HARTWELL MOTORCYCLE CLUB

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ROUND 1 OF THE 2024 HARTWELL MOTORCYCLE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

DATE: FEBRUARY 2,3,& 4, 2024



SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

MEETING NAME

2024 HARTWELL M/C CHAMPIONSHIPS

PROMOTER
HARTWELL MCC
RACE SECRETARY
BRENDAN FERRARI

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VENUE

Phillip Island GP Circuit

DATES
SATURDAY & SUNDAY
FEBRUARY 3 & 4, 2024
MA PERMIT NO.
RR/23/C/01555
CONTACT NUMBERS
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CLERK OF THE COURSE

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1. ANNOUNCEMENT:

The Hartwell Motorcycle Club, hereafter called the CLUB will conduct Round 1 of the 2024 Hartwell Motorcycle Club Championships for motorcycles and sidecars at the Phillip Island GP Circuit, Phillip Island Victoria on February 3 and 4, 2024.

JURISDICTION:

- 2.1. The abovementioned meeting has been authorised by Motorcycling Victoria (M.V.) which has issued the Motorcycling Australia Permit Number T.B.A. and is open to all current financial members of the Hartwell Motorcycle Club. All riders and sidecar passengers must be either holders of a current M.A. National or must take out a one event licence for the meeting. The issue of one event licences will be at the discretion of the Secretary of the meeting, with the right of appeal to the Steward as per GCR's. All Junior competitors must comply with current GCR's. All riders must produce their race licence, a copy via media will only be accepted at the discretion of the Race Secretary or with the Steward's authorisation.
- 2.2. This meeting will be held in accordance with the current General Competition Rules (GCR's), these Supplementary Regulations, 2024 Hartwell M/C Series Guidelines and any final instructions approved by M.V. BY ENTERING THIS MEETING ALL PARTIES AGREE TO COMPLY WITH THESE RULES, REGULATIONS, BY-LAWS, HARTWELL 2024 SERIES GUIDELINES AND INSTRUCTIONS.

3. ENTRIES:

- 3.1. Entries open forthwith and will be accepted up to C.O.B.: Wednesday January 17, 2024. Late entries may be accepted with a **\$50 late penalty**. Entries may be rejected due to grid limitations or lack of transmitter availability. Entries will be decided upon first received basis.
- 3.2. In the case of postponement or abandonment of the meeting, all or any part of the entry fee may be retained by the Club.
- 3.3. All entries are to be submitted via **RIDERNET.COM.AU**. If you encounter difficulties registering on RIDERNET, contact HMCC via email at info@hartwellmcc.org.
- 3.4. NOTE: THE RETURN OF ENTRY FEES FOR ANY RIDER WITHDRAWING FROM THE MEETING IS AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CLUB.
- 3.5 Friday Practice: Is run by the Hartwell Motorcycle Club, all entries are to be submitted via RIDERNET.COM.AU.

4. INSURANCE:

- 4.1. National Personal Accident Scheme provides basic cover for death and permanent disability.
- 4.2. Ambulance Insurance is compulsory for licensees.
- 4.3 IT IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED THAT COMPETITORS GIVE CONSIDERATION TO TAKING OUT WEEKLY BENEFITS INSURANCE.

5. MEDICAL SERVICES:

Event Medical Team will be in attendance at the meeting and be on site for the duration of on track activities.

6 ENTRY FEES:

- 6.1 All entry fees paid via **RIDERNET**.
- 6.2 Event Entry fee \$390 (Saturday & Sunday)
- 6.3 Friday Practice \$220
- 6.4 Fee per extra machine (transmitter hire) \$20
- 6.5 Late fee \$50
- 6.6 One Event licence \$85
- 6.7 Garage Sat & Sun (one garage per entry form) Half \$160 Full \$320 (share with your mates)
- 6.8 Garage Friday Practice Halt \$80 Full \$160
- 6.9 Limited Membership (30 days) \$40

7 CLASSES OF COMPETITION:

Buckets (running with Juniors – 70's, 85's & 150cc's with a split grid and split start),

Historic, Sidecars, 600, Over 600, Formula 400, George Carrick (one class -125 & 250 GP & Moto 3), 300 Supersport (incl. 250), Supermono, Thunderbikes, Pre-Modern (2001-2007 - compliance June 30 2007) & P7 (1991-2000 up to 500cc) and P7 (1991-2000 Over 500) Rolling Pre-Modern (Jul 2007-Dec 2013 rolling 10 years). Greg Bailey Mem (for expert riders 600cc and over) Hartwell Lightweights (bikes up to 500cc, no junior classes) and time permitting a consolation race to be determined on the day. The club reserves the right to abandon a class should there be insufficient entries. All races will be electronically timed by AMB transmitters which must be fitted, failure to fit properly can result in being black flagged.

8 AWARDS AND PRIZEMONEY:

Round Trophies will be presented on the day.

9 ENTRIES TO CONSTITUTE A CLASS:

Should there be insufficient entries in any class of competition, the decision to run or cancel the class, or to combine events and re-distribute any awards, will be at the discretion of the club.

10 RACE FORMAT:

Each class of competition (with the exception of the 600 and over 600 classes) shall participate in practice, qualifying and three championship races for the weekend time permitting. The 600 and over 600 classes will receive a longer race in lieu of practice on Saturday. On Sunday – (due to time constraints there will be no warm ups), 2 championship races, plus there will be 2 feature races on Sunday and time permitting a consolation race (format yet to be determined). This is subject to change pending entry totals at C.O.B.

