

# THE 2022 LOCK AND LOAD TRANSPORT ALPINE RALLY OF EAST GIPPSLAND 

$T$he 2022 Lock and Load Transport Alpine Rally of East Gippsland will be a veritable feast for rally enthusiasts and especially spectators!
This year's Alpine Rally is run out of the charming coastal town of Lakes Entrance, in East Gippsland and will visit the towns of Orbost, Omeo, Ensay, Swifts Creek and Bairnsdale between Thursday 1 December and Sunday 4 December 2022.
With multiple spectator points provided on each of the four days, easy instructions on how to reach the Spectator Points and a Fan Zone right across the road from the Rally headquarters - which will be open at all times during the running of the rally-all interest levels will be catered for.
This Spectator Guide provides instructions for those who wish to follow the event and to see the event's crews in action on Special Stages, as well as providing advice on where to catch up with the crews and the cars at towns where they will stop for servicing of the car and the inevitable changing tyres and wheels.
Please read the instructions including the Safety Messages, the Do's and Don'ts and the use of the newly introduced QR Code guidance to spectator points. This last matter is particularly important, as Google Maps type apps are not yet perfect, and our concern is that perhaps it could guide you onto rally traffic roads. As a simple rule of thumb when you are using the QR guidance on your Google Maps app, STAY ON THE BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE the ALPINE RALLY SPECTATOR POINT TURNOFF SIGN. Then follow the route chart provided in the Spectator Guide. This way you can help yourself and all our rally family to enjoy a safe, uncompromised event.
To keep you up to date on changing conditions, news, progressive scores and any unscheduled stage closures during the event there is also a twitter feed - @AlpineUpdates, https://twitter.com/AlpineUpdates and our web page https://www.alpinerally.org.au/alpine-newsroom/ both of which will be live and regularly updated during the event.
The organisers of the 2022 Lock and Load Transport Alpine Rally of East Gippsland express their appreciation to everyone associated with the event and wish each of the participants a successful and safe rally and look forward to seeing you all at the finish ceremony on Sunday 4 December, at 1400 hrs.

## THE ALPINE RALLY'S RICH 100 YEAR HISTORY

Australia's Alpine Rally is one of the oldest surviving motor sport events in the world. Only the French Grand Prix, the Monte Carlo Rally the Indianapolis 500 and the Pikes Peak Hill Climb have been running for longer.
The Alpine Rally has outlived every other classic rally in Australia - the Redex Trials, the BP Rally, the Southern Cross Rally and the Castrol Rally. Why, you may ask.
The answer is the unique challenge the event presents to competitors. Long sections, rugged mountain roads, dust, heat and fatigue all combine to test the mettle and character of crews and cars to the full.

The first Alpine 1000 mile Trial was run by the RACV in 1921, attracted 28 starters and lasted seven days. It travelled via Bairnsdale, Omeo and Mount Hotham, and was won by Archie Turner in an Itala.
In the early days the events were more touring in nature, with sub events such as acceleration tests, hill climbs and fuel economy tests used to determine the winner. Points were lost for vehicle defects - a broken connecting rod earned a penalty of 100 points!
In 1926 the Alpine Rally was taken over by the Victorian Light Car Club, Iater to become the Light Car Club of Australia, and became more competitive in nature. Omeo and Mount Hotham remained cornerstones of the Alpine course.
The crossing of the saddle just below Mount Hotham was a nerve wracking experience, the road being narrow and slippery with sheer drops off each side.
After the hiatus of World War 2 the event changed in character, with speed and navigation the important factors. By the 1950s the Alpine was more compact, being run over a weekend, but still covering in excess of a thousand miles.
From the 1970s the event became a straightforward test of driver speed and car reliability, with navigation made much simpler. It was the forerunner of today's special stage rallies.
Over its history the Alpine Rally has attracted strong multi-national sponsors, including Philip Morris, Kleber tyres, Enkafill cleaning cloths, Repco, BP Australia and even the City of Bright, which profited greatly from the event's presence each November.
Since the 1950s the star Alpine drivers have been Harry Firth, George Reynolds, Lou Molina, Don Opie, Frank Kilfoyle, Tony Roberts, and more recently Greg Carr and Geoff Portman. Both Portman and Carr top the winner's list of the Alpine Rallies with 6 wins each, followed by Frank Kilfoyle and Harry Firth with 5 each, and Tony Roberts with 3 wins.
The Alpine rally ceased to be a heat of the Australian Rally Championship in 1992, however the tradition of the Alpine spirit has been preserved by the Historic Rally Association and the event is now run every two years for classic rally cars, excluding four wheel drive.
Due to difficulties obtaining the use of forestry roads in the traditional Alpine areas in North Eastern Victoria the event has transferred to Lakes Entrance, where excellent facilities and eminently suitable Alpine roads are more readily available.
The Alpine Rally continues to attract fields of around 100 cars, and is easily the most popular rally in Australia. Crews come from every state to compete, and take up the unique Alpine challenge. For most, the aim is not to win, but to finish - an achievement in itself.
Note: A full history of the Alpine Rally is featured in Bob Watson's book "the Great Alpine Contest." Go to www.bobwatsonrally.com.au for more info.

ALPINE RALLY PAST WINNERS


## MOTORSPORT IS DANGEROUS

Motorsport activities are inherently dangerous recreational activities and there is a significant risk of injury, disability or death. If you choose to participate in these activities and you are killed or injured because the activities were not supplied with due care and skill or were not reasonably fit for their purpose, your rights to sue the Historic Rally Association, Confederation of Australian Motor Sport (trading as Motorsport Australia) and/or the Entities* are excluded, restricted or modified. For full details of the exclusion, restriction or modification of your rights please refer to https://motorsport.org.au/events/disclaimers.
A full list of the Motorsport Australia associated entities can be viewed at https://motorsport.org.au/get-involved/events/disclaimers.

## DO'S AND DON'TS OF SPECTATING (PLEASE READ)

1. Cars under competition conditions can lose control and leave the defined road at any time. Do not stand in any areas which are not authorised, or which are contrary to the advice of the organisers and officials/marshals.
2. Be prepared. Weather wise, bring hats, ground cover, sun screen and protection in case of rain or cold weather. Ensure you have some of your own food and drinks available.
3. Park your car sensibly as directed by instruction, signs or officials. This is important so your car will not obstruct emergency vehicles, It is usually best to park your car facing the way out.
4. Do not try to emulate drivers! Remember that if you give cause for complaint it will reflect badly on the event and the sport as a whole. Drive carefully both to and from Spectator Points and be ready to give way, if necessary, on narrow stretches of road. Keep to the left when approaching a crest!
5. Please do not take dogs to Spectator Point 5. If you have young children with you, you must make sure they are completely under your control at all times and are always in a low risk location. Ensure children never get in the way of competing cars or mechanics or officials when they are working.
6. Do not light fires (unless otherwise permitted to do so in a safe environment) or smoke at Spectator Points. Do not smoke near a car that is being serviced or refuelled.
7. At all times keep clear of controls, including from the timing marker to the control area. If a control official asks you to move, please help them by doing so - remember they have a job to do which can be difficult enough as it is. If you do want to see a control point in action, remember to stand well back from the control area.
8. Take your entire litter home with you - it is handy to have a bag or carton in your boot. Litter left at Public View Points reflects badly on the event.
9. At service points do not crowd mechanics when they are working. They would not appreciate it. Neither will you if someone drops a wheel or a sump guard on your foot!


