



Competitor Notification

September 26th & 27th

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Dear Competitor,

The Ceremonial Start will take place on Friday 25th September 2026 @ 19:30hrs

The Top 25 seeded Competitors are requested to attend.

All Crews are invited to participate in the ceremonial start and we would request where possible all other competitors who wish to attend the Ceremonial Start we request that you advise the Entry Secretary / COC by 15:00hrs on Friday 25th September 2026.

Entry Secretary: Margaret Browne: +353 87 668 7269

COC: Kevin O'Riordan: +353 87 9580865

Crews taking part in the Ceremonial Start are requested to be at **Parc Ferme Out by 18:45** at the very latest where a convoy will be formed and all crews will travel to the Ceremonial Start in convoy led by a lead official.

Cars will leave **Parc Ferme in Seeded Order from 18:50** hrs and proceed to the Ceremonial Start in accordance with the road book and instruction issued by event officials:

Road book will be provided from:

- Parc Ferme to Ceremonial Start.
- Ceremonial Start to Parc Ferme.

Timecards will not be used for the Ceremonial Start.

Following completion of the Ceremonial Start, competitors must return directly to Parc Fermé.

CEREMONIAL START – COMPETITOR WARNING

NO BURNOUTS, WHEEL SPINNING OR UNNECESSARY HIGH REVVING WILL BE PERMITTED AT ANY TIME WHILE ATTENDING OR PARTICIPATING IN THE CEREMONIAL START.

Such behaviour will not be tolerated by the Clerk of the Course.

The Ceremonial Start is expected to attract a large number of spectators, including young fans and families. Competitors are therefore asked to act responsibly, follow all instructions issued by event officials and show consideration for the safety and enjoyment of everyone attending.

Please respect the event, its officials, local residents and, most importantly, the safety of our spectators.

Kevin O'Riordan

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