

# **2017 Class Structure**



## All Cars - general

The 2017 MSA Time Attack Championship is open to cars of any recognised manufacture or body profile which are, or have previously been, available as a production vehicle. All cars must retain the original chassis/bodyshell, except Pro Extreme, where the silhouette of the bodywork must resemble that of a recognisable production car above the waistline. Any modifications to the chassis/body must be submitted for pre-approval by the Championship Scrutineer Single-seaters and open-wheeled vehicles are not permitted. Commercial vehicles and kit cars will only be permitted at the Organiser's discretion.

## **Club Classes**

## Clubman and Clubman+

An entry-level category for mildly modified cars and ideal for those used for trackdays. The class is split into Clubman for lower-powered and Clubman+ for higher-powered cars.

## **Pocket Rocket**

A class for smaller cars and hot hatches that were originally fitted with an engine no bigger than 1750cc or less. Capacity can be increased if the OE engine is retained. Tuner modifications are allowed.

#### Club

The most popular level of competition for cars that are tuner modified to a certain level. The class is split into three categories: 2WD and 4WD.

## **Pro Classes**

#### Club Pro

For more modified cars and those with sequential gearboxes, but running on treaded road-based tyres in the dry. Racing wets may be used. The class is split into two categories: 2WD & 4WD.

#### Pro

For highly modified cars. Racing slicks and wets can be used. The class is split into two categories: 2WD & 4WD.

## **Pro-Extreme**

As long as it's based on a production model, almost anything goes! The class is split into two categories: 2WD & 4WD.

#### Classic & Retro

This class is for cars that are 25 (or more) years old. Regulations according to the Club and Pro classes apply. Classes are defined when the technical specification of the cars running is known.

#### **Tyres**

Club and Club Pro classes will use tyres from the Pirelli Trofeo R range, with Pro and Pro Extreme classes able to use Pirelli racing slicks. There are exceptions for wet conditions and for cars that require a unique size of tyre that cannot be supplied by Pirelli.



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## **Minimum Requirements & Options**

Compulsory = C Recommended = R Optional = O Not Allowed = X						
Safety	Clubman Classes	Pocket Rocket & Club Classes	Club Pro, Pro & Pro Extreme Classes	Notes		
Race suit - MSA specification	С	С	С	See MSA year book: Club classes: K 9.1.4 / Pro Classes: K 9.1.1		
Helmet - MSA specification	С	С	С	See MSA year book K 10.2.1 (a)		
Race boots - MSA specification	С	С	С	See MSA year book K14.3 (d)		
Race gloves - MSA specification	С	С	С	See MSA year book K14.3 (e)		
FHR device	R	R	С			
MSA/FIA rollcage	R	R	С	Compulsory for soft top cars in all classes		
Door bars	R	R	С	Compulsory in Club classes if doors are changed or lightened		
Race seat	R	С	Х			
MSA race seat	R	R	С	Must be in date		
4 point harness	С	С	Х			
5 point harness	R	R	С	Must be in date		
1.75Ltr FOAM fire extinguisher	С	С	Х			
Plumbed in fire extinguisher 2.25 Ltr	R	R	С			
External circuit breaker / cutout	R	R	С			
Towing eyes	С	С	С			
Engine firewall - steel	С	С	С			
Boot firewall - steel	С	С	С	Not required if no part of the fuel / oil / fluid system is in the boot		
2-litre capacity oil breather catch tank	С	С	С	Unless OE system is retained		
Exhaust silencers - 105Db maximum	С	С	С			
Headlights/indicators/brakelights	С	С	С	All lights must be working and effective		
Rear rain/fog lamps	С	С	С	Cartek rear warning lamp will double as rain/fog light		
Cartek rear warning lamp	R	С	С	Except Clubman Classes and 1st time Single Round Entries		
Windscreen wipers/washers	С	С	С			

Other items				
MSA national b 'non race' licence	С	С	х	
MSA national b 'race' licence	0	0	С	
Passenger seat	С	С	С	Not required in Pro Extreme
Bonnet pins	0	0	С	Compulsary if catch is removed or non-standard bonnett is fitted
Replacement bonnet/boot	Х	0	0	
Replacement doors	Х	0	0	
Carbon roof	Х	0	0	
Tuner Aero	Х	0	0	See championship regulations for full details
Flat floor	Х	Х	0	
Laminated windscreen	С	С	С	
Polycarbonate windscreen	Х	Х	0	Min 4mm thick - Pro Extreme ONLY
Polycarbonate windows	Х	0	0	
Mirrors - door & interior	С	С	С	May be replaced with racing mirrors
Bio ethanol or mixed methanol	Х	Х	0	See regulations regarding fuel usage
Nitrous oxide	Х	Х	0	See regulations regarding fuel usage
Exhaust silencers - 105Db maximum	С	С	С	
Sequential gearbox	Х	Х	0	Eligible in Club Classes if car has OE sequential-type gearbox
Dog gearbox	Х	0	0	
Full dashboard	С	С	0	
Dashboard top	Х	Х	С	Not required in Pro Extreme
Carbon disks	Х	Х	0	
Pirelli Trofeo R tyres	С	С	0	
Pirelli Racing Slick and Wet tyres	Х	Х	0	Club Pro to use Trofeo R and Wet race tyres

Please note: Details regarding the above points can be found in the Technical section of the 2017 Championship Regulations, which should be referred to in all cases.

 $\textbf{Classic \& Retro:} \ \textbf{Follow the above requirements depending on category.}$