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Environmental PLAN



Dear Participants, Spectators, and Friends,

I am Zoltán Garamvölgyi, and I am honored to welcome you to the 23rd edition of the HunGarian Baja. Over the past years, this race has become a remarkable and unique event in Central Europe, distinguished by its challenging courses and vibrant community.

I strongly believe that we must not exploit the environment indiscriminately. Instead, we have a responsibility to give back by supporting the restoration, preservation, and long-term care of our ecosystems.



Achieving sustainable development requires a balanced commitment to both our communities and the environment. This relationship represents a core value for us and is essential to ensuring a sustainable future for the next generations. We must strive to give back as much as we take.

I can consider myself lucky because our organization, our supporters, and the city of Várpalota share these views and together we can achieve these goals. However, in the world of constant changes and challenges, achieving all of this requires serious investment of time, effort, and manpower.

We must all take an active role in shaping a sustainable vision for the future. It is our responsibility today to ensure that environmental awareness and protection become fundamental values embraced by everyone.

Thank you for joining us on this journey. Together, we can turn this vision into reality.

Warm regards,
Zoltán Garamvölgyi



EVENT DETAILS

Name	Hungarian Baja 2026
Edition	23 rd Edition
Date	2026.08.13. -15.
FIM / FIA	FIM Baja Word Cup. Hungarian C.C. Championship
Organizer	Garilla Racing Kft.
HQ	Várpalota (Hungary)

RACE LOCATION:

The competition will be held in the training area of the Hungarian Armed Forces, which is still active today, which already housed the artillery shooting school in 1905 and the Royal Hungarian Armed Forces Training Area Command in 1913. The infantry shooting range was established in 1968.

It is still an active training area that hosts NATO military exercises and other military activities.



Furthermore, in the Transdanubian Central Mountains, where we pass through the most beautiful parts of the Northern and Southern Bakony.

Millions of years ago, the sea was still raging in this area, at the bottom of which sedimentary rock, mainly limestone, was formed. The area became prominent later on. The prominent parts are separated from each other by spacious pools and sunken ditches.

HEADQUARTER:

Castle Thury -Várpalota

Thury Castle is one of the oldest surviving medieval castles in Hungary, in which traces of different architectural styles from Gothic to late classicism can be seen due to its 600 years of existence and numerous reconstructions. The former part of the palace represents the country's only surviving 14th-century nobleman's palace interior, where original Gothic murals have survived





WASTE MANAGEMENT

Waste is one of the main impacts of the event, this is generated both by its own organization and by the attending public.

More than 50 Waste collection points for the public will be installed in all spectator concentration areas. And the waste collection will be carried out at the end of the day, with surveillance brigades.

If they are filled before the end of the day, they will be removed and replaced by other empty ones.

Once the event is over, the cleaning staff will carry out a general review of all the facilities and their surroundings, removing any type of residue they may find.

The person in charge of removing the waste from the site will be the municipal cleaning and garbage collection company, and they will be in charge of treating it.

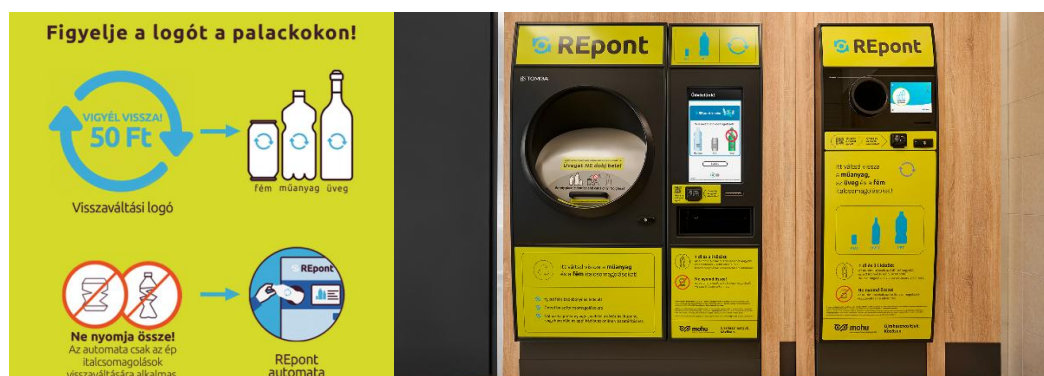
On the SS the area will be separated to 4 Sector chiefs. They are in charge to ensure that the waste is collected at the end of the day and all tapes, bandage and signage are collected at the end of the event.

