



## BATTLE OF THE BELTS SERIES ADDITIONAL SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

Sanctioned by the Jamaica Millennium Motoring Club and held under the FIA International Sporting Code including Appendices and under the National Competition Rules of the JMMC. This event is open to all members in good standing with the JMMC and its affiliate Clubs.

**Permit #: JMMC2024-0013DR**

NAME OF EVENT	Battle of the Belts 2
DATE	Sunday June 9, 2024
LOCATION	Vernamfield, Clarendon
ENTRIES OPEN	Sunday June 9, 2024 (8:00am)
ENTRIES CLOSE	Sunday June 9, 2024 (11:00am)
TECH INSPECTION	Sunday June 9, 2024 (8:00am-12:00pm)
DRIVERS MEETING	Sunday June 9, 2024 (11:15am)
EVENT SCHEDULE	Testing, Sunday June 9, 2024 (10:00-12:00 pm) Eliminations, Sunday June 9, 2024 (12:00pm) Elimination Done by Random Selection pairs. Grudge races after Elimination finals END OF EVENT 5:30 pm
TYPE OF EVENT	¼- MILE Drag Racing
LICENSE REQUIREMENTS	JMMC License/Single-Event Permit
ENTRY FEES	\$12,000.00 JMD
TROPHIES	Sunday June 9, 2024 6:00 pm @Venue
RESULTS	Will be available within 30 minutes after completion of Finals
OFFICIAL NOTICE BOARD	At the registration tent
LATE ENTRIES	Will be considered at the discretion of the Organizer

### **Event Officials**

ORGANIZER	Brian Clough (516) 403-7564
CLERK OF COURSE	Oliver Villiers (876) 848-2263
CHIEF STEWARD	Chressmore White (876) 383-5656
STEWARDS	Kenneth Timmol (876) 893-6555 Tear Andreson (876) 469-0486
SCRUTINEER	Robert Barker (876) 403-8513
AMBULANCE	Medicare Ambulance Service
TRACK LENGTH	¼ Mile (1320 feet)
STARTER	Adam Toyloy (876) 541-4174
TRACK SURFACE	Concrete



## INSURANCE

Thwaites Finson & Sharp

### **1. Safety Regulations:**

- All drivers **MUST** wear helmets and seatbelts when racing.
- All drivers **MUST** wear long pants and closed footwear. No slippers/sandals.
- All vehicles **MUST** be equipped with a fire extinguisher.
- All vehicles **MUST** have all wheel lugs and battery securely mounted.
- Cracked windshields are **not** allowed.
- Roll cages mandatory for vehicles quicker than 9.99 or exceed 135mph
- All applicable JMMC-registered Drag Racing safety regulations apply.

### **2. Entry:**

- Each driver **MUST** have a valid JMMC License/Single-Event Permit.
- JMMC License/Single-Event Permit available online at <https://jamaicamotorsports.com/licences/>
- Each racer will receive one (1) armband upon registration.

### **3. Race Classes:**

- Front Wheel Drive Class, all motor & nitrous oxide.
- Front Wheel Drive Class, turbocharged.
- All Wheel Drive vs Rear Wheel Drive Class
- Outlaw Class

### **4. Race Pair Establishment:**

- Maximum 32 vehicles in each class. First 32 cars to register will fill each respective class.
- Races will run based on a standard 32-car ladder.
- Starting and timing by electronic equipment.
- Drivers will randomly draw poker chips to determine race pairings.
- Each class has different coloured poker chips.
- All poker chips are numbered, from 1 to 16.
- Driver pairing is established when two drivers draw chips with the same number.
- Chip number determines order of races in the first round.
- Chip type determines lane choice. Solid colour chips are right lane, multi-colour chips are left lane.

### **5. Awards:**

- Belts and Payout will be awarded for 1st place in each class.
- Each class winner will receive an additional four quarts of VP oil.



