



# RCGP Drivers Briefing

## Welcome to RCGP

In order to prepare for a great weekend of racing please read the rules via the RCGP's House of RC event page, watch the drivers briefing video link sent in a House of RC message, review the schedule and heats and other key items in this document.

## IMPORTANT

- For everyone onsite at all times in all situation SAFETY is the highest priority.
- Most importantly be considerate of the Marshalls when you are driving.
- Listen to the Race Director if they issue warnings about specific situations
- Egregious or persistently inappropriate behavior by anyone for any reason on or off the track may result in exclusion from the event.
- HAVE FUN!

## DRIVING

- Radio on, Car on, Brain on!
- Be considerate of other drivers, marshals out on track and mechanics in the pits at all times.
- While racing, you are expected to let faster cars through. Hold a wide racing line to let faster paced vehicles by and continue your run.

## DRIVERS STAND

- Please be civilized entering and leaving the drivers stand. There may or may not be assigned positions depending on which part of the schedule the event had reached. Wait to be allowed to get through when the previous heat's drivers have departed.
- **When exiting the drivers stand, leave your transmitter and car somewhere safe or with your mechanic and go immediately out to marshal.**

## MARSHALING

- Marshaling responsibilities are clearly identified throughout the race schedule. If it is unclear please speak with race management to avoid missing an assignment
- **Marshaling is mandatory** for every driver (medical considerations are at the Race Directors discretion).
- Stay on your marshaling spot until the next marshal arrives.
- **Please go out to marshal promptly when it is your turn to do so, do not hold up the program by waiting until last second to reach your spot**
- Be respectful of other drivers and marshals
- **Failure to marshal will result in penalty - CHECK THE RULES**
- In instances when you are expected to select a Marshal when you are racing you may not be allowed to race unless your Marshal is present

## MECHANICS

- Maximum of 2 mechanics per driver in pit-lane.
- Mechanics should be fast to leave the pit-lane after their drivers' heat.
- No spectators in the pit lane.

## RESULTS

- Results of heats can be protested up to 10 minutes after the heat finishes.
- Incorrect transponder number must be updated at registration.
- Changes to transponders during the event notify race control directly.
- Race administration is not responsible for any transponder issues.

## FUEL

- A total fuel tank capacity of 125cc / ml maximum including all fuel line and filter up to the carburetor is allowed.
- There will be technical inspections throughout the weekend.
- Voluntary technical inspections can be requested.
- Refer to rules for more information.

## TIRE ADDITIVES

- No tire additive or tire sauce is allowed ever.
- To avoid any possible confusion RCGP recommends that only water is used for cleaning tires.

## RACE NUMBERS

- Each car must have the correct number for the heat. Cars with no number or incorrect number may be black flagged from the race.
- **Three numbers - front window and both side of the wing.**
- **Numbers must be in the correct position or you cannot enter the track.**

## RC2 GATE STARTS

- Car 1 picks spot first, car 2 picks spot second.....

## ETIQUETTE

- Please use bin cans and try to keep your pit space clean.



**Thursday October 13th, 2022**  
Media Day

**RCGP TEAMS**

**Media Day - 12:00 - 18:00**

**RCGP MEDIA DAY SCHEDULE**

SCHEDULE	FROM	TO
Driver photos and comments	12:00	13:00
Media controlled track filming	13:00	14:00
Final Media requirements	14:00	14:30
RCGP Teams open practice	14:30	16:00
Break	16:00	16:30
RCGP Drivers briefing	16:30	17:00
RUSH Practice (see Friday Rush schedule) - Doubles as gate start practice	17:00	18:00

**RC2 DRIVERS**

**Pit set up and registration - 12:00 - 16:00**

**NO TRACK ACCESS**



**Friday October 14th, 2022**  
Free Practice and Seeding Practice

**Please take your car to technical inspection immediately after every round**

**Drivers must check in before practice - NO EXCEPTIONS**

- Check in 7.00 am - 8.30 am and will be prioritized by heat if necessary.
- RC2 Drivers Briefing 8.30 am - 8.50 am
- Track opens 9.00 am

