

TARGA

TOUR HANDBOOK



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This handbook outlines the requirements and rules of TARGA and serves as a guide for those wishing to participate in a TARGA Tour.

DISCLAIMER

This handbook does not supersede any civil requirements/regulations, and compliance with any such provisions is the responsibility of the participant. It is the responsibility of the participant to ensure that at all times they conform to the TARGA Tour Regulations and their vehicle maintains legal roadworthiness.





LICENCE REQUIREMENTS

- Both driver and navigator/co-driver must hold a current full driver's licence and a Motorsport Australia Speed Licence. This allows either crew member to drive the vehicle during the event.
- The holder of a Motorsport Australia "Navigator only" licence, will not be permitted to drive on any TARGA stages during the event. The minimum age for this licence is 14 years old.
- A provisional driver's licence may be accepted on application to the organisers provided that a suitable level of driving experience has been achieved.
- Prior to applying for a Motorsport Australia Speed Licence, you will need to become a member of a Motorsport Australia affiliated car club, which you can search for via this link: <https://motorsport.org.au/clubs>.

For any licence enquiries please call Motorsport Australia Member Services on 1300 883 959 for assistance.

INSURANCE

• Public Risk Insurance

TARGA is covered by public risk insurance as part of our Motorsport Australia Insurance Policy. Participants/crews are liable for all property damaged caused, however TARGA will make a claim on the participants behalf for all damage cause over and above the excess of \$10,000.

• Personal Accident Insurance

TARGA is covered by personal accident insurance as part of our Motorsport Australia Insurance Policy. Participants/crews are responsible for paying all medical expenses resulting from an accident. In most circumstances, some of these expenses will be reimbursed via an insurance claim sent to the Motorsport Australia office. It is recommended participants are covered by an Ambulance fund.

• Vehicle Third Party Insurance

Each vehicle must carry third party insurance, which is normally issued with registration papers. Proof of cover is required to be presented at documentation (registration papers or temporary permit). Owners of vehicles registered in Queensland are required to obtain a special extension of their third-party insurance for the period of the event from their third party insurer. Proof of this extension must be presented at documentation.

VEHICLE SIGNAGE

TARGA will supply all compulsory event decals, including door panels and event sponsor decals, at documentation. These must be attached to the vehicle as per the issued instructions.

VEHICLE REQUIREMENTS

TARGA Tour vehicles must be roadworthy at all times and fitted with the following equipment:

- Two Safety Triangles
- First Aid Kit
- At least one tow point - either front and/or rear
- Full-Face FIA Approved helmets must be worn by participants/crews on TARGA Stages in all open top vehicles (if the vehicle has a roof, it must be closed on all TARGA stages)
- Full-Face Helmets are NOT to be worn in closed top vehicles to avoid increased risk of neck injuries through the possible deployment of on-board air bags and/or sudden movement of the head in the absence of harnesses
- Tyres must be road legal for use in Australia (no slicks allowed)
- Optional - 1kg fire extinguisher
- **Vehicles do not require a roll cage, race seats or harnesses**

VEHICLE TRANSPORTATION

• TARGA Tasmania

Spirit of Tasmania - 1800 635 877

• All other TARGA events

For our Great Barrier Reef and High Country events, you may require vehicle transportation to event. Please make your own arrangements or contact CEVA Logistics for more information.

E: RAPT@cevalogistics.com T: (08) 8348 5888

CLOTHING REQUIREMENTS

Participants must wear neck to wrist to ankle cover with closed flat shoes whilst driving through TARGA stages - clothing of synthetic materials are not permitted.

ALCOHOL BREATH TESTING

Breath testing of participants/crews will take place throughout the event. Any participant with a positive reading above 0.01mg/100ml may be retested after 15 minutes. During this time, the participant must not consume any substance by mouth until after the second test. If, after the second test, the participant is still found to have a reading above 0.01, the participant/crew will not be allowed to take part in any driving on the leg in which the participant returned a positive reading and a further penalty as high as disqualification may be imposed by the stewards. Initial testing will be carried out by a TARGA appointed official and if a retest is required, this will be carried out by local Police or a Motorsport Australia Certified and Accredited Testing Officer (CATO) appointed by TARGA.

MAXIMUM SPEED

Speed is limited to a maximum of 120km/h, irrespective of the road being closed to public traffic. Participants are not permitted to 'drop back' and then accelerate at high speed.

RALLYSAFE EQUIPMENT

In order to monitor the speed and track vehicle positioning during the event, the fitment of RallySafe equipment to each tour vehicle is mandatory. All RallySafe units are fitted at documentation.

ROAD BOOKS

Road books, which provide comprehensive details of the course, will be issued to participants/crews at documentation. The use of Safety/Pace Notes is prohibited. Participants/crews found using Safety/Pace Notes will be excluded from the TARGA Tour immediately. It is important that the participants/crews are able to read a road book, particularly on touring stages.

TOWING

An on-course towing service is provided, which will pick your vehicle up in the case of an accident or breakdown and return it to the starting point of the day. There is a shuttle bus provided to bring you back too.

ACCOMMODATION & MEALS PACKAGES

If simply entering a TARGA event, accommodation and meals (other than lunch, which is provided on course by TARGA) are the responsibility of the participants. TARGA can provide a full package experience to enable you to simply turn up with your vehicle and enjoy your TARGA experience to the full. Don't hesitate to get in touch for more information about our package options.

LUNCH

TARGA provides lunch each day of the event, which is included in the entry fee. Dietary requirements can also be catered for with advance notice.

COURSE

Travelling along the same route as the rally competitions, the TARGA Tour is run in packs of up to twelve vehicles and led by our experienced TARGA Tour leaders. The TARGA Tour leaders are there to assist your driving experience and place you in groups with similar TARGA Tour participants.



CONTACT DETAILS

For further enquiries and to enter a TARGA Tour, please email us at enquiries@targa.com.au

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Make sure you tag is in your photos, we we can see all the special moments from your TARGA adventure!

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