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International Rally of TSUMAGOI

RALLY GUIDE 1

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For official rules and regulations, please refer to 2023 FIA APRC Rally Regulations, 2023 FIA Regional Rally Regulations, 2023 JAF Domestic Competition Rules, 2023 JAF All Japan Rally Championship Unified Rules, 2023 JAF All Japan Rally Championship Unified Rules, Rally of Tsumagoi 2023 Supplementary Regulations and Official Notices.

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Name of Event	Rally of Tsumagoi 2023
Title of Competition	2023 FIA APRC ASIA RALLY CUP
(tentative)	2023 FIA INTERNATIONAL JAPAN SUPER RALLY
Prestige of the competition	FIA-approved international rating FIA approval number 2023- JAF-approved Domestic rating JAF approval number 2023-.
Dates of Event	Friday-Sunday, 3-5 February, 2023
Type of Rally	Special Stage Rally
SS Course	Snow covered (including icy snow surfaces)
Overview	
Distance & number of SS	Total SS distance: approx. 60.68km Number of SS: 11

Organisers	JAF-accredited club Toyota Motor Sports Club (TMSC) (tentative) JAF member club Jyoshu Auto Club (JAC) JAF member organisation NPO M.O.S.C.O (MOSCO) Rally of Tsumagoi 2023 Organising Committee
Co-organisers Supported by	Tsumagoi Village · Tsumagoi Village Motorsports Promotion Organisation
Cooperated by (tentative)	Gunma Prefecture KIT Service Company, CARROSSER, CINQ, Gunma Naganohara Police Station, Gunma Prefecture Nakanojo Civil Engineering Office Tsumagoi Village Council · Tsumagoi Village Chamber of Commerce and Industry · Tsumagoi Village Tourism Association · Baragi Kogen Tourism Association Asama Kogen Tourism Association · Kanazawa Onsen Tourism Association · Manza Onsen Tourism Association · Hotel Karuizawa1130 Royal Blue Golf Resort · JMRC Kanto Rally Committee · JMRC Gunma Rally Committee · JMRC Saitama Rally Committee - etc.

1.1 About Rally of Tsumagoi 2023

Rally of Tsumagoi is the 17 years 4WD vehicle speed rally competition which will be held in Tsumagoi Village located in north-west Gunma Prefecture where the most highland cabbages are produced in Japan. Rallies can be held in all weather conditions, but a winter rally on snow and ice is a rare event in Japan.

Tsumagoi Village has many closed snowy roads during the winter. A rally event was first held in 2007 as “BICC Snow & Ice Rally 2007” in order to make effective use of these roads and to revitalise the local areas by welcoming many visitors to the village as well as to enhance understanding of motor sports among locals.

In 2008, the name of the event was changed to ‘BICC Rally of Tsumagoi’, and since 2012, ‘JAF East Japan Rally Championship’ has been a part of the event. In 2016, the event was upgraded to one of the few international class rally events in Japan with a new name ‘FIA International Rally of Tsumagoi.’ One of the factors behind the successful continuation of the event over the years is the full partnership with Tsumagoi Village. They have been supporting the even by clearing snow on the SS roads which requires a great deal of work, and what not.

However, the 2020 event was cancelled due to damages to the roads in the village by Typhoon No. 19, which caused extensive damage throughout eastern Japan, and the 2021 and 2022 events were cancelled at the last minute to prevent spread of COVID-19.

Now we are planning to hold Rally of Tsumagoi 2023 as the opening round of 2023 FIA APRC Asia Cup, 2023 Japanese Rally Championship and Japan Super Rally. We will be waiting for your entry.

Rally of Tsumagoi Organising Committee



1.2 Venue: Tsumagoi Village

Tsumagoi Village is located in the north-west of Gunma Prefecture, bordered on the east by the towns of Naganohara and Kusatsu, and on the west, south and north by Nagano Prefecture. The outer periphery of the village, except for the eastern part, is a part of 2,000 meter-high mountains such as Mt. Asama, Mt. Yunomaru, Mt. Azuma (Mt. Shiazan) and Mt. Shirane, forming the Great Dividing Range of Japan.

Agatsuma River flows from west to east through the centre of the village, and most of the communities are scattered along the river. The geology is mostly volcanic ash soil with corrosive soils, making the area suitable for highland vegetables, and in particular, the amount of highland cabbages produced is the largest in the country. The climate is characterised by a large daily temperature difference. The highlands are cool even in summer with the average yearly temperature around 8°C. Low temperature and humidity make the village ideal for summer retreats, and the Asama Plateau area has recently come into the limelight as a major holiday resort.

The name of the village 'Tsumagoi' is originated to an ancient story. During the eastern expedition of the 12th Emperor Keiko's son, Yamatotakeru no Mikoto, his beloved wife Ototachibana-hime threw herself into the sea to calm anger of the god of the sea. On his way back home, he stopped at Usuhizaka (today's Torii Toge) and mourned for his deceased wife saying "Azumahaya (Oh my love, miss you so much)."

Tsumagoi Village is also the birthplace of motor sports in Japan. In 1955, after the chaos of postwar period, the first All Japan Endurance Motorcycle Race (Asama Kogen/Asama Volcano Race) was held as the first big event in Japan, with 19 manufacturers and 81 units participating, on public roads in Tsumagoi Village. In 1957, the second event took place at Asama circuit (Asama Kogen Automobile Test Course). The "Asama" race, which continued until 1959, produced many famous riders and drivers, and our rally event has used the roads used for public road races as liaisons as well as the Asama Circuit, which only partially remains, as the SS.