**RC2 Free Practice**

- **Control tyres OR drivers own tyres maybe used in Free Practice only**
- Timed but does not count

**RC2 Seeding Practice**

**CONTROL TYRES MUST BE USED FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE EVENT**

- Best 4 lap average (any 4 laps from 6 minute timed run)
- Seeding based on points, with time from any seeding run being the tie breaker

**RCGP Free Practice**

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**RCGP Seeding Practice**

- Best 4 lap average (any 4 laps from 6 minute timed run)
- Seeding based on points, with time from any seeding run being the tie breaker

**8:30: RC2 DRIVERS BRIEFING**

FREE PRACTICE Rd. 1			FREE PRACTICE Rd. 2			FREE PRACTICE Rd. 3		
3 mins Warmup 6 mins TIMED			3 mins Warmup 6 mins TIMED			3 mins Warmup 6 mins TIMED		
HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL	HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL	HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL
RC2 1	9:00	RCGP	RC2 1	10:00	RCGP	RC2 1	11:00	RCGP
RC2 2	9:13	RC2 1	RC2 2	10:13	RC2 1	RC2 2	11:13	RC2 1
RC2 3	9:26	RC2 2	RC2 3	10:26	RC2 2	RC2 3	11:26	RC2 2
RCGP	9:39	RC2 3	RCGP	10:39	RC2 3	RCGP	11:39	RC2 3

**12:00 - 12:15: BREAK**

**12:15 - 12:30: RC2 SETUP CLINIC**

**12:45 - 12:55: RCGP DRIVERS MEETING**

**13:00 - 13:15: RCGP TRACK FILMING**

**13:30 - 14:30: RCGP RUSH PRACTICE**

## Friday October 14th, 2022

### Free Practice and Seeding Practice

FREE PRACTICE Rd. 1  3 mins Warmup 6 mins TIMED			FREE PRACTICE Rd. 2  3 mins Warmup 6 mins TIMED			SEEDING PRACTICE Rd. 1  3 mins Warmup 6 mins TIMED		
HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL	HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL	HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL
RC2 1	14:30	RCGP	RC2 1	15:18	RCGP	RC2 1	16:06	RC2 3
RC2 2	14:42	RC2 1	RC2 2	15:30	RC2 1	RC2 2	16:18	RC2 1
RC2 3	14:54	RC2 2	RC2 3	15:42	RC2 2	RC2 3	16:30	RC2 2
RCGP	15:06	RC2 3	RCGP SEEDING FOR RUSH	15:54	RC2 3			

### RCGP RUSH

SCHEDULE	TIME	MARSHALL
Drivers ready at Drivers Stand (Pre Show streaming on Youtube)	17:00	RC2 1
Driver introductions	17:02	RC2 1
Qualifying Race 5 minutes + 2 laps	17:06	RC2 1
Race 4	17:25	RC2 1
Race 3	17:30	RC2 1
Race 2	17:35	RC2 1
Race 1	17:40	RC2 1
Top 3 Interviews	17:45	-
Podium	17:55	-

**Friday October 14th, 2022**  
Free Practice and Seeding Practice

SEEDING PRACTICE Rd. 1  3 mins Warmup 6 mins TIMED		
HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL
RC2 1 + GATE START PRACTICE *	18:00	RCGP
RC2 2 + GATE START PRACTICE *	18:15	RC2 1
RC2 3 + GATE START PRACTICE *	18:30	RC2 2
RCGP - FREE PRACTICE	18:45	RC2 3

\* **RC2 GATE START PRACTICE:** 3 starts from the gate in warmup and then the 6 minutes starts (from 3rd gate start). Any change will be communicated before the whole practice starts.

