



2020 Series Regulations: **Pre-War Sports Cars**

The Motor Racing Legends Pre-War Sports Car Series is a series of individual invitation races for pre-War sports cars running in 'road trim', with wings and lights fitted and will consist of two rounds in 2020. The Historic Sports Car Club will be the organising club.

August 15 th – 16 th	Thrupton Historic	40 minutes *
September 25 th – 27 th	The Spa Six Hours Meeting	40 minutes

Pre-War Sports Cars are also eligible to take part in the MRL race for Pre-War cars in Portugal:

November 6 th -8 th	The Algarve Classic Festival	x 2 30 minutes *
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* Thrupton Historic and Algarve Classic Festival Pre-War races subject to minimum grid subscription.

It is a requirement of entry that all drivers and co-drivers must be fully paid up members of the Motor Racing Legends Club. A special Pre-War membership and single-race membership is available.

Race Details

Each race will be for two (or exceptionally one) driver entries, open strictly by the invitation of Motor Racing Legends, to drivers of all nationalities holding the relevant race licence. (Minimum: Race National or Race International D, but a Race National is acceptable for overseas races; Race Interclub for a UK race). Exact details will be given in the SRs for each meeting.

Each race will feature a compulsory pit stop and driver change where relevant. All cars must be at rest for a minimum of 15 seconds during the pit stop – regardless of whether a driver change is to take place or not. A solo driver can remain in the car during the pit stop. Any car failing to make a pit stop will be excluded from the results.

Attendance at briefings by drivers is mandatory and the Organisers must be notified if a driver is unable to attend a briefing due to a schedule clash.

Eligibility

Eligibility for each race is at the invitation of Motor Racing Legends. Cars are NOT required to hold a current FIA Historic Technical Passport.

Specials: Selected Pre-War 'Specials' will be permitted to join the Pre-War Sports cars series for all rounds in 2020, subject to available space on the grid.

Road Trim: Cars presenting at race meetings without wings and/or lights fitted may not be permitted to run.

Scrutineers: Chief Eligibility Scrutineer – John Hopwood; Assistant Eligibility Scrutineer – Don Hands.

Tyres: Cars will be permitted to run on Dunlop 'R5' Section, or older tread pattern, in 204 compound, or on any other standard period road tyre. No car will be permitted to run wheel rim diameter of less than 18" (19" for some larger cars), unless it can be clearly demonstrated that smaller diameter rims were used in period.

Fuel: Cars are only permitted to run on standard pump fuel. Methanol will only be allowed in exceptional circumstances by prior approval. This regulation will be strictly enforced. Refuelling is not allowed under any circumstance during qualifying or race.

Silencing: Maximum permitted noise levels are not defined in these Series Regulations. However, some circuits/venue owners/meeting organisers may impose restrictions in the Supplementary Regulations. Motor Racing Legends will give as much advanced warning as possible of the need for cars to comply with any noise restriction.

Sponsors' Decals: Race numbers & roundels will be provided at each meeting. It is a condition of entry that sponsors' decals, where provided, must be applied in the approved location.

In-Car Cameras: If fitted, no such camera may project outside the bodywork or be mounted on the outside of a roll cage. All such cameras must be installed prior to scrutineering where they will be checked for location and security.

Two-Driver Entries: Where two or more drivers have set a qualifying time in a specific car both drivers must then drive that car in the race, unless previously agreed with Motor Racing Legends. Failure to do so may result in a penalty being applied.

Awards

Awards for first, second and third place overall will be presented on the Podium immediately following each race. Motor Racing Legends will present awards for each Class winner plus awards for 2nd and 3rd in Class subject to entries received. For double-headers, awards will only be given for the combined results of both races.

Class results will be derived from the overall finishing positions and, subject to entries, cars will be divided into Classes as follows:

- Class PW1 Vintage Under 1501cc
- Class PW2 Vintage Under 3001cc
- Class PW3 Vintage Over 3000cc
- Class PW4 Post-Vintage Under 1501cc
- Class PW5 Post-Vintage Under 2001cc
- Class PW6 Post-Vintage Under 3001cc
- Class PW7 Post-Vintage Over 3000cc
- Class PW8 Pre-War Specials at the invitation of the organisers

'Vintage' is deemed to run up to December 31st, 1930.

Motor Racing Legends reserves the right to revise, delete or amalgamate any of the above classes, or introduce additional classes according to the entries received.

Entry Fee

The entry fee (per car) for each race is as noted on the Pre-War Sports Cars Official Entry Form for the 2020 season and must be paid in full at the time of submission. Preference will be given to those entering all races and single race entries may not be confirmed until four weeks prior to the event. Entries open on publication of these Regulations. Entry fees must be paid at least 21 days prior to an event. Entries will not be accepted until payment has been received in full. Once an entry has been accepted, a refund will only be given at Motor Racing Legends' discretion, and provided notice is received in writing at least 21 days prior to the event. If a refund is issued a £50 administration fee will be deducted. Entries will close once all places on each respective grid are filled.

Applications for Entry

All entrants, driver and co-drivers must be fully paid up members of the Motor Racing Legends Club prior to submitting an entry form. A single event membership is available but anyone participating in more than one event must be a full member. A Pre-War membership is available to those only participating in pre-War races.

All those wishing to participate in the Pre-War Sports Cars series should apply in writing or by using the online application process, on the PRE-WAR SPORTS CARS OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM 2020 and submitted with the total entry fee to: -

Motor Racing Legends Ltd, Woodbine Farm, Thorndon, Eye, Suffolk, IP23 7JJ, UK

Motor Racing Legends will formally acknowledge receipt of entries. Acknowledgement of receipt of entry will not imply acceptance for any race. Acceptance will be notified for each race at the earliest opportunity.

As a condition of entry, all entrants accept that their name, that of the nominated driver(s), along with details of the entered car will be shared by the grid organiser with both the event organisers and the race organisers for the necessary management of the racing and for inclusion in event entry lists and results information made publicly available. For full details of Motor Racing Legends' Privacy Policy please visit our website at www.motorracinglegends.com