

TOYOTA RUST DE WINTER JAMBOREE

28 April – 1 May 2017



SUPPLEMENTARY

REGULATIONS FOR THE

2017

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4 X 4 JAMBOREE

GYMKANA 4X4 MAIN ROUTE

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SECTION A

1. DESCRIPTION

This event will be a National Non-Championship 4 x 4 Jamboree Event of approximately 60 km to be held at Rust de Winter Campsites, 100km north east of Pretoria, on the 28 April – 1 May 2017. The event will consist of different sections of cross-country routes of four wheeling terrain. The ideal time for completing the route will be 6 hours. Periodical time checks will be done along the route.

2. ROUTE

The Gymkhana will start at 07:00 on Saturday 29 April 2017. The Main Route will start on Sunday 30 April 2017. Drivers will depart at 2 minutes intervals or as may be determined by the Clerk of the Course.

SPONSORS

Main: Toyota SA Motors.
Continental/ General Tire
Others to be announced.

4. PROMOTERS AND ORGANISERS

4 X 4 ATV Club
P O Box 28354
Sunnyside
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5. ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Dirk van Wyk
Peter Claasen
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6. **PROGRAMME OF EVENTS**

<p>FRIDAY 28 April 2017</p> <p>13:00 – 20:30 21:00</p>	<p>Documentation and Scrutineering Compulsory Drivers Briefing</p>
<p>SATURDAY 29 April 2017</p> <p>05:00 07:00 07:00 – 10:00 11:00 17:00</p> <p>09:00 onwards</p> <p>SUNDAY 30 April 2017</p> <p>05:00 06:00 11:00 18:00</p> <p>09:00 onwards</p>	<p>Wake up Call Official start of Gymkhana section Late Entry's Time bar for start of Gymkhana Official end of Gymkhana</p> <p>Full day program for the Children</p> <p>Wake up call Official start of Mountain Route Time bar to depart on mountain route End of Mountain route</p> <p>Full day program for Children</p>
<p>MONDAY 1 May 2017</p> <p>08:00 08:30 08:30 10:30</p>	<p>Results Available Closing time for protests Church Service Price Giving</p>

7. **OFFICIALS**

The following officials will be responsible for the conduct of the event:

Clerk of the Course	Dirk van Wyk
Club Steward	Peter Claasen
Secretary of the Meeting	Rina Stander
Treasurer	TBA
RDW PRO – Media	Dirk van Wyk
Chief Marshals - Main Route	Peter Claasen
	Frits Greger
Chief Marshal - Gymkhana	Ben Smit
Chief Scorer	Carina Volschenk

Scrutineer
Start Marshal
Marshals
Gate Control
Medical Officers

Japie Zeeman
Deon Kok / Kobus Joubert
List to be attached
TBA
4 Wheels Drive Rescue Unit

8. ENTRIES

8.1 Entries open immediately and close at 12:00 on Friday 21 April 2017. Late entries may be accepted not later than 21:00 on Friday 28 April 2017 at an additional cost of R50.00.

The entry fees are as follows:

	Members	Non-Members
Jamboree Entry Fee	R 420.00	R 530.00
Mountain Route only	R 250.00	R 300.00
Late entry	R100.00	R 100.00

Camping Fees.

Per person per night	R60.00	R80.00
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8.2 The number of entries may be limited to 180. Entries will be treated on a first come, first served basis.

8.3 Navigators and passengers must sign indemnity forms, available on site.

9. DOCUMENTATION AND SCRUTINISING

Documentation and scrutinizing will be carried out between 13:00 and 21:00 on Friday 28 April 2017, at the areas demarcated on site. Competitors must report to the Scrutineer first and then proceed to the documentation area with the completed scrutineering document.

10. COMPETITORS' BRIEFING

A competitors' briefing will be held at 21:30 on Friday 28 April 2017 in the camp. All competitors are to be present at this briefing at the stipulated time and venue. Representatives will not be permitted. A register will be available for signature; the onus is on the competitor to ensure that he signs the register.

11. INDEMNITIES

Drivers and Co drivers and all passengers must sign indemnity forms. The signed indemnities must be returned to the office before competitors will be permitted to start the Gymkhana or Main Route Sections.

12. START OF SPECIAL SECTIONS

12.1 Starting positions will be determined by position of entry received, e.g. first come, first served.

12.2 The start will be by verbal instruction at start line and at intervals as indicated.

12.3 The finishing line of the various sections will be shown on the route schedule.

12.4 Competitors will be supplied with a route schedule / map, detailing the course to be followed at the starting line.

12.5 To be classified as a finisher, the competitors must complete the whole of the course under their own power within an ideal time. Marshals may assist the competitors.