Based on these histories, the Tsumagoi Village Motorsports Promotion Organisation was established in 2009, with the mayor of Tsumagoi Village as its rep and with the participation of various departments of the village office, tourism-related groups and organisations involved in motor sports in the village. The aims of organisation are; to develop sound motor sports, to enhance safe driving techniques and morals, to tackle environmental issues through various project, and to pursue a new way of motor sports from its birthplace in Japan while contributing to regional revitalisation and improved traffic safety.



2nd Asama Volcano Race in 1957



Mitsubishi Colt 1000F high-speed driving test in



2014 Montre in Tsumagoi Asama Stage



Kenjiro Shinozuka and Kumagawa Village Mayor



SS in 2018 rally event

◆◆◆◆ 2. Contact Details ◆◆◆◆

2.1 Administrative Office

Rally of Tsumagoi Administrative Office (c/o MOSCO Takasaki Office)

2458-13 Kurgano-cho, Takasaki, Gunma 370-1201

Tel: +81 27-386-4365 / Fax: +81 27-386-4375

Website: <http://www.rally-tsumagoi.com>

E-mail: office@rally-tsumagoi.com

2.2 Rally HQ

Royal Blue Golf Resort

1832-1 Ohira, Ohzasa, Tsumagoi Village, Agatsuma District, Gunma 377-1613

Tel: +81 27 386 4365

Website: <https://www.bcm-co.jp/rbgr>

2.3 Media Office and Registration Process

Media Office (c/o MOSCO Takasaki Office)

2458-13 Kurgano-cho, Takasaki, Gunma 370-1201

Tel: +81 27-386-4365 / Fax: +81 27-386-4375

E-mail: media@rally-tsumagoi.com

Pre-registration is required to cover the Rally of Tsumagoi. Pre-registration is accepted from Monday, 19 December, 2022 through Monday, 9 January 2023 on the media page of the Rally of Tsumagoi website.

2.4 Organisers

Toyota Motor Sports Club (TMSC) (JAF Approved Club 13001) Tentative

Toyota Kudan Building B1, 2-3-18 Kudan Minami, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 102-0074

Tel: +81 3-3221-9950 / Fax: +81 3-3221-9924

Website: <http://toyota-motorsports-club.jp/>

Jyoshu Auto Club(JAC ,JAF affiliated club 10003)

128-2, Kamishobayashi-cho, Ota-city, Gunma 373-0024

Tel: +81 276-25-0114 / Fax: +81 276-25-6996

NPO M.O.S.C.O (MOSCO, JAF member organisation 10003)

96-5 Imai, Tsumagoi-mura, Agatsuma-gun, Gunma 377-1521 (Headquarter)

Tel: +81 279-97-4382 / Fax: +81 279-97-4382

Website: <http://www.n-mosco.com> / E-mail: office@n-mosco.com

2.5 Senior officials & Competition officials (tentative)

Event Senior Officials

Honorary Chairman	Ichita Yamamoto	(Governor of Gunma Prefecture)	
Honorary Adviser	Keiji Furuya	(Member of the House of Representatives)	
Honorary Adviser	Yuko Obuchi	(Member of the House of Representatives)	
Honorary Adviser	Hiroyoshi Sasagawa	(Member of the House of Representatives)	
Honorary Adviser	Toshiro Ino	(Member of the House of Representatives)	
Honorary Adviser	Hirofumi Nakasone	(Member of the House of Councillors)	
Honorary Adviser	Wataru Hagiwara	(Gunma Prefectural Assembly member)	
Honorary Adviser	Michitaka Iriuchijima	(Gunma Prefectural Assembly member)	
Honorary Adviser	Yukio Tsuchiya	(Chairman of Tsumagoi Village Council)	
Event Chairman	Sakae Kumagawa	(Mayor of Tsumagoi Village - Chairman of Tsumagoi Village Motorsports Promotion Organisation)	
Event Advisor	Kenjiro Shinozuka	(Rally driver - Advisor to Tsumagoi Village Motorsports Promotion Organisation)	
	Eishi Watanabe	(Chairman of Tsumagoi Village Commerce and Industry)	Michio Okamura (Chairman of Tsumagoi Village Tourism Association.)
	Yuichi Kuroiwa	(Head of Barragi Plateau Tourist Association)	Tetsuro Muramatsu (Head of Asama Highlands Tourism Association).
	Yoji Sato	(Head of Kanazawa Hot Springs Tourism Association).	Toru Tsukamoto (Head of Manza Hot Springs Tourism Association).

Organising Committee

Chairman	Haruo Takakuwa	(Chairman of NPO MOSCO)	
Members	Masanori Sekiya	(TMSC)	Hiroshi Suzuki (M O S C O)
	Takayuki Koseki	(JAC)	Mamoru Namiki (NPO Gunma Rally Network).

Stewards

Chief Steward of APRC	TBA (FIA)
APRC Steward	TBA (FIA)
APRC Steward	TBA (ASN)
APRC Steward Secretariat	Akira Kawada
FIA Observer.	TBA (FIA)
FIA Technical Delegate	TBA (FIA)
J A F Sporting Delegate	TBA (JAF)
J A F Sporting Delegate	TBA (JAF)
J A F Sporting Delegate	Takahisa Oguchi
JAF Observer.	TBA
JAF Observer	TBA

Competition Senior Officials

Clerk of the Course (COC).	Sadatoshi Ando
Deputy Clerk of the Course (DCOC)	Mitsuhiro Fujita
Assistant Clerk of the Course (Course)	Yukinori Fukumura
Assistant Clerk of the Course (Time)	Naoki Kurosaki
Assistant Clerk of the Course (Results)	Yamaguchi, Masaya
Chairman of the Technical Committee	Toshiaki Orihara
Secretary of the Rally	Motokuni Horiguchi
Assistant to the Secretary of the Rally	Koji Takahashi
Assistant to the Secretary of the Rally	Makoto Nagai
Media Officer	Kenji Ishigaki
Chief Emergency Officer	Hiroshi Suzuki
Chief Medical Officer	TBA
Medical Officer	TBA
Service Park Coordinator	Keiichi Kaneko
Regroup Coordinator	Yoshitaka Sasaki
Regroup and Service Park PIC	Takuya Sugimura
Competitor Relations Officer (CRO)	Naoto Maruyama

