



# RALLY GUIDE 1

COFFS COAST RALLY  
25-27 NOVEMBER 2022

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## Article 1. Introduction / Welcome

Welcome to the Coffs Coast Rally, the FIA Asia Pacific Rally Championship Final and the final round of the RSEA Safety Motorsport Australia Rally Championship.

This event promises to deliver a strong finish to the 2022 rally calendar both here in Australia and the wider Asia Pacific region.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank the NSW Government for their support of this event, without which this rally would not be possible. It is an exciting prospect for the Coffs Coast region to host an international event of this calibre and we cannot wait to get the event started.

The Coffs Coast has a rich rally history, most notably as the host of Rally Australia in recent times. This event utilises some of those roads made famous by the FIA World Rally Championship and it is a terrific opportunity for a large number of competitors to showcase their talents on such high-quality roads.

As part of this event, I encourage you all to take some time out either side of the event to enjoy everything this amazing region has to offer. This part of northern NSW provides plenty of opportunities for tourists, whether it's action and adventure, or a more leisurely break on some of the world's best beaches.

A special thank you must also go to the residents and businesses supporting this event and the logistics required to make rallying possible.

And to all our sponsors, we are eternally grateful for your support.

If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to reach out to the relevant contacts listed in this Rally Guide. Our team stands ready to assist you all to make this the best event possible.

We wish all competitors, teams, officials, spectators and media the best for the Coffs Coast Rally.

Yours sincerely



Adrian Coppin

Event Manager

## Article 2. Contact Details

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### Media and Public Relations Contact:

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### Rally Headquarters

C.ex International Stadium, Stadium Drive, Coffs Harbour

### Hours of Operation

|                                     |                   |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> November   | 0900hrs – 2100hrs |
| Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November | 0900hrs – 2100hrs |
| Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> November  | 0900hrs – 2100hrs |
| Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> November    | 0900hrs – 1730hrs |
| Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> November  | 0700hrs – 2030hrs |
| Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> November    | 0700hrs – 1930hrs |
| Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> November    | 0800hrs – 1000hrs |

## Article 3. Program and Critical Deadlines

|                 |                                      |             |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| <b>3.1</b>      | <b>Schedule Before Rally Week</b>    |             |
| <b>Saturday</b> | <b>1<sup>st</sup> October</b>        |             |
| 0900hrs         | Supplementary Regulations Published  | Online      |
| 0900hrs         | Entries Open                         | Secretariat |
| 0900hrs         | Media Accreditation Open             | Secretariat |
| <b>Friday</b>   | <b>11<sup>th</sup> November</b>      |             |
| 0900hrs         | Rally Guide 2 Published              | Online      |
| 1700hrs         | Entries Close                        | Secretariat |
| <b>Thursday</b> | <b>16<sup>th</sup> November</b>      |             |
| 2000hrs         | Entry List in Seeded Order Published | Online      |

### 3.2

#### Tuesday

### Schedule During Rally Week

#### 22<sup>nd</sup> November

|         |                           |                            |
|---------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| 0900hrs | Rally Headquarters Opens  | C.ex International Stadium |
| 1300hrs | Documentation Commences   | C.ex International Stadium |
| 2100hrs | Documentation Closes      | C.ex International Stadium |
| 2100hrs | Rally Headquarters Closes | C.ex International Stadium |

#### Wednesday

#### 23<sup>rd</sup> November

|         |                           |                            |
|---------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| 0900hrs | Rally Headquarters Opens  | C.ex International Stadium |
| 1800hrs | Documentation Commences   | C.ex International Stadium |
| 2100hrs | Documentation Concludes   | C.ex International Stadium |
| 2100hrs | Rally Headquarters Closes | C.ex International Stadium |

#### Thursday

#### 24<sup>th</sup> November

|         |                                |                            |
|---------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 0700hrs | Testing Commences              | Bucca Forests              |
| 0900hrs | Rally Headquarters Opens       | C.ex International Stadium |
| 0900hrs | Service Park Opens (all crews) | C.ex International Stadium |
| 1100hrs | Testing Concludes              | Bucca Forests              |
| 1100hrs | APRC Shakedown Commences       | Bucca Forests              |
| 1200hrs | APRC Shakedown Concludes       | Bucca Forest               |
| 1300hrs | Reconnaissance Commences       | Bucca Forests              |
| 1730hrs | Reconnaissance Concludes       |                            |
| 1800hrs | Documentation Commences        | C.ex International Stadium |
| 2100hrs | Documentation Concludes        | C.ex International Stadium |
| 2100hrs | Rally Headquarters Closes      | C.ex International Stadium |