- 12.6 The starting of the Jamboree may take place by the simultaneous start of the first section of the Main Route, with that of the Gymkhana Section. The starting Marshall shall direct competitors to the various starting points at his discretion.

13. COMPETITIONS NUMBERS

Competition numbers will be supplied by the Organizers and must be fixed to the vehicle in a clearly visible position, as instructed. Competitors will depart in the Gymkhana and on the main route in this order as per their respective numbers.

14. CREWS

- 14.1 The persons carried in or on the vehicle are deemed to be its crew.
- 14.2 The number of crew members shall not exceed the vehicles maximum seating capacity. The vehicle shall not be permitted to move until every crew member is seated within the vehicle and strapped in where seatbelts are fitted. Nothing shall be permitted to protrude from the vehicle
- 14.3 A maximum number of four (4) adults shall be allowed per vehicle, or parents and their own children. The maximum safe carrying capacity of the vehicle may however not be exceeded.
- 14.4 Children shall be deemed to be someone under the age of 18 years and over 4 years. Children less than 4 years of age must be strapped in a SABS approved baby seat. The organizers reserve the right to call for proof of age of a child, should a dispute arise as to the age of such a child. The minor's parent or guardian must sign indemnities in respect of minors.

15. ROUTE SCHEDULE

Competitors will be supplied with information deemed necessary by the Organizers for the due performance of the competition and the mode of operation, or direction to be followed will be specified in the route schedule and these instructions will be binding on all competitors.

16. DRIVERS CONDUCT

This type of competition is not a speed event. The Clerk of the Course may exclude any competitor who, in his opinion, is driving too fast or recklessly in an obstacle or transport section.

17. EXCLUSION

Competitors may be excluded or regarded as non-finishers at the discretion of the Organizers for:

- 17.1 Failing to stop at any control point and not carrying out the instruction as set out in the route schedule
- 17.2 Missing three or more check controls.
- 17.3 Failing to hand the route controlled schedule to the Organizers immediately after arriving at the finish of each section.
- 17.4 For exceeding the speed limit allowed to complete the route.
- 17.5 If it is reported to the Organizers before 18:00 on the day of the event that a competitor:
- 17.5.1 Drove dangerously or without due consideration for other road users; and / or
- 17.5.2 Behaved in such a manner likely to prejudice the interest or motor sport generally ; and / or
- 17.5.3 Allowed a person without a valid license to drive the competing vehicle during the event; and /or
- 17.5.4 Failed to declare to the Organizers on the incident report form provided, any incidents during the event involving any other person or property; and / or
- 17.5.5 Failed to afford an opportunity to pass or deliberately preventing passing. This conduct will be looked upon in a very bad light; and / or
- 17.5.6 Contravening any traffic rule or regulation; and / or

- 17.5.7 Reported to the Start Official at the start later than the due starting time; and / or
- 17.5.8 Driving the competing vehicle or being a passenger whilst intoxicated with alcohol as determined by law. Breath analyzer tests may be carried out if necessary. No alcohol of any nature may be carried on or in the vehicle. Competitors found guilty of this will be barred from entering the event in the future for a period determined by the organizers.
- 17.5.9 Failing to display the advertising materials such as stickers supplied by the sponsors in a prominent position on both sides of the vehicle.

18. TOTAL POINTS

Total Points achievable for the rally is 1000 points, made up as follow:

Points achievable on Main Routed	-	400 points
Points achievable on Gymkhana	-	500 points
Points achievable in best equipped vehicle	-	100 points

19. RESULTS AND AWARDS PRESENTATION

- 19.1.1 Unless circumstances arise, which could cause unreasonable delay in announcing results after the event, it will be made available 08:00 on Monday 1 May 2017, at the prize giving venue, to allow competitors to check their scores against the score sheets. Any discrepancies must be reported to the Clerk of the Course within 30 minutes of the publication of provisional results.
- 19.1.2 Competitors attention is drawn to the correct manner regarding Appeals and Enquiries, their right to protest, time limit for protests, action to be taken, etc.
- 19.1.3 The prize giving will commence at 10:30 on Monday 1 May 2017 subject to no protest being received, and will be held on site.
- 19.1.4 It is compulsory for competitors to attend the prize giving function unless they have received prior permission from the Clerk of the Course to be absent from this function. Any competitor who is not present and who has not made prior arrangements shall forfeit all such awards.

20. RIGHTS OF THE CLERK OF THE COURSE – PROMOTERS AND ORGANISERS

20.1 The Clerk of the Course reserves the right to:

- 20.1.1 Alter the departure times and route if forced to so through weather conditions or for any other reason.
- 20.1.2 Alter the starting and scoring methods, if it is found necessary to do.
- 20.2 The Promoters / Organizers reserve the right to:
 - 20.2.1 Postpone, abandon or cancel the event for reasons of “force majeure”. In the Event of postponement for more than 24 hours, entrants will be refunded their entry fee.
 - 20.2.2 Refuse any entry.
 - 20.2.3 Restrict the number of entries to 180 (one hundred and eighty) at the sole discretion of the clerk of the course.

