

SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

EVENT DETAILS		
Name of Event:	2025 PENTA BALTIMORE 500	
Event Date	Friday 29 – Saturday 30 August 2025 Regional & Club Championship Baltimore Boerevereeniging, Baltimore, Limpopo	
Status of Event:		
Venue:		
DSP / Race HQ:	https://maps.app.goo.gl/totkHneYCwurmRwC8 Google Maps Link	
GPS Co-ordinates	23°15'55.8"S 28°26'04.0"E	(Degrees, minutes and seconds)
	-23.265500, 28.434444	(Decimal degrees)
DSP/Race HQ	Refer to the service map published before the event on www.tiorcsa.info	

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Promoter/organiser: Off Road SA Organiser - contact Adri Roets Organiser - contact No. 082 552 2689 Organiser - email address orsa.klub@gmail.com **Entries - contact:** Bella Geldenhuis Entries - contact No 071 984 3609 (WhatsApp please)

Email address entries.tiorcsa@gmail.com

Logos (club)



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1. **JURISDICTION**

1.1 Held under the MSA General Competition Rules (GCRs) and Appendices; the 2025 MSA Northern Regions Off Road Racing Rules & Regulations; these Supplementary Regulations (SRs); as well as any Final Instructions and/or Official Bulletins that may be issued. By entering the event competitors are deemed to have read, understood, and agreed to the regulations. CLICK HERE to view or download the 2025 MSA GCRs.

Motorsport South Africa Permit Number 1.2

MSA - 2025231

Permit issued date: 12 - Aug - 2025

The event will be known as the 2025 Penta Baltimore 500 and will form the fourth and fifth rounds of the 2025 MSA 1.3 Northern Regions Off Road Car Racing Championship, and will be run in the Baltimore area, Limpopo.

2. **ELIGIBILITY OF COMPETITORS**

2.1 Please refer to GCR 227 as well as Articles 2, 3 and 21 of the 2025 MSA Northern Regions Off Road Car Racing Circular (hereinafter referred to as MSA N. Regions O.R. Regulations).

- 2.2 Competitors from any ASN other than MSA may compete in the event subject to their having obtained the necessary start permission from their home ASN and have complied with MSA's requirements including payment of the required medical insurance fee. Refer GCR 227 & ART 2.1.
- 2.3 A change of crew or vehicle, but not both, may be permitted by the Clerk of the Course, subject to the approval of the Stewards of the Meeting, in terms of *GCR's 99 (vii)*, 152 (viii), 238 (i) and 259. Any application must be made in writing and will only be permitted before the Competitors' Briefing for the Racing Section applied for.

3. INJURY REGISTER

3.1 Where a competitor has appeared on the injury register, it is that competitor's responsibility to ensure that they have submitted a medical certificate indicating that they are fit to compete in motorsport no later than 5 (five) working days before the start of the event. This certificate is to be reviewed and processed by MSA Head Office. It is the responsibility of the competitor to check the Injury Register and ensure that MSA receives their letter timeously. Please Note: Competing while appearing on the injury register will result in potential claims being repudiated by the MSA Group Accident Policy. Refer to Appendix L - Article 2.9

4. COMPETITOR CONDUCT

4.1 Competitors' attention is drawn to *GCRs 93, 113, 118, 121, 122, 127 and 138* of the MSA General Competition Rules (hereinafter referred to as GCRs).

5. ENVIRONMENTAL

5.1 Refer to the Regulations as shown below, as well as the MSA Environmental Code.

6. COMPETITION LICENCES

- 6.1 Competitors in all classes excepting the Classic Club class will have to hold a minimum of a regional competition or regional one-event licences.
- 6.2 Competitors in the Classic Club class will be required to hold a minimum of a club or club one-event licence.

7. ENTRANT'S LICENCES (Refer GCR's 22, 113, 114 and 115)

7.1 Except as provided for in GCR 22, where the entrant is not the driver or co-driver, an entrant's license must be obtained from MSA and a copy of the license submitted together with the entry failing which the entrant's name will not be published on the entry lists, results, or program.

8. ADVERTISING

8.1 It is a condition of entry that in addition to the advertising referred to *in GCR 246* and *ART 3.1*, competing vehicles shall also display the advertising if any, as stipulated in the Championship Regulations and specifications for the class for which the vehicle is entered.