## ALPINE 22-THURSDAY 1 DECEMBER

## SPECTATOR POINTS 1 AND 2

SPECTATOR POINT 1
Special Stage 1 "WeSt boundary" from Lakes Entrance: 19.3 KM

Distance Estimated Travel Time 20 Minutes

## What you will see here:

Your first chance to see the cars in anger, and being only two minutes into the event, we can expect a lot of exuberant enthusiasm. Cars enter the location through a sweeping left hander into a 90 degree right turn then onto a fast, wide straight.

SPECTATOR POINT 1 SPECIAL STAGE 1 -WEST BOUNDARY
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Directions to Spectator Point 1 from the roundabout at Lakes Entrance，junction with Marine Parade and The Esplanade

Lakes Entrance reference point is at the roundabout at the western end of The Esplanade，junction with Marine Parade and Bullock Island Rd．

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION |  | ADVICE／INFORMATION／SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at roundabout． <br> Take exit toward Melbourne／Bairnsdale on A1 PRINCES HWAY |  |  |
| 13.4 | Turn left onto METUNG RD C606 THEN IMMEDIATELY TURN RIGHT UNDER THE HIGHWAY onto TAMBO UPPER ROAD |  |  |
| 16.6 | Turn right onto CUNNINGHAM ROAD |  | Residential area． |
| 17.7 | Straight on |  | （Kelly Creek Road） |
| 18.8 | Veer right |  | （West Boundary Road） Gravel road 50 kph limit please． |
| 19.3 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 1．Park on right， $90^{\circ}$ to road，as signposted |  |  |
| Alternatively，use the QR Code below in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the turn－off from Tambo Upper Road onto Cunningham Road．（other sat nav－37．796021，147．858217）． |  |  |  |
| QR Code for turnoff to SP1 兩官 $\square$ －官解列 $\square$ $\square$敌品品 <br> Google Map |  | Use your smartphone camera to access the QR Code to Google maps．Tap the Directions button in Google Maps，and it will guide you to the turn－off to the spectator point from Tambo Upper Road． |  |

THEN：

| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter．Turn to the east onto CUNNINGHAM ROAD |  |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 1.1 | Straight on | （Kelly Creek Red） |
| 2.2 | Veer right | （West Boundary Road） <br> Gravel road．50 kph limit please． |
| 2.7 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 1．Park on right $90^{\circ}$ to road as signposted |  |

## SPECTATOR POINT 2

FIRST CAR DUE：14：16
Special Stage 3

| ＂berkley sQuare＂ | Distance | Estimated Travel time |
| :---: | ---: | ---: |
| From Lakes Entrance： | 13 Km | 15 Minutes |
| From Spectator Point 1： | 33 Km | 35 Minutes |

What you will see here：
Competitors will be half way through the stage when they get to this location．It＇s sandy country but grip levels are high and the roads are in good condition so we can expect to see some quick times either wet or dry．After a long sweeping left，cars turn into a right angle corner with a bit of a gutter．It＇s a fast entry and you will be amazed how quickly the top crews can get around a 90－degree corner．

SPECTATOR POINT 2 SPECIAL STAGE 3＂BERKLEY SQUARE＂


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Please respect the local community． 50 kph limit on gravel．Take your rubbish home．

Directions to Spectator Point 2 from Spectator Point 1.
Retrace your route to Cunningham Road/Upper Sambo Road intersection, (Caution: Possible oncoming traffic). THEN:

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at junction of CUNNINGHAM ROAD AND <br> TAMBO UPPER RD. <br> Turn left. | (Scriveners Road) <br> CAUTION! DO NOT USE <br> Scriveners Road. (high risk of <br> encountering rally traffic) |
| 3.1 | Turn left onto METUNG ROAD/C606 then IMMEDIATELY Turn <br> right onto PRINCES HIGHWAY A1 | CAUTION WHEN TURNING ONTO <br> PRINCES HIGHWAY |
| 9.1 | Straight on | PROCEED WITH CAUTION <br> THROUGH LAKES ENTRANCE. <br> OBEY ALL SPEED LIMITS. |
| 16.5 | Take second exit at roundabout. Stay on A1 | (yer St) Traffic Lights |
| 18.5 | Straight on A1/ESPLANADE | Gravel Road. 50 kph limit please. |
| 27.6 | Turn left BLACKFELLOWS LANE | (Wynd Road) |
| 28.7 | Straight on | You have arrived at Spectator Point 2. U-turn and parallel park on the left side of the road, to <br> facilitate your departure |
| 29.7 |  |  |

Alternatively, use this QR Code in your Smartphone Google Maps app to direct you to the turn-off from PRINCES HIGHWAY/A1 at BLACKFELLOWS LANE.

CAUTION: Do not use Scriveners Road, Ostlers Road or Colquhoun Road to access the Spectator Point.
QR Code for turn off from
Princes Highway to SP2


THEN:
Use your smartphone camera to access the Q Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the turn-off to the spectator point from Princes Highway/A1.
(other sat nav -37.821615, 148.029893).
PLEASE NOTE TO AVOID ANY RISK OF ENCOUNTERING RALLY TRAFFIC WHILE FOLLOWING THE MAP APP, STAY ON BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE OFFICIAL ROADSIDE SPECTATOR POINT SIGN BOARDS.

| 0.0 | Turn left off Princes Highway into BLACKFELLOWS LANE. <br> Zero tripmeter at BLACKFELLOWS LANE. | Gravel. 50 kph limit please. |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 1.1 | U-turn and parallel park on the left side of the road, to <br> facilitate your departure | Wyld Road |


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Directions to Spectator Point 2 from Lakes Entrance, junction with Marine Parade and Bullock Island Road and The Esplanade:

| From the roundabout at Lakes Entrance, at the junction of Marine Parade and The Esplanade |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at roundabout. <br> Head east toward Orbost on A1 PRINCES HWY/ESPLANADE | PROCEED WITH CAUTION <br> THROUGH LAKES ENTRANCE. <br> OBEY ALL SPEED LIMITS. |
| 2.0 | Straight on A1/ESPLANADE | (Ayyer St) Traffic Lights |
| 11.0 | Turn Left onto BLACKFELLOWS LANE. | Gravel. 50 kph limit please. |
| 12.1 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 2. U-turn and parallel <br> park on the right | Wyld Road |

Alternatively use the QR Code above.
CAUTION: Do not use Ostlers Road/Colquhoun Road to attempt to access the Spectator Point
This was the final Spectator Point on Thursday. Return to Lakes Entrance at your leisure. First car is due to arrive at the day's final control in Lakes Entrance at 14.24.

The first car is due to leave Friday's start at Lakes Entrance at 09.00

## The 1921 Alpine Rally Route

## MAP OF ROUTE.

1st Section. - Melbourne to Sale and Lakes' Entrance 199 miles.

2nd Section.-Lakes' Entrance to Omeo and Tallangatta, 192 miles. Cars in Class " $\mathbf{A}$ " only journey as far as Mitta ( 155 miles for day), covering the 37 miles to Tallangatta the following morning.
3rd Section.-Tallangatta to Mount Buffalo, 92 miles. Cars in Class " $A$ " cover a distance of 129 miles on this day's journey.

4th Section.-From Buffalo to Mount St. Bernard Hos. pice, and back via Bright to Wangaratta; $1241 / 2$ miles.

5th Section. - Wangaratta to Mansfield, with detour to Eildon, thence via Thornton and Taggerty to Healesville: $1831 / 2$ miles.

6th Section. - Healesville to Melbourne, thence to Ballarat and back to Mel. bourne via Geelong; 209 miles.