21 FIRST AID

First Aid services will be on site.

22 CANCELLATIONS

The event will not be postponed, abandoned or cancelled on the account of inclement weather or any other reason except in the case of “force majeure”.

23 ACQUAINTANCE WITH AND SUBMISSION TO THE RULES

Competitors shall, by entering the competition, be deemed to have and recognize that they have made themselves acquainted, with the rules.

24 ACCOMMODATION

Competitors are requested to supply their own camping equipment and braaing facilities, including wood or charcoal. Competitors will not be permitted to chop up or cut any tress including branches of trees, which are dry and even branches that have fallen to the ground.

25 ELECTRICAL POWER

Competitors are reminded that limited electricity is available and alternative arrangement should be made. Portable generators are not allowed.

26 WATER

Please bring your own drinking water. There is limited water at present due to the drought.

27 SWEEPS AND RECOVERY

It is intended that there will be sweep vehicles to pick up crewmembers that are injured or stranded. Competitors are to note that the Organizers are not obligated under any circumstances to provide any service for the recovery of vehicles although they will endeavor to help where possible.

SECTION B

GENERAL REGULATIONS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR 4 X 4 JAMBOREES

1. DESCRIPTION

- 1.1 This is a social family event which is open to 4 – wheel drive vehicles only.
- 1.2 A maximum speed of 60km/h may not be exceeded.
- 1.3 Competitors are allowed one minute to look for clues and answer each question.
- 1.4 All sections will test the driver and vehicle’s ability to traverse difficult terrain, to read map instructions and decode clues.
- 1.5 The order of finishing will not determine the final results, as time, driver’s skill and errors, as well as the manner in which the vehicles have been prepared will count towards the final score.
- 1.6 The Clerk of the Course reserves the right to alter the departure times and route if forced to do so for any valid reason. In addition, the Clerk of the Course reserves the right to alter the starting times if it is found to be necessary.
- 1.7 It may consist of a cross-country route and/or gymkhana section.

2. CLASSES

There will be no classes. Any 4 x 4 vehicle, which is licensed to operate on roads in SA and / or declared sufficiently roadworthy for this purpose will be eligible. Only standard tyres, rated for use on the road and with a minimum speed rating of 100 km/h, will be permitted. Paddle tyres, tyre chains, studs, double wheels, etc. may not be used.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND PRE – START REQUIREMENTS

No competitor will be allowed to start the event unless he has satisfied the officials concerned that all the under mentioned documents and equipment are in order:

- 3.1 Provincial driver’s license for the driver or learner’s driver’s license provided the Navigator has a valid driver’s license.
- 3.2 The co-driver may not be younger than 16 years of age and prove must be furnished if requested Although the co-driver may not qualify to be in control of the vehicle during the event, he/she must be capable of taking control, and recover the vehicle, if necessary.

- 3.3 Competition license for the driver. Only if required for the specific event. Not required in 2017
- 3.4 Indemnities for the navigator and all passengers.
- 3.5 Properly completed and signed entry forms.
- 3.6 The entered vehicle must, in opinion of the Scrutinizer, be safe and capable of completing the course and be adjudicated as sufficiently road worthy for this purpose. The following points will be looked at: -
 - 3.6.1 Condition of tyres, batteries secured, safe fuel lines, wiring, condition of steering mechanism, suspension and brakes, roll bars, safety belts, etc.
 - 3.6.2 All open vehicles without a permanent roof or vehicles with removable fibreglass roofs must be fitted with at least a roll bar of at least 38mm in diameter.
- 3.7 At marked obstacles in the route, the driver and all passengers in the vehicle must wear safety belts. Alternatively the by-pass may be taken. Competitors won't forfeit any points counting towards the main route for taking the by-pass.
- 3.8 **Tow hooks/recovery points must be available on the front and rear of the vehicle. A normal "caravan" tow hook is not considered safe.**

4. **CONTROLS**

Regular check controls will operate at specific points on the route to be followed by the competitors. Competitors must stop at these control points and must have their route maps signed by the Control Official. Should a competitor miss a route check control he will be penalized. In cases where a stipulated time is required to complete the route the following shall apply. Should any competitor be delayed at an obstacle because of another competitor, it shall be his duty to have the time delay noted on his route schedule by the Marshall on duty at such a point or the Marshall on duty at the nearest point. Should such a competitor fail to have the duration of his delay noted on his route schedule, then it shall be deemed that he was not delayed by any other reason than his own doing. In this regard, the decision of the Official in charge of that section shall be deemed final.