◆◆◆◆ 3. Programs **APRC/JRC** ◆◆◆◆

3.1 Schedule before the Rally (tentative)

Date	Time	Description	Location
Fri, 02 Dec	09:00 17:00	Supplementary Regulations published Radio license application closed Helicopter registration closed	https://www.rally-tsumagoi.com office@rally-tsumagoi.com
Mon, 19 Dec	09:00 -	Entries open Media registration open	entry@rally-tsumagoi.com media@www.rally-tsumagoi.com
Wed, 04 Jan	09:00	Rally Guide 2 published	https://www.rally-tsumagoi.com
Tue, 10 Jan	21:00	Entries closed Media registration closed	entry@rally-tsumagoi.com media@www.rally-tsumagoi.com
Fri, 20 Jan	21:00	Entry list published	https://www.rally-tsumagoi.com
Sun, 29 Jan	19:00	Road book and route map published	Administrative office

3.2 Schedule during the Rally (tentative)

Date	Time	Description	Location.
Thu, 02 Feb	16:00-18:30	Rally HQ open	Royal Blue Golf Resort
	14:00-17:00	Private testing	Occupied roads in Tsumagoi Village
	16:00	Official noticeboard established	https://www.rally-tsumagoi.com
	16:00-18:00	Administrative check 1 (all competitors) Road book and other materials distributed	Rally HQ
Fri, 03 Feb	09:00-18:00	Rally HQ open	Royal Blue Golf Resort
	09:00	Service park open.	Royal Blue Golf Resort Parking Lot
	10:00-13:00	Administrative check 2 (all competitors) Road book and other materials distributed	Rally HQ
	10:00-13:00	Service reception open	Rally HQ
	11:00-12:00	Media reception 1 open	Royal Blue Golf Resort Media Centre
	13:00-17:00	Recce	
	13:30-17:00	Scrutineering (all competitors)	TBD
	16:00 -	Route note crew briefing	Rally HQ
	17:00 -	1 st Steward meeting	Royal Blue Golf Resort Steward room
	19:00 -	Welcoma party	Hotel Karuizawa 1130
Sat, 04 Feb.	08:30 - 23:00	Rally HQ open	Royal Blue Golf Resort
	09:00 - 10:00	Media reception 2 open	Royal Blue Golf Resort Media Centre
	10:00 - 10:30	Media briefing	Royal Blue Golf Resort Media Centre
	10:30 - 11:00	Press conference	Royal Blue Golf Resort Media Centre
	11:00	LEG1 Start list published	https://www.rally-tsumagoi.com
	12:00 -	Starting ceremony/Team managers' meeting	Tsumagoikaikan 3F
	13:00 -	LEG 1 Rally start	Tsumagoi Kaikan Parking
	Around 22:00 -	LEG 1 Finish.	Hotel Karuizawa 1130 Parc Ferme
	22:30	LEG2 Start list announced	https://www.rally-tsumagoi.com
Sun, 05 Feb	07:30-18:00	Rally HQ open	Royal Blue Golf Resort
	08:00 -	LEG 2 start.	Hotel Karuizawa 1130 Parc Ferme
	Around 13:45 -	LEG 2 finish.	Royal Blue Golf Resort Parc Ferme
	Around 14:00 -	Final scrutineering (APRC/JSR)	Royal Blue Golf Resort
	Around 14:15 -	Final scrutineering (National)	Royal Blue Golf Resort
	15:00 (tentative)	Provisional results published	https://www.rally-tsumagoi.com
	15:30 (tentative)	Official results published	https://www.rally-tsumagoi.com
	15:30 (tentative)	Final media conference	Royal Blue Golf Resort

◆◆◆◆◆ 4. Entries ◆◆◆◆◆

4.1 Titles

4.1.1 FIA titles (tentative)

- FIA APRC Asia Cup for Drivers and Co-Drivers
- Qualified for the following titles:
- FIA Asia-Pacific Rally Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
 - FIA Junior APRC Championship for Drivers
 - FIA APRC 2 Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
 - FIA APRC 3 Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
 - FIA Asia-Pacific Rally Championship for Manufacturers
 - FIA APRC Nations Trophy
 - FIA APRC Teams Trophy

4.1.2 JAF title

- 2023 Japanese Rally Championship

4.1.3 JMA title

- 2023 Japan Super Rally Series

4.2 Entry criteria & Number of entries accepted

Although this is an international rally, holders of national licences issued by ASN of the host country can participate without having an international license effective from 2022.

Holders of licenses issued outside Japan must either receive a permit from ASN in the license issued country or obtain an approval stamp on the entry form.

The maximum number of entries in all categories is 70. If more than 70 entries are received, the organisers have the right to decide which entries will be accepted. For the entries to ASIA CUP JSR, acceptance is guaranteed. In order to enter the ASIA CUP JSR, a competitor's license is required as well as competition license even though the driver and competitor are the same.

4.3 Entry period

Open: Monday, 19 December, 2022, 09:00

Closed: Tuesday, 10 January, 2023, 21:00

(Note: Applicable time zone is Japan Standard Time, JST (UTC +9 hours))

4.4 Entry contact details

Address	2458-13 Kurgano-cho, Takasaki, Gunma 370-1201, Japan
Name	NPO M.O.S.C.O. Rally Office
Tel	+81 27-386-4365
Fax	+81 27-386-4375
E-Mail	entry@rally-tsumagoi.com
URL	http://www. rally-tsumagoi.com

4.5 Entry procedure

Entries must be made by completing the following forms provided by the organisers and sending them to the Rally Office by e-mail or fax during the application period. (Applications sent by post will not be accepted.)