9. COMPETITION NUMBERS

9.1 Refer *ART 3.4* of the MSA N. Regions O.R. Regulations. Please visit www.tiorcsa.info to view the list of numbers already allocated and apply for your competition number.

10. DUTIES OF THE OFFICIALS

10. Refer to Part VII in the GCR's

11.	OFFICIALS OF THE EVENT			
	Role	Name	Grade	Number
	Clerk of the Course & Starter	Hannes Jansen van Rensburg	Α	15369
	MSA Steward	Theuns Beer		31593
	Club Steward	Adri Roets		15799
	Chief Marshal	Chris Kruger		31699
	Secretary of the Meeting & Chief Scorer	Bella Geldenhuis		23088
	Data Logging Manager	Johan Dessels		38862
	Chief Medical Officer	Tyron Fourie		
	Medical Service	Emer-G-Med		
	Timekeepers	Dania Kruger		35306
		Elsabe Dessels		38863
	Scrutineer & MSA Environmental Steward	Willem Weideman		15762

12.CLASSES (Refer to Part II, Article 22 of the 2025 MSA Northern Regions Regulations)12.1Regional Championship: Production Vehicle CategoryClasses: T/S, D & E12.2Regional Championship: Special Vehicle CategoryClasses: A, P and B12.3Regional Championship: Lightweight Vehicle CategoryClass G12.4Regional Championship FIA Vehicle CategoryBig Wheel & Small Wheel12.5Club Invitational ClassClassic Club Challenge

13. ENTRIES (Refer to GCRs 92, 93, 101, 103 and ART 2.4)

- 13.1 Entries open immediately and close as stipulated in *SR 15.3* by which time a completed online entry form and all other relevant documents accompanied by full payment of the entry fee must be with the Organisers. Late entries will be accepted at no additional fee up until the date and time stipulated in *SR 15.4*. Entries must be submitted via the online link provided; the link is available at www.tiorcsa.info
- 13.2 All event documentation must be submitted electronically, including submission of the following documentation:
 - a) Completed and signed online entry form
 - b) Proof of payment
 - c) Electronic copies of valid MSA competition licence/s
- 13.3 Entries that are incomplete in any material aspect, or not accompanied by the entry fee, will not be processed or published on the entry or start list until the duly completed entry form and payment in full have been received.
- 13.4 Should a competitor/crew be uncertain whether they will be able to compete they should nevertheless submit an entry, together with the prescribed entry fee. Should they be unable to compete they should notify the Secretary of the Meeting, in writing, before the close of documentation and the Organisers will refund their entry less a R500.00 handling fee.
- 13.5 How to Enter:

Entries open: Immediately
Entries close (Refer to *GCR 104*): Refer *SR 15.3*Late Entries Close (Refer to *GCR 104*) Refer *SR 15.4*

Entry fees are as follows:

Entry fee for all regional championship classes:

R 6 000.00 (incl. tracking unit rental)
R10 000.00 FIA T1+ vehicles / FIA
vehicles with commercial entrant

R3 250.00 (incl. tracking unit rental)

(incl. tracking unit rental)

(Refer to GCR 95)

Entry fee Classic Club Challenge

Proof of payment to be sent to: entries.tiorcsa@gmail.com please use your competition number and surname as reference.

13.6 Banking details: Account Name: Off Road SA

Bankers: First National Bank

Branch Code: 260246 Rustenburg

Account Number: 53600078183

14. ENTRY TO THE VENUE

- 14.1 Entry to the venue for competitors and officials will be free of charge.
- 14.2 Right of admission to the venue is reserved.
- 14.3 Food and refreshments will be on sale at the Venue next to the DSP throughout the race day.

14.4 Accommodation:

- Please visit the Competitor Hub at www.tiorcsa.info for accommodation options.
- b) Camping will be available at the DSP where there will be ablution facilities available.

15. PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

15.1 **Please Note:** This programme is provisional and may be changed. Should the Organisers deem it necessary to change the programme of events, the revised programme will be issued together with the Final Instructions or published electronically via the Electronic Noticeboard.

