

MINI CAR CLUB OF NSW

SUNDAY, 13 APRIL 2025

LOWER PORTLAND MOTORKHANA

1. **AUTHORITY:**

The Event will be conducted under the FIA International Sporting Code including Appendices, the National Competition Rules (NCR) of Motorsport Australia, the Motorkhana Standing Regulations, the NSW Motorkhana Addendum, and the Motorsport Australia Motor Sport Passenger Ride Activity (MSPRA) Policy, these Supplementary Regulations and any Further Regulations or instructions which may be issued.

The Event will be conducted under and in accordance with Motorsport Australia OH&S, Safety 1st, Integrity and Legal, and Risk Management Policies, which can be found on the Motorsport Australia website at www.motorsport.org.au.

2. **PROMOTER/ORGANISING CLUB:**

Mini Car Club of NSW. **PERMIT NO:** 225/1304/03

The permit will be displayed at the start of the Event.

3. **NAME OF EVENT:** Lower Portland Motorkhana

4. **TYPE OF EVENT:** Club Motorkhana

5. **DATE OF EVENT:** Sunday, 13 April 2025

6. **VENUE/LOCATION:**

The event will be held on private property at the Mini Car Club of NSW Motorkhana Ground at 370 Lower Colo Road, Lower Portland, NSW. Follow the signs to the pit/parking area.

7. **TYPE OF SURFACE:** Grass

8. **TESTS & FORMAT:**

A minimum of four and a maximum of 6 tests from the Motorsport Australia Motorkhana Test Booklet will be conducted. Test dimensions may be varied from those specified.

9. **INVITED CLUBS:** Nil

10. **OFFICIALS:**

Clerk of Course:	Phil Boyd	ID # 883797
Asst Clerk of Course:	Darryl Heydon	ID # 881824 (Trainee)
Secretary:	Glynis Heydon	ID # 9709826 Mob: 0408 865 955

Judges of Fact: Timekeepers and observers will be Judges of Fact as detailed in the Motorsport Australia Manual. These names will be advised prior to the commencement of competition.

11. ENTRIES TO THE EVENT SECRETARY:

Entries open on the publication of these regulations and close at 9.30am on Sunday, 13 April 2025. Entries received after this time, up until the start of the competition, will be accepted at the discretion of the Clerk of Course.

Entries will be accepted in order of receipt.

Entry Fee: 50.00 Seniors, \$25.00 Juniors (under 17 years of age)

The Organisers reserve the right to refuse any entry in accordance with the NCR.

12. MAXIMUM NUMBER OF COMPETITORS: 25

13. MAXIMUM ENTRIES PER VEHICLE: 4

14. PARENTAL CONSENT:

If any entrant or driver is under 18 years of age, the consent of his/her parent or guardian must appear on the entry form.

15. CANCELLATION:

The Event Organiser reserves the right to postpone or stop the Event in accordance with the NCR.

16. STARTING TIME:

The Event is scheduled to start at 10am and will finish at approximately 4pm. Any changes will be notified in Further Regulations. The full schedule is as follows:

Sunday 9:00 Scrutiny Commences
9.30 Officials Briefing
9.45 Drivers Briefing & Sign-on
10.00 Commencement of AM Events
12.00 Lunch break
12.45 Drivers Briefing
13.00 Commencement of PM Events
16.00 Close of Event

Please note that all times are approximate and may change depending on weather conditions, number of Officials and Entrants present.

17. SCRUTINY:

Scrutiny will be conducted in a designated area, commencing at 9.00am and concluding at 9.45am. All cars competing must be Scrutineered and passed prior to participating, as follows:

- a) Valid Motorsport Australia Competition licences, proof of Mini Car Club of NSW membership and vehicle Log Book (if issued) must be produced at Document Check during registration.
- b) All vehicles shall comply with Schedule A and Group 4H of the Motorsport Australia Manual.
- c) **All Mini Mokes must be fitted with a roll over protection structure as per Group 4H of the Motorsport Australia Manual.**
- d) **Winter tread or rally tyres are not permitted. Road tyres only.**
- e) Fuel must be in accordance with Schedule G of the Motorsport Australia Manual.