## Saturday October 15th, 2022

### RC2 Qualifying and RCGP Round 7

**Please take your car to technical inspection immediately after every round**

#### RC2 - CONTROL TYRES MUST BE USED

##### RC2 Shakedown (Gate Start)

- 4 minutes total

##### RC2 Qualifying

- Pit Lane start
- Best 4 lap average (any 4 laps from 6 minute timed run)
- Best 2 points count. Reseeding after last round

##### RCGP Seeding

- Pit Lane start
- Best 4 lap average (any 4 laps from 6 minute timed run)
- Seeding based on points, with time from any seeding run being the tie breaker

##### RCGP Qualifying

- Gate Start
- Staging - 10 minutes before every round RCGP drivers must be waiting at the interview area
- Track opens - Race Director allows cars to leave the pit lane one by one in starting order, end of warm up, cars return to the pits
- Start - as directed by the Race Director mechanics take the cars to the starting gate in starting order.
- Gate selection - mechanics pick a position in starting order. 1 - 6 front row, 7 - 12 back row

SHAKE DOWN			QUALIFYING ROUND ONE			QUALIFYING ROUND TWO			QUALIFYING ROUND THREE		
4 MINUTES RCGP 3 MIN + 6 MIN TIMED			RC2 3 MIN + 6 MIN HEATS RCGP 3 MIN + 5 MIN + 2 LAPS			RC2 3 MIN + 6 MIN HEATS RCGP 3 MIN + 5 MIN + 2 LAPS			RC2 3 MIN + 6 MIN HEATS RCGP 3 MIN + 5 MIN + 2 LAPS		
HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL	HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL	HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL	HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL
RC2 1	8:15	RCGP	RC2 1	9:15	RCGP	RC2 1	10:40	RCGP	RC2 1	12:05	RCGP
RC2 2	8:23	RC2 1	RC2 2	9:30	RC2 1	RC2 2	10:55	RC2 1	RC2 2	12:20	RC2 1
RC2 3	8:31	RC2 2	RC2 3	9:45	RC2 2	RC2 3	11:10	RC2 2	RC2 3	12:35	RC2 2
RCGP SEEDING 3+6 MIN TIMED	8:40	RC2 3	RCGP STAGING	10:00		RCGP STAGING	11:25		RCGP STAGING	12:50	
			RCGP	10:10	RC2 3	RCGP	11:35	RC2 3	RCGP	13:00	RC2 3

## Saturday October 15th, 2022

### RC2 Qualifying and RCGP Round 7

#### RC2 Qualifying Race

##### • Gate Start

- Qualifying races determines final qualifying positions
- Top RC2 heat is the fastest heat after timed qualifying.
- RC2 Fastest heat Qualifying Race winner is overall RC2 TQ (eg. TQ to 10th overall)
- RC2 Second fastest heat winner would qualify 11th overall in RC2 (eg. 11th to 20th overall)
- RC2 Third fastest winner would qualify 21st over all in RC2 (eg. 21st to 30th overall)

#### Other finals

- JUNIOR: Top 14 (Gate start)
- 40+: Top 14 (Gate start)

RC2 QUALIFYING RACES		
3 MINUTE WARM UP + 5 MINUTES + 2 LAPS		
HEAT	TIME	MARSHALL
RC2 1	13:50	RC2 3
RC2 2	14:10	RC2 1
RC2 3	14:30	RC2 2

MAIN EVENTS GATE STARTS			
MAIN	TIME	RACE DURATION	MARSHALL
RCGP STAGING	14:50		-
RCGP MAIN 1	15:00	13 min + 2 laps	PROVIDE OWN MARSHALL
RC2 JUNIOR FINAL (GATE START)	15:30	13 min + 2 laps	40
RC2 40+ FINAL (GATE START)	16:00	13 min + 2 laps	Juniors
RCGP STAGING	16:30		-
RCGP MAIN 2	16:40	13 min + 2 laps	PROVIDE OWN MARSHALL
PODIUM	17:00		
TROPHY PRESENTATION	17:10		-
RCGP ❤️ RC2	17:20	See how it works in next page	PROVIDED BY THE TRACK
RCGP PRESS CONFERENCE	18:30		



**Saturday October 15th, 2022**

## **RCGP ❤️ RC2**

A fun race that gives RCGP and RC2 drivers the opportunity to meet each other, team up and discuss setup and driving techniques before hitting the track for a few hot laps.