## ALPINE 22-FRIDAY 2 DECEMBER SPECTATOR POINTS 3, 4, 5 AND 6

| FRIDAY SPECTATOR POINT SUMMARY |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SPECTATOR POINT | StAGE NAME | FIRST CAR DUE |
| SPECTATOR POINT 3 | "Old COLQUHOUN" | 09.30 |
| SPECTATOR POINT 4 | "COULSONS" | 11.10 |
| SPECTATOR POINT 5 | "BULLWINKL" | 14.46 |
| SPECTATOR POINT 6 | "EIGHT" | 16.50 |

SPECTATOR POINT 3

## Special Stage 4 "OLD COLQUHOUN" Distance Estimated Travel Time <br> From Lakes Entrance : 21.5 KM <br> 20 Minutes

## What you will see here:

This point has been a firm favourite with spectators over the years. We've added something different this year though. You will see competitors exiting a virtual chicane 200 m before the Spectator Point then accelerating hard up to the right angle left turn on to Long Hill Tk.

SPECTATOR POINT THREE SPECIAL STAGE 4 "OLD COLQUHUON"


Directions to Spectator Point 3 from Lakes Entrance:

| Lakes Entrance reference point is at the Roundabout at the western end of The Esplanade, junction with Bullock Island Rd. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION |  | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at roundabout. <br> Head east toward Orbost on A1 Princes Hwy/Esplanade |  | PROCEED WITH CAUTION THROUGH LAKES ENTRANCE. OBEY ALL SPEED LIMITS. |
| 2.0 | Straight on A1/ESPLANADE |  | (Ayer St) Traffic Lights |
| 21.3 | Turn left off Princes Highway onto gravel road, signposted OLD COLQUHON ROAD |  | Caution when slowing down and turning left off Princes Hwy. High traffic area |
| 21.4 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 3. Parallel Park on either left or right. Parking available under power lines. |  | NB. Please leave access for emergency vehicles along Old Colquhoun Road. |
| Alternatively, use this QR Code in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the turn-off from Princes Highway/A1 at Old Nowa Nowa Road. NB This road is signposted "OLD COLQUHON RD. <br> (other sat nav -37.74647, 148.07252). |  |  |  |
| QR Code for turnoff to SP3 <br> Google Map <br> THEN: |  | Use your smartphone camera to access the QR Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the turn-off to the spectator point from Princes Highway/A1. <br> PLEASE NOTE TO AVOID ANY RISK OF ENCOUNTERING RALLY TRAFFIC WHILE FOLLOWING THE MAP APP, STAY ON BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE OFFICIAL ROADSIDE SPECTATOR POINT SIGN BOARDS. |  |
| 0.0 | Turn towards the west onto OLD NOWA NOWA ROAD, also known as "OLD COLQUHON ROAD" |  |  |
| 0.1 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 3. Parallel park on either left or right |  | NB. Please leave access for emergency vehicles along Old Colquhoun Road. |



SPECTATOR POINT 4

What you will see here:

Return to A1 PRINCES HIGHWAY. Then

Special Stage 6 "COULSONS"
from Spectator Point 3:

Spectators will get a good view of driver's entry tactics for this corner, a fast hard right from an uphill alpine track onto a major road with a slightly uphill exit from the corner.

SPECTATOR POINT 4 SPECIAL STAGE 6 "COULSONS"
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Directions to Spectator Point 4 from Spectator point 3

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter. Turn left onto A1 PRINCES HIGHWAY. <br> CAUTION | Caution entering main road |
| 2.5 | Straight on through Nowa Nowa township | NB. Public Toilets and great <br> coffee available here. |
| 2.6 | Turn right. Stay on A1 PRINCES HIGHWAY | (C620 Bruthen Road) |
| 34.4 | Straight on through Newmeralla township | (Newmeralla) <br> Fuel, toilets, food available here |
| 38.0 | Turn left onto LOCHIEL STREET (C612) | Alpine Service park on left. Food <br> drink and toilets available |
| 38.2 | Straight on | Toilets on left |
| 38.4 | Turn right onto NICHOLSON STREET (C612) | Food and drink available next <br> 300 m. |
| 38.8 | Straight on | signpost Snowy River Country <br> Trail |
| 39.1 | Straight on (Roundabout) | 40 kph - CARE. Steep rough <br> track, watch for oncoming <br> spectator traffic |
| 39.8 | Turn right onto SCOTT STREET (C612 BONANG ROAD) | Signpost Young's Creek Picnic <br> Area |
| 46.0 | Turn right onto 4½ MILE TRACK | Bear left onto STOCK TRACK |


| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTI |  | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 49.7 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 4. U turn and $90^{\circ}$ Angle park on left |  |  |
| Alternatively, use this QR Code in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the turn-off from C612 Bonang Road/4 $1 / 2$ Mile Road then follow the route chart below <br> (other sat nav-37.651836, 148.478625). |  |  |  |
| QR Code for turnoff to SP4 <br> THEN: |  | Use your smartphone camera to access the QR Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the turn-off to the spectator point from Bonang Road C612 <br> PLEASE NOTE TO AVOID ANY RISK OF ENCOUNTERING RALLY TRAFFIC WHILE FOLLOWING THE MAP APP, STAY ON BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE OFFICIAL ROADSIDE SPECTATOR POINT SIGN BOARDS. |  |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter. <br> Turn right onto $4 ½$ MILE TRACK |  | 40 kph - CARE. Steep rough track, watch for oncoming spectator traffic |
| 1.0 | Bear left onto STOCK TRACK |  |  |
| 2.4 | Turn right onto STORERS TRACK` |  | Signpost Young's Creek Picnic Area |
| 3.7 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 3. U turn and $90^{\circ}$ Angle park on left. |  |  |

## SPECTATOR POINT 5

FIRST CAR DUE: 14.10
Special Stage 9
"BULLWINKLE"
DISTANCE
Estimated Travel Time
from Spectator Point 4:
30.5 KM

30 Minutes

What you will see here:
Halfway through the longest ( 61.4 km ) stage in this year's event. It's very fast and the roads are excellent. This SP is approximately halfway through the stage and is a fast and open $90^{\circ}$ left hander on a firm but relatively slippery road surface.

SPECTATOR POINT 5 SPECIAL STAGE 9 "BULLWINKLE"


## Directions to Spectator Point 5 from Spectator Point 4.

N.B. Zero tripmeter at the spectator point carpark then follow the route chart

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION |  | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter then return along STORERS TRACK |  |  |
| 1.4 | Turn left onto STOCK TRACK |  |  |
| 2.6 | Bear right onto $41 / 2$ MILE TRACK |  |  |
| 3.6 | Turn left onto BONANG ROAD (C612) |  | NB. Public Toilets available here. |
| 9.8 | Turn left onto NICHOLSON STREET |  |  |
| 10.6 | Turn left onto SALISBURY STREET |  |  |
| 11.8 | Turn left onto PRINCES HIGHWAY (A1) |  |  |
| 20.8 | Brodrib River Bridge. Stay on A1 |  |  |
| 27.5 | Turn Left onto MURRUNGOWER Road |  |  |
| 31.3 | Straight on |  | (Knock-Up Track) |
| 31.6 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 5. Angle park on left (4X4 only) or U-turn, then parallel park on the left side of the road to facilitate your departure |  |  |
| Alternatively, use this QR Code in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the turn-off from Princes Highway/A1 at Murrungowar Road. (other sat nav -37.68991, 148.61741). |  |  |  |
| QR Code for turnoff to SP5 <br> THEN: |  | Use your smartphone camera to access the QR Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the turn-off to the spectator point from Princes Highway/A1. (Other sat nav -37.689513, 148.617363). <br> PLEASE NOTE TO AVOID ANY RISK OF ENCOUNTERING RALLY TRAFFIC WHILE FOLLOWING THE MAP APP, STAY ON BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE OFFICIAL ROADSIDE SPECTATOR POINT SIGN BOARDS. |  |
| 0.0 | Turn left MURRUNGOWAR ROAD |  | Public Toilets available here |
| 3.8 | Straight on |  | (Knock-Up Track) |
| 4.1 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 5. Angle park on left (4X4) or U-turn, then parallel park on the left side of the road to facilitate your departure |  |  |

## SPECTATOR POINT 6

## Special Stage 12 <br> "EIGHT"

From Spectator Point 5:
From Orbost:

What you will see here:
The last Spectator point for the day, and a short sharp stage for competitors, for them the second last of the day. This will be a fast right sweeper, made deceptive and challenging for driver and navigator to set up correctly following, as it does, a blind left sweeper.

