

2024 HILLCLIMB CHAMPIONSHIP GUIDANCE NOTES

To assist prospective competitors both old and new, here are a few points to bear in mind when completing the registration form for the Championship and some hints about competing in 2024. If you have any queries or concerns please contact any of the following:

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- 1) **Complete your Championship Registration online at ferrariclubracing.co.uk:** Please provide all the information requested. You must give **all** details pertaining to your entered car(s) in the appropriate boxes including any changes to your car from the original manufacturer's specification. Drivers competing with cars not registered for the Championship are not eligible to score points.
- 2) **Registration Fee:** £150 payable online by Debit/Credit Card at the time of registration.
- 3) **Car Eligibility:** The Championship Eligibility Scrutineer will be keeping an eye on our cars during the season. He may check any car at any time to see that it complies with the 2024 regulations, so please make sure **your car** complies as eligibility infringements could result in loss of Championship points or a ban from all Ferrari Owners' Club competition. If you make changes to your car at any time after the initial registration process you must immediately advise the Championship Coordinator named above in writing.
- 4) **Event Entries:** Instructions on how to enter each round will be shared by the Coordinator after you have registered and when they become available. Supplementary Regulations and entry forms can usually be found on the website of the Organising Club for each event. If you have any difficulty entering a championship round please contact the Coordinator named above. It is recommended that you enter without delay to make sure you do not miss out on your favourite venue as many events are oversubscribed.
- 5) **No Shows:** If you have to withdraw from an event, you must immediately advise the organising club's Event Secretary. You must also advise a Championship Co-ordinator named above.
- 6) **Competition Numbers:** These will be allocated by the Event organising clubs. It is your responsibility to have these numbers on your car at the meeting. You are required to use our Championship backing sheets for your competition numbers - these will be issued to competitors at your first event. You will also be supplied with number plate decals, which must be fitted to your Ferrari at all times during the meeting. Please remember that the competition numbers must be removed or completely covered before leaving the event and the number plate covers removed in accordance with the 2024 FHC regulations.
- 7) **Tyres:** Please note that all cars must use Motorsport UK List 1A tyres except for certain tipos as indicated in 4.1(f) of the FHC Regulations.
- 8) **Appearance:** Make sure your car complies with regulation 4.2.4, particularly if the bodywork of the vehicle has been damaged in any way. We should take pride in the presentation of our Ferraris.
- 9) **Starters: 1.6.2** The definition of 'starter' is anyone taking part in the competition by virtue of beginning a practice run (and therefore receives a minimum score of one point). Anyone taking part in an 'official' run (even if no time recorded) is deemed to have gained Championship points according to their position in timed runs.
- 10) **SEP:** The Champions PEP and Extra Tariff have been removed for 2024 and replaced with a Success Equaliser Percentage (SEP). In summary if you score 20-points in a round you will carry a one-time +2% modifier to your time in addition to your tipos PEP for your next round.
- 11) **The Baracca Classic Trophy:** This is an annual award presented at the end of season awards to the driver with the highest Championship Points in a Classic tipos. Most tipos up to the era of the 1994 F355 are eligible for this award.

What do I need before I can compete?

Essentials

- MotorSport UK Competition Licence
- "Where to go to enter each round" sign on process – see Coordinator for assistance
- Race Overalls, Helmet, Gloves and Shoes
- Timing strut / tow hook for front and tow hook / strap for rear
- Competition race numbers: these need to be approximately 10inches tall. You'll want multiples of each number 0-9 and in solid black.
<https://www.race-number.co.uk/10quot-race-numbers-15-c.asp>
- Waterproof electrical tape to hold sponsors/number decals on sides and some places front of car as well
- Bag to put clothes in, changing facilities are available at some venues

Handy to have to hand:

- Insurance & MOT certificate
- Can of petrol (to make sure you don't run out!)

Not essential but worth considering not in any order:

- Scissors
- Roll of paper towels
- Umbrella
- Folding chair
- Pop up tent / shelter
- Warm top
- Waterproof overshoes / wellies
- Tyre pressure gauge
- Torque wrench to check wheel nuts
- Cable ties
- Rubber gloves
- Torch
- Sunscreen
- Cash
- Water / drink
- Phone charger
- Satnav
- Cleaning cloths and rapid detailer
- Pain killers