



## The Garahy Family Birr Stages Rally 2024 – Press Release 1

Excitement is building for our Birr Stages Rally taking place on **Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> April**. Under the new style Motorsport Ireland calendar, we run our rally every second year and our last outing in 2022 was praised by competitors and spectators alike. But that doesn't mean we have been resting on our laurels, we have been working hard to ensure that this year will be bigger and better!

We are excited to announce a new title sponsor for our rally. The Garahy Family of Tom Garahy, **T.J. Garahy Ltd.**, Kieran Garahy, **Garahy's Garage** and Mike Garahy, **Garahy Tractors** have come on board to headline the event. Kieran has hosted our hugely popular Autotest events at his Garage and he also competes in Autotesting and Endurance Trials. Mike competes with his Ford Escort MkII on the tarmac and forestry stages. All have a wealth of experience and a passion for motorsport.

We are delighted to have on board as our stage sponsors, Paul O'Brien of Sola Energy Solutions, Eoghan Fogarty of R.A.E. Autofactors, Doolans Service Station - Kilcormac and Kelly Tyre Service - Kilcormac.

Returning Clerk of the Course, Eoin Longworth has laid out 3 stages to be repeated 3 times. He has some classic elements as well as new twists to keep the crews on their toes. Also returning is the fantastic Rally HQ at Garahy's Garage, Birr and our Service Area kindly hosted by The Grennan Family at Rath.

The Rally will be a counting round of the:

- ◇ Triton Showers National Rally Championship
- ◇ Top Part West Coast Rally Championship
- ◇ Hugo Loonam Motors Midlands East Rally Championship
- ◇ Sligo Pallets Border Rally Championship

It's shaping up to be an exciting event. We will be releasing our Regulations soon, so keep an eye on our social media along with our Club website, [www.birrmotorclub.com](http://www.birrmotorclub.com) for updates.

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