



The Springs Driving Challenge Classes as follows:

• **Standard** • **Locked** • **Extreme**

Open to all road registered vehicles (unregistered vehicles incur a \$25.00 per day surcharge). All Extreme class must have a winch or a point penalty may occur. The stages will be made up of driving and practical stages.

- All stages will be varied with a major emphasis on safety.
- Both the Driver and Co-driver must hold a current drivers licence.
- Driver and Co-driver must wear helmets.
- Seatbelts must be worn by both the driver and co-driver whilst in the vehicle.
- Co-Driver and driver must wear gloves when outside of the vehicle.
- All Vehicles must have a spare tyre, wheel brace and jack. Snatch strap, 2 bow shackles. Fire extinguisher.
- Winch vehicle 2 x winch cable dampener, 1 x snatch block, 2 x tree trunk protector, 1 x winch extension strap.
- Window nets or windows up
- Co-Driver must be in the vehicle at the start of each track and at the finish.
- You can use whatever rocks and logs that are around you for stacking.
- All competition sites and camp grounds are to be left clean.
- Alternating between driver and co-driver for any stages is not permitted. Unless approved by Springs staff.
- The stages can be marked by pegs, bunting, cones or a track.
- All driver and Co-drivers are required to have a blood alcohol reading of zero during competition.
- A maximum of 3 attempts will be allowed at each obstruction. After that it will be classed as DNF.
- Any designated winch stages must be winched even if you think it is driveable. Non-winch vehicles will have a side track with penalty points applied.
- Centre of the rear wheels must be pasted any point's cone or pegs to get the points.
- The Vehicle may not touch cones, bunting, pegs.
- Moving vehicles are not allowed to be touched by anyone.
- Competitors that engage in abusive, obscene language or improper behaviour towards themselves, other competitors, land owners, officials, or spectators they will be disqualified from the event.
- The Marshals decision is final. Competitors arguing with marshals will receive a point penalty.
- Drivers and co-drivers must remain at the holding area with their cars. Both the driver and co-drivers are not permitted to look at the track before starting the track.
- A 5km/h speed will be enforced throughout all the camping areas and stages. A 20km/h for all the rest of the tracks. A penalty will be given if anyone is caught speeding.

COME. PLAY. STAY.

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- No competitor shall interfere or tamper with any other competitor's vehicle.
- The only people permitted on the tracks are the marshals and the driver and co-driver of the competing team.
- The organisers reserve the right to refuse entry, without giving any reason.
- The organisers reserve the right to cancel, postpone the event without notice.
- The organisers reserve the right to exclude any person or vehicle, which fail to meet the event guidelines.
- The Springs 4x4 Park, officials, and landowners will not be held liable in any accident, causing injury or damage to the competitors or their vehicles during the event.
- The competitors must agree to and sign an indemnity form before starting the event.

Points will be deducted as follows:

Reverse/rollback	15
Cones/pegs	30
Bunting	30
Seatbelts	50
Touching a moving vehicle, co-driver touching or holding bunting to improve line or more vehicle room	50
Excessive wheel spin after warning	50
Unsafe winching or recovery	50
1st warning	100
2nd warning per stage - Outside assistance	100
Prohibited behaviour	100
Speeding	200
Arguing with marshals/staff (this includes at sign in)	200

Special points will be given to special tasks on some stages.

Price: \$130.00* that includes park entry from Friday afternoon till Sunday afternoon, camping for the competing vehicle (if co-driver comes in separate car they will be charged normal park fees.) To enter on the day will be 150.00.

Extra fees apply for unregistered vehicles.

These fees above are if the competing car supplies a Marshall. If no Marshall supplied then an extra 20.00 applies. Marshalls can be anyone but children need to be over 10. They should only need to Marshall one track for the weekend (if everyone supplies a Marshall) this is to give our normal Marshalls a break.

Unregistered vehicles incur an additional cost of \$25 per day.

* These fees above are if the competing vehicle supplies a marshal. If no marshal supplied, then an extra \$20 applies. Marshall can be anyone but children need to be over 10 years of age. They should only need to marshal one track for the weekend. (if everyone supplies a marshal) this is to give our normal marshals a break.

Vehicle specifications all classes

- Soft top vehicles must be fitted with rollover protection.
- Fully operational restraint systems

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- Headlights, tail lights, indicators, stop lights and reversing lights must be in working order.
- No bump steer or skid steer permitted.
- Front and rear recovery points
- No agricultural type tyres or tyre chains are allowed.
- Body lift permitted.
- Springs lift permitted.

Standard Class

- No diff locks allowed
- No tyre bead locking devices allowed.
- No Wheel spacers. • Standard spring and diff mounting points only.
- Maximum tyre size 33"
- Maximum 2" lift

Locked Class

- Maximum tyre size 35"
- Maximum 4" lift
- No wheel spacers
- Standard spring and diff mounting points only
- Diff locks permitted
- Body lift permitted
- Reduction gears allowed
- Wheel spacers allowed
- Bead locking devices allowed

Extreme Class

- Diff locks permitted
- Dual transfer cases allowed
- Reduction gears allowed
- Bead locking devices allowed
- Wheel spacers allowed
- Exo cage allowed
- Diff and spring no limit
- Drop shackles allowed
- Hydro assist steering allowed
- Must have a winch

**** PLEASE NOTE WE DO ALLOW CARS TO COMPETE OUTSIDE OF THESE SPECS - YOU MAY INCUR A PENALTY . IF YOU ARE UNSURE PLEASE ENQUIRE****

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