**Please ensure all participants adhere to these rules for the safety and fairness of the race event.**

#### **EVENT HEALTH AND SAFETY STATEMENT:**

The purpose of this plan is to meticulously coordinate the Battle of the Belts race event, ensuring its smooth and safe execution while delineating clear roles and responsibilities. Emphasis is placed on effective contingency measures to swiftly address any emergent situations. Recognizing the paramount importance of collaboration, the event organizers are committed to closely liaising with the May Pen Constabulary Force and May Pen Fire Station, facilitating seamless communication and dissemination of critical health and safety information throughout all stages of the event. It is imperative that all stakeholders, including contractors and third-party entities involved in event planning and execution, adhere rigorously to the prescribed health and safety management protocols. A designated individual will oversee the monitoring and evaluation of contractors and third parties, ensuring steadfast adherence to pertinent health and safety standards throughout the event's entirety.

#### **PREVENTION OF CRIME & DISORDER:**

The event site will be enclosed within a secure perimeter enforced by the May Pen Constabulary Force police patrols to ensure the safety of all attendees. Access to the event is exclusively granted through the purchase of a ticket, and attendees must acknowledge and adhere to the event's terms and conditions upon ticket purchase. Entrance points will be closely monitored by the May Pen Constabulary Force personnel, who reserve the right to deny admission to individuals found in breach of these terms and conditions. To further ensure safety, ticket holders and their belongings may be subject to search by the police team. Adequately staffed with trained personnel, the police team will be operational within the event site, with continuous monitoring to deter criminal activities and maintain order. Any instances of criminal behavior will be promptly addressed, with offenders either apprehended or removed from the premises. Disorderly conduct will result in ejection from the event, and a strict no-readmissions policy will be enforced for such individuals. Effective communication, facilitated by a two-way radio system utilized by both police and event management teams, will enable swift responses and facilitate the dissemination of pertinent information, contributing to the overall security and well-being of all participants.

#### **PUBLIC SAFETY**

Ensuring public safety remains our top priority for the Battle of the Belts management team. It is our utmost concern to provide attendees with a secure and enjoyable experience. The event



site has been meticulously planned to accommodate the anticipated number of occupants comfortably, with ample exit width to facilitate safe emergency evacuation if necessary.

To address medical needs, we have partnered with Accident & Emergency Medical Services LTD, a specialized event medical provider. They will furnish medical provisions and infrastructure, including an onsite treatment facility equipped to handle minor injuries and triage for more serious cases. Should hospital transport be required, Accident & Emergency Medical Services LTD will arrange for patients to be transported via private ambulance to a local medical facility.

Furthermore, we are committed to providing essential amenities for attendees, including adequate toilet facilities, sanitation stations, and options for purchasing food and beverages.

Our aim is to ensure the well-being and satisfaction of all attendees throughout the event.

## **FIRE SAFETY**

**To mitigate fire risks, we have implemented the following measures:**

- Collaborating closely with local emergency services through coordinated planning.
- Providing adequate fire extinguishers strategically placed throughout the event site.
- Deploying trained security personnel and event stewards who are proficient in the use of fire extinguishers and familiar with their locations.

## **PROHIBITED ITEMS**

For the safety and security of all attendees, the following items are strictly prohibited from being brought into the event:

- Illegal Substances and New Psychoactive Substances (Legal Highs)
- Animals, with the exception of assistance dogs, are not permitted within any areas of the site.
- Dangerous or hazardous items such as firearms, knives, scissors, flares, and fireworks.
- Any other items not explicitly listed but deemed unsafe or posing a risk to public safety and/or security.

All prohibited items found on individuals will be confiscated by venue Security and Stewards prior to entry into the event. Confiscated items and any other deemed inappropriate for admission will either be disposed of by gate staff or returned to vehicles by owners.

Please note there will be no managed deposit and reclaim facility or luggage storage area at the event. All items are left at the owner's risk, with no guarantee of reclaiming items after the event. Unclaimed items will be disposed of, and neither the Event organizer nor the Police Force employed will accept responsibility for any loss or damage to items left by owners.



Notices detailing the prohibited items and terms of disposal will be prominently displayed at entrance points to the Event for attendees' awareness and compliance.