#### Friday

#### 25<sup>th</sup> November

|         |                                     |                             |
|---------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 0800hrs | Reconnaissance Commences            | Bucca Forests               |
| 0900hrs | Rally Headquarters Opens            | C.ex International Stadium  |
| 0900hrs | Scrutiny Commences                  | TBA                         |
| 1300hrs | Latest Time for Vehicle Change      | C.ex International Stadium  |
| 1300hrs | Scrutiny Concludes                  | TBA                         |
| 1530hrs | Reconnaissance Concludes            | Bucca Forests               |
| 1630hrs | Ceremonial Start List Published     | Secretariat                 |
| 1700hrs | Ceremonial Start Staging Area opens | C.ex International Stadium  |
| 1730hrs | Rally Headquarters Closes           | C.ex International Stadium  |
| 1730hrs | Ceremonial Start Commences          | C.ex International Stadium, |
| 1930hrs | Ceremonial Start Concludes          | C.ex International Stadium, |

#### Saturday

#### 26<sup>th</sup> November

|         |   |                            |
|---------|---|----------------------------|
| 0700hrs | Rally Headquarters Opens                      | C.ex International Stadium |
| 0730hrs | Start Leg 1                                   | C.ex International Stadium |
| 1830hrs | 1 <sup>st</sup> Car Enters End of Day Service | C.ex International Stadium |
| 2000hrs | Leg 2 Start List Published                    | Secretariat                |
| 2030hrs | Rally Headquarters Closes                     | C.ex International Stadium |
| 2300hrs | Latest time for vehicles to enter Parc Fermé  | C.ex International Stadium |

#### Sunday

#### 27<sup>th</sup> November

|         |  |                             |
|---------|--|-----------------------------|
| 0700hrs | Rally Headquarters Opens                       | C.ex International Stadium  |
| 0700hrs | Start Leg 2                                    | C.ex International Stadium  |
| 1630hrs | End Leg 2                                      | C.ex International Stadium  |
| 1800hrs | Podium Presentations Commence                  | C.ex International Stadium  |
| 1730hrs | Post Event Press Conference                    | C.ex International Stadium  |
| 1730hrs | Post Event Scrutiny Commences                  | TBA                         |
| 1800hrs | Post Event Scrutiny Concludes                  | TBA                         |
| 1830hrs | Provisional Results Posted                     | Secretariat                 |
| 1900hrs | Final Results Issued (subject to any protests) | Secretariat                 |
| 1900hrs | Post Event Function Commences                  | C.ex International Stadium, |
| 1930hrs | Rally Headquarters Closes                      | C.ex International Stadium, |

## Article 4. Entry Details

2022 Titles for which the Event counts towards;

- FIA Asia-Pacific Rally Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
- FIA Junior APRC Championship for Drivers
- FIA APRC3 Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
- FIA APRC4 Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers

FIA Asia Pacific Rally Championship Coffs Coast Rally Entry Fees:

- |   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| • Competitors registered to contest the APRC or ARC | <b>AUD \$1600</b> |
| • NSW Rally Championship, EECR Series 2WD and 4WD   | <b>AUD \$1225</b> |
| • NSW Clubman & Hyundai Competitors                 | <b>AUD \$750</b>  |

The above fees include:

- Optional advertising proposed by the Organisers. An additional fee will be required if the Optional advertising proposed by the Organisers is not carried.
- An amount to cover the operation of the Rally Safe vehicle tracking system. For details of purchase or hire of the installation kit, contact Rally Safe by email on: [abbey@rallysafe.com.au](mailto:abbey@rallysafe.com.au)

The entry fee specified above will entitle the entrant to:

- One (1) Road Book
- Vehicle livery pack
- Two (2) service vehicle passes
- Reconnaissance pack

Additional Fees (other than Testing):

- |                                    |              |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| • Change of Crew Member            | AUD \$50.00  |
| • Additional Service Vehicle Plate | AUD \$100.00 |
| • Additional Road Book             | AUD \$50.00  |

## Article 5. Service Park

The Service Park will be located C.ex International Stadium, Stadium Drive, Coffs Harbour NSW 2450

Competitors can access the service park from 1300hrs Monday 22nd November, with the following services available.

- Public toilets
- Waste removal shared use
- Recycling facilities
- Waste oil collection shared use
- General venue security
- Security Guards will be on site from Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2022 from sun down to sun rise.

Service Park Manager: Scott Shepard  
Mobile: 0428 416 506  
Email: [scottsheppard94@gmail.com](mailto:scottsheppard94@gmail.com)

Type of Surface: Hardstand



## **Article 6. Two Way Radio**

Two-way radios can be hired from TR Hirecom  
41 Enterprise Circuit, Prestons NSW 2107  
Phone: 1800 222 327  
Email: [rent@trhirecom.com.au](mailto:rent@trhirecom.com.au)

## **Article 7. Fuel & Tyres**

### **Fuel**

The use of Leaded Fuel including AVGAS is illegal in Australia. Fuel of up to 98 RON is available at most Service Stations.