- f) All cars must be adequately muffled to comply with public road noise restrictions.
- g) All loose items must be removed. Battery must be well secured.
- h) All wheel nuts/studs must be present and secure.
- i) Approved helmets in accordance with Schedule D of the Motorsport Australia Manual are to be worn in ALL specials.
- j) Adequate footwear must be worn by all Drivers whilst competing, (bare feet, thongs or sandals are not permitted), and all apparel shall comply with Schedule D of the Motorsport Australia Manual.
- k) Drivers of cars to which no windscreen is fitted must wear adequate eye protection whilst competing.
- l) All Drivers shall, whilst competing, wear a properly adjusted seat belt, as per Schedule I of the Motorsport Australia Manual.
- m) Any camera or video recording device mounted in or on a competition vehicle must be approved by the Chief Scrutineer.

Note: Electric vehicles (EVs) will not be permitted to be entered at this Event, due to lack of officials' specific training and EV-specific safety equipment.

18. CLASSES:

- Class A 0-1200cc
- Class B 1201-1450cc
- Class C 1452-2000cc
- Class D 2001cc and over
- Class E Specials, 4WD and 4 wheel steer

Note: Competitors must nominate their classes prior to the start of competition. Any class which attracts less than three entries may be amalgamated with another class(es) at the discretion of the Organisers.

Replacement Vehicles: At the sole discretion of the Clerk of Course, a driver whose vehicle has broken down may use a replacement vehicle. The replacement vehicle must have been scrutineered and be in the same class as the driver's original vehicle. If the replacement vehicle is not in the same class the time for each test in the replacement vehicle will be shown as DNS.

19. AWARDS:

Awards will consist of Mini Car Club vouchers that can be redeemed for future event entries or club merchandise. Vouchers will be awarded for 1st Outright (excluded from class awards) and 1st in each class, 1st Lady (mutually exclusive) and 1st Junior (under 17 years old). The results will count towards the relevant Mini Car Club of NSW point scores.

20. DRIVER'S BRIEFING:

The attendance of all Drivers is required at the Driver's briefing to be held at 9:45am and a sign-on sheet will be used to verify attendance.

21. INSURANCE:

Certain public, property, professional indemnity and personal accident insurance is provided by Motorsport Australia in relation to the event. Further details can be found in the Motorsport Australia Insurance Handbook, available at www.motorsport.org.au.

22. TIMING:

Timing will be by hand-held stopwatches. There will be two runs at each test with the lowest of the two times used for scoring.

23. PROTESTS: Protests must be lodged in accordance with the NCR.

24. INTEGRITY:

Smoking (which includes e-cigarettes and “vaping”) and any naked flame is prohibited within 3 metres of any refuelling/defueling operation. Motorsport Australia’s National Integrity Framework and any associated policy (including the Australian Anti-Doping Policy, Motorsport Australia’s Illicit Drugs in Sport (Safety Testing) Policy, the Motorsport Australia Alcohol Policy), apply to any activity authorised by Motorsport Australia as published at www.motorsport.org.au. Any Participant including the holder of a Motorsport Australia Licence (or a Licence issued by another ASN) may be tested for the presence of alcohol, any drug or other banned substance. In addition to any penalty imposed by Motorsport Australia, a further penalty/s may be applied by Sport Integrity Australia. Consumption of alcohol in any Reserved Area is prohibited until all Competition is concluded each day.

25. INSTRUCTIONS:

Failure to comply with any instruction given by an official of the meeting may result in the competitor concerned being excluded from the Event by the Clerk of Course.

26. PASSENGERS:

This event will include a Motor Sport Passengers Ride Activity (MSPRA) which shall be run under and in accordance with the Motorsport Australia MSPRA Policy.

27. CATERING:

Food (lunch time sausage sizzle and drinks) will be available for sale on the day.

28. TOILETS:

Toilet facilities are available.

29. SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:

- a) No smoking is allowed on the property.
- b) Speed must be kept to a minimum (walking pace) outside of the competition area.