Distance
Estimated Travel Time
60 KM
45 Minutes
30 Minutes
FIRST CAR DUE: 16.50

40 км

## Directions to Spectator Point 6 from Spectator Point 5

Return to Princes Highway, Zero tripmeter.
THEN:

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Turn right onto A1 PRINCES HIGHWAY. | Toward Orbost |
| 17.0 | Straight on (Orbost) | (EG12) |
| 51.7 | Turn right onto NOWA NOWA -OLD BUCHAN ROAD | N.B. Sign says "Local Traffic Only" <br> This can be ignored, however <br> please use caution as it is a <br> narrow residential road. 50 kph <br> maximum speed please. |
| 52.2 | Keep right on bitumen | (Gorge Road) |

This is the final Spectator Point for Friday.

## Directions to return to Lakes Entrance

Return to A1 Princes Highway
THEN:

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter. Turn Right onto PRINCES HIGHWAY A1 |  |
| 24.2 | Arrive Lakes Entrance |  |
| THIS WAS THE FINAL SPECTATOR POINT ON FRIDAY. RETURN TO LAKES ENTRANCE AT |  |  |
| YOUR LEISURE. FIRST CAR IS DUE TO ARRIVE AT THE DAY'S FINAL CONTROL IN LAKES |  |  |
| ENTRANCE AT 17.02. |  |  |

THE FIRST CAR IS DUE TO LEAVE SATURDAY'S START AT ENSAY AT 10.00

| SATURDAY SPECTATOR POINT SUMMARY |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Spectator Point | Stage name | First Car Due |
| Spectator Point 7 | "Lake Omeo" | 11.44 |
| Spectator Point 8 | "Omeo Town" | 13.38 |
| Spectator Point 9 | "Bairnsdale Speedway" | 16.15 |

## It's Alpine Super Saturday!!

Saturday brings us to Omeo. High country cattlemen, farming stations and true blue hospitality is what you will come across in this hidden spot standing high in the Great Dividing Range.
The central area of Omeo township is abundant with times of yesteryear. Walk the streets and admire the heritage buildings.
Entering the region via the Great Alpine Road sets the picturesque scene of only the highest quality panoramic vistas and breath of crisp mountain air. Laced in history from gold mining to cattle grazing, the area is now a popular destination for 4wd-ing, stream fishing, mountain biking and white water rafting.

Along with the rally guide we've included some highlights along the way and some suggestions for great food and historical sights well worth a visit. Make a day of it, and see some great rally action as a bonus!

Remember, The action is on again at Bairnsdale Speedway (Spectator Point 10, directions below) starting at 16.00 this evening.

Today's spectating involves a fair bit of driving, most of it along winding bitumen roads which are double white lined for much of the way. Please be patient and drive to the conditions. There are no prizes for the first spectator to get caught up in a traffic incident.

Plan your days activities and please allow plenty of time to reach your desired destinations. Competitors are due at the day's first Spectator Point at 11.11, so start early, give yourselves some time (remember there is 126.8 kilometres to drive to Omeo) be a great ambassador for our sport and enjoy the drive.

As always, your instructions today start at the Roundabout at the western end of Lakes Entrance. You will need to head towards Bairnsdale.
These instructions will take you to the centre of Omeo, which is the reference point for directions to today's Spectator Points. You will need to return to this location after each Spectator Point.

TRAVELLING INSTRUCTIONS
FROM LAKES ENTRANCE TO OMEO

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION |  | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at roundabout. <br> Take exit towards Melbourne/Bairnsdale on A1 PRINCES HIGHWAY |  |  |
| 14.0 | Turn right onto SWAN REACH ROAD /C605 toward Bruthen |  |  |
| 27.3 | Turn right onto GREAT ALPINE ROAD /B500 toward Bruthen. |  |  |
| 30.6 | Turn left to stay on B500 toward Omeo | Bruthen. <br> (A great spot for morning tea is the Bruthen Bakery adjacent to the turnoff. Public toilets are also available here. <br> Additionally Bruthen has a great pub-try the lamb shanks! There is a a great Alpine rally friend at the Bruthen Corner Garage if you need him). <br> NB. From here you will be driving 95 km of winding road to Omeo. <br> (On the way, spot the Ensay Winery [on driver's right]. Award winning cold climate wines, why not try one for dinner tonight?). |  |
| 90.5 | Straight on | Connors Hill Lookout. <br> (One of the best views in East Gippsland,looking up the Tambo River Valley. Viewing location is on drivers right. Pease enter and exit with caution). |  |
| 100.0 | Straight on. | Swifts Creek. <br> (Poets walk - a short pleasant Walking Track, and Great Alpine Gallery nearby). |  |
| 125.5 | Straight on |  | (BiltonSt /C543) |
| 126.8 | Omeo Township Junction of B500 and TONGIO ROAD | This puts you right in the heart of Omeo and is the reference point for directions to today's Spectator Points. <br> (Golden Age Hotel, cafes, shops and public toilets are here. Omeo German Cuckoo Clock shop is nearby. The Rally Service Park is at the Omeo Recreation Reserve, where you are welcome to view the cars as the crews have a break and cars are prepared for the next division. <br> If you wish to visit the Rally Service Area, please do not park inside the Recreation Reserve as space is limited and has been reserved for competitors and service vehicles only). |  |
| Alternatively, use this QR Code in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the intersection of B500 (Named Day Avenue in Omeo Township) and Tongio Road. <br> (Other sat nav use -37.100700, 147.591010). <br> On this corner is The Golden Age Hotel, and Public toilets. It is the reference point for further directions to the Spectator points and the Rally Service Park. |  |  |  |
| QR Code for township ref <br> Google M | meo Use your <br> Direct  <br> for dir  <br> 148.6  <br>   <br>   <br>  PLEAS <br> SPECT  | Use your smartphone camera to access the Q Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the reference point for directions to all Spectator Points around Omeo. (Other sat nav -37.68991, 148.61741). <br> PLEASE NOTE TO AVOID ANY RISK OF ENCOUNTERING RALLY TRAFFIC WHILE FOLLOWING THE MAP APP, STAY ON BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE OFFICIAL ROADSIDE SPECTATOR POINT SIGN BOARDS. |  |

## SPECTATOR POINT 7

Special Stage 16 "LAKE OMEO"
From Omeo township:

SPECTATOR POINT 7 SPECIAL STAGE 16 "LAKE OMEO"
Set on the shore of Lake Omeo with panoramic views similar to New Zealand this Spectator Point gives you an opportunity to see competitors lining up and taking off from the Special Stage start 300 m away. Cars then complete a "Hook Turn" around a country roundabout purely to show off to the spectators, and then enter a fast sweeping right continuing in view around the shore of the Lake.