Signed original entry forms must be handed in at the administrative checks.

4.5.1 ASIA CUP / JSR category required documents

- Complete set of entry forms
- Promotional information
- Entry booklet/complete set of order forms (incl. Private test application)
- On-board camera usage application form (if applicable)
- A copy of vehicle inspection certificate (for cars registered in Japan)
- Carnet certificate issued by ASN of the country in which the vehicle is registered (for vehicles temporarily imported from overseas)
- A copy of car insurance policy valid for rally or a copy of the rally insurance form
- Picture data (driver, co-driver and rally car)

4.5.2 Japanese rally championship (other classes) category required documents

- Entry form
- Vehicle declaration form
- Service registration form
- Questionnaire (promotional information)
- Entry booklet, proof of payment (East Japan Rally Championship)
- On-board camera usage application form (if applicable)
- A copy of vehicle inspection certificate
- A copy of car insurance policy valid for rally or a copy of the rally insurance form
- Pledge (only to be submitted at the administrative check)
- Picture data (driver, co-driver and rally car)

4.6 Entry fees

4.6.1 APRC ASIA RALLY CUP/Japan Super Rally Series

250,000 JPY/vehicle (Applicable to competitors accepting any ads specified by the organizer.)

4.6.2 All Japan Rally

200,000 JPY/vehicle (Applicable to competitors accepting any ads specified by the organizer.)

Championship/other classes

The above costs include accommodation at Hotel Karuizawa 1130 for two crew members (Friday 3 and Saturday 4 February, two people in a twin room) and the contents of the 4.7 entry package.

4.7 Entry package

	ASIA CUP / JSR	JRC	Other classes.
Rally Guide 1	Website	Website	Website
Supplementary Regulations	Website	Website	Website
Rally Guide 2	Website	Website	Website
Road book	2	1	1
Route map	2	1	1
Official programme	4	2	2
Entrant pass	2	2	2
Service crew pass	5	5	5
Guest pass	2	-	-
Service car pass	1	1	1
Team car parking pass	2	1	1
Service park space	7m x 7m	5m x 5m	5m x 5m

If additional documents, passes and service space are required, please apply by filling in the entry booklet.

4.8 Private testing

Competitors for APRC ASIA RALLY CUP/Japan Super Rally Series are invited to participate in the private testing.

Date & Time: Thursday, 2 February, 14:00 – 17:00

Location: Tsumagoi Village.

Fee: 50,000 yen per vehicle

Interested crews should fill in the entry booklet/order form and register at the same time as the entry.

4.9 Accommodation

If team members or service staff wish to stay Hotel Karuizawa 1130, please indicate on the order form the date and number of people you wish to stay. If you wish to stay in Tsumagoi Village, please refer to the general information in section 2 and make your own arrangements.

4.10 Entry fee payment

Entry fee and other payments should be transferred to the bank account below at the same time as the entry.

振込先

【銀行名】群馬銀行

【店名】沼田支店(210)

【預金種目】普通預金

【口座番号】1482223

【口座名義】

トクテイヒエイリカツドウホウジン モスコ
特定非営利活動法人 M. O. S. C. O.

【略称】トクヒ) モスコ

Wire Transfer Instructions

Payment Currency : Japan, Yen (JPY)

Bank Name : Gunma Bank Numata-branch

City, Province or Territory: Numata-ctiy Gunma

Country : Japan

Bank Account Number : 210-1482223

Account Name : Tokuteihieirikatsudouhoujin

M.O.S.C.O.

Swift Number : GUMAJPJT

Note: Payments shall be made in Japanese yen only and wire transfer fees shall be covered by the sender. Check are not accepted.

4.11 Refunds.

Entry fees will be refunded in the following cases:

- (1) If the entry is not accepted (2,000 yen administration fee will be deducted from full amount)
- (2) If the rally is cancelled (bank transfer fee will be deducted from full amount)

However, if the rally is cancelled 15 days or less before the rally due to unforeseen circumstances such as a major disaster or rapid spread of COVID-19, 70% of the entry fee will be refunded.

- (3) If the competitor is unable to rally due to force majeure (as duly proofed by their ASN), 50% of the entry fee will be refunded.

◆◆◆◆◆ 5. Service Park ◆◆◆◆◆

5.1 Service park

The service park will be located in the parking lot of Royal Blue Golf Resort.

The service park will open at 09:00 on Friday, 3 February.

5.2 Flexi service

All crews are entitled to flexi service.

5.3 Notes on Service Park

The service park will be located 1200 meter above sea level, in the parking lot of the Royal Blue Golf Club. In February, temperature can drop below -15 °C (5 °F) depending on the weather. Please prepare suitable winter clothes and take measures to prevent service tents and other equipment from being blown away by strong winds. Note: There are no rubbish bins in the service park. Please make sure to take all rubbish home with you.

◆◆◆◆◆ 6. Two-way radio ◆◆◆◆◆

The use of two-way radio is strictly regulated in Japan. If you wish to use a two-way radio communication device, you must submit a radio station specs form to the administrative office by 3 December. Specifications such as the frequency, model number and transmission output of the radio are required. Depending on the specifications of the device, its use in Japan may not be permitted.

◆◆◆◆◆ 7 Fuel / Tyres ◆◆◆◆◆

7.1 Fuel.

Leaded petrol cannot be used for the rally. The test method for lead content in fuel is JIS K2255. ASIA CUP competitors are permitted to use FIA fuel that complies with the FIA International Sporting Code, Appendix J, Article 252.9. In such cases, competitors must make their own arrangements and bring their own fuel to the location designated by the organisers. After scrutineering until finish of the rally, the rally cars must refuel at the service stations marked in the Road Book.