### **PREVENTION OF PUBLIC NUISANCE**

The Battle of the Belts organizer is dedicated to hosting an event that minimizes impact on the surrounding area, local community, and nearby residents. Recognizing the potential for noise disturbance, our event management team has opted for a bus sound system for announcements. Additionally, we have carefully planned early event finish times to mitigate noise disturbances for residents. These early finish times are also synchronized with overall plans to facilitate the smooth departure of attendees, ensuring they can easily access public transport connections.

Our team is committed to maintaining cleanliness and orderliness both within the event site and its immediate vicinity. Adequate waste management and cleaning operations will be in place to address any concerns promptly. Furthermore, the provision of sufficient temporary toilets will effectively eliminate any potential nuisances stemming from inadequate facilities.

To minimize disruptions to the local road network and its users, proactive traffic management measures will be implemented. Our goal is to ensure that any impact on the local community is kept to an absolute minimum.

### **BATTLE OF THE BELTS EVENT SCHEDULE**

<b>Sunday February 25, 2024</b>	
6:00am	Vendors Registration, Drivers Registration
8:00am	Gates Open, Ticket Purchase
9:00am	Vendors Registration Closed
9:45am	Driver's Meeting, random drawing of poker chips
10:00am	Testing
11:00am	Drivers Registration Closed
12:00pm	Elimination Rounds 1, 2 & 3 (All Classes)
TBA	Lunch Break
TBA	Semi-Finals & Finals
5:00pm	TRACK CLOSED End of events
5:30	Award Ceremony





## VENUE AND SITE DESIGN

The primary access points for both vehicles and pedestrians will be via the Cooks Gate to Prides Main Road. Throughout the event, all entrances and exits will be overseen by police officers, well-lit, and clearly signposted with unique identifiers. These references, accurately depicted on site plans within the event control, facilitate effective communication and are also provided as an annex to this document.

The design of the event site has been meticulously crafted, considering various factors such as site topography, emergency vehicle access, audience ingress and egress, circulation patterns, queuing management, viewing areas, and emergency evacuation protocols. In the event of a medical emergency, the nearest Accident and Emergency department is located at May Pen General Hospital in Denbigh, May Pen, Clarendon. Fire and Rescue services can be accessed at Brooks Avenue, May Pen, while the Police Station is situated at Duke Street, May Pen.

Additionally, designated parking lots will be available to the east and west of the main entrance for attendees' convenience. For a detailed overview of the different areas and facilities, please refer to the attached diagram.



## VERNAMFIELD

### BATTLE OF THE BELTS LAYOUT



#### KEY

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|----------------------|---------------------|------------|
| Controlled Entry     | Spectator Zones     | Lavatories |
| Food & Beverage Area | Parking             |            |
| Medic Response       | Sanitation Stations |            |



## SECURITY

The May Pen Constabulary Force has been entrusted as the stewarding and security authority for this event. Their primary responsibilities include crowd management, static guarding of entrances and gates, and conducting entrance searches. Additionally, they stand ready to assist other emergency services as needed.

The roles and responsibilities of the police personnel are as follows:

- Providing attendees with information regarding the site layout
- Managing vehicle parking and traffic flow
- Controlling access to restricted areas, permitting only authorized pass holders
- Monitoring and reporting on crowd densities and behavior
- Ensuring the welfare of attendees and identifying signs of distress or anxiety
- Assisting with evacuations, if required, and being vigilant for suspicious activity
- Collaborating with the Police and other emergency services as directed

Deployment and numbers of police are determined through a comprehensive site survey conducted by the Event Management Team and the May Pen Constabulary Force. Police numbers are based on a risk assessment, considering various factors such as mandatory positions, previous experience of similar events. The police will be strategically positioned at key locations including spectator viewing areas, competitor pit area, concession area, entrances, and exits.