## Directions to Spectator Points 7 "Lake Omeo" Special Stage 16

From junction of B500/Tongio Road

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at B500/TONGIO ROAD. Travel east on B500, leaving the Golden Age Hotel behind you on your right | Note: B500 is named Day Ave as it passes through OMEO. <br> Public toilets available at this junction |
| 0.5 | Straight on OMEO HIGHWAY | (B500 Great Alpine Road) |
| 0.7 | Straight on | (Park St) Rally Service park on right. |
| 1.5 | Bear left on OMEO HIGHWAY/C543 |  |
| 4.2 | Turn right onto BENAMBRA ROAD/C545 |  |
| 9.5 | Straight on | McMillan Lookout turnoff on left. (Highly recommended view of Australian Alps) |
| 16.3 | Turn Left onto WHITES ROAD | Gravel. 50 kph please |
| 18.2 | CAUTION: BLIND CREST | Keep to left of road |
| 18.7 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 7. Park at 90 degrees to road of left hand verge | NB. Do not park across driveway on left. |

Alternatively, use the QR Code below in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the turn-off into WHITES ROAD


Use your smartphone camera to access the QR Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the Spec point.
(other sat nav -36.978734, 147.662787).
PLEASE NOTE TO AVOID ANY RISK OF ENCOUNTERING RALLY TRAFFIC WHILE FOLLOWING THE MAP APP, STAY ON BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE OFFICIAL ROADSIDE SPECTATOR POINT SIGN BOARDS.

## Directions to return to Omeo

Return to junction of Whites Road and Benambra Road/C545
THEN:

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter. Turn right onto <br> BENAMBRA ROAD/C545 | McMillan Lookout turnoff on <br> right. (Highly recommended <br> view of Australian Alps) |
| 6.8 | Straight on | (Park St) Rally Service park on <br> left. |
| 14.1 | Turn Left onto OMEO HIGHWAY/C543 |  |
| 15.6 | Straight on |  |
| 16.3 | Omeo Township. Junction of B500 and TONGIO Road |  |

Competitors have a lunch break at the Rally Service Park at the Omeo Recreation reserve. First car is due at the lunchbreak at 12.03

Spectators are welcome to view the cars as the crews have a break and cars are prepared for the next division.
If you wish to visit the Rally Service, please do not park inside the Recreation Reserve as space is limited and has been reserved for competitors and service vehicles only.

Travel time from the Service Park to the next Spectator Point (Point 8) is approximately 7 minutes.

## SPECTATOR POINT 8

FIRST CAR DUE: 13.38
Special Stage 18

## "OMEO TOWN"

Distance
Estimated Travel Time
FROM OMEO TOWNSHIP:
2.7 KM

5 Minutes

## What you will see here:

Set on a hilltop overlooking Omeo township, this Spectator point gives you the opportunity to see cars approaching uphill along a tight tricky shire road before sweeping right at the signpost around the front of Omeo's water reservoir. Incredible high-country views looking over Omeo towards Mt. Kosciuszko. Lots of space available here for spectators and only a few minutes from town.

SPECTATOR POINT 8 SPECIAL STAGE 18 "OMEO TOWN"


## Directions to Spectator Point 8 from Omeo

From junction of B500/Tongio Road

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at B500/TONGIO ROAD. Travel east on B500, <br> leaving the Golden Age Hotel behind you on your right |  |
| 0.3 | Turn right onto SEBASTOPOL HILL ROAD |  |
| 1.5 | Continue straight onto McCOY STREET |  |
| 2.7 | Park on right as directed |  |

This concludes activity at Omeo. The rally heads for Angora range via Swifts Creek. Your next opportunity to view the cars in action is at Bairnsdale Speedway. Enjoy your drive back along the Tambo River valley, directions below.

## SPECTATOR POINT 9

Special Stage 21 "BAIRNSDALE SPEEDWAY" FROM OMEO TOWNSHIP: 111 KM

From Lakes Entrance:
FIRST CAR DUE: 16.15

## Distance Estimated Travel Time

1 hour 25 Minutes
30 Minutes
What you will see here:
A firm favourite with spectators. Make a night of it and take the opportunity to see the entire field here as it is the final stage of the day. See the cars up close as they wait their turn on this short, sharp special stage in and around the Speedway. The Speedway Club is operating the canteen, and their burgers are legendary.

## SPECTATOR POINT 9 SPECIAL STAGE 21 "BAIRNSDALE SPEEDWAY"



## Directions from Spectator Point 8 to Spectator Point 9.

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Return along McCOY STREET | (Hankshaws Hill Road) |
| 1.2 | Straight on SEBSTOPOL HILL ROAD |  |
| 1.7 | Turn right BILTON STREET | At the junction of BILTON STREET and GREAT ALPINE ROAD/ <br> B500 turn right ... and zero your tripmeter again |
| 0.0 | Turn Right and Zero tripmeter. Take B500 toward <br> BAIRNSDALE. <br> Stay on GREAT ALPINE ROAD/B500 | (Bruthen-Nowa Nowa Road/ <br> C620) |
| 94.8 | Turn right. Stay on GREAT ALPINE ROAD/B500 | (Swan Reat Road/CGO5) |
| 98.2 | Stay on GREAT ALPINE ROAD/B500 | (Bullant Brewery on left) |
| 98.4 | Straight on |  |


| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 109.0 | Straight on | (Nicholls Road) |
| 110.0 | Turn right onto DEPTFORD ROAD |  |
| 111.3 | Turn right into BAIRNSDALE SPEEDWAY | CAUTION, DRIVE AT WALKING <br> PACE <br> Park on right as directed |

## If you are not coming from Omeo use these directions from Lakes Entrance to Spectator Point 9.

Use the QR Code above or the following route chart. Lakes Entrance reference point is at the roundabout at the western end of The Esplanade, junction with Bullock Island Road.

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at roundabout. <br> Take exit toward Melbourne/Bairnsdale on A1 PRINCES HWAY |  |
| 13.4 | Straight on through Swan Reach | (EG0G Metung Road) |
| 14.0 | Straight on | (EG05 Bruthen) |
| 33.0 | Turn right at roundabout onto B500 Omeo Orbost |  |
| 34.1 | Straight on at roundabout Stay on B500 | CAUTION, PROCEED AT WALKING <br> Park on right as directed |
| 48.9 | Turn left onto DEPTFORD ROAD | Turn right into BAIRNSDALE SPEEDWAY |



Directions to Return to Lakes Entrance from Spectator Point 9 (Bairnsdale SPEEDWAY)
Return to B500 GREAT ALPINE ROAD. Zero tripmeter
THEN:

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| ---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Turn right onto GREAT ALPINE ROAD/B500 |  |
| 6.0 | At the roundabout take the first exit PRINCES HIGHWAY A1 |  |
| 40.0 | Arrive Lakes Entrance |  |

This was the final Spectator Point on Saturday. Return to Lakes Entrance at your leisure. First car is due to arrive at the day's final control at the completion of the Special Stage at Bairnsdale Speedway at 16.08.

The first car is due to leave Sunday's start at Lakes Entrance at 09.00


Geoff Portman in ‘Grunter’, 1978


The famous 'IYK' in the 1977 Alpine


Hugh Bell always put on a show for the spectatorsPic by Lyndon Mechielsen


1929 Alpine winner, Arthur Terdich, on left

## ALPINE 22-SUNDAY 4 DECEMBER SPECTATOR POINTS 10, 11, 12 AND 13



SUNDAY SPECTATOR POINT SUMMARY

| SPectator Point | Stage name | First Car Due |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| SPectator Point 10 | "Seven Mile" | 09.33 |
| SPectator Point 11 | "Moonlight" | 10.20 |
| SPectator Point 12 | "Ash Range" | 11.42 |
| Spectator Point 13 | "Bruces" | 13.45 |

## SPECTATOR POINT 10

Special Stage 22
"SEVEN MILE"
from Lakes Entrance:

FIRST CAR DUE: 09.33

Distance Estimated Travel Time 45 KM<br>35 Minutes

What you will see here:
Another favourite spectator point over the last few Alpines. Competitor's cars approach this location over a slight crest along a fast, wide forest road before turning almost 90 degrees right. This location provides great viewing opportunities as many of the trees opposite the main spectating area have recently been logged, creating a clear line of sight of oncoming competitors.

