Welcome to

Silver Fern Rally 2024

Driver & Service Crew Briefing 22nd - 29th November 2024



Emergency Phone Number

Located in the Route Book

0800 827 427

Make sure this number is loaded in your Mobile!

For all questions and requests refer to the

Competitor Relations Officer

Jim Scott 021 811 787

He wears the Blue Vest

For all documentation enquiries

Event Manager Lisa Ford – 0274 304 753

Secretariat will be located at:

- Start of Day
- Lunch
- End of Day

Results

Progressive results will be posted on:

www.chrissport.co.nz

 Provisional results will also be posted daily on the Official Notice Board at Lunch Service & End of Day

In-Car Media Coverage

- If you wish your in-car footage to be included in the TV coverage for the event you must deliver your memory card to the Secretariat.
- Make sure that you have two memory cards as they will not be able to download immediately.
- If there is an incident that is worthy of inclusion in the TV coverage please advise details of location & the incident so that we can find it easily.

Seeding

- Reseeding will be done after Leg 1.
- Reseeding may also be done at other times
 on the basis of safety, or by special request.
- If you feel that you need to be reseeded please submit your request to the CRO, for approval of the Clerk of Course.

RallySafe

- Please read the RallySafe Safety & Emergency Procedures Instructions in your competitor pack
- Any questions please call Buck 027 497 5675

Start of Day

- You must report no less than 15 minutes before your scheduled departure time
- Check seeding list the night before for any position changes
- Contact the CRO if you have any concerns with the seeding.

Wristbands



- Driver is RED and Co-Driver is GREEN.
- Make sure correct car number is on the wristband.
- · Without a wristband you will not be allowed to start special stages.



Touring Stages

Traffic Offences

- NZ Traffic laws must be strictly observed
- Incidents must be reported to Clerk of Course ASAP!
 This applies to Rally Cars and Service Crews!

Road Book

- Accident Procedure
- Itinerary
- Locations of notice board and Parc Ferme
- CRO schedule and where they will be located
- SOS/OK Sign
- Incident Sheet/Timing Enquiry Sheet/Inquiry forms
- Withdrawal & Rejoining Forms

Incidents

Use the forms in the Route book to advise

- Any property damage in Stage Fences, etc
- VERY IMPORTANT that you advise fence damage ASAP so that we can get a fencer there to secure livestock.
- Any and all accidents
- Traffic Notices (including Service Crew)

Enquiry Forms

- Forms are in the back of the Road Book
- Use these for any enquiries e.g.: Timing, etc
- Any timing enquiries must be submitted within
 24 hours of the stage it relates to.

Submit any Enquiries to the CRO.

Touring Stage

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Special Stage

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Stage Notes

Notes are available on this Event!

- Video Reconnaissance & Stage Notes are supplied by Cornerto-Crest, however no pre-event driving of the stages is allowed.
- No Operational Radar Detectors are allowed in the competition vehicles.
- Penalties will apply if any of the above are deemed to occurred.

We will be Checking!

Special Stage

- Report Time is PROVISIONAL
 - Early arrivals **may** permitted.
- HOWEVER, Sticking to your due report time is important
- Eliminate gaps at the start
- Be prepared to be called into control and to clock in early when asked to by the stage officials
- Do not block the road Keep Left at all times

Late Arrival at Special Stage

If running very late:

- Start crew will have packed up
- Sweep will have entered stage

Stage will now be a touring stage:

To be treated as an open road (KEEP LEFT!)

Never try to pass the Sweep car!

Special Stage - Start

Start Control:

Start crew will come to you

A start time is allocated and you will enter the start

line queue.

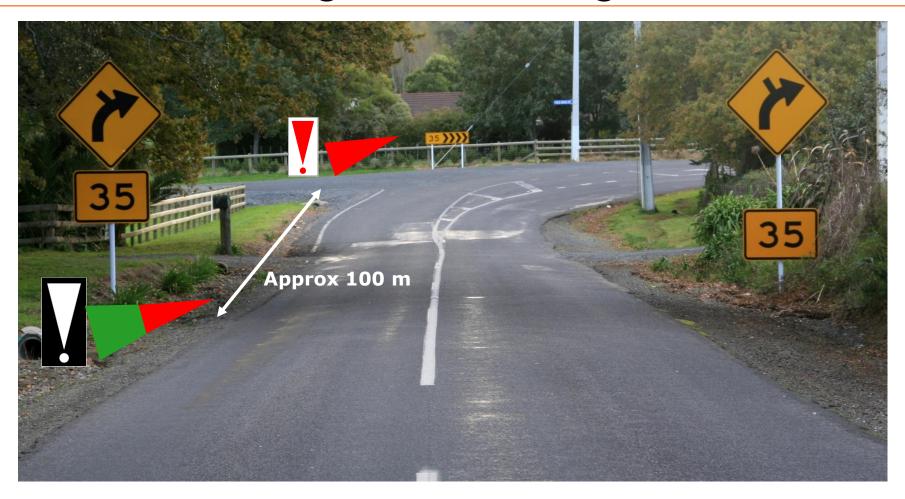
•Be prepared to start!

•You will be counted down to your start time on your **RallySafe unit**.

NOTE: THERE IS NO COUNTDOWN from the Start Team.



Stage Caution Signs



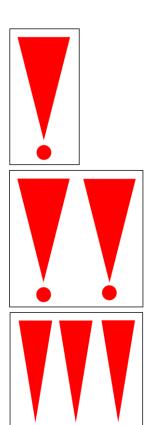
Stage Caution Signs

You have been warned!

