



# RAINBOW RISES 240

## SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

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**Saturday 6 and Sunday 7 March 2021**

**Round 1 – 2021 Motorsport Australia Victorian Off Road Championship**

**Round 1 – 2021 Victorian Off Road Club Shield**

**Round 1 – 2021 VORRA Club Championship**

## **1. TITLE AND EVENT**

The Event will be known as the “Rainbow Rises 240” and will be a State Championship Short Course Off Road Event conducted at Rainbow Victoria on Saturday 6 and Sunday 7 March 2021.

The Event will be Round 1 of the 2021 Motorsport Australia - Victorian Off Road Championship (VORC) and will incorporate Round 1 of the 2021 Victorian Off Road Club Shield and Round 1 of the 2021 VORRA Club Championship.

## **2. AUTHORITY AND PERMIT**

The Event shall be held under the FIA International Sporting Code and Appendices, the National Competition Rules of Motorsport Australia (NCR); the Off Road Standing Regulations (ORSR), any applicable Championship or Series Regulations, the relevant Supplementary Regulations, and any Further Regulations, or instructions issued by the Organiser of the Event. This Event will be conducted under and in accordance with Motorsport Australia OH&S, Motorsport Australia Safety 1st and Risk Management Policies, which can be found on the Motorsport Australia website at [www.motorsport.org.au](http://www.motorsport.org.au).

The Motorsport Australia Permit Number for the Event is: **321/0703/03**

## **3. SPONSOR**

The primary sponsors of the Event will be GrainCorp, the Hindmarsh Shire Council and IGA.

## **4. PROMOTER/ORGANISER**

The Event will be promoted by the Victorian Off Road Racing Association Inc (Incorporation Number A0001356D) (ABN 47 762 979 202) which has appointed the Organising Committee listed below.

The official event address, to which all correspondence must be sent:  
Secretary of the Meeting at [rainbowrises240@gmail.com](mailto:rainbowrises240@gmail.com)

## **5. ORGANISING COMMITTEE**

The Event Organising Committee is made up from members of the Victorian Off Road Racing Association Inc. and the Rainbow community.

## 6. PRINCIPAL OFFICIALS

Clerk of the Course	Travis Conrad	0408 285 389
Secretary of the Meeting	Caroline Ritchie	0418 598 859
Chief Scorer	Murray Rogers	0412 259 246
Chief Scrutineer	Eddie Wilson	0417 415 034
Recovery Co-Ordinator	Roger Aitken	0428 405 386
Medical Response Co-Ordinator	Julie McLean	0488 654 437
Assistant Clerk of the Course	Tony Carabott	0422 887 333
COVID Checker	TBA	

## 7. STEWARDS OF THE MEETING

Chief Steward – Keith Sharman

Second Steward – Rex Monahan

## 8. ENTRY DETAILS

Entries open on Saturday 6 February, 2021 and close at midnight on Monday 1 March 2021.

Victorian Off Road Championship fee for entries received will be \$325.00 (this fee includes transponder hire and track reinstatement and VORC registration fee).

Victorian Off Road Club Shield fee for entries will be \$200.00 (this fee includes transponder hire and track reinstatement).

Payment can be made via EFT up until midnight Monday 1 March 2021. Entries will not be accepted unless accompanied by the relevant payment.

### **Direct Deposit information:**

BSB: 633 000

ACC: 1532 31121

Account Name: Victorian Off Road Racing Association Inc.

Please quote your RACE VEHICLE NUMBER and DRIVERS SURNAME as reference number when paying by EFT, so that payments can be accounted for.

Payment for ALL entries must be received by the close of entries.

Each Competitor will be allocated four (4) passes - two seat vehicle – two (2) Competitor passes and two (2) Pit Passes, or - single seat vehicle - one (1) Competitor Pass and three (3) pit Passes.

Additional Navigators may compete providing they are properly nominated on the Entry Form and the additional \$10 fee is paid when purchased before the close of entries and \$15 when purchased at the Event.

Additional pit passes can be granted at the event, however, each person will need to sign-on at event headquarters.

Entries are limited to 50 and acceptance will be determined in order of receipt.

Certain public, property, professional indemnity and personal accident insurance is provided by Motorsport Australia in relation to the Event. Further details can be found on the Motorsport Australia website: <https://motorsport.org.au/clubs/insurance>.

Competitors should note that up to five (5) units of additional insurance can be purchased. Details of the insurance and applications, for extra units are available through the Motorsport Australia website: <https://motorsport.org.au/clubs/insurance>.

Entries withdrawn prior to midnight Friday 5 March 2021 by notifying the Secretary of the meeting email [rainbowrises240@gmail.com](mailto:rainbowrises240@gmail.com) or phone 0418 598 859 will receive a refund of all monies paid.

The Organisers reserve the right to refuse an entry in accordance with the NCR's of the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual.

