 - Early Recce sign on 18:00 – 20:00
- *Saturday 11th May*
 - 08:00-12:00 Recce sign on 08:00 – 12:00
 - 09:00-17:00 Recce allowed
 - 15:00-19:30 Scrutiny in Sheehy Motor Group
 - 16:00-20:00 Paper Scrutiny Seven Oaks Hotel
 - 21:00 Starter list published
- *Sunday 12th May*
 - 08:00 Drivers Briefing
 - 09:00 First car away from Parc Ferme Thermoair
 - 16:27 First car home
 - 18:00 Provisional results no later than 18:00.
 - 18:30 Prize giving approx.

Parc Ferme	Thermo Air	R3W9+QV
Headquarters	Seven Oaks Hotel	R3RC+G9
Scrutiny	Sheehy Motors	R3QJ+P2
Trailer Park	Burnside Eurocyl ltd	R93XT62
Service	Tullow Mart	R93 E431

Finally, we would ask that you would support our sponsors as without them, events like these would not be possible and we wish you a very safe and enjoyable weekend.

Alan Corrigan

Clerk of the Course

The Sheehy Motor Group Carlow Mini Stages & O'Brien Cement Mk 11 Challenge 2019