15.2 Entries Open

Entries open immediately.

15.3 Friday 22 August 2025

17:00 Entries close

15.4 **Monday 25 August 2025**

17:00 Late entries close

15.5	ROUND 4 : Friday	29 August 2025 Sunrise 06:19 Sunset 17:54		
	07:00 - 08:15	GPS Upload & Administrative Checks		
	08:15	Electronic Publication of the Qualifying Start Order		
	08:15	Competitors' Briefing at Race HQ		
	08:30	Line up for the start of Qualifying		
	09:00	Qualifying start		
	11:00	Qualifying time bar		
	Electronic Publication of Qualifying Results & Racing Section Start Order.			
	As soon as possible after the last competitor has completed the Prologue or after the Time Bar for Prologue, whichever is sooner.			
	11:30	Line up for the start of the Round 4 Main Race		
	12:00	Lead vehicle starts the Round 4 Main Race		
	15:00	Time bar at DSP Exit at the end of Loop 1		
	17:00	Time bar at the finish of Round 4		
		Electronic Publication of Results.		
		As soon as possible after the last competitor has completed the Racing Section, or after the Time Bar for the Racing Section, whichever is sooner.		
15.6	ROUND 5: Saturd	ay 30 August 2025 Sunrise 06:18 Sunset 17:55		
	07:00 - 08:15	GPS Upload Assistance if required		
	08:15	Electronic Publication of the Round 5 Start Order		
	08:15	Competitors' Briefing at Race HQ		
	08:30	Line up for the start of Round 5		
	09:00	Lead vehicle starts the Round 5		
	14:00	Time bar at DSP Exit at the end of Round 5, Loop 1		
	16:00	Time bar at the finish of Round 5		
		Electronic Publication of Results.		
		As soon as possible after the last competitor has completed the Racing Section, or after the Time Bar for the Racing Section, whichever is sooner.		
	18:00	Prize giving commences		
15.7	Please note: Results will be subject to the examination of GPS data logs and subject to the examination of any			

16. ELECTRONIC NOTICEBOARD

Regions Off Road Car Racing Regulations

16.1 The Organisers will set up an Electronic Noticeboard by way of a WhatsApp Group. Information and instructions published on this group shall be deemed binding on all competitors. The onus rests on the competitor to ensure that he / she joins the Electronic Noticeboard group prior to the start of the event. The link to join the Electronic Noticeboard will be published on the Competitor Portal at www.tiorcsa.info before the event.

In the event of poor / no connectivity at DSP the Organisers will establish a physical noticeboard at Race Control

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incidents or footage arising from the event. The Data Logging Manager will examine the data logs within seven (7) days of the event and should any irregularities be found the Clerk of the Course will be empowered to impose penalties, including time penalties, in accordance with ART 20. Refer ART's 2.8 and 9.8.2 of the MSA Northern

17. DOCUMENTATION

- 17.1 a) Administrative checks will be conducted at the times stipulated in SR 15.5
 - b) ALL COMPETITORS will be required to sign the attendance register during this time and to provide the Race Secretary with an original, signed copy of their entry forms Refer *GCR 96*.
 - c) Entries that are incomplete in any material respect, or for which payment has not been received, will not be published on the entry list or start order and any such entry will not be permitted to start the event before all documentation and payment is complete. Refer ART's 2.2 & 2.4.

18. SCRUTINEERING

18.1 Self-scrutineering will apply to all competitors. In addition, the Organisers reserve the right to conduct spot checks scrutineering. Refer to *ART 3.6*. Pre-Event and Post-Event Scrutineering checks may be carried out, should the Clerk of the Course or Stewards deem the same to be necessary. Refer to *GCR 17*.

19. COMPETITORS' BRIEFING

19.1 Drivers and Co-Drivers must be present at the time published in SR 15.5 above.

20. SAFETY APPAREL / EQUIPMENT

20.1 Refer to ART's 2.5 – 2.12.

20.2 GPS & Tracking units (Refer ART 2.8 of the MSA N. Regions O.R. Regulations)

- a) The use of GPS is compulsory for all competitors. Refer ART 2.8
- b) All competitors, whether a finisher or not, must download their GPS on the completion of, or retirement from the race. Refer ART 2.8.4
- c) It is the competitor's responsibility to ensure that their GPS is compatible with downloads. Refer ART 2.8.1
- d) The use of the tracking unit, where applicable, is compulsory for all competitors. Refer ART 2.10.1

20.3 Screamers

All vehicles shall be fitted with approved screamers, refer ART 2.10.

