

The Silverstone Festival 23rd – 25th August 2024



Joining Instructions

Please find enclosed essential Silverstone Festival information ahead of your Motor Racing Legends race(s). These details relate specifically to the Motor Racing Legends grids and to the National Paddock from which we will be based. Please read them carefully to aid a smooth weekend.

In particular – please note that competitors will be using wrist band tickets rather than the electronic pass system of 2023.

Driver Self-Declaration

All drivers should by now have been emailed with a link to the on-line self-declaration form from the email address support@msportsolutions.com. Please complete this as soon as possible and if you can't find it please check your junk mailbox.

If you are in multiple races across the weekend then please ensure you are signed on for every race that you have entered.

Competitor Guide to the Classic

Much of the information you need to access the event is to be found in the [COMPETITOR GUIDE](#)

Please also refer to the [COMPETITOR INFORMATION PAGE](#) where you will find helpful links such as the event timetable.

Race Entry Lists

All our race entry lists can be found at www.motorracinglegends.co.uk/entries-and-results/ Please check your details and let us know immediately if you think anything is incorrect. If you decide to race with a co-driver and we don't already have them booked in please let us know immediately.

Access Times Pre-Event

As per Page 6 of the Competitor Guide:

WEDNESDAY 21 AUGUST

11:00 – 20:00 PRE-BOOKED Multicar Preparers for set-up at rear of paddocks only. Those who have booked in as multicar preparers will be sent specific information from Silverstone.

11:00 – 20:00 PRE-BOOKED Competitor Motorhome & Camping opens in Red Zone 24. Those who have booked camping will be sent instructions from Silverstone.

19:00 – 20:00 Pit Garages available for dropping off race cars and tools/ spares etc. Vehicles will need to display a Competitor Set-Up pass.

20:00 STRICTLY no access to venue for setup after 20:00

THURSDAY 22 AUGUST

07:00 Paddock and Pit Garage access for further set-up and pre-booked testing

08:00 Testing sign-on opens

09:00 – 17:00 Testing (book through Silverstone call: 0344 3728235)

20:00 STRICTLY no access to venue for setup after 20:00

Please refer to page 6 of the Competitor Guide for set up access routes.

Access Tickets

This year, Competitors Tickets will revert to a wristband that will cover all three days of the meeting.

Team Wristbands for all Motor Racing Legends grids will be available to collect from the 'Customer Corner' Welcome Centre via Entrance 5 adjacent to the main entrance barrier on Wednesday 21st and Thursday 22nd. There will be a pack in the name of the race Entrant containing all wristbands and vehicle passes for that entry. If you have entered multiple races, then there will be multiple packs to collect.

You will be able to leave passes for late-arriving team members at the 'Customer Corner' – but only up to Thursday night. After that you will have to make your own arrangements to distribute team passes.

The Motor Racing Legends desk within Customer Corner will be open at the following times.

Wednesday 21st August: 11.00 – 20.00

Thursday 22nd August: 07.30 – 20.00

TEAM wristbands for personnel are still required for access to the pit lane during your sessions, both race controls and the competitor motorhome areas.

Additional Event Tickets

If you require additional event tickets, these can be purchased via this link:

<https://events.silverstone.co.uk/list/partnerAdvantage?code=2024COMPETITOR>

Competitors receive a 10% discount on ticket prices:

Vehicle Passes

Each MRL Entry will receive 2 Vehicle set up passes for paddock access on Wednesday and Thursday to drop off your race car into pit garages, and 2 Competitor parking passes for parking Friday to Sunday in Pink Zone 26.

Vehicle Passes will be in the pack for collection from Customer Corner, as above.

Garage Allocation & Multicar Preparer Spaces

Garage Allocation and Multicar Preparer slots are only available to teams who have already pre-booked spaces.

The Garage Allocation Plan will show all teams that have requested space, it will be uploaded to the Silverstone Festival page on the Motor Racing Legends website on Tuesday 20th August.

Support vehicles will not be permitted in front of the garages and trailers must be moved to the trailer park, red zone 26 on the page 6 map of Competitor Information.

Scrutineering

All cars for MRL grids will be scrutineered in the Scrutineering Bay in the National Paddock. Scrutineering will be from 10.00 – 19.00hrs on Thursday 22nd August and also on Friday 23rd in the morning from 07.30hrs.

Friday morning will be especially busy, so we recommend getting your car scrutineered on Thursday.

Competitor and Teams are reminded to ensure that the HTP for the car should be presented at scrutineering.

Drivers Briefings

Mandatory Drivers Briefings will be held for all MRL grids on Friday 23rd August. Timings are as per the Final Instructions, but please note that briefings for the Motor Racing Legends grids will be held in the MRL Hospitality tent.

MRL Historic Touring Car Challenge, Tony Dron Trophy, STCC and U2TC	10.30
Royal Automobile Club Woodcote Trophy & Stirling Moss Trophy	11.00
BRDC 500 for Pre-War Sports Cars	11.00
Royal Automobile Club Historic Tourist Trophy	11.45

Transponders

If you do not have a Transponder and wish to hire one you will need to go to www.tsl-timing.com/ prior to the event. You will be advised by the company where your Transponder will be available for collection.

MRL Hospitality

Our hospitality facility will be at the Race Control-end of the National paddock, as per the 'blue' map on page 3 of the Competitor Guide.

Our facility will be open from 07.30 on Friday morning. Please make a point to collect your hospitality passes from the welcome desk inside our hospitality on Friday morning.

Each driver will receive two hospitality wristbands; two lunch tickets for Friday and two lunch tickets for the day of your race.

A light breakfast will be on offer from 08:00-10:30 and Lunch will be served between 12.00 and 14.30 each day.

If you are dashing off to the International Paddock to drive in the afternoon sessions it will be possible to take your lunch in a take away box if you don't have time to sit and eat with us.

Podiums

Podiums will be held immediately after each race. The podium will be situated outside our Hospitality.

MRL Prize-Givings

We will hold our post-race prize-givings in the Motor Racing Legends Hospitality right after each race. We will be on a tight timetable both race days so please help us, and our sponsors, by arriving promptly after your race has finished.

Sponsors Stickers

Please respect our generous sponsors and check that you are displaying the correct sponsors stickers on your race car. They can be collected from the Welcome Desk in the MRL Hospitality.

Motor Racing Legends Hog Roast & 30th Anniversary of Historic Motor Racing News Paddock Party – Friday 23rd August

We're throwing a paddock party and hog roast on the Friday night from 6pm to 9pm at which we will be celebrating the 30th anniversary of Historic Motor Racing News magazine. Access will be by ticket. Please use the RSVP button in the invitation that you will have received previously.

Kingfisher have very kindly provided the beers and ciders for this event and they will also be supporting MRL with their beverage at the post-race prize giving's.

Weekend Communication

We will be operating a no-reply SMS text system with information and updates relating to your race(s).

The Motor Racing Legends Team:

Gillian Carr	Race Co-ordinator and Media
Phillipa Wiltshire	Event Co-ordinator
Jayne Sherman	MRL Hospitality Host and Front Desk
Lizzi Upton	MRL Hospitality Host
Freddie Wiltshire	Competitor Liaison
Steve Allen	Race Liaison
Duncan Wiltshire	Event Director

We look forward to seeing you in the Paddock!