SPECTATOR POINT 10 SPECIAL STAGE 22 "SEVEN MILE"



Directions to Spectator Point 10 from Lakes Entrance:
Lakes Entrance reference point is at the roundabout at western end of The Esplanade, junction with Bullock Island Rd.

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at roundabout. <br> Head East toward Orbost / Nowa Nowa on A1 PRINCES HIGHWAY/ESPLANADE | PROCEED WITH CAUTION THROUGH LAKES ENTRANCE. OBEY ALL SPEED LIMITS. |
| 2.0 | Straight on A1/ESPLANADE (Myer St) Traffic Lights |  |
| 23.9 | Turn left onto C620 BRUTHEN - NOWA NOWA ROAD | toward BRUTHEN |
| 30.6 | Turn right onto BRUTHEN-BUCHAN ROAD C608 |  |
| 41.1 | Turn right onto NOWA NOWA-BUCHAN ROAD | Gravel Road. 50 kph limit please |
| 44.4 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 10. U-turn then parallel park on left to facilitate your exit. |  |

Alternatively, use this QR Code in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the turn-off from BruthenBuchan Road /C608.
(Other sat nav use -37.625810, 148.111210)
QR Code for turnoff to SP 10


Use your smartphone camera to access the Q Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the turn-off to the spectator point.

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## THEN

| 0.0 | Turn to the south-west onto NOWA NOWA-BUCHAN ROAD | Gravel Road. 50 kph limit please |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 3.3 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 10. U-turn then parallel park on left to facilitate your exit. |  |

## SPECTATOR POINT 11

Special Stage 23
"MOONLIGHT"
From Spectator Point 10:

## What you will see here:

This point has been used a few times before in both directions. It's a long way to go in getting there but will reward those who make the commitment. Cars approach along a track with lots of rocky outcrops then turn hard left into a steep but fast downhill section along Old Mill Road.


Directions from Spectator Point 10 to Spectator Point 11
Return to C608 Bruthen -Buchan Road (3.3km from Spectator Point), THEN:

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION |  | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter and turn left toward Bruthen. |  | C608 |
| 10.4 | Turn right onto BRUTHEN-NOWA NOWA ROAD / C620 |  |  |
| 26.7 | Turn right onto DEAD HORSE CREEK ROAD |  | Gravel Road. 50 kph limit please |
| 28.7 | Straight on |  | (P-Pot Track) |
| 29.0 | Straight on |  | (Hambrooks Track) |
| 29.9 | Keep right |  | (Evans Track) |
| 31.2 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 11. Angle park on left or U-turn then parallel park on road verge. |  |  |
| Alternatively, use this QR Code in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the turn-off from BruthenNowa Nowa Road/ C620. <br> (Other sat-nav use -37.725740, 147.886730) |  |  |  |
| QR Code for turnoff to SP 11 <br> Google Map <br> THEN |  | Use your smartphone camera to access the Q Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the turn-off to the spectator point. <br> PLEASE NOTE TO AVOID ANY RISK OF ENCOUNTERING RALLY TRAFFIC WHILE FOLLOWING THE MAP APP, STAY ON BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE OFFICIAL ROADSIDE SPECTATOR POINT SIGN BOARDS. |  |
| 0.0 | Turn to the north-west onto DEAD HORSE CREEK ROAD |  | Gravel. 50 kph limit please |
| 2.0 | Straight on |  | (P-Pot Track) |
| 2.3 | Straight on |  | (Hambrooks Track) |
| 4.2 | Keep right |  | (Evans Track) |
| 4.4 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 11. <br> Angle park on left or U-turn and parallel park on road verge. |  |  |

## Directions to Spectator Point 11 from Lakes Entrance:

Lakes Entrance reference point is at the roundabout at western end of The Esplanade, junction with Bullock Island Rd.

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter at roundabout. <br> Head West toward Swan Reach on A1 PRINCES HIGHWAY |  |
| 13.4 | Turn left onto METUNG ROAD C606. <br> Then IMMEDIATELY Turn right onto TAMBO UPPER ROAD |  |
| 28.5 | Turn right onto C620 BRUTHEN - NOWA NOWA ROAD | toward Nowa Nowa |
| 32.2 | Turn left onto DEAD HORSE CREEK ROAD |  |
| 34.3 | Straight on | (P-Pot Track) |
| 34.5 | Straight on | (Hambrooks Track) |
| 36.4 | Keep right | (Evans Track) |
| 36.6 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 11. <br> Angle park on left or U-turn and parallel park on road verge |  |

Special Stage 24 "ASH RANGE" Distance Estimated Travel Time From Spectator Point 11: 16 km

## What you will see

 here:Cars arrive at this hard to see turn right after several kms downhill along the very fast and flowing Engineers Road, their brakes should be glowing red at this point. They have to make a very long right turn across a gutter into the much narrower Pipe Dump Road.


## Directions from Spectator Point 11 to Spectator Point 12.

Return to C620 Bruthen-Nowa Nowa Road (7.9km)
THEN:

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION |  | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter and turn right toward Bruthen on C620. |  | CAUTION WHEN TURNING ONTO MAIN ROAD |
| 5.7 | Turn right onto GREAT ALPINE ROAD B500 |  |  |
| 8.3 | Turn Left onto ENGINEERS ROAD |  | Residential area. 50 kph limit please. |
| 8.9 | Straight on |  | (Brookes Road) |
| 10.3 | Bear left |  | (Marten Road). Caution Gravel |
| 11.5 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 11. U-turn then parallel park on Left. |  |  |
| Alternatively, use this QR Code in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the turn-off from B500 Great Alpine Road. <br> (Other sat nav use -37.68643, 147.84087) |  |  |  |
| QR Code for turnoff to SP 12 <br> Google Map <br> THEN |  | Use your smartphone camera to access the Q Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the turn-off to the spectator point. <br> PLEASE NOTE TO AVOID ANY RISK OF ENCOUNTERING RALLY TRAFFIC WHILE FOLLOWING THE MAP APP, STAY ON BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE OFFICIAL ROADSIDE SPECTATOR POINT SIGN BOARDS. |  |
| 0.0 | Turn Left onto ENGINEERS ROAD |  | Residential area. 50 kph limit please. |
| 0.6 | Straight on |  | (Brookes Road) |
| 2.0 | Bear left |  | (Marten Road). Caution Gravel |
| 3.2 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 11. U-turn then parallel park on Left. |  |  |

SPECTATOR POINT 13
Special Stage 26 "BRUCES"
from Spectator Point 12:

## SPECTATOR PoINT 13. SPECIAL STAGE 26 "RRUCES"

What you will see here:

The final stage of the event and a new take on this popular location. It's your last chance to cheer on the field from a number of great viewing positions. This is an open, fast right hander which then tightens up, crews will be keen to get this right and put on a show with the event finish line almost in sight

FIRST CAR DUE: 13.45
Distance Estimated Travel Time
16 KM 20 Minutes


## Directions from Spectator Point 12 to Spectator Point 13

Return to B500 GREAT ALPINE ROAD. (3.2km) Remember, Speed Limit is 50kph. THEN:

