



CHAMPIONSHIP BULLETIN No 1

From: Championship Co-ordinator / Championship CLO.

To: All Circuit Rally Championship Competitors / Championship Officials.

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The **2024/25 PROTYRE Circuit Rally Championship** (CRC) features a choice of nine popular one day circuit-based stage rallies at six different spectator-friendly venues with a competitor's best seven scores to count. The Championship will run from early November 2024 to mid-April 2025. The CRC calendar can be found at www.circuitrally.co.uk/calendar

The Championship now includes eight competition classes which will cater for all types of stage rally car.

The latest CRC Regulations are available on the championship website at www.circuitrally.co.uk/regulations

SPORTITY:

The Championship will again be using the Sportity App to provide direct communication of information with competitors. Please download the Sportity app and insert the password. The Sportity app is available in www.sportity.com



The **PROTYRE Circuit Rally Championship Facebook page** at <https://www.facebook.com/CircuitRally> will have all the latest News, Photos and Live Streaming from the Championship.

CHAMPIONSHIP OFFICIALS

The Championship Liaison Officer (CLO). **Josh Routledge** will be in attendance at the CRC events. He will have championship decals etc and can be contacted via E-mail at Champ.coordinator@circuitrally.co.uk
Tel: 07749 249759.

CHAMPIONSHIP REGISTRATION

For those competitors who have not yet registered for **2024/25 PROTYRE Circuit Rally Championship**, then we ask that you do so A.S.A.P. via the on-line championship registration system at www.rallies.info/webentry/2025/circuitchamp/webentry.php Registration is just £40 for Drivers and £25 for Co-drivers. Please note that Championship registration must be done in advance of starting your first event so that you are eligible to score points on that event. If you have any championship registration queries, contact Membership Registrar Mark Wilkinson. Email registrar@circuitrally.co.uk

CHAMPIONSHIP DECALS

Competitors must display the Championship decals on their competition car throughout every championship event to qualify for Championship points. The decals are **17cm x 45cm** and must be affixed in a prominent location, one on each side of the car, above the centre line of the wheels. In addition, there will be 2 x 10cm oval Witham Motorsport Oils decals for each side of the car. Decals will be available at each CRC round from the CLO Josh Routledge, Tel 07749249759. For those registered competitors who have paid for them to be posted out in advance, they will be sent 1st class this weekend.

LIVE STREAMING for ALL CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS



With generous support from **Williams Auctions**, extensive live coverage and highlights will be provided by **Special Stage Rally Video** of the all the 2024/25 PROTYRE Circuit Rally Championship. They'll have multiple cameras in stage, plus competitor interviews etc from every round.

Motorsport UK TV will also share links to the free-to-view coverage, growing our audience and maximising publicity for you and the championship.

WILLIAMS AUCTIONS: Plant, Machinery, Agricultural & Construction Equipment Auctioneers in Cheshire, with full audio-visual capabilities enabling worldwide online bidding. www.williamsauctions.co.uk

CHAMPIONSHIP SPONSORS AND SUPPORTERS

PROTYRE (or their affiliated suppliers) will be present at all the 2024/25 Circuit Rally Championship events and will be able to supply competitors with Michelin, Pirelli, Hoosier, or Toyo tyres. Contact **Shaun Chetwyn** on 01782 411001 or 07968 307584 for your specific tyre requirements. Email: Shaun.Chetwyn@protyre.co.uk

PROTYRE AWARDS

There is a valuable PROTYRE Award Scheme for all PROTYRE Circuit Rally Championship registered drivers who comply with the following: -

- Must complete the rally using only one brand of tyre and must carry decals for that brand of tyre (Michelin, Pirelli or Hoosier). Decals will be supplied at the event to facilitate this.
- Tyres supplied new must be purchased through PROTYRE or its affiliated suppliers JD Tyres or Tyres South Shore. (The Protyre Awards do not apply to tyres purchased part worn)
- Competitors taking part or wishing to do so must register for the Awards with the Circuit Rally Championship CLO Josh Routledge - at Champ.coordinator@circuitrally.co.uk with the Drivers name, Car, Class, Tyre make, and approx. date purchased from PROTYRE (or affiliates)

PROTYRE AWARDS on each Championship Event

Overall Awards: 1st = 3 tyres, 2nd = 2 tyres, 3rd = 1 tyre.

Awards in the designated Class: 1st = 3 tyres, 2nd = 2 tyres, 3rd = 1 tyre.

EVENT		Overall	Class B	Class C	Class D	Class E	Class F, G, H
Round 1	Oulton Park	***	***				
Round 2	Cadwell	***		***			
Round 3	Donington	***			***		
Round 4	Brands Hatch	***				***	
Round 5	Snetterton	***					***
Round 6	Anglesey	***	***				
Round 7	Donington	***		***			
Round 8	Cadwell	***			***		
Round 9	Anglesey	***				***	

If there are no eligible drivers in the designated class, no awards will be given.

WITHAM MOTORSPORT OILS

It's great to have Witham Motorsport continuing to support the championship as our specialist lubricant partner. Richard Scarbrough, Sales Director said "We are on hand to discuss all things oil for the drivers and teams, from high performance motorsport lubricants to reliable top quality classic oils, coolants, brake fluids, and transmission fluids. Rallying creates heavy stress on the cars and engines, and we know what a difference good quality products can make". www.withamgroup.co.uk/motorsport

QUESTMEAD is an associate sponsor of the Circuit Rally Championship, and they look forward to supporting competitors throughout the season. They are Competition Friction Specialists in addition to being a supplier of a wide range of motorsport components. They can be contacted via www.questmead.co.uk Tel: 01706 363939.

Questmead are offering a set of competition brake pads as an award to the Championship registered driver who makes the best improvement in their start number on each of the CRC events. *(This will be judged by the CRC with discretion to ignore or adjust for seeding anomalies).*

MEDIA PARTNER We are very pleased to confirm that **Motorsport News** are continuing as our Media Partner and will be providing extensive coverage of the Championship and each of the Championship events.

Andrew Bisping our Championship Media Manager will be pleased if you share newsworthy stories and pictures with him to enhance coverage of the CRC. At the start of the season stories about new cars and crew pairings are ideal, along with details of how you've prepared for the new season. Please send them to media@circuitrally.co.uk

CHAMPIONSHIP SCRUTINEER: The Championship Scrutineer at the Neil Howard Stages will be **Paul Hewer**.

NOTE: Motorsport UK Regulations now require there to be a maximum limit on the number of tyres a competitor can use on each event. R48.5.11. [12 tyres on a Single Venue event up to 45 miles]. This will be specified in the Regulations on each event.

EVENT NOTES

The opening round of the 2024/25 CRC, the **Salford Van Hire Neil Howard Stages** on Saturday 2nd November has attracted a full entry including many CRC crews.

You are reminded that there will be a 'podium celebration' for the 3 leading crews shortly after they have finished the last stage. The event results will be finalised as quickly as possible, and the event awards presentation will take place soon after the results are final. This format of podium celebration > event results > event awards will be followed at all the CRC events.