The fastest combined pair of times is the winner.

### **TEAMS**

- 6 Lowest Qualifying RC2 drivers (who wish to be involved).
- 6 Fastest RCGP Drivers.

### **EQUIPMENT**

- RC2 radios, cars, fuel etc

### **FORMAT**

1. Drivers Teams Briefing.
2. RC2 drivers, slowest to fastest pick their RCGP Team mate.
3. ALL RC2 Drivers prep their cars and then pit for their RCGP driver team mates.
4. ALL RCGP Drivers go on track for a 3 minute warmup - returning to the pits.
5. ALL RCGP and RC2 drivers gather in the pits to refuel and discuss improvements and set up changes (5 mins)
6. One at a time, slowest pairing first, each RCGP Driver sets a fastest lap using the *Superpole Format* over 3 LAPS.
7. Drivers swap over.
8. ALL RCGP Drivers pit for their RC2 driver team mates.
9. ALL RC2 drivers go on track for a 3 minute warmup - returning to the pits
10. All together RC2 Driver '*race against the clock*' to set a single fastest lap over a 5 minute period.
11. RCGP and RC2 Drivers Teams times are combined - fastest pairing wins, 2nd fastest second, 6th fastest 6th
12. Podium Celebration and pictures



## Sunday October 16th, 2022

### RC2 Finals and RCGP Round 8

**Please take your car to technical inspection immediately after every final**

#### RC2 - CONTROL TYRES MUST BE USED

##### RC2 MAINS and LCQ

- **Grid Start**
- Christmas Tree Bump up Finals
- Lower finals: Top 4 from A and top 4 from B bump into the next final
- Semi finals: Top 6 from A and top 6 from B bump into the main final
- LCQ: semi finals drivers OUT of the main will do LCQ, winner will bump into the Main final as 13th driver.

##### RCGP SEEDING

- **Pit Lane start**
- Best 4 lap average (any 4 laps from 6 minutes timed run)

##### RCGP QUALIFYING

- **Gate Start**
- Staging - 10 minutes before every round RCGP drivers must be waiting at the interview area
- Track opens - Race Director allows cars to leave the pit lane one by one in starting order, end of warm up, cars return to the pits
- Start - as directed by the Race Director mechanics take the cars to the starting gate in starting order.
- Gate selection - mechanics pick a position in starting order. 1 - 6 front row, 7 - 12 back row

##### RCGP ENDURANCE FINAL

- **Grid Start**
- 58 mins + 2 laps

FINAL	TIME	RACE DURATION	MARSHALL
RC2 1/4 A	8:15	20 min	RC2 1/4 B
RC2 1/4 B	8:45	20 min	RC2 1/4 A
RCGP SEEDING	9:15	3 min warmup + 6 mins race	PROVIDED BY THE TRACK
RC2 SEMI A PRACTICE	9:35	10 min	NO
RC2 SEMI B PRACTICE	9:48	10 min	NO
RCGP STAGING	10:05		
RCGP Q1	10:15	5 minutes + 2 Laps RACE	PROVIDE OWN MARSHALL
RC2 SEMI A	10:30	20 min	RC2 1/2 B
RC2 SEMI B	11:00	20 min	RC2 1/2 A
RCGP STAGING	11:30		
RCGP Q2	11:40	5 minutes + 2 Laps RACE	PROVIDE OWN MARSHALL
LUNCH BREAK	12:00		
RC2 LCQ	13:00	15 minutes	RC2 MAIN
RCGP STAGING	13:30		
RCGP Q3	13:40	5 minutes + 2 Laps RACE	PROVIDE OWN MARSHALL
RCGP SUPERPOLE	14:10	3 laps top 3 RCGP drivers	PROVIDED BY THE TRACK
RC2 MAIN FINAL	14:40	45 min	PROVIDE OWN MARSHALL
RCGP STAGING	16:00		
RCGP MAIN	16:10	58 min + 2 laps	RC2 MAIN
TROPHY PRESENTATION	17:15		
PRESS CONFERENCE	17:30		