5. **PENALTIES**

- 5.1 Penalties will be awarded to competitors who do not complete the full course, are observed taking shortcuts and / or failed to pass all route checkpoints - 400 points.
Competitors will be penalized for travelling together or assisting other competitors - 100 points.
- 5.2 Marshalls may assist the competitors if necessary but such competitors shall be penalized 100 points.
- 5.3 If a driver is found to have contravened all three points mentioned in 5.1 to 5.3 above, it could lead to said driver being disqualified which decision will be made solely by the Clerk of the Course in collaboration with the Club Steward and Chief Marshall.
- 5.4 Competitors are warned that should they fail to allow another competitor to overtake them (and such transgression is reported to any Official or Marshall), then such competitor shall be penalized - 50 points. This rule shall apply particularly where competitors park in the road or dirt track when looking for answers to questions on the main route section of the Jamboree.
- 5.5 This is a family event. A family shall be deemed to be a man, woman and children under the age of 18 years. Competitors will be penalized for carrying any other passengers – 50 points per passenger. ie 2x men, 2x females, more than 2 adults.
- 5.6 Penalty points will be awarded to competitors using more than the allowed time.
- 5.7 Using other means such as cell phones and reference literature to answer questions – 200 points.

- 5.8 In order to ensure fairness short wheelbase vehicles (2450 mm wheel base and shorter) will receive a penalty of 50 points per obstacle at obstacles where the shorter wheelbase allows an advantage over a long wheelbase vehicle.
- 5.9 Competitors are allowed to use vehicles with a rear locker (locked diff) However vehicles equipped with more than one locker and or limited slip system will be penalized 50 points at each obstacle where this provides an unfair advantage over other competitors.
- 5.10 In order to be fair and protect the environment all tyre sizes of 33 inch or bigger will receive a once of penalty on a sliding scale. - 33 inch and bigger or equivalent but not yet 35 inch 50 points, -35 Inch and equivalent but not yet 37 100 points, - 37 inch 150 points etc.
- 5.11 Competitors in open vehicle will not be allowed to lean out of vehicle due to the lack of doors and roofs etc. The vehicle will be regarded as having doors and or a roof. Noncompliance will result in zero point for the obstacle.
- 5.12 Where vehicles provide an advantage to the competitor due to the lack of doors and or a roof 50 penalty point will be awarded per obstacle where this is evident.
- 5.13 Requesting help from Marshalls or other competitors to answer questions, completing an obstacle or to obtain better scores will result in 200 penalty points.
- 5.14 Practicing or having insider knowledge of any Gymkhana obstacle or questions on the main route, or being assisted by Marshalls /other competitors to complete a question. Competitors will forfeit all points for the specific obstacle or question set.
- 5.15 Competitors must always drive safely. Should a competitor drive in an unruly manner without regards for the safety of other competitors, spectators or abuse his vehicle the competitor will lose all points for the obstacle or may be disqualified in total.

6. **PETROL / DIESEL**

Competitors must have sufficient fuel for 100 km off – road conditions.

7. **GENERAL RULES**

- 7.1 You have entered a tough event, you are asked not to hinder competitors who may attempt to overtake you.
- 7.2 No fire arms to be carried on the route.
- 7.3 No fires allowed other than where indicated at the camp site.
- 7.4 No damage to Fauna and Flora. If you cause injury to an animal (or person) it is a criminal offence not to stop. You must describe an incident during the event on an Incident Report Form, which may be obtained from the Clerk of the Course.
- 7.5 No vehicle may be started in the camp area between 22:00 and 05:30.
- 7.6 No two-way radios may be used during the staging of the Jamboree by anyone other than Officials and Marshalls. Should your vehicle not be able to continue with the event, please move it so that other competitors can pass. There will be sweep vehicles on all sections to pick up and assist any crews and vehicles that are stranded; however, these sweep vehicles will not accept any responsibility for removing any competing vehicle.
- 7.7 Cell phones may only be used in emergency and not as an aid in answering questions.
- 7.8 Reference literature / materials will not be allowed.
- 7.9 Please do not follow closely behind the vehicle in front of you. You are not, under any circumstances, to start ascending of descending an obstacle or mountain climb while the other vehicle in front of you is still ascending or descending such an obstacle.
- 7.10 You are requested to be extremely careful when approaching obstacles, particularly those supervised by Marshalls. You are requested to stop, climb out of your vehicle, inspect the obstacle and thereafter attempt it.

8. **AWARDS**

Trophies and prizes will be awarded to the first three positions. and presented at the prize giving.