21. SILENCING OF VEHICLES / MACHINES

21.1 Refer GCR 245

22. PRE-RACE / PADDOCK / PARC FERMÉ

22.1 Refer to ART 12.3 and GCR 252.

23. STARTS

- 23.1 The Qualifying Start Order, and time intervals, will be determined by the Clerk of the Course in accordance with *ART 9.2.1* of the MSA N. Regions O.R. Regulations.
- 23.2 Competitors will start the Racing Section in the order established during Prologue and at the intervals determined by the Clerk of the Course with the fastest competitor on Prologue starting first, followed by the second fastest competitor, and so on. Refer *ART 9.3.1*
- 23.3 Classic Club Challenge competitors will complete one lap of the event. Competitors in the Classic Club Challenge will be started at a time and sequence determined by the Clerk of the Course so as not to impede the progress of competitors entered in the regional championship event.

24. REFUELLING

24.1 Designated Refuel Zone

- a) Refuelling of vehicles during the Racing Section will only be permitted within the confines of the Designated Refuel Zone. No vehicle may be refuelled in the DSP area at any time during the Racing Section.
- b) Any competitor who needs to refuel at the end of LOOP 1 must do so withing the confines of the Designated Refuel Zone.
- c) The Competitor's crew will be responsible for placing an environmental matt and the required fire extinguishers in the Designated Refuel Zone.
- d) The provisions of ART 18.3 and 21.6 above will apply within the Designated Refuel Zone.

24.2 Fuel is available as follows:

NTK Baltimore 014 719 9002 07:30 – 16:30 Monday – Friday 07:30 – 12:00 Saturday

25. DESIGNATED SERVICE POINT

25.1 Designated Service Point (DSP)

- a) Refuelling: NB The Pit area is a strictly "No Smoking" area. Refer ART 18
- b) Competitors' attention is drawn to GCR 240, the MSA Environmental Code, ART 13 and 14 and ART 18 regarding refuelling regulations.
- c) The use of Environmental Mats during servicing is compulsory. Refer ART 18.3.5. Non-compliance refer ART 20.1.4 (b).
- d) Please note that no hazardous waste (empty fuel/oil containers) may be disposed of in the refuse bins. All empty containers must be removed from the DSP and returned to your premises for disposal. Refer ART 18.3.7. Noncompliance refer ART 20.1.7 (b).
- e) NO OPEN FIRES will be permitted in the DSP / Race Headquarters Area at all over the weekend for obvious reasons.

26. RETIREMENT AND INCIDENT REPORT FORM

26.1 Competitors' attention is drawn to ART 19.3 and the fine as stipulated in ART 20.1.7 (d) and 20.1.8 (b). An Online Incident Report Form will be available for completion. The link to the Online Incident Report Form will be published on the competitor portal at www.tiorcsa.info and a link will be posted on the Electronic Notice Board.

27. GENERAL INFORMATION

27.1 Sweeps & Recovery

No recovery will be done by the organisers.

27.2 Crossing of public / district roads

As the organiser, we have fully acquainted ourselves with *ARTs 10 & 11* of the MSA N. Regions O.R. Regulations with regard to the crossing of public / district roads. We the organisers are also aware, have acquainted ourselves with the provisions of *Section 317* of the *Road Traffic Act*, and confirm that the event officials have been made aware of the above section. By allowing the event to proceed, we accept that all requirements are complied with and where applicable all relevant permissions are in place.

28. TIMEKEEPING

- 28.1 Round 4 Qualifying: Refer ART 9.1 & 9.2 of the MSA N. Regions O.R. Regulations.
 - a) All competitors will be required to complete Qualifying, comprising approximately 15kms, to qualify for their starting position in the Main Race.
 - b) Non-Finishers of Qualifying Refer ART 9.2.5
 - c) Non-Starters of Qualifying Refer ART 9.2.6
 - d) Should there not be a finisher within a particular class Refer ART 9.2.7
 - e) In the event of two competitors' achieving identical times on Qualifying, the competitor who is seeded higher will start the Racing Section ahead of the other Competitor.