A specific waste collection points will be established within the paddock, such as:

- **Provision of waste bins:** We will place an adequate number of waste bins and recycling stations throughout the event area.
- **Waste collection:** Waste will be regularly collected and disposed of responsibly.
- **Prohibition** of spilling any type of liquid on the ground.
- **Mandatory use of ecological mats** whenever any type of work is carried out on competing vehicles.

Would like to highlight to the competitors, guests and spectators that start 1st January 2024 Hungary has a new beverage deposit regulation.

The new regulation will only apply to beverage products that are ready to drink or are concentrates, and their packaging is made of plastic, metal or glass, and their capacity is between 0.1 and 3 liters. You have to pay additional 50HUF on top of the price, however you can gain back this fee by returning these bottles to the collection points.



These locations are: Search for the above signs at the Grocery stores around the Service Zone and the Rallye headquarter.



Energy and Water MANAGEMENT

For the HQ and for the Sportshall the energy and water consumption costs are taken over by the City government.

Tap water is qualified for drinking beside that going to use waterbottles that are recyclable and can be returned for re-use.

The headquarter have a lightsystem in place is operate with LED based motion sensors to limit the electricity usage in the main rooms.

For the opening and closing ceremony an advantage system going to be used with reduced electricity usage.



Ground and Water Pollution

The Environmental matt is compulsory to use in the service area.

Car washing is only allowed in the designated washing bay reachable from Service Zone.

Critical waste container is established for Oil and other hazard items in the Service Zone and there are alternate deposit areas in the allowed gas stations in the City of Várpalota.

Operation exclusively on gravel / forest roads under permission of the Ministry of Defense, Forest Department, with full avoidance of protected areas (Natura 2000).



Transportation and Carbon MANAGEMENT

The transportation management is defining part of the environmental protection.

Most of the transports are managed over Vans and plan is developed to deliver the SS and other event equipment in the most efficient way with the less effort and cost possible.

Marshals are grouping together to limit the usage of cars reaching their working locations. Sector chiefs with their 4*4 vehicles are going to deliver and collect majority of the marshals for the hard-to-reach places.



Biodiversity and Heritage

One of the main objectives of the organization is to leave the minimum footprint possible in the environment after the end of the event.

We will take the following measures:

- No contributions of external materials have been made to the natural ones of the land in which the same layout is located.
- The coexistence of the track with the environment and the native bush and trees has been respected as far as possible, leaving all possible natural flora around the facilities, cleaning only the passageways strictly necessary for health care and the development of the circuit work.
- At the end of the event, the posters will be removed, the adjoining roads will be checked in case there is excess mud or stones from the event vehicles on them for cleaning, and all possible garbage that those who have not respected the rules may have left will be collected.
- Road repair activities are planned to ensure that the used gravel and forest roads are restored to its original state.



NOISE EMISSION

In a motorsport event, noise control can be a challenge. In order to optimize this aspect and make a responsible event, the following measures are applied:

- Random measurements of noise levels can be carried out at the Technical Control.
- The necessary sound tests will be carried out to minimize the maximum volume used during the opening and closing ceremony to align with the local sound and silence regulation. In this way, the impact on the fauna that inhabits the surroundings of the HQ will be minimized.
- The Park fermé relocated to the back side of the HQ to minimize the noise emission for the City.



AFTER EVENT ACTIVITIES

Road Maintenance and Restoration

Tons of gravel and sealing material will be used to level out road irregularities and potholes.

The adjoining roads will be checked in case there is excess mud or stones from the event vehicles on them for cleaning.

Trash Collection: We will collect and safely dispose of all trash, as well as any stakes, signs, and barriers placed throughout the event area.

Possible garbage that those who have not respected the rules may have left will be collected.

Cleaning: The posters, adverts, molinos will be removed from the adjoining roads.

Environment: The flowers, bushes ruined during the event in the city of Várpalota will be restored.

The Hungarian Baja 2026 is committed to minimizing its environmental footprint and promoting sustainable practices. Through careful planning, monitoring, and community engagement, we aim to host a successful event that respects and protects the natural environment of Várpalota.