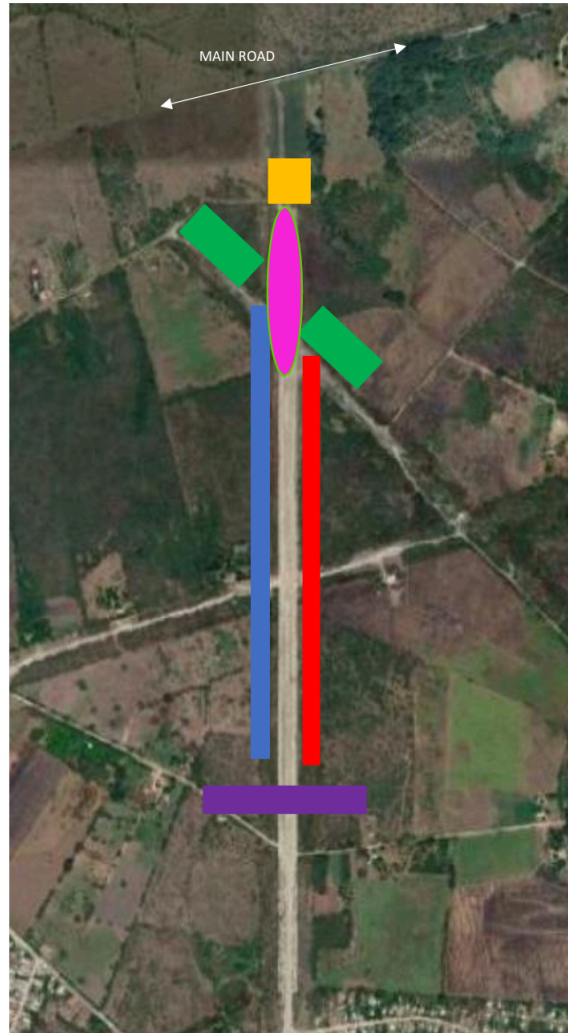
The allocation of the police will be made with careful consideration of their specific roles and duties. For further details, please refer to the diagram illustrating security posts and monitoring.











## VERNAMFIELD

### BATTLE OF THE BELTS - SECURITY DETAILS



#### KEY

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|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|  Entrance gate security |  East Bound Security |
|  Parking security       |  West Bound Security |
|  South Bound Security   |  Roaming Security    |

**Note: Each area will have armed police officers**



## **POLICE & SECURITY ORGANIZATION**

- A structured chain of command will be established prior to the event.
- The Constable will coordinate with the Event Management Team, Safety Advisor, and JCF Commander.
- Police officers in supervisory roles, overseeing different areas, will report directly to the Constable.
- Other police personnel will report directly to the supervising officers.

## **POLICE & SECURITY CONDUCT**

**All police officers will be physically fit and prepared to fulfill their assigned duties. While on duty, they will:**

- Focus solely on their assigned tasks, refraining from distractions such as personal mobile phone use.
- Remain at their designated posts unless granted permission to leave.
- Abstain from consuming alcohol or drugs, ensuring they remain clear-headed and alert.
- Maintain a calm and respectful demeanor when interacting with the public and event attendees.

A comprehensive register of all on-duty police officers will be maintained onsite. Prior to the event, all officers will receive thorough briefings on their respective roles and responsibilities from the Constable. Additionally, the Event Management Team will conduct periodic checks to ensure officers are positioned appropriately and provide further guidance if needed.

## **POLICE COMPETENCIES**

**Key duties and competencies of the police officers include:**

- Understanding their overarching responsibility for the safety and well-being of all attendees, including individuals with disabilities, fellow officers, event staff, and themselves.
- Conducting pre-event safety assessments and checks.
- Familiarizing themselves with the operation of fire extinguishers.
- Having a comprehensive understanding of the event site layout and its facilities, enabling them to assist attendees with inquiries regarding first aid stations, restrooms, etc.
- Managing entrances, exits, and other critical points to facilitate smooth crowd flow throughout the venue.



- Identifying and addressing crowd conditions to ensure safe dispersal and prevent overcrowding.
- Maintaining clear pathways and exits at all times to facilitate safe event operations.
- Investigating and managing any disturbances or incidents that may arise.
- Preventing the accumulation of combustible waste to minimize fire hazards.
- Responding promptly to emergencies, alerting appropriate personnel, and taking immediate action as necessary.
- Being well-versed in evacuation procedures and fulfilling designated responsibilities during emergencies.

### LEAVING THE EVENT/ ALTERNATE ROUTES FOR WESTERLY TRAFFIC

The deployment of road signage is underway to facilitate traffic heading westward via the Milk River main road to Tollgate, utilizing the route through St. Jago Road.