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION |  | ADVICE/INFORMATION/SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter and turn right toward Bruthen on B500. |  | GREAT ALPINE ROAD |
| 2.6 | Turn left onto BRUTHEN-NOWA NOWA ROAD/C620 |  |  |
| 10.3 | Turn Right onto BRUCE ROAD |  | Gravel Road. 50 kph limit please |
| 12.8 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 13. U-turn then parallel park on Left. |  |  |
| Alternatively, use this QR Code in your Smartphone Google map app to direct you to the turn-off from BruthenNowa Nowa Road. <br> (Other sat nav use -37.73019, 147.90763) |  |  |  |
| QR Code for turnoff to SP 13 <br> Google Map <br> THEN |  | Use your smartphone camera to access the Q Code to Google maps. Tap the Directions button in Google Maps, and it will guide you to the turn-off to the spectator point. <br> PLEASE NOTE TO AVOID ANY RISK OF ENCOUNTERING RALLY TRAFFIC WHILE FOLLOWING THE MAP APP, STAY ON BITUMEN UNTIL YOU SEE OFFICIAL ROADSIDE SPECTATOR POINT SIGN BOARDS. |  |
| 0.0 | Zero tripmeter and turn south onto BRUCE ROAD |  | Gravel . 50 kph limit please. |
| 2.2 | Straight on |  | (Seaton Traek) |
| 2.5 | You have arrived at Spectator Point 13. U-turn then parallel park on Left. |  |  |

This was the final Spectator Point of the 2022 Lock and Load Transport Alpine Rally of East Gippsland. Thank you for your patronage. Return to Lakes Entrance at your leisure. First car is due to arrive at the gala finish IN LAKES ENTRANCE AT 13.43.

## Directions from Spectator Point 13 to Event Finish at Lakes Entrance：

Retrace your route along BRUCE ROAD（ 2.6 km ）to the junction at C620 BRUTHEN NOWA NOWA ROAD．Enjoy a lovely scenic drive returning to Lakes Entrance by following the route chart：

Zero your tripmeter，THEN

| DISTANCE | INSTRUCTION | ADVICE／INFORMATION／SIGN |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0.0 | Turn left onto BRUTHEN NOWO NOWA ROAD C620 | Note：Do NOT turn right to use Lakes Colqhuhuon Road to return to Lakes．This road is closed to public traffic at two places and is also part of the Transport section for the event． |
| 5.6 | Turn left onto TAMBO UPPER ROAD |  |
| 20.7 | Turn left onto METUNG ROAD then IMMEDIATELY turn right onto onto A1 PRINCES HIGHWAY | CAUTION：Main highway junction |
| 34.2 | Straight on at Roundabout on A1 The Esplanade |  |
| 35.0 | Fan Zone and Rally finish is on your right．Join us and celebrate the winners and the event． |  |

## SAFE SPECTATORS

 ALWAYS．．．ALWAYS．．．Stay alert at all times and always expect the unexpected！
ALWAYS．．．Listen for approaching cars．
ALWAYS．．．．View the event from the specified areas only．
ALWAYS．．．Leave yourself and others room to move away quickly．
ALWAYS．．．Keep children under CLOSE supervision at all times．
ALWAYS．．．．Obey the instruction of officials，whatever they may want！
ALWAYS．．．Know that the unexpected can and does happen at any time．
ALWAYS．．．．Protect themselves， those around them，other people＇s property and the wildlife and flora．

## SAFE SPECTATORS <br> NEVER．．．

NEVER．．．View the event from prohibited areas．
NEVER．．．Stand or sit close to the edge of the road．
NEVER．．．．Stand or sit below the level of the road or in gutters or culverts．
NEVER．．．Stand in a run
off area or an escape route．
NEVER．．．Sit in a location
which is at the same level or lower than the competition cars．
NEVER．．．．Interfere with or stand in front of any rally signage．


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| Car No | Driver | Co-driver | Car |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Nathan Quinn | Ray Winwood Smith | 1970 Mazda RX2, White |
| 2 | Brendan Reeves | Kathryn Catford | 1972 Datsun P510, White |
| 3 | Jack Monkhouse | Dale Moscatt | 1973 Datsun 180B SSS, Blue |
| 4 | Luke Sytema | Tracey Dewhurst | 1975 Ford Escort RS1800, Blue / White |
| 5 | Andrew Travis | David Travis | 1984 Nissan Gazelle, White |
| 6 | Carl Stewart | Matthew James | 1971 Datsun1600, Blue/Yellow |
| 7 | Ryan Smart | Brad Jones | 1979 Datsun Stanza, White |
| 8 | Adrian Stratford | Rachael Manning | 1985 Toyota Corolla, White/Red/Black |
| 9 | Claude Murray | Lizzy Ferme | 1972 Datsun P510, White |
| 10 | Clay Badenoch | Catriona Kelly | 1979 Toyota Celica, White |
| 11 | Alan Friend | Michelle Canning | 1985 Nissan Silvia, White/Red/Blue |
| 12 | Ryan Williams | Larisa Biggar | 1981 Datsun Stanza, White |
| 13 | Bryan Van Eck | Jim Gleeson | 1999 Toyota Altezza, Blue |
| 14 | Jeff Davies | Logan Waterhouse | 1970 Datsun1600, white |
| 15 | Lee Peterson | Mitchell Newton | 1994 Nissan Sunny GTi, White blue red |
| 16 | Tony Sullens | Andrew Crowley | 1986 Toyota Sprinter, White |
| 17 | Darkie Barr-Smith | Jono Forrest | 1972 Ford Capri Perana, White |
| 18 | Michael Valantine | Tim Valantine | 1980 Datsun Stanza, White |
| 19 | Thomas Clarke | Ryan Preston | 1981 Datsun Stanza, White |
| 20 | Craig Aggio | Megan Byrne | 1978 Toyota KE30, White |
| 21 | Steven Porter | Tony Robinson | 1981 Mazda Rx7, Silver |
| 22 | Stephen Duthie | Damien Hanns | 1975 Datsun 180B SSS, White |
| 23 | Michael Conway | Jennifer Cole | 1976 Ford Escort, Black/White |
| 24 | Neil Schey | Scott Middleton | 1985 Ford RS2000, Blue |
| 25 | Joel Wald | Cathy Elliott | 1979 Datsun Stanza, White/Red/Blue |
| 26 | Phil Thomas | Alex Gelsomino | 1975 Ford Mk2, Green and black |
| 27 | Cody Richards | Darren Lee | 1976 FORD ESCORT MKII, WHITE |
| 28 | Jack Wightman | Steve Beaufoy | 1975 Datsun 280Z, Red |
| 29 | John Purshouse | Murray Hynes | 1980 Datsun Stanza, White |
| 30 | Kevin Millard | Patty Hughes | 1968 Datsun1600, White |
| 31 | Peter Schey | Christopher Schey | 1973 Ford RS1600, white |
| 32 | John Black | Chris Black | 1972 Datsun1600, white |
| 33 | Jesse Robison | Troy Hutchins | 1981 Datsun Sunny, White |
| 35 | Jason Sims | Ken Moore | 1976 Datsun 180b, White/Blue |
| 36 | Matthew Ruggles | Guyi Ruggles | 1980 Triumph TR7 V8, Blue |
| 37 | Nathan Senior | Anna Ritson | 1998 BMW 318ti, Silver |
| 38 | Tim Sullivan | Deborah Saltmarsh | 1986 Suzuki Swift GTi Mk1, Green/Yellow |
| 39 | Stuart Lawless | Darcy OConnor | 1980 Ford Escort, Blue |
| 40 | David Officer | Kate Officer | 1970 Mitsubishi Colt Galant, White |
| 41 | Brett Wright | Robert Edwards | 1994 Holden VR Commodore, white |
| 42 | Matt deVaus | Bill Hamilton | 1976 Peugeot 504 Coupe, White |
| 43 | John Ludlam | Michael Wood | 1970 Datsun1600, Yellow |
| 44 | Andy Pierce | Seb Pierce | 1986 Nissan Silvia, White |
| 45 | Andrew Penny | Todd Satchell | 1981 Nissan 240rs, White/blue/red |
| 46 | Chris McCormack | Blake McCormack | 1982 Toyota Celica/Supra, white |