7.2 Tyres

7.2.1 ASIA CUP / JSR competitors

7.2.1.1 Hand cutting and tread pattern modification are permitted. Tyres will not be marked.

7.2.1.2 No limit to the number of tyres can be used.

7.2.1.3 The use of studded tyres is permitted. See Appendix 3 for details.

7.2.2 Japanese Rally Championship and other classes competitors

7.2.2.1 The maximum number of tyres can be used follows the 2023 Japanese Rally Championship Unified Rules.

7.2.2.3 Only 2WD rally cars are allowed to use studded tyres. See Appendix 3 for further details.

◆◆◆◆◆ 8. Importing Cars and Parts into Japan & Driving in Japan ◆◆◆

8.1 Laws & regulations / Customs clearance

The documents required for customs clearance and key points are as follows:

(1) FIA Carnet de Passages en Douane (CPD)

The FIA CPD is required to drive vehicles such as rally cars, recce cars and service cars registered outside Japan. The Carnet is issued by the ASN of the country in which the vehicle is registered. When clearing Japanese customs with the FIA CPD, a Carnet certificate issued by JAF is required. Contact the organisers to obtain the certificate. Make sure to keep the CPD and the certificate with the vehicle when driving so that they can be shown to the police or other authorities whenever asked to do so. Also, all vehicles on the public roads are obliged to have a compulsory liability insurance (Jibaiseiki), regardless of the country of registration.

Notice: When importing a vehicle from a country not participating in the 1949 Geneva Convention on Road Traffic, scrutineering and registration are required in Japan on arrival of the vehicle even the FIA CPD is available. These processes require time and costs.

*If the vehicle is to be driven by a person other than the Carnet applicant, notification must be made at customs clearance in Japan using the designated application form.

(2) ATA Carnet

The ATA Carnet is required when importing equipment, parts, tyres and promotional items to Japan. All imported goods must be re-exported after the rally. Contraband cannot be imported even for temporary use.

(3) Proforma invoice

Ask the organisers or a shipping company about preparation of a proforma invoice.

When importing dangerous goods such as high-pressure gas cylinders and medical supplies, the above documents are required to obtain a special authorisation. Arrangements shall be made individually.

8.2 Rules & Regulations

Cars participating in the rally must respect all national laws and regulations such as the Road Trucking Vehicle Law and the Road Traffic Law, and must comply with Appendix J of the FIA International Sporting Code or JAF Domestic Competition Vehicle Regulations (for light pods, noise level, etc.).

8.2.1 Classes

8.2.1.1 APRC ASIA RALLY CUP

Eligible vehicles are those comply with Article 4 of the 2023 FIA Regional Rally Competition Regulations V4 (APRC) and the vehicle classes are described in the Article 4 of the 2023 FIA Regional Rally Sporting Regulations V4 (APRC).

8.2.1.2 Japan Super Rally Series

4WD Class: Vehicles comply with Article 4 of the 2023 FIA Regional Rally Regulations or the Japan Super Rally Series.

2WD Class: Vehicles comply with Article 4 of the 2023 FIA Regional Rally Regulations or the Japan Super Rally Series.

8.2.1.3 All Japan Rally Championship

Vehicles comply with Chapter 3 of the 2023 Japanese Rally Championship Regulations.

8.2.1.4 Other classes

In addition to vehicles comply with the 2023 Japanese Rally Championship, RF vehicles are accepted.

8.2.2 Vehicles registered outside Japan

For vehicles not registered in Japan, the following documents (a) (b) are required and they must be kept in the vehicle. (c) is recommended for competition cars.

- (a) Carnet certificate (translation) issued by JAF and provided by the organisers.
This document has the effect of authorising the temporary importation of the vehicle. For rally cars, document fee is included in the entry fee. For other cars, fee will be charged.
- (b) Compulsory liability insurance (Jibaiseiki) policy. For rally cars, insurance fee is included in the entry fee. For cars registered outside Japan, insurance can be bought for around. 6,500 yen.
- (c) Rally insurance is recommended for rally and recce cars. Third-party liability insurance is also included in the insurance. Premium is around 25,000 yen depending on the engine volume.

See the Entry Booklet of the Rally Guide for details of importing vehicles. Please provide vehicle details in the Booklet to buy insurances (b) and (c) above.

8.3 Driving in Japan

For foreign visitors to drive in Japan, they must have a Japanese driver's license or an international driver's license valid for driving on public roads. Only international driver's licenses issued under the 1949 Geneva Convention are valid and this must be clearly stated on the front cover of the licence. For more information, please contact the organisers. For more information, please contact.

Competitors holding licenses issued in Germany, France, Switzerland, Italy, Belgium or Taiwan are required to have JAF translate their licenses. The original license hold the same power as the license issued under the 1949 Geneva Convention only when carried along with a copy of translation

Competitors who hold licenses issued in countries which do not fall under 1949 Geneva Convention or any licenses which do not meet the above conditions are required to switch their driver's license to a Japanese license.

For more information on license switchover, visit the website:

English: <http://www.jaf.or.jp/e/switch.htm>

Japanese: <http://www.jaf.or.jp/inter/translation/index.htm>

8.4 Insurance

Participants whose vehicle is registered in a country outside Japan are required by the Japanese Road Traffic Law to take out compulsory liability insurance (Jibaiseki). Competition vehicles and crews are covered by an insurance provided by the organizer. Details are shown below (1 USD = JPY 142)

8.4.1 Special stages

Special stage spectator insurance

- (1) Death: up to JPY 100,000,000 (approx. USD 705,000)
- (2) Hospitalisation: JPY 7,500 (approx.. USD 53)/day
*For up to 180 days from the date of the accident.
- (3) Hospital visit: JPY 5,000 (approx. USD 35)/day
*For up to 90 day within 180 days from the date of the accident.

