

Hi and welcome to the first update for the 2024 Southern Cross Reliability Trial,

2024 is underway and lots of motorsport events are in the planning or have already been run.

As we forward with our events, we are planning something different for 2024 and plan to be hosting more of these events into the future.

Although we have organised and hosted navigational events since 2017 with our well known Sheep Station Rally's and the Tulip Run, we are making a few changes for 2024 and titling the event a Navigational Trial. Although some things are now different we have kept all the good and positive things that we learnt over the years. We are sure that you will enjoy the new look and feel of competing with us.

Our 2024 event will be known as, the Southern Cross Reliability Trial and we are hoping this event will become as popular and as well-known as our Sheep Station events.

Event Insight

The 2024 Southern Cross Reliability Trial is an inclusive 2 day event that will take crews through many new areas travelling some of the best and most scenic driving roads our state has to offer. Day 1 will start and end in Canberra. This will be followed by a social get together and dinner in our nation's capital. Day 2 will again start in Canberra and conclude in Goulburn to allow everyone an easy drive home. Across the weekend, competitors will travel 800 kilometres with approximately 95 kilometres of very good, unsealed roads.

Navigators

Possibly the best navigation experience of your life!

No matter what class you are entered in, we have something for all navigators to enjoy and we promise not to burn you out. To get you on your way and through the weekend trial, you are able to choose between 4 different classes of navigation. This will get you safely there and back with a smile on everyone's face. There are long runs in each division so you can get your head out of the instructions and enjoy the ride.

Each class of navigation has clear and concise instructions that will help make your weekend a lot of fun as well as having enough of a challenge along the way to keep everyone satisfied. We will explain more about our navigation in a later update.

Driving

We didn't miss the drivers in this event. They will have a fantastic driving experience with fantastic unexplored roads and new areas with some long runs to settle into the drive. There are also some awesome mountain passes to travel through but you drivers will also need to work closely with your navigators and be on your toes to keep on time.

Timing

This is a timed event adding to the challenge of each day's competition. This is where the driver and navigator will need to work together to achieve a top 3 finish or even a win. Timing will differ from what you are used to in classic rallies but again, we can assure you that it's easy to work with.

Dates

The Southern Cross Reliability Trial will be held on the weekend of Saturday September 7th and Sunday September 8th 2024. We hope you are available to join us.

Put it in your calendar!!

In General

The Southern Cross Reliability Trial has many new aspects and features but these are easily adapted to. We have been testing all the new as well as our tried and true event features to make sure it all works seamlessly and we are sure you will enjoy working with these new inclusions.

Entries

Early Bird entries will open on Monday 20th May and will be via our online entry system. We will have an alternate scanned entry form that will be available on request.

In Closing

We hope we have whet your appetite and intrigued you as to what the 2024 Southern Cross Reliability Trial holds. For more information, please email us at southerncrossreliabilitytrial@gmail.com