Locations:

WASHING AREA

The paddock has a washing area, located at the road behind Tesco. Operates with 100 HUF and 200 HUF coins, but there is an automated coin exchange automat. It is open 24/7. Competitors can use also during service.



It is expressly forbidden to wash any vehicle or car part outside the areas defined by the organisation.

REFUELLING

In the Service Park a SHELL and MOL gas station is located. Competitors can use and refuell.

SHEL

Shell V-Power Racing 100
Shell V-Power Diesel D
Shell FuelSave Euro 95
Shell Fuelsave Diesel D

MOL

EVO 95 Benzin
EVO 100 Benzin plus
EVO Diesel plus
EVO Diesel

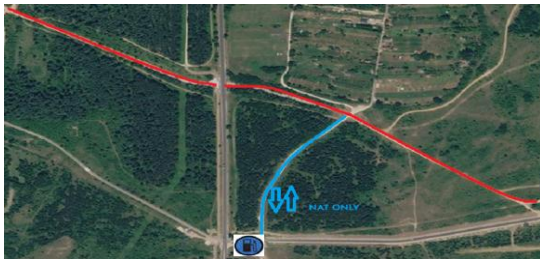


Participants are reminded of the regulations regarding refueling their vehicles. Remote refuelling zone will be set up for the National competitors, where using an environmental mat is mandatory and the refueling system has to go directly from the bottle to the tank, never into the air, that means that funnels cannot be used.



REMOTE REFUELING ZONE

The establishment and management of the Remote Refueling Zone are of major importance. The area will be at the Neutralization Zone, where firefighters and rescue teams will be deployed on-site to ensure adequate safety during refueling. Police officers and civil guards will maintain traffic flow and public order. Additionally, the use of environmental mats will be strictly enforced and monitored. To support proper waste management, additional garbage bags and containers will be provided and emptied at the end of each day.

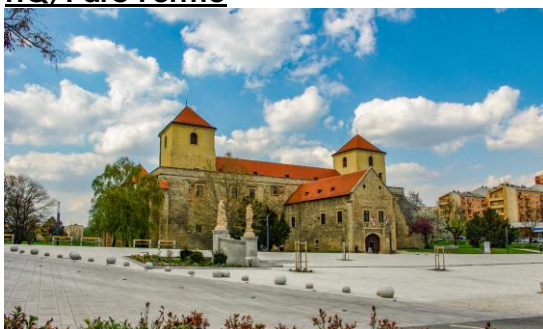


Sports Hall

Competitors can use the toilets in TESCO, and also the showers and toilets in the Sports Hall for a fee, which the city continuously cleans and maintains.



HQ, Parc Fermé



The Park fermé located at the back side of the Castle, opposite of the HQ parking, to minimize the noise emission.

In front of the HQ, the speaker noise levels will be significant only during the the start and price giving ceremony. During the day, there will be live broadcasts and reports at normal volume.

Pedestrian traffic will be directed with arrows and tape. Fire extinguishers and green points are positioned at the beginning and the finish of the Park Fermé.

In the HQ selective waste collection is established.

Service Zone





The ServicePark is separated to the FIA and National competitors. Additional waste disposal points and mobile toilets are installed. The Toilets located in the shopping center and the sports Hall can also be used.

Also Green points are installed with oil absorber material, a vane and a broom to absorb hazardous material like oil, fuel and additives.

Hazardous-Oil material bin is located next to the sports Hall, but can also deposit to the nearest Gas stations.



Our Passion – Our Nature Szenvedélyünk – Természetünk



Avoid Waste Production
Kerüld a hulladéktermelést



Save Water and Energy
Kövessen Víz és Energia
takarékosági szemlélet



Avoid Plastics
Kerüld a Műanyagokat



Share your Car
Autómegosztás elősegítése



Recycle all the waste
Hulladék újrahasznosítása



Prefer digital formats
Használjon digitális formátumokat



Avoid Food Waste
Kerülje az élelmiszer pazarlást



Respect the nature
Tisztelje a környezetet



Do not Litter
Ne szemeteljen



Respect the local Community
Tisztelje a helyi közösségeket



Do not Smoke! – only at
designated places
Ne dohányozzon! – Csak a
kijelölt helyeken



NO OPEN FIRE!
Tűzgyújtási Tiltalom

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Rallye Safety Rules

