

GENERAL RULES OF THE ASSOCIATION.

1. The Name of Association shall be "THE ASSOCIATION OF CLASSIC TRIALS CLUBS."
2. The object of the Association shall be Liason between Member Clubs, The R.A.C., the A.C.U., and other Associations, Authorities & Bodies, and Consultation on all matters connected with Classic car Trials with Motor Sport.
3. Membership shall be open to any R.A.C. recognised Club which wishes to join and which is accepted by the Council of the Association. Application for membership may be made at any time on payment of the full subscription for the year & the Secretary shall have power to accept the application at his discretion, pending Ratification by the Council at the following meeting.
4. The Council shall consist of the Officers of the Association plus a quorum of Delegates representing the members clubs.
5. A Quorum consists of 33.1/3 % attendance of Clubs.
6. Finance: The Subscription for each Club shall be £5.00 per annum. The financial year shall be from 1st July one year to 30th June in the following year. Subscriptions shall be due for payment on the 1st July annually.
A list of any Clubs in arrears will be compiled & read to assembled delegates prior to the commencement of the A.G.M. The delegates of any Club so listed will be given the opportunity to pay or make a declaration of intent to pay before the A.G.M. commences & in default will not be entitled to vote at that meeting & will cease to be a member of the Association thereafter, & must seek re-election at a later meeting if they wish to re-join the Association.
Payment: Cheques & Postal Orders must be made payable to the Association of Classic Trials Clubs.
7. The Officers of the Association shall be as follows: Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer. One person may occupy more than one post if so elected.
8. The Officers shall be elected at The A.G.M. of each year. All nominations for Officers shall be made in writing & shall be sent to the Secretary by 31st August, showing the name of the proposing Club & written acknowledgement of the nomination by the nominee.
9. The Association to meet twice annually. The A.G.M. which shall be held in September, the other meeting to be held in May. The September meeting shall formulate the calender of events for the following year. Clubs must send details of proposed fixtures to the Secretary to arrive at least six clear weeks prior to the September meeting.
Additional meetings may be convened if (a) urgent business so demands, (b) if so arranged by the Council, or (c) if so requested in writing by at least three member Clubs. At least 21 days notice shall be given to all meetings. A statement of Accounts shall be produced at the A.G.M. Each Club may send two Delegates to each meeting. Only one Delegate may vote to express the views of the member Club which he represents. A change of Rules shall only be passed if two thirds of the Clubs represented at the meeting vote in favour of the motion. The Chairman shall have a casting vote. Numbers indivisible by three shall be calculated as though they were the nearest number divisable by three. Any simple matters shall be decided by a majority of voting delegates.
10. Invitations may be extended by the Council for the Representations of any body interested in motor sport to attend a meeting.
11. Member Clubs must notify the Secretary of the name, address & Tel. number of their General Secretary, Competition Secretary, & delegates. Further more they must notify him at once of any change in these details.
12. All Association circulars shall normally be sent to the Club Secretary, but on specific request they may be sent to another person. Any such request must be in writing, on the Club notepaper, signed by the Club Secretary & countersigned by the Club Chairman.
13. Clubs who wish to invite other member Clubs to Restricted Events must obtain permission in writing from the Secretary BEFORE sending out the Regulations.
14. Rules of the Association may only be changed or added to at the A.G.M. or an E.G.M. & then only provided that details of any proposed addition or change has been included in a circular to Clubs.

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Association of Classic Trials Clubs

Dear Mr. West,

Further to the initial formation of the above Association, please now find enclosed an official copy of the General Rules dated August 1979.

The General Manager of R.A.C. British Motor Sports Council, Mr. L. N. Needham has already been furnished with a copy of these Rules and has been requested to ensure that particulars of this Association are included in the 1980/81 Motor Sports Year Book.

I will confirm to you in the near future the date and venue of our first General Meeting.

Yours faithfully,

V. Lovett.
Secretary.

Assoc. of Classic Trials Clubs.