The Organisers reserve the right to abandon, cancel or postpone the Event as provided for in the NCR's of the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual (or to cancel the Event if less than 20) entries are received by close of entries).

## 9. SCRUTINY

### 9.1 Times and Venues

Event Headquarters opens at the venue at 7.30 am on Saturday 6 March for registrations with Scrutiny at the venue from 8.30 – 11.30 am on Saturday 6 March.

All vehicles need to comply with the Motorsport Australia Off-Road Standing Regulations and General Requirements for Off-Road vehicles.

**All competing Crew are to present all apparel and safety equipment as per Schedule D of the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual.**

Vehicles must be presented as competition ready i.e. spare wheels, competition numbers fitted etc.

### 9.2 Documentation

The following documentation will be checked prior to Scrutiny – Motorsport Australia Off Road Competition licences: Motorsport Australia Pass Books, civil driving licences (where required), Motorsport Australia vehicle log books, current Motorsport Australia affiliated club membership cards and Competitor (if not the Driver) licences (if applicable), letter Of Authority From Owner to compete in vehicle if logbook is in another name (see Motorsport Australia [Vehicle Legal Owner's Declaration](#)), Third Party Extension if Qld Road Registered Vehicle (if applicable).

Competing crew of the Event, the Driver shall hold, as a minimum, a current Motorsport Australia Off Road licence. Co-Drivers who will not drive during the Event may hold a Clubman Off Road Navigator Licence.

All entered Competitors, Drivers, Co-Drivers, Navigators and Pit Crew must sign the relevant disclaimers at Event Headquarters during Event Documentation.

Log books will be retained at Event Headquarters until the completion of competition for that vehicle.

## 10. CREW SIGN ON & BRIEFINGS

Saturday 6 March before the Event proper - competing Crews are required to sign on between 12 noon and 12.10 pm. Crew Briefing to commence at 12.10 pm.

Sunday 7 March before the Event proper – competing Crews are required to sign on between 7.20 am and 7.30 am. Crew briefing to commence at 7.30 am.

Briefings will take place near the commentary building on the spectator mound.

Attendance at Crew Briefings by each entered competing Crew Member is compulsory, and each competing Crew Member is required to sign on. Cases of non-attendance are to be referred to the Stewards by way of a formal charge, which may result in a penalty.

**10.1** Officials Briefing at 8 am Saturday 6 March at Event Head Quarters (venue).

## 11. RUNNING DETAILS

### 11.1a General

The venue for the Event will be private property approximately 1 km west of Rainbow on Rainbow Rises Road.

The Event will consist of the following.

**VORC** 28 laps of the approximately 8.7km course (243.6 km in total). 5 sections of 1, 7, 7, 7 & 6 laps.

**VORCS** 15 laps of the approximately 8.7km course (130.5 km in total). 3 sections of 1, 7, & 7 laps.

The Event will be conducted over four (5) sections for VORC and three (3) sections for VORCS.

**Section 1** will be a one lap dash of the approx. 8.7 km course, commencing at 1.30 pm on Saturday 6 March. The results of this one lap dash will determine your starting order in your group.

**Section 2** will be 7 laps of the approx. 8.7 km course commencing at 2.30 pm on Saturday 6 March. This section will have a competitive distance of 60.9 km.

**Section 3** will commence at approx. 8 am on Sunday 7 March. This section will be 7 laps of the 8.7km course and have a competitive distance of 60.9 km.

Competitors who only enter the Victorian Off Road Club Shield portion of the Event will only compete in section 1, 2 & 3.

**Section 4** will commence at approx. 11 am on Sunday 7 March. This section will be 7 laps of the 8.7km course and have a competitive distance of 60.9 km and will be for those competitors entered in the VORC section of the event only.

**Section 5** will commence at approx. 2.45 pm on Sunday 7 March. This section will be 6 laps of the 8.7km course and have a competitive distance of 52.2 km and will be for those competitors entered in the VORC section of the event only.

Note: Start times may change or vary at the discretion of the Clerk of Course.

Vehicles will be started one at a time, at a minimum of 20 seconds apart. This will be dependent on entries received and will be confirmed via Further Regulations or Crew Briefing.

All servicing during competition heats will be done in the competitor's time.

Competitor's, that are returning to the race track from the paddock, will be required to stop at the start line and when safe to do so will be allowed to re-join the race.

### **11.1 b Refuelling**

Refuelling will be in a designated refuel area, which will be located within the paddock area. All refuelling must be done in the refuel area. No refuelling during the event in the Paddock.

No mechanical work is permitted in the refuel area or the addition of any other liquids.