8.4.2 Road section

Road section third-party injury and property Insurance

- (1) Injury: without limit
- (2) Property: up to JPY 5,000,000 (approx. USD 35,000)
(including special stages)
- (3) Passenger: up to JPY 5,000,000 (approx. USD35,000)
*For hospitalisation up to 180 days from the date of accident.
*For hospital visit: up to 90 day within 180 days from the date of the accident.

The insurance provided by the organisers is valid from the start of LEG 1 to the finish, or until retire or disqualified. Any service vehicles, even those bearing plates or other official identification given by the organisers, are not considered as official participants in the rally under any circumstances. They will therefore not be covered by the insurance policy.

8.4.3 Rally insurance for vehicles registered in Japan

Cars registered in Japan must be covered by a third-party injury and property insurance that must cover at least;

- (1) Injury: JPY 20,000,000
- (2) Property damage: JPY 2,000,000
- (3) Passenger: JPY 10,000,000

For passengers, the JMRC Mutual Aid Scheme (compensation) is also acceptable.

Note: For those who do not have a rally insurance can buy an insurance through the administrative office. A rally insurance application is available on the Rally of Tsumagoi website.

8.4.4 Damage insurance for non-crew team members

- (1) Death: up to JPY 10,000,000 (approx. USD 70,500)
- (2) Hospitalisation & Hospital visit: JPY 5,000 (approx.. USD 35)/day
Insurance premium is JPY 550 (approx. USD 3.9)/person (valid for one week)

*For up to 180 days total within 180 days from the date of the accident.

8.5 Japanese Traffic Laws & Regulations

Some of traffic rules in Japan are different from international standards. Please pay extra attention to the following.

- (1) The 'STOP' sign is an inverted triangle similar to 'GIVE WAY' sign in other countries..
- (2) Before crossing a railroad, all vehicles must always stop and ensure that no trains are coming.
- (3) Speed limit for roads without a speed-limit sign is 40 km or less in town centres and 60 km or less in other areas.

For more details, visit the National Police Agency website.

https://www.keishicho.metro.tokyo.jp/multilingual/english/traffic_safety/traffic_rules/index.html

◆◆◆◆◆ 9. Helicopters ◆◆◆◆◆

The area where the rally event will take place is mountainous and civilian aircraft flights are restricted.

Therefore, flying a helicopter in support of the rally is not feasible.

If a helicopter is a must requirement, please contact the administrative office by 2 December.

◆◆◆◆◆ 10. Hospitality Arrangements ◆◆◆◆◆

Please contact the administrative office for more information.

◆◆◆◆◆ 11 Accommodation ◆◆◆◆◆

The entry fee includes accommodation for two crew members. (4.6.2)

Accommodations in Tsumagoi Village is listed in **section 21**.

◆◆◆◆◆ 12 Recce/GPS Tracking ◆◆◆◆◆

12.1 Recce Procedure

12.1.1 For competition crews, recce day is Friday, 3 February which will be held under the control of the organizer. Recce reception and the administrative check take place at the same time; 16:00 - 18:00 on Thursday, 2 February and 10:00 - 13:00 on Friday, 3 February at the rally HQ.

Each crew will receive a recce and a vehicle ID signs.

12.1.3 Recce is conducted according to the schedule in Supplementary Regulations Appendix 2.

12.2 Recce car

Non-colored car is required (except for the competition vehicles used for the rally). Participants must make their own arrangements.

12.3 Tyres for recce

Normal snow tyres should be used.

12.4 Crew compliance requirements

12.4.1 Each crew must have vehicle ID panels attached to their car during the recce.

12.4.2 Each crew can drive on each SS twice. However, for the special stages that are used twice, they are considered as one SS.

12.5 Traffic laws & regulations

12.5.1 During the recce, competitors must comply with the traffic laws and regulations as well as the Supplementary Regulations and any instructions given by the organisers via the official notice boards. Safety and rights of other road users must be respected at all times. Officials may monitor recce cars visually or by using measuring equipment, cameras and/or camcorders along the route of the recce.

All violations will be reported to the Stewards who may impose a penalty. In the worst case, a competitor will be removed from the rally.

12.5.2 The legal speed limits shall be respected on all roads including the SS during the recce. All violations will be reported to the Stewards and a penalty will be imposed according to the Article 20.2 of the 2023 FIA Regional Rally Regulations.

12.6 GPS tracking devices

Safety tracking

According to the Section 65.2 of the FIA Regional Championship Regulation, all cars must be equipped with a GPS safety tracking system. All cars being driven in Rally of Tsumagoi will be fitted with the Rally Stream tracking system for safety reasons and to control progress of the rally.

All participants must have a smartphone that is compatible with the system.

◆◆◆◆◆ 13. Scrutineering, Sealing, Marking & Advertising ◆◆◆

13.1 Scrutineering

13.1.1 Date & Venue

Date & Time: Friday, 3 February, 2023, 13:30 - 17:00

Venue: Scrutineering area (TBD)

Marking of gearboxes and differentials installed in cars and those as spares, and sealing of turbochargers will be conducted at the same time as scrutineering according to the schedule stated on a communication which will be published before 1 February, 2023.

13.1.2 Mud flaps

Rally cars can be fitted with mud flaps in conformity with Appendix J, Article. 252.7.7.

13.1.3 Windows/Nets

Silver or tinted films are allowed on rear and rear side windows (Appendix J, Art. 253.11 International Sporting Code).