11 MACHINES AND RIDERS:

All machines entered must comply with the current GCRs for road race competition. In addition, any machine which suffers accident damage in practice or race sessions must be re-examined before participating again. Riders assume all responsibility for their bikes compliance to the GCR's. Riders that are the cause of an on track crash and their bike found to have glycol or coolants manufactured with glycol will be subject to a fine of \$500. Change of Machine during competition: No machine may be exchanged for another without prior approval by Clerk of Course and Race Secretary.

12 RIDING NUMBERS:

- 12.1. Wherever possible, competitors will be allocated their preferred riding number. All others will be allocated numbers at the Club's discretion.
- 12.2. All number plates on all machines MUST comply with the GCRs or otherwise approved by the Senior officials of the meeting.

13 GRID POSITIONS:

Grid positions for all classes shall be determined by electronic timing of qualifying held on Saturday and these results determine the grids for the balance of the race meeting. If unable to qualify, starting positions for races on Saturday and Sunday will be rear of grid or at discretion of Clerk of Course. A separate qualifying on Saturday for the Greg Bailey Mem Feature race and Hartwell Lightweights.

14 RIDERS' BRIEFING:

A riders' briefing will be held prior to the commencement of racing, which ALL competitors <u>MUST</u> attend and sign the sign on sheet after briefing. All first timers may have a preliminary briefing prior to Rider's briefing. All under 18 years of age riders must have parent/guardian in attendance at riders briefing and they must co-sign the rider's briefing sign on sheet. Due to covid restrictions at the time of event, rider's briefing may be in written form emailed before the event and available at Race Secretaries office prior to on track activities. Further advice may be conveyed via PA on Saturday morning. It is the responsibility of the rider to make themselves aware of rider's briefing notes.

15 DRUG AND OR ALCOHOL TESTING:

- All competitors and officials are advised that as part of the MA drug education program, drug testing may take place at any competition in accordance with Australian Sports Commission policy as implemented by the Australian Sports Drug Agency. For the purposes of drug and alcohol testing, the commencement of the meeting will be deemed from 7.00am Saturday with the completion of the meeting for the participant being when the participant has vacated the venue.
- 15.2 If any doubts exist over banned substances it is recommended competitors contact the Drugs in Sport Hotline, tel 1800 020 506.

16 CODE OF CONDUCT:

All competitors, officials and parents are reminded of the Motorcycling Australia by-law - CODE OF CONDUCT (as stipulated in the GCRs), which is a guide to appropriate behaviour at all motorcycle race meetings. This CODE OF CONDUCT applies to this Meeting and will be enforced.

17 TIMETABLE:

Classes will be determined by entries received by C.O.B. Wednesday January 25, 2024.

Classes will be determined by entries received by the dates as listed under the heading of 'Entries'.

Saturday – gates open at 7am, scrutineering 7.15am, rider's briefing 8.20am, practice commences 9.05am, qualifying (approx. 10 mins), racing (approx.) 5 laps (approx. 12 noon.) Greg Bailey 10 mins+ 1 lap. Hartwell Lightweights (10min + 1 lap)

Sunday - office opens 8am, 9.05am racing (approx.) 1 x 7 laps and 1 x 10 laps most classes, Greg Bailey 10 mins + 1 lap.

Hartwell Lightweights (10min + 1 lap) Timetable subject to change depending on entries for classes received. Moto RR will take place at the end of the day Saturday & Sunday provided there are 6 or more competitors.

For the purposes of drug testing, the commencement of the meeting will be deemed from 7.00am Saturday with the completion of the meeting for the participant being when the participant has vacated the venue. For the purposes of alcohol testing, this will commence from 7am until the end of all racing Saturday and from 8.00am Sunday until end of all racing for all competitors.

CIRCUIT DESCRIPTION:

A 4.445km bitumen sealed circuit with racing in an anti-clockwise direction.

18 STARTS

All events will be clutch starts. Starting will be by flag/lights red - prepare to start, Red LIGHT off for start.

19 NOISE:

All machines must comply with the General Competition Rules of Motorcycling Australia. Machines not complying will be black flagged immediately upon detection and must be presented to the scrutineer for inspection. Subject to the scrutineer's approval of noise reduction measures, the machine may be cleared to recommence racing. A second infringement will result in immediate black flagging and exclusion from the meeting.

SPEED:

Mobile speed detection device will be in use for the duration of the event in pit lane (60kph) and return road (20kph). First offence will receive a verbal warning, second offence will receive a written warning from the Clerk of Course, the third offence will result in a fine at the discretion of the Clerk of Course/Steward.

21 SCRUTINEERING

The only liquid coolant permitted is water and no-glycol coolants. Glycol and coolants manufactured with glycol are not allowed. (as per GCR GCR7.17.1.13) All riders <u>must wear their riding gear to scrutineering including back protector</u>, you may carry your helmet and gloves. All on board cameras must be approved by scrutineer prior to entering the track. Timing transmitters must be fitted onto machines prior to presentation to scrutineering. Helmets must not be older than 10 years. <u>Helmet numbers must be written on scrutineering cards prior to presenting to scrutineering</u>.

20 Tyres – Do not leave any tyres at the circuit. Fines will be imposed.