28.2 Racing Section Round 4: Refer ART 9.3 of the MSA N. Regions O.R. Regulations

- a) The Racing Section will comprise 2 loops of approximately 100kms each with a Designated Service Point at the end of Loop 1.
- b) The Clerk of the Course reserves the right to adjust the starting intervals or implement a "Mass Start". Refer ART 9.3.3.
- c) For calculation of overall time and finishing position, refer ART 9.3.4 & 9.3.5.

28.3 **ROUND 5:** Refer ART 9.3 of the MSA N. Regions O.R. Regulations

- a) Round 5 will comprise 2 laps of approx. 100kms each with a Designated Service Point at the end of Lap 1.
- b) Competitors will start Round 5 in accordance with ART 9.3 at the time intervals determined by the Clerk of the Course. Non-finishers of Round 4 will be started in the order as determined by the Clerk of the Course in his sole discretion in the interests of safety.
- c) The Clerk of the Course reserves the right to adjust the starting intervals or implement a "Mass Start". Refer ART 9.3.3.
- d) For calculation of overall time and finishing position, refer ART 9.3.4 & 9.3.5.
- 28.4 The Finish will take the form of a Timed Control at a Stop Control. There will be no "Flying Finish". Competitors will be required to stop as indicated in the Roadbook and their times will only be recorded once the vehicle has come to a stop.

28.5 Overall Results – FOR TROPHY PURPOSES ONLY

- a) One set of trophies will be awarded for the event. Refer ART 9.4 (c).
- Only competitors who finish Round 4 and Round 5 will be eligible for trophies and/or finishers badges.

29. POINTS & RESULTS

29.1 Points: Refer to ART 24 of the MSA N. Regions O.R. Regulations.

29.2 Results

- Refer SR 15.5 for posting dates and times.
- b) Competitors' attention is drawn to GCR 276.

30. PROTESTS / APPEALS / PENALTIES

30.1 All protests and appeals will be dealt with as set out in Part IX and X and Appendix R of the MSA GCR's.

31. PRIZE GIVING

31.1 The number of trophies per class will be awarded based on the number of entries per class as per SR 22.2, as at the time and date of entries closing, refer SR 15.5. Late entries will not be taken into account when determining the number of trophies that will be awarded per class.

31.2	6 / More Entries in a class/category at the close of entries	1st - 3rd place
	5 Entries in a class/category at the close of entries	1st - 2nd Place
	Less than 5 entries in a class/category at the close of entries	1st Place

- 31.3 Prize Giving will be held in the hall next to the DSP. Prizegiving will be open to all competitors and their service crews. *Right of Admission is reserved as the event is held on private property.*
- 31.4 The Prize Giving will be followed by a meal offered by the local community. Arrangements and costs for this dinner will be published on the Competitor Portal at www.tiorcsa.info prior to the event.

32. POSTPONEMENT. ABANDONMENT OR CANCELLATION

32.1 The organisers reserve the right to postpone, abandon or cancel the meeting or any part thereof. In the event of any of the above, the competitor/entrant has no right to claim against the Promoter/Organiser in respect of any loss or damage he/she may incur, other than specified in *GCR 244*. The meeting will not be postponed, abandoned, or cancelled without the consent of the MSA Steward in accordance with *GCR 152 & ART 2.4.6*.

32.2 Rights of the Clerk of the Course

- a) The Clerk of the Course has the right to call a halt to an event due to "force majeure" for any of the following, but not limited to, reasons:
 - Extreme weather conditions
 - Serious or fatal accident
 - Sections of the route being deemed impassable owing to recent extreme weather or other unforeseen circumstance.
 - Dangerous circumstances for drivers involving spectators or bystanders.

Any other circumstances that the Clerk or the Course, in his sole discretion, deems to be dangerous or prejudicial to competitors.

b) In the event of an event being halted as above or for any other reason, the Clerk, of Course, will inform all marshal points to stop competitors. The competitors will be scored back to the last timing point passed before the event was stopped.