13.1.4 Crew safety equipment

Crews must wear safety equipment such as overalls, gloves, shoes, a helmet, a balaclava, FHR helmet and FHR homologated to the Appendix L, Chapter III of the International Sporting Code. Please make sure to bring your safety equipment to the scrutineering for inspection.

13.1.5 Noise level

Vehicles temporarily imported under the FIA Carnet and customs tariff law must meet the noise level standards of the country of registration.

Vehicles registered in Japan must meet the safety standards of the Road Trucking Vehicle Law.

13.1.6 Safety fuel tank

ASIA CUP competition vehicles are recommended to be equipped with a FIA certified safety fuel tank (Appendix J, Art. 253.14 International Sporting Code).

13.1.7 Kill switch

ASIA CUP competition vehicles are recommended to be equipped with a circuit breaker (Appendix J, Art. 253.14 International Sporting Code).

13.1.8 Fire extinguisher

ASIA CUP competition vehicles are recommended to be equipped with a fire extinguisher (Appendix J, Art. 253.7 International Sporting Code).

13.1.9 Other equipment

Warning triangles (2 pieces), emergency road flares, a red light, tow rope, first aid kit, tyre chains, a shovel, A3 size "OK" and "SOS" signs. Be sure to keep these in an easily accessible location.

13.1.10 On-board cameras

Competitors who wish to use a camera must submit a usage application at the time of entry. Authorised cameras will be identified by an adhesive decal and must be mounted and checked by scrutineers. Copyright of the images recorded by the cameras belong to the organisers. Images must be provided to the organisers, if requested.

13.2 Final Scrutineering

13.2.1 Date & Venue

Date & Time: Sunday, 5 February, 2023, from 14:00 (approx.)

Venue: Final scrutineering area (TBD)

13.3 Advertisements and Rally plates

13.3.1 Windows

Advertisements on the vehicle body including the roof are permitted. However, an ad on the top portion of the front windshield is only allowed for vehicles registered outside Japan.

The size of the ad on the front windshield is limited to 10 cm or less from the top and that for the rear window is limited to 8 cm or less from the top end.

13.3.2 Voluntary advertisements

Competitors who agree to accept voluntary ads from the organisers must secure advertising space in accordance with Appendix 4 of the Special Regulations.

13.3.3 Alcohol and tobacco advertisements

In Japan, there are no restrictions on having ads for alcohol and tobacco on rally cars and uniforms.

13.3.4 Rally plates and number panels

The organisers will provide a set of rally plates and number panels in accordance with Article 18 of the 2023 FIA Regional Rally Regulations. These must be affixed to the vehicle in accordance with the Supplementary Regulations by the time of the scrutineering. If violated, a fine of 54,000 yen will be imposed.

◆◆◆◆◆ 14. Shakedown ◆◆◆◆◆ :

Not applicable

◆◆◆◆◆ 15. Rally Start ◆◆◆◆◆

Date & Time: Saturday, 4 February, 2023, 13:00 (the first car)

Place: Start area in the Tsumagoi kaikan Parkig

Procedure: The competitors start in sequence at the signal of the starting flag given by the guest of honor. The start interval will be controlled by the officials.

◆◆◆◆◆ 16. Rally Finish ◆◆◆◆◆

Date & Time: Sunday, 5 February, 2023, 13:45 (approx.) (the first car)

Place: Finish area in the service park at Royal Blue Golf Club.

Procedure: Based on the provisional results, the finish podium will take place to award the winners (1st to 3rd places) of each category. Crews of 4th and below places will pass through the podium.

◆◆◆◆◆ 17. PR Events ◆◆◆◆◆

17.1 Press Conference

Date & Time: Saturday, 4 February, 2023, 10:30-11:00

Venue: Royal Blue Golf Club, Media Centre

Description: Press conference of APRC and JSR top crews

17.2 Opening Ceremony

Date & Time: Saturday, 4 February, 2023, 12:00

Venue: Tsumagoi kaikan 3F (tentative)

Description: An opening ceremony with guests (All crews must attend)

17.3 Ceremonial Start

As described in section 15. Rally Start.

17.4 Ceremonial Finish

As described in section 16. Rally Finish.

17.5 Awarding Ceremony & Final Media Conference

Date & Time: Sunday, 5 February, 2023, 15:30

Venue: Royal Blue Golf Club (tentative)

Description: Awards will be given to winners of each category

◆◆◆◆ 18. Media ◆◆◆◆

Japan Super Rally Media Office (c/o NPO M.O.S.C.O Takasaki office)

Kurgano-cho, Takasaki, Gunma 370-1201 2458-13

Tel: +81 27-386-4365 / Fax: +81 27-386-4375

E-mail: media@rally-tsumagoi.com

◆◆◆◆ 19. Credentials and Vehicle Passes ◆◆◆◆

Details will be provided in Rally Guide 2.

◆◆◆◆ 20. Medical & Safety Services ◆◆◆◆

20.1 Emergency services

In case of emergency, call the numbers below.

Fire and ambulance	119
Police	110

20.2 Medical facilities

Nishi-Azuma Welfare Hospital Internal medicine, surgery, cardiology, paediatrics, orthopaedic surgery, neurosurgery, radiology

746-4, Oaza-Otsu, Naganohara-machi, Agatsuma-gun, Gunma TEL: 0279-83-7111

<http://www.nawh.jp/>



Haramachi Red Cross Hospital Internal medicine, surgery, orthopaedic surgery, neurosurgery

<http://www.haramachi-jrc.jp/03kyukyu.html>

698 Oaza Haramachi, Higashi-Azuma-machi, Azuma-gun, Gunma TEL: 0279-68-2711



*Because these hospitals are closed at nights and on weekends, it is difficult to specify a hospital that is suitable for your condition. If you do not need an ambulance but would like to know which hospital would be best suited to your symptoms, please call:

First Aid Telephone Service 0279-68- 2399

Emergency medical service (ER)

The following medical facilities only accept critical patients from other medical facilities and ambulances or medevacs 24 hours a day. Walk-in patients are not accepted.