**All other repairs and work is to be carried out in the Paddock.**

### **11.2 Reconnaissance**

Crews will be given the opportunity to reconnoitre the short course on Saturday 6 March from 12.50 pm. Reconnaissance will be in race vehicles and will line up in the start order for Section 1, which will start at the conclusion of reconnaissance. No vehicle will be permitted to commence reconnaissance after 1.10 pm. Only nominated Crews and Officials are to participate in reconnaissance.

The maximum speed for reconnaissance is 80kph and will be monitored and enforced. A competitor or crew found exceeding the 80kph speed limit will face penalties up to exclusion.

### **11.3 Prologue**

There will be no prologue at this event. Competitors will be seeded into heats.

### **11.4 Course Marking**

In addition to the standard signs as noted in Article 7 of the Off Road Standing Regulations of the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual, the following course marking signs maybe utilised.

- Pre corner arrows, blue arrow on white background preceding the direction arrows on some corners
- Bunting, fences, hay bales & drums
- Bollards and witches hats

### **11.5 Passage Controls**

Competitors will not be required to stop at any passage control checkpoint unless instructed by an official, or unless stopping to report an incident.

## **11.6 Refuelling/Fuel**

Fuel must be 'Commercial Fuel' or 'Unleaded Racing Fuel' in accordance with Schedule G of the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual.

Attire for refuelling Crew shall comply with Article 4.6 of the Off Road Standing Regulations of the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual.

## **11.7 Hot Work**

ALL WELDING, OPEN FLAMES and GRINDING must occur in the designated HOT WORK AREA. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES is any welding, grinding etc. permitted outside of the designated HOT WORK AREA. Any competitor who does so may be excluded from the competition and asked to leave the venue.

## **11.8 Restarting**

Competitors not completing a section may apply to the Organisers to be seeded to start further sections. The closing time for applications for seeding will be 10 minutes after the last vehicles completes each section.

## **11.9 Section Time**

Crews shall complete a section within the time allowed as follows:

**Section 1** – 1 laps (VORC & VORCS) time allowed 10 minutes - Saturday

**Section 2** – 7 laps – time allowed 1hr 05 minutes (VORC & VORCS) - Saturday

**Section 3** – 7 laps – time allowed 1hr 05 minutes (VORC & VORCS) - Sunday

**Section 4** – 7 laps – time allowed 1hr 05 minutes (VORC) - Sunday

**Section 5** – 6 laps – time allowed 55 minutes (VORC) - Sunday

To be classified a finisher of the event for trophies, the Crew shall complete 75% of the laps, as appropriate for VORC & VORCS.

## **12. PROTESTS**

Protests, if any, shall be lodged in accordance with the NCR's in the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual.

Crews are reminded that, in accordance the NCR's in the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual, there is no right of protest or appeal against the decision of a Judge of Fact.

## **13. SAFETY - PADDOCK AREA**

Refer to Article 13 Safety of the Off Road Standing Regulations in the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual.

- Refuelling must be carried out in the refuel area.

- Smoking and the consumption of alcohol are not permitted in the Paddock, refuel area or the hot work area.
- Competitors and pit crew members are reminded of their responsibility regarding the wearing of wristbands at all times and must show them on request.
- The action of competitors and pit crew members are the responsibility of the vehicle entrant.
- Welding/Grinding may only occur in the area designated hot work area.
- The Paddock Areas will be clearly signed and fenced.
- Entry in and out of the Paddock area must be via the designated entry point/s.
- The maximum permitted speed in the Paddock areas is 15 kph
- Only tow and competition vehicles are permitted in the Paddock

Breaches of these Regulations may be referred to the Stewards by way of a formal charge, which may result in a penalty.

## **14. GENERAL**

### **14.1 Recovery**

Recovery will be conducted during the running of the Event by the Official Recovery vehicles only. No person/s other than authorised Officials and Crew Member will be permitted on the course without permission of the Clerk of the Course.

### **14.2 Incident Reports**

Competitors involved in any form of incident during the Event must report to the Secretary of the Meeting as soon as possible but in any Event not later than the finish of the Event.

Vehicles which are involved in an accident involving damage must be re-examined by the Chief Scrutineer or his delegate before being permitted to take further part in the competition.

### **14.3 Judges of Fact**

Control Officials, Starter and Timekeepers will be deemed Judges of Fact with regard to whether or not a vehicle follows the prescribed course, relative order, time of arrival, direction of travel, direction of entry into controls, start procedure and jumping the start.