### **Tyre Regulations**

FIA Asia-Pacific Rally Championship – Refer to Article 13 and Appendix V of the 2022 FIA Regional Rally Sporting Regulations.

## **Article 8. Import of Vehicles and Spare Parts**

### **National Laws / Customs Clearance**

To temporarily import rally and support vehicles, parts, tyres and components into Australia without payment of Customs Import Duty and Sales Tax is either under an ATA Carnet or FIA / AIT Carnet de Passage en Douane.

ATA Carnets are issued by the Chamber of Commerce in the Exporting Country. An ATA Carnet will allow the bringing of Rally Vehicles etc. into Australia for up to twelve months. All items not re- exported within this period will be liable for Duty and Sales Tax.

The Australian Customs website is: [www.customs.gov.au](http://www.customs.gov.au).

Go to Quick Guide to Customs in Quick Links on the Right Side of their Home Page. Then go to Motor Vehicles. Then go to Temporary Importation on the Left Side of the Motor Vehicle page. Further information and assistance is available from the Asia Pacific Rally Championship Co- Ordinator:

### **Vehicle Registration**

The Roads and Maritime Services control registration of Vehicles in the New South Wales. Vehicles temporarily imported into Australia may be driven using an Event Permit issued by the Roads and Maritime Services.

## **Article 9. Helicopters**

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## **Article 10. Hospitality Arrangements**

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## **Article 11. Hotel / Accommodation Reservations**

The Coffs Coast offers a wide range of accommodation options, visit [Accommodation | Coffs Coast](#) to view all potential listings

## **Article 12. Reconnaissance**

A two-pass reconnaissance for all competitors has been scheduled for Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> and Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November.

All competitors taking part in reconnaissance must register at the Rally Secretariat to get all the necessary documentation before starting their reconnaissance.

Vehicles used for reconnaissance must comply with Articles 35.1 and 35.2 of the 2022 FIA Regional Rally Sporting Regulations. Supplementary Regulations will include further details.

The Reconnaissance Schedule will be included in Rally Guide 2 and published in a Bulletin.

Competitors are reminded that all roads will be open to the public during reconnaissance and so must observe all applicable road rules and, at all times, be aware of oncoming traffic.

## **Article 13. Scrutineering, Sealing & Marking**

Compulsory Scrutiny for all Asia-Pacific Rally Championship competitors will be held on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2022.

## **Article 14. Shakedown**

The APRC Shakedown will take place on the morning of Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2022. Further information will be available in the Supplementary Regulations and Rally Guide 2.

All Asia-Pacific Rally Championship-registered Competitors and selected other Competitors will be required to attend.

All competitors at the Shakedown must have all livery, numbers and signage in place on their vehicles and must have completed pre-event scrutiny.

## **Article 15. Start Procedure**

Ceremonial Start activities will be held on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2022 at C.ex International Stadium Forecourt.

The Rally Start will be on the morning of Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2022 at TC0 which will be located within the Service Park. A map showing the location of this control will be provided in the road book.

## **Article 16. Finish Procedure**

The Rally will finish in the afternoon of Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2022 at the Service Park.



## **Article 17. Public Relations Activities**

All Asia-Pacific Rally Championship Entrants and other selected competitors may be asked to participate in Public Relations and Media and will be advised.

## **Article 18. Media**

**Media Manager:** Paul Riordan  
**Phone:** +61 402 765 177  
**Email:** priordan@motorsport.org.au

All media attending the Coffs Coast Rally require accreditation. Accreditation applications are to be made via email to Paul Riordan, the deadline for accreditation application is Friday 18th November 2022. Applications can also be made via [www.rally.com.au/coffscoast](http://www.rally.com.au/coffscoast)

## **Article 19. Passes and Plates**

See Rally Guide 2

## **Article 20. Medical and Safety Services**

See Rally Guide 2

## **Article 21. List of Useful Facts and Services**

There are no international flights direct to Coffs Harbour.

Domestic Airlines  
Qantas Airways  
13 13 13  
[www.qantas.com.au](http://www.qantas.com.au)

REX Airlines  
13 17 13

Link Airways  
1300 851 269

Hire Car Companies  
AVIS Australia <https://www.avis.com.au>  
Budget Car Rentals <https://www.budget.com.au>  
Hertz Australia <https://www.hertz.com.au/>  
Thrifty Car Rentals <https://www.thrifty.com.au/>

Climate  
Average temperatures for the month of November are;

Minimum temperature 15 degrees celsius  
Maximum temperature 32 degrees celsius

Time Zone  
NSW observes daylight savings at this time of year, with a time zone of UTC/GMT +11 hours