

# Hexham & District Motor Club



March Melee 12 car Rally  
12 March 2025

## Final Instructions

1. **Start**. Please report for signing on at the Travellers' Rest NE46 1TT no later than 1920 hrs. Please have your club card, any outstanding fees and insurance cover premium ready (if required). Drivers Brief will be at 19.20 hrs.
2. **Finish**. The finish will be at the Travellers' rest.
3. **Route**. The total route is 64 miles. There is no petrol at the start or on the route.
4. **Start Timings**. MTC 0 for Car 0 is at 19.30 hrs. Beginners and Novices will be issued with their maps or instructions as required at their due time at MTC 0. Experts will receive their instructions 15 minutes before their due time at MTC 1. Car 0 leaves MTC 1 at 20.00 hrs.
5. **Route Checks**. There will be numerous Route Checks (RC) which may be information from signposts or Code Boards (CB). Competitors are responsible for entering the required information in the appropriate box on their Route Card.

6. **Secret Checks**. There may be some Secret Checks (SC). These will be manned and have an 'SC' Board.
7. **Driving Standards**. Please drive with care and show consideration for local residents other road users.
8. **Quiet Zones**. There will be Quiet Zones which are identified in the Route Instructions and where possible 'Quiet Boards'. Please reduce speed, travel in as high a gear as possible using dipped headlights. Quiet Zones may be observed. Any competitor failing to drive in the correct manner will be excluded.
9. **Cautions**. Cautions are identified in the Route Instructions. The route passes within a few feet of some houses and through the odd farm. Competitors must take care and avoid any safety issues. We would like to use these roads in the future and upsetting the locals benefits no-one.
10. **Stop Give Way (SGW)**. Competitors must observe the SGW on the route. There are some tricky junctions which demand utmost caution. Some SGW may be observed.
11. **Time Cards**. Time Cards will detail where you can make up lateness. Please try and do this where possible.
12. **Mobile Phones**. Please note the use of mobile phones for anything other than emergency phone calls is not permitted. Competitors will need a watch or a clock to follow their time schedule. Any competitor found to be in breach of this will be excluded.
13. **Permit**. MUK Permit Number: 202200
14. **Contact**. If you have any questions please contact Tommy Henderson 07762707446.