### **14.4 Safety**

Refer to Article 13 and 14 of the Off Road Standing Regulations in the 2021 Motorsport Australia Manual in relation to:

- Medical Services
- Fire equipment
- Spectators
- Paddock enclosure
- Flag signals
- Hot work area
- Warning Triangles
- Flags



## **14.5 Alcohol, Drugs and Other Substances**

Any holder of a Motorsport Australia Competitor or Officials licence (or equivalent licence issued by another ASN) may be tested for the presence of drugs (or other banned substances) and subject to a penalty (ies) for a breach in accordance with the Australian National Anti-Doping Policy and/or the Motorsport Australia Illicit Drugs in Sport (Safety Testing) Policy as published on the Motorsport Australia website. Consumption of alcohol in the paddock, pits or any section of the Competition venue/course under the control of the Officials is forbidden until all Competition is concluded each day. Accordingly, any holder of a Motorsport Australia Competitor or Officials licence (or equivalent licence issued by another ASN) may also be tested for the presence of alcohol by a Motorsport Australia Accredited Testing Official (CATO) in accordance with the Motorsport Australia Alcohol Policy.

## **14.6 Video Footage**

Upon request by the Clerk of the Course or the Stewards, any footage relating to the competition taken by Competitors shall be made available at the Event for viewing.

## **14.7 Timing and Start Lights / Flag**

Timing will be expressed in hours, minutes, seconds and thousandths of seconds.

Electronic timing will be used at this Event. All competition vehicles will be fitted by the Event with a supplied transponder. The transponder must be returned at the completion of competition for the vehicle when the log book will be returned to the competitor.

If the transponder is not returned at the Event it is the responsibility of the competitor to express post return it to the Chief Scorer, immediately.

If the transponder is lost, destroyed or not returned within three days, a charge of \$450 will be applied. Transponders remain the property of Off Road Racing Information Services, all responsibility is held with the Competitor during the Event.

## **14.8a Returning to the Pits**

Returning to Pits to effect repairs to vehicles other than via Paddock Entry gates from the track will only be allowed when:

- being towed by a recovery vehicle,
- being escorted by recovery vehicle via designated path off of the race track.

YOU MAY RE-JOIN RACE FROM PADDOCK EXIT ONLY and will have to re-run the lap you came in on. Time for this lap will include unfinished lap time and repair time.

## **15. PASSES**

Passes will be issued to all nominated Crew Members and Officials. Passes will allow admittance to the Event venue and access to the Paddock area.

## 16. AWARDS

Trophies will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd outright and to the first three (3) places in each class – Driver and Co Driver/Navigator for VORC only.

Points will be allocated for the VORC, VORCS and VORRA Club Championship, as per their respective Championship and Series Regulations.

**\*\*\* End of Supplementary Regulations \*\*\***

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Catering will be available on Saturday and Sunday at the track.

Camping is **not permitted at the track or in the Paddock area**, but is available at the nearby Rainbow Recreation Reserve. A camping fee of \$20 per person for the weekend applies. Children under 16 are free. There will be a noise curfew from 11 pm Saturday night. Other accommodation is listed on the accommodation guide.

For bookings at the Rainbow Recreation reserved, please contact Graham on 0429 151 662.

Payment can be made via direct deposit, include your name and how many you are paying for as the reference.

Graham - Rainbow Recreation Reserve

BSB : 063-737

Account number: 10025933

No quads, pit bikes or fireworks allowed at the event or at the recreation reserve.

This is a **no glass** Event which includes the Event staging area and the Recreation Reserve Camping area.

If you damage fencing please report it to the Clerk of the Course or Secretary of the Meeting and the club will repair the damage at no cost to the Competitor if it is deemed no fault of the Driver, but the club will not pay for wilful damage to property.

Any person found abusing the venue e.g. doing wheelies; etc. will be excluded from the Event. All Competitors are responsible for their Crew and vehicle (being competition or not).

No misconduct will be tolerated...

*See Appendix 1 attached for event schedule*

## APPENDIX 1

# EVENT SCHEDULE

*Times subject to change, guide only.*

### **Saturday – 6 March 2021**

07:00	Gates open
07:30	Event Head Quarters open
08:00	Officials briefing
08:30-11:30	Scrutineering at the track
12:00-12:10	Competitor sign on
12:10	Competitor briefing (compulsory)
12:50-13:10	Reconnaissance in competition vehicles
13:30	Section 1 – 1 laps (VORC, VORCS)
14.30	Section 2 – Group 1 – 7 laps (VORC, VORCS)
15:45	Section 2 – Group 2 – 7 laps (VORC, VORCS)
18:00	Gates close

### **Sunday – 7 March 2021**

06:30	Gates open / Head Quarters open
07:20-7:30	Competitor sign on
07:30	Competitor briefing (compulsory)
08:00	Section 3 – Group 1 – 7 laps (VORC, VORCS)
09:30	Section 3 – Group 2 – 7 laps (VORC, VORCS)
11:00	Section 4 – Group 1 – 7 laps (VORC)
12:30-13:00	Lunch
13:15	Section 4 – Group 2 – 7 laps (VORC)
14:45	Section 5 – Group 1 – 6 laps (VORC)
16:00	Section 5 – Group 2 – 6 laps (VORC)
17:30	Trophy presentation at the track
18:30	Gates close