## WCRA TSD Rally - Richta Instructions

(Screenshots from iOS device)

| 1 | Once your online registration is complete, and start list is posted, find your car number for the event on the Mudlark Rally Website |  |
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| $\underline{2}$ | To be scored in this event you must install the free "Competitor-Richta GPS Checkpoints" app on your smartphone or tablet via Google Play or iOS App Store. At this time you can also install "Richta GPS - Scoreboard", where results will be available after the event. <br> Open the competitor app, Review and accept Privacy Policy, and confirm App has GPS access. <br> (If you ran a previous Richta event you'll need to "Unregister" before continuing) |  |
| $\underline{3}$ | On Select Event screen scroll down and choose the name of the rally given by the organiser in the email - for example "Mudlark Rally" |  |


| 4 | Enter event password given in the email and click "Check Password" (Android) or "Continue" (iOS). |  |
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| $\underline{5}$ | Enter your car number and a password of your choosing and click continue. A password is not required, but it is recommended. | < Back Car Registration |
|  |  | WCRA Mission TSD Rally |
|  |  | Car Number 15 <br> Password |
|  |  | Continue |

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\text { phone number. Click "Submit Info" } \\
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| Enter phone number |
| 6048675309 |



8 During the odometer check, you'll pass "on course checkpoints". You cannot gain points at these checkpoints, they are just a way to make sure the app is working and you are on course. These are marked in the routebook.

At the start of each regularity there will be a "Restart" checkpoint at the same place you zero your odometer. Make sure the Restart shows up before you begin your regularity, or you will not be timed.

Leave this screen visible for the duration of the rally. If it's closed or you're using a different app at the same time, it may not record or GPS accuracy may be off. If you're using a Time Allowance you'll need to be able to access the buttons when your time allowance should start.

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| WCRA Mission TSD Rally - Car \#15 |  |  |  |
| Rally Clock |  |  | Score |
| 17:11:52 |  |  | 0 |
| GPS Accuracy |  | Tim | lowance |
| 4 meters |  | 00:00 |  |
|  |  | TA- | TA+ |
| Completed Checkpoints |  |  |  |
|  | In Time | Difference | Score |
|  | 17:30:00.0 | Restart |  |
|  | 16:58:56.3 | On Course | 0.0 |
|  | 16:51:44.8 | On Course | 0.0 |
|  | 16:50:37.0 | On Course | 0.0 |
|  | 16:49:18.1 | On Course | 0.0 |
| Settings |  |  | 1.23 (116) |



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Time allowances will show up red with the amount selected.

* If multiple cars are trying to use the same minute, the minute will go to the lower car number. The lower car number can make a choice to pull over when and where safe, take a higher time allowance, and allow others to pass - but are not required to do so.
* Time allowances are as follows:

| $+0: 10$ | $+0: 20$ | $+0: 30$ | $+1: 30$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $+2: 30$ | $+3: 30$ | $+4: 30$ | $+5: 30$ |
| $+6: 30$ | $+7: 30$ | $+8: 30$ | $+9: 30$ |

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Rally Clock Score

01:00:46

Completed Checkpoints
CP In Time Difference Score

## FAQ:

Q: What if my phone or tablet fails?
A: As insurance, register a second device using your assigned car number plus 60 (\#15 should use 75 ). IF primary device fails we can use backup for missing controls (a wireless tablet with GPS is OK as long as scores get uploaded at the end of the rally).

Q: Control "beep" \& score seem late?
A: Think of each control as a GPS "bubble". Since diameter varies with terrain \& other conditions, the Richta app averages your entry \& exit time to score midpoint.

Q: What if a flat tire or detour made us late?
A: If delay is under 10 minutes use a Time Allowance. Do not attempt to "catch up" by speeding or driving in an unsafe manner.

## Other Info:

* Phones do NOT need cell service throughout a rally for Richta to work, just GPS. Competitor app records all scores on your phone or tablet, but can't upload until you have a WiFi or data connection.
* Make sure the Location Service (i.e., GPS) is turned on. Open the Richta app and confirm it's working by checking "Rally Clock" is running. Also drive around the parking lot and confirm GPS coordinates are changing.
* Try to make sure the app remains visible on your device during events. If displaying something else it may not record checkpoints.
* GPS apps use more power, so keep device connected or battery may run down.
* Once the app is set up you only need to interact with it to enter a time allowance.
* On rally day turn off other apps \& notifications on your device running Competitor. You should not run other apps during TSD's, if needed use another device if possible.
* Keep devices running the app "daylight visible", GPS works poorly with phone on the floor or under dash.
* If the app keeps shutting itself off go to your phone settings for Apps, and make sure the Competitor app has Location and Storage permissions turned on.
* If app stops and you have no backup, pull safely off the road, reboot app and continue. Take a time allowance if necessary. The app will resume where it left off but if you pass a checkpoint while it's not running you will not be timed but scored as a max.


## Related links:

Richta Documentation and Apps: https://richtarally.com

