

Lady Gregory Hotel

Galway Summer Stages Rally 2016

FINAL INSTRUCTIONS NO: 1

21st August 2016.

Dear Competitor,

Thank you for your entry for the 2016 Lady Gregory Hotel Galway Summer Stages Rally.

The entry list is posted on rally.ie. Note: Maximum of 131 starters in main field and 20 juniors.

If you intend to withdraw, please contact Carmel Leonard (086) 8712733 as soon as possible

Rally Office: Rally Office will be located in The Lady Gregory Hotel, Ennis Road, Gort, Co Galway.

Parc Ferme, Scrutiny and Drivers Briefing will also take place at The Lady Gregory Hotel

Service Area: The Service Area is located in Gort Livestock Mart, Tubber Rd, Gort, Co Galway
The service Area will open at 18.00pm on Saturday 27th August. All Service Vehicles must be in Service by 9am on Sunday Morning 28th August. All Competition Cars must use a large non porous Service Mat when in the Service area. Penalty for not using a mat or littering the service area: 2 Minute penalty as per Appendix 29 Article 9.1.12 & 16. Please dispose of all rubbish using the bin bags provided in your pack as we would like to use this venue again. There will be a 1 Way System in operation in Service at all times.

Ceremonial Start: Cars 1-20 must attend and all other crews are invited to attend. Please assemble at Parc Ferme at 19.03 on Saturday 27th August. The Ceremonial Start will be at The Square, Gort, Co Galway, and a road book will be provided.

Pace Note making: Pace note making takes place on Saturday 27th August between 9.00 am and 5.00pm. Sign on from 20.00 to 22.00 Friday August 26th and 09.00 to 12.00 on Saturday August 27th in Rally Office in The Lady Gregory Hotel, Ennis Road, Gort, Co Galway
Please note there is a 600m stretch of unfinished road at 1.1km after the flying finish on SS1/4/7 which needs to be approached with caution. Last admission into any stage is 4.30pm. 3 passes only per stage.

Scrutiny: This will be located in The Lady Gregory Hotel, Ennis Road, Gort, Co Galway. Once the car passes scrutiny it must be placed in Parc Ferme immediately which is also situated in The Lady Gregory Hotel, Ennis Road, Gort, Co Galway. There will be security on Parc Ferme all night. Competition cars must be unloaded in Gort Community Centre before being driven to scrutiny. **No trailers** will be permitted in or in the vicinity of the Lady Gregory hotel

Mechanical Scrutiny is from 14:00 to 19:00. Paper Scrutiny is from 14:30 to 19:00. To avoid being delayed, we recommend that you ask a team member to bring your car and race suits etc. to scrutiny early on Saturday to complete some of the formalities in advance.

Trailer park will be located in Top Form, Tubber Rd, Gort with an unloading area in Gort Community Centre which will be clearly marked. Competitors must leave their trailers in this area only.

Drivers Briefing: Drivers Briefing is at 8.30am on Sunday 28th August in The Lady Gregory Hotel, for all crews. A random roll call will be made. First Car away from Parc Ferme at 10.00 on Sunday August 28th.

Officials : Chief Marshall is Cathal Mansell (087) 7696823. Marshals are still required. All help appreciated. CLO is Pat M Shiel 087 2821700. Rally 2 Co-ordinator is Brendan Flynn 087 6563416. Both Pat and Brendan will be located in Service.

Change of Official

John Tynan will replace Dave Ray as Club Safety Officer

Martin Greenwood will replace as the co-driver in Safety J001

Noel Lambert and Martin Greenwood will replace John Crumlish and Andrew McLaughlin in Safety 004

Brain Hasset and Eoghain McMahon will be Safety J001

John Walsh and Philip Walsh will be Safety J002

John Moylan will replace Mike Carty as Emergency Liaison Officer

Evan Maher replaces Eamonn Barret as Deputy Stage Commander on SS 2/5/8

Scrutiny: Scrutiny will take place behind the Lady Gregory Hotel, Gort and **NOT Galway Airport** as previously advised

Prizes: An additional trophy has been included for competitors over 50 years of age on date of the rally. The Darina Joyce O/50's Perpetual Trophy. Overall and class winners are not eligible. Prize giving will take place immediately after results are made final in The Lady Gregory Hotel



Mark Parsons
Clerk Of The Course
21st August 2016.