

2019 Autosport International BTRDA Clubmans Rallycross Championship in partnership with Toyo Tires calendar revealed

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The 2019 Autosport International BTRDA Clubmans Rallycross Championship in partnership with Toyo Tires will consist of eight events run over six weekends.

The BTRDA season will start at Blyton on Sunday March 24th where it will make the first visit of two forming rounds 1 and 4 in the Championship.

The Championship's traditional visits to the Pembrey Circuit, will see two double header weekends in May (Rounds 2&3) and August (Rounds 5&6) utilising the new for 2019 Rallycross layout, and will no doubt feature a large contingent of drivers from across the Irish Sea.

Round 7 of the Championship and coming on the back of an extremely successful event in 2018, the championship go to the home of Rallycross, the Lydden Hill Circuit in Kent which is bound to see the biggest entry of the season.

The final round of the Championship probably see's the biggest surprise addition, but a very welcome one with the return of the Knockhill circuit which will be used for the first time since 2014. Some would say it is arguably the 'best' Rallycross Circuit in the UK and with upgrades planned before the event, it's sure to be a great addition to the season. With a lack of available noisy days at the Croft Circuit an alternative venue had to be sought for the DDMC run end of season event and Knockhill was a logical choice. Rallycross returning to Knockhill is part of a long term agreement which will see the circuit used as the final round of the championship not only in 2019 but also 2020.

"We are delighted to be hosting Rallycross again at Knockhill. It will be five years since we last hosted it and we know the track will be a fitting and exciting for the drivers and the Scottish fans will love to see its return after so long" said Stuart Gray, Director of Events and Marketing

The Championship boasts a calendar which has well spread out events with a great mixture of venues and layouts set to challenge every driver.

"I'm extremely pleased to be able to present a calendar which will see the Championship visit all corners of the UK and see's the welcome return of Rallycross to the Knockhill Circuit. Autosport International and Toyo Tires return in 2019 along with a great mix of social media coverage and TV broadcasting. The Championship will be officially launched at the Autosport International in January and with the expected new drivers, new cars, new circuits its shaping up to be a bumper year," said Championship Manager John Rook

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➤ Round 1	Sunday March 24 th	Blyton Park Circuit
➤ Rounds 2 & 3	Saturday and Sunday May 18 th /19 th	Pembrey Circuit ***
➤ Round 4	Sunday June 30 th	Blyton Park Circuit
➤ Rounds 5 & 6	Saturday and Sunday August 10/11 th	Pembrey Circuit ***
➤ Round 7	Saturday September 28 th	Lydden Hill
➤ Round 8	Sunday October 20 th	Knockhill ***

(Inc Test & Practice day Saturday 19th October)

Championship notes:

- 8 Round Championship, best 7 scores to count
- *** These rounds also include the Clubmans 4X4 Category
- ** **Round 8**, the final round must be used as a championship score and cannot be used as a dropped score
- Clubmans 4x4 championship consists of 5 rounds, best 4 score to count
- **All details remain provisional pending publication of championship regulations.**

In addition to the above the BTRDA RX Championship will also be supporting;

- **Sunday February 17th – Blyton Park/MDA Rallycross Test Day**
- **Sunday October 6th – MDA Rallycross Championship Event Blyton**
- **Saturday October 19th – Knockhill Circuit Rallycross Test Day**