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2 Cautions

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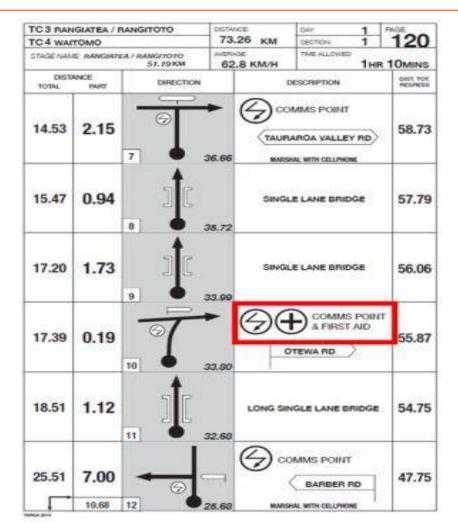


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They are there for a reason.
Failure to observe them will result in

disaster.

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Stage Information

Advance Warning sign



Actual location



Red Flag

- Any Competitor shown a red flag at a mid point must <u>STOP</u>
 <u>RACING</u> and <u>DRIVE AT ROAD SPEED</u> for the remainder of the stage on the <u>LEFT HAND SIDE OF THE ROAD ONLY!</u>
- Red flags may also be transmitted through RallySafe. If you receive this message, the above applies
- You may encounter a road blockage

Competitor Emergency Procedures

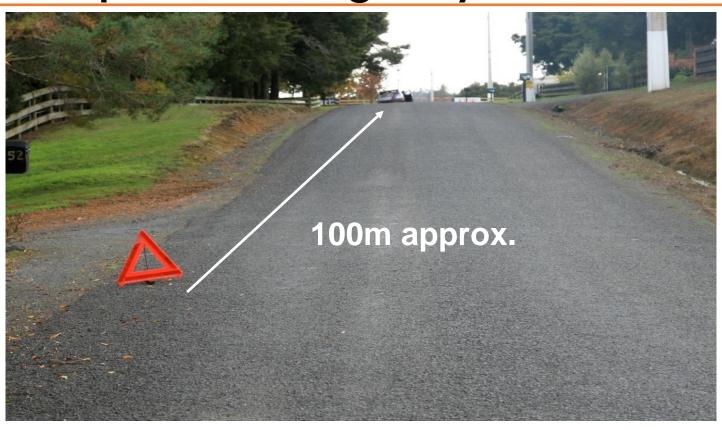
Stoppage in Stage - Non Injury:

- Emergency Safety Triangle
- Give plenty of warning (100m) on same side of road as car
- Display the OK or SOS Sign at or before your car



- Following competitors to advise Finish Control officials of accurate position in stage, etc.
- Remember to pick up your Safety Triangle!

Competitor Emergency Procedures



Competitor Emergency Procedures

NOT LIKE THIS!



Competitor Emergency Procedures

On arrival at an accident and there is no OK sign:

Stop and Check!

If assistance is required:

 Stop a sufficient number of following competitors to provide necessary assistance –

Use the SOS Sign

Follow the procedure to alert Rally Base ASAP

Emergency Number 0800 827 427

Competitor Emergency Procedures

If you are shown the SOS Sign: YOU MUST STOP!

- Your Assistance is required
- Your responsibility is to assist the crew
- Ensure Targa Base are contacted **urgently** with accurate information!

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Competitor Emergency Procedures

- The Emergency Number is in the Route book
- ALWAYS travel in the direction of Rally traffic
- Use mobile phone if coverage available
- Nearest residence and use 0800 827 427 number
- Mid point Radio
- End of the Stage
- Have accurate information, exact location, car number, incident details, etc.

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Withdrawing from the competition

- Always exit through the stage if you can continue
- Never exit using side roads
- If you are unable to continue have your withdrawal form completed and promptly hand to SWEEP
- Advise CRO of your intentions ASAP
- Default times will be allocated for stages not completed

Stage Finish – Flying Finish

- Warning sign that the Flying Finish is approximately 100 meters further on.
- There may be corners after the Flying Finish before the Finish Stop Control.







Stage Finish

- Slow down early!!
- Do not come into the

Stop Control at speed!!

Stage Finish - Stop Control



In-stage Incident (Accident)

Any and ALL impact incidents MUST be reported

 If you are stopped in a stage, or are able to continue to the stage finish

Before Starting another stage:

- Vehicle must be re-scrutineered
- Scruitineer: Troy Twomey 021 469 444
- Stage Commander will sign your time card
- Without the above NO START!
- Crew must be checked by the Medic at stage start

Re-joining

Re-joining on the same day:

- Report to the Stage Commander at the next Stage Start
- If vehicle is DAMAGED it <u>must</u> have been rechecked by the **Scrutineer** before re-starting
- Both crew members are advised to visit the Medic for clearance at the start of every stage
- Advise the CRO

Re-joining the following day:

Advise the CRO

Keep the CRO informed of your intentions at all times!

Motorsport Fuel Storage & Handling

Code of Practice

- Refer to the Code of Practice for Motorsport Fuel Storage and Handling
- No Fuel Storage Facility is provided on this event

We will be checking competitors service crews to ensure that they comply with these rules.

Flexi Service at End of Day

You have two options

- Go straight to service then onto Parc Ferme. You have 60 minutes to service.
- Put your car into the holding area and then remove it for service when you are ready. You have 60 minutes to service.
- You have one overnight removal from Parc Ferme without penalty.

Parc Ferme will close 3 hours after the first car arrives at the end of the day.

Servicing during the Day

You can service anywhere except

- On State Highways, please use side roads or rest areas.
- Within 200 meters of a control.

This is to protect your service crew and the public.

First Time Drivers/Co-Drivers

If this is your first Silver Fern event

You are requested to stay behind now for a more detailed briefing.

This is the opportunity to come and ask us questions.

Thank you and enjoy Silver Fern Rally 2024