



AUGUST 2019 Newsletter



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Thanks to *ALAN HOWATSON* for updating the club logo.



Lewie Cameron's Land Rover on the peat above Gairloch.

Photo: LEWIE CAMERON

PLEA to Clerks of the Course - please write competitors' FIRST and LAST NAMES and VEHICLE TYPE / COLOUR / CLASS on score sheet, and send a photo of the sheet to Linton, so he can include WHO ATTENDED, VEHICLE TYPES, + SCORES in the newsletter. Thanks

THE COMMITTEE

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Also Committee Members without portfolio: Andrew Maclean,
Frank Spencer (01479 831609, 07518 749587), Lewie Cameron (07746 522855).

THE NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING WILL BE
September 3rd, 2019, 7.30 pm (1930 hours) at CHIEFTAIN Hotel, Inverness.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS - 2019

Month	Trial Site	COC 1	COC 2	SCRUTINEER
Aug 18 th	Laggan	Daniel Watson		
Sept 29 th	Dores		Stewart Meikle	
Oct SAT 26 th	Tordarroch			
Nov 24 th	Kinreve	Lewie Cameron		



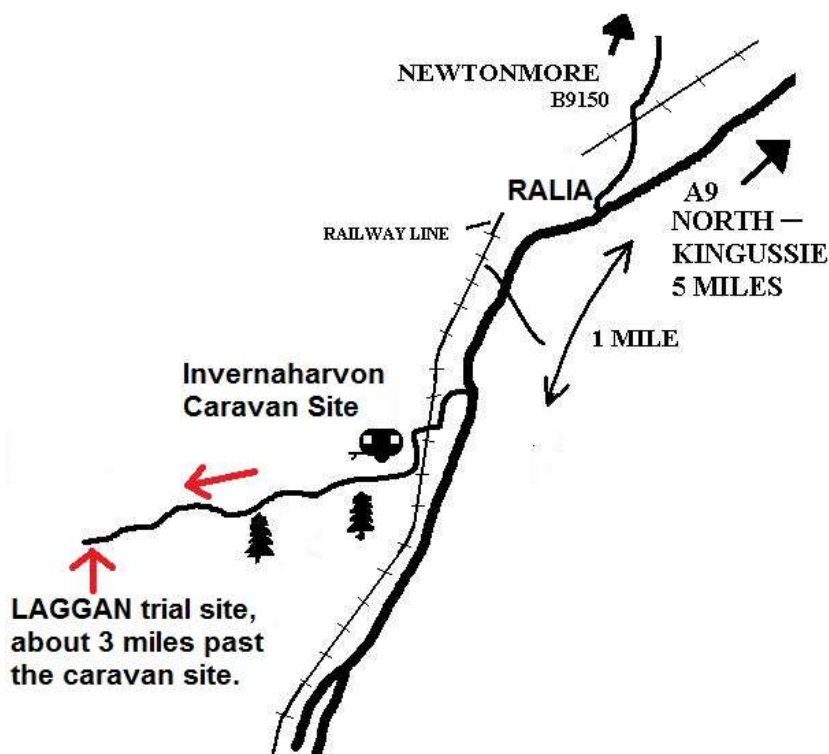
Names and Venues to be confirmed

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4X4 TRIAL SUPPLEMENTARY REGULATIONS

1. The H4WDC will promote a cross country Vehicle Trial on **SUNDAY 18th August**.
The event will be held entirely on private land at **LAGGAN**.
2. The meeting will be governed by the General Regulations of the RACMSA LTD (incorporating the provisions of the International Sporting Codes of the FISA), these regulations + any written instructions the Club may issue for the event.
3. MSA permit has been granted. **PERMIT No: 114147**
4. The event is open to all fully paid up members of the H4WDC and BORDC.
5. Competitors must produce a valid club membership card and sign on. Club membership number must be displayed on participating vehicles.
6. The program of the meeting will be as follows:
 - (a) **Scrutineering starts at 09:15 hrs**
 - (b) **Competitors not signed on by 09:45 hrs may be excluded from the event.**
 - (c) **First vehicle starts at 10:00 hrs**
7. Vehicles will fall into classes as per club rules i.e. SWB and LWB. Vehicles may enter into one class only. Starting order on sections will be as per Club Rules. Competitors may be split up into 2 groups.
8. All vehicles must comply with MSA Technical Regulations.
Passengers may only be carried in accordance with Rule H. 11.3.2.
9. The entry fee is £15 per competitor. All entries must be made on the official entry form and accompanied by the appropriate fee. All officials must also sign-on on the official signing on sheet.
10. The secretary for this meeting is: **Elaine Smith**.
11. The maximum entry for this meeting, incl reserves, is 40 and the minimum is ten. Should the minimum figure not be reached, the organisers have the right to cancel the meeting.
12. Other officials are:
Clerk(s) of the course: Daniel Watson
Scrutineers and Club Marshals: Non-competing / attending Committee Members
13. Results will be available after the competitor completes each section by simply asking the scoring marshal. Results of the event will be published in our monthly newsletter.
14. Any protests must be lodged in accordance with 0.5.1.

Next EVENT - 1 **LAGGAN TRIAL** **SUNDAY 18th AUGUST**



Directions: Follow the A9 south past Aviemore and Kingussie, pass the Nuide trial site, pass the snowgates and Ralia.

Take the next small road on the right signposted for Glen Truim and a caravan park.

Carry on up this wee road for approx. 3 miles and the trial site is on the right.

Grid ref NN660 935.

Postcode PH20 1BT will get you close.

WHITEBRIDGE (July 28th) WRITE UP – by RORY

Photo: Colin Morrison showing the boys how it's done! Photo by **RORY**



8 entries.

Top three all on full points (15 punches found)

☺ Keith Robertson

☺ DJ Daughtrey

☺ DJ Gilpin

A very boggy site saw 8 competitions search for 15 punches set out on the hill. With a few recoveries most people had found most of them but only a couple finding all of

them.

A new, keen member to the club as well. Thanks to all for coming along

Many thanks to Rory, Clerk of the Course, and to landowner Mr John Rule.

GAIRLOCH (July 6th / 7th) WRITE UP – by LEWIE

Our annual weekend away to Gairloch was once again met with many challenges, mainly bogs, but that's what makes it enjoyable for all and lets us show our capabilities off road!

From winching to towing everyone showed great team effort and that's what's great about the H4WDC! It's a weekend we all enjoy and make the most of, from off roading to the drinking and dancing afterward I think it's safe to say everyone had a great time and thanks all for coming and making it a fantastic weekend once again!

Cheers, Lewie

P.S I think you'll be able to tell it's the wife that wrote this and not me!

Many thanks to Lewie, and to other committee members, for organising the club's annual Gairloch weekend get together.

JULY NEWSLETTER:

Sorry to say that no July newsletter was produced, due to lack of contributions. Thank you to Rory and Lewie for their contributions to this month's issue.