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| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 47 | Rob Hunt | Jeremy Browne | 1981 Datsun Stanza PA10, White / Red/ Blue |
| 48 | Grant Heywood | Paul Kent | 1971 Datsun 1600, green |
| 49 | Paul Eccles | Tom Ruessman | 1984 Mazda RX7, Orange |
| 50 | Trevor Stilling | Jon Thomson | 1980 Datsun Stanza, White |
| 51 | Warren Lee | David Lethlean | 1980 Ford Escort, Black/Green/White |
| 52 | Steve Marron | Ben Marron | 1973 Mitsubishi Galant, Blue |
| 54 | Keith Fackrell | Claire Buccini | 1976 Ford Escort, Blue |
| 55 | Aiden Peart | Kim O Halloran | 1975 Datsun 260Z, Maroon |
| 56 | Andrew White | David Hahn | 1991 Nissan Silvia S13, Blue |
| 57 | Tony Jordan | Richard Davidson | 1974 Triumph Stag, Gold |
| 58 | Tristan Carrigan | Neill Woolley | 1999 Mitsubishi Magna, Gold |
| 59 | Tod Reed | Lucas Reed | 1967 FORD XT GT, SILVER |
| 60 | Braeden Kendrick | Emma Kendrick | 1985 Holden VK Commodore, Blue |
| 61 | Darren Crozier | Michelle Crozier | 1996 Suzuki Baleno, Yellow |
| 62 | Eoin Moynihan | Ben Richards | 1978 Ford Escort, White |
| 63 | Jamie Lawson | Darryl OBrien | 1992 Holden Commodore, Grey |
| 64 | Mike Bailey | Ian Whitehead | 1965 Ford Lotus Mk1 Cortina, white green |
| 65 | David West | Mike Gigney | 1977 Mitsubishi Lancer, Yellow |
| 66 | David McDonough | TBA | 1984 Opel Manta 400, White |
| 67 | Graham Symons | Anthony Staltari | 1982 Nissan Stanza, White |
| 68 | Wayne Morton | Kirra Penny | 1982 Toyota corolla, white |
| 69 | Jake Bramble | Michael Bannon | 1968 Datsun1600, White |
| 70 | Andrew Murdoch | Kelvin North | 1988 Nissan Skyline, Grey |
| 71 | David Lawrance | Darren Davison | 1971 Datsun1600, White |
| 72 | Mark Beard | Hugh Taylor | 1973 Datsun 1200 Coupe, Black |
| 73 | David Wilson | Craig Whyburn | 1987 Toyota Corolla, white |
| 74 | Gary Kendrick | Ron Gottschalk | 1978 Holden Commodore, White |
| 75 | Ross Stapleton | Peter Ellis | 1969 Datsun1600, Blue |
| 76 | Michael Ward | Pete Hellwig | 1976 Toyota Corolla, White |
| 77 | David McKenzie | Ewan McKenzie | 1973 Mitsubishi Galant, Blue/yellow |
| 78 | Geoffrey Hale | Jenny Pollock | 1977 Volkswagen Golf, Orange |
| 79 | Denise Collins | Tania Wearing | 1995 Honda Civic, Red |
| 80 | Paul Lahiff | Matt Kirby | 1999 Toyota Altezza RS200, White |
| 81 | Peter Houghton | Phillip Bonser | 1970 Datsun1600, Blue |
| 82 | David Bond | Jason Hague | 1975 Ford Escort RS, White |
| 83 | Andrew Taylor | Michael Stanbrough | 1981 Datsun Sunny, White/Black |
| 84 | Campbell Waller | Mark Weatherstone | 1978 Toyota Corolla KE35, Black |
| 85 | Brett Schumacher | David Stephens | 1970 Ford Escort, White |
| 86 | Ian Curry | Sarah Curry | 1969 Datsun1600, White |
| 87 | Murray Rogers | Darren Wythe | 1983 Holden Commodore, Purple |
| 88 | Michael Trucano | Heli Thaw | 1979 Datsun Sunny, Blue |
| 89 | Lance Rippon | Paul Loughnan | 1991 Toyota Levin, White |
| 90 | Ian Martin | Stephen Young | 1978 Datsun BB1 Stanza, Black |
| 91 | Robert Dyer | Steven Oake | 1997 Peugeot 306 s 16, white |
| 92 | Matthew Jones | Shannon Jeffries | 1980 Ford Escort MK2, Black |


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| 93 | Russell Hocking | Jayden Hocking | 1997 Ford Falcon，white |
| 94 | Gary Carruthers | Stuart Carruthers | 1967 Ford Falcon XR GT，White |
| 95 | Tony Huggins | Matthew Burke | 1972 Datsun1200，White |
| 96 | Laurie Pelech | Russ Day | 1984 Mitsubishi Sigma，Blue |
| 97 | Stephen Vass | Steven Crawford | 1970 Datsun1600，Yellow |
| 98 | Mitchell Fleming | Elliot Matin | 1993 Holden VR Commodore，White |
| 99 | Don Lake | Jason Lake | 1998 Hyundai Excel，blue |
| 100 | Robert Cranston | Peter Canals | 1985 Toyota Celica RA65 GT，Blue／Silver |
| 101 | Anthony Fleming | John Patterson | 1975 Datsun 180B，White |
| 102 | Terry Gunter | Stephen Newell | 1976 Ford Escort Mk2，White／Blue |
| 103 | Owen O Hehir | Kevin O Connor | 1979 Ford Escort，Red |
| 104 | Kim Winks | Kate Ballard | 1985 Toyota Celica，Red |
| 105 | Neil Taylor | David Ambrose | 1979 Datsun Stanza，Cream |
| 106 | Andrew Myers | Chris Storer | 1971 Datsun1600，RED |
| 107 | Lochlan Reed | Brittney Draper | 1998 Proton Satria，Blue |
|  | Reserves |  |  |
| 108 | Gerry Bashford | Bob Watson | 1972 Ford Escort Mk 1 Mexico，Red |
| 109 | Brett Middleton | Andrew Benefield | 1996 Honda Civic VTiR，white |
| 110 | Ross Yendle | Regan Yendle | 1978 Ford Escort，White |
| 111 | Kim Harper | Lee Harper | 1970 Ford Escort Mk 1 BDG，White |
| 34 | Ian Swan | Val Swan | 1975 Volvo 242DL，Blue |
| 112 | Greg Hannah | Jacqui Collihole | 1981 Hold Commodore，Yellow |
| 113 | Darryn Snooks | Michael Foreshew | 1979 Datsun Stanza，Red／White／Blue |
| 114 | Roy Brock | Teana Brock | 1981 Datsun Stanza，Red White Blue |
| 115 | Steve Forsberg | Kaitlyn Forsberg | 2003 Nissan 350z，silver |
| 116 | Neil Cuthbert | Sue Cuthbert | 1979 Datsun 200B，Blue |
| 117 | Robert Gorst | Joanne Gorst | 1971 Datsun P510，White |

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