If emergency care is required, the Rally HQ will arrange for an ambulance.

Western Fire Station Tsumagoi Branch Tel: 0279-96-1190

Nagano Prefectural Suzaka Hospital Internal medicine, surgery, cardiology, paediatrics, orthopaedic surgery, neurosurgery, radiology

1332 Oaza Suzaka, Suzaka City, Nagano Prefecture TEL 026-245-1650

<http://www.pref-nagano-hosp.jp/suzakahosp/shinannai/sinan000.htm#shinryo>



Saku Medical Centre (Advanced emergency medical centre)

<http://www.sakuhp.or.jp/ja/center/index.html>

3400-28, Nakagome, Saku, Nagano TEL: 0267-62-8181

佐久医療センター



- 北陸新幹線「佐久平駅」から車で約10分
- 上信越自動車道・佐久小碓JCTから佐久中佐都ICへ（ICから車で約10分）
- JR小海線「北中込駅」から徒歩で5分



20.3 Other medical facilities

N a m e	Address	TEL	Remarks.
S a k u r a i C l i n i c	30-3, Nishikubo, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-3800	Surgery, internal medicine and paediatrics
Changsheng Hospital	71, Naganohara, Naganohara-machi, Agatsuma-gun	0279-82-2188	Medicine / Surgery / Orthopaedics / Gastroenterology / Radiology
Tsumagoi Village Clinic	458-1, Mihara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-3020	Surgery, internal medicine, gastroenterology
Bisaiji Dental Clinic	50-1, Omae, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-80-6480	dentistry
S a k u r a i C l i n i c	1585-1, Naganohara-cho, Agatsuma-gun	0279-82-3999	Surgery / Gastroenterology / Internal Medicine / Proctology / Orthopaedics / Radiology / Physiotherapy

20.4 Pharmacies

N a m e	Address	TEL	Remarks.
Tsumagoi Pharmacy	453, Oaza Mihara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-2068	
Yutaka Tsumagoi drugstore	44-1 Nishikubo, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun		

20.5 Towing services

Tow trucks are provided by the organisers at each SS. In case a vehicle trouble occurs in a SS, a tow truck will transport the vehicle out of the course. (Actual costs will be charged.)

If other transportation method is preferred, please contact the Rally HQ.

◆◆◆◆◆ 21. General Information ◆◆◆◆◆

21.1 Accommodations

Baragi Plateau area.

N a m e	URL	TEL	Price	Remarks.
Par Coal Tsumagoi resort hotel	https://tsumagoiskiresort.life/about/	0279-96-1166	See HP	
Baragi Plateau Lodge.	http://baragi.co.jp	0279-96-1488	See HP	Late check-out after the event is possible. Baggage mailing service available. Please inform us of the motorsport event at the time of booking.
Cottage La Luna	http://www.la-luna.co.jp/	0279-96-1800	See HP	
Petit Hotel Manitou.	http://www.manitou.jp/	0279-96-1567	See HP	
Pension White Dream		0279-96-1616	See HP	
Lodge Greenfield	http://www.lodge-greenfield.com/	0279-96-1413	See HP	
Petit Hotel Azil.		0279-96-1300	Contact us.	
Hotel Lapin on the Plateau, Annex Forest Moon.	http://www.rapan.net/	0279-96-1122	See HP	Recommended for couples and married couples.
Auberge de la Luna	http://la-luna.com/	0279-96-1155	See HP	Please inform the motor sports spectator at the time of booking.
Chatlet, Sirius.		0279-96-1091	Contact us.	
Petit Hotel Shirakaba	http://www.ph-shirakaba.co.jp/	0279-96-1275	See HP	
Tokai University Tsumagoi Kogen Training Centre	http://www.tokaitc.com/	0279-96-1211	See HP	
Tsumagoi no Yado Aisai	http://yado-aisai.com/	0279-96-1280	See HP	Luggage mailing and storage services available. Please inform us of your intention to watch motor sports in the remarks column when entering your booking or by telephoning us.
Plateau Hill, Marché.	http://www.marche.to/index.html	0279-96-0480	See HP	
Okutsumagoi Onsen Hikawa Ryokan Bettei Hanaichi	http://www.hoshikawa.jp/	0279-96-1511	See HP	

Areas around the JR line

N a m e	URL	TEL	Price	Remarks.
Yamadaya Onsen Ryokan	https://yamadaya-onsen.com/	0279-97-2057	See HP	
Yamataya Ryokan		0279-97-2971	enquiry required	
Meidi-ya Ryokan	http://www.kirara.ne.jp/meijiya/	0279-97-3080	See HP	
Tsumagoi Kogen Ryokan Tochigiya	http://www.totigiya.server-shared.com/sp/	0279-96-0002	See HP	
Log cottage Furih~taimu	http://free-time.jp/	0279-80-6000	See HP	
Hande Hot Springs Tokiwasou	http://www.nande.com/tokiwasou/	0279-97-3373	See HP	

Manza Hot Springs Area

Name of accommodation	uniform resource locator	TEL	amount of money	Remarks.
Manza Prince	http://www.princehotels.co.jp/manza/	0279-97-1111	See HP	
Manza Kogen Hotel	https://www.princehotels.co.jp/manza-kogen/	0279-97-1111	See HP	
Manza Onsen Nisshinkan	https://www.manza.co.jp/	0279-97-3131	See HP	
H o u k o k u k a n	http://www.houkokukan.com/	0279-97-2525	See HP	
Manza Hotel Juraku	http://www.hotel-juraku.co.jp/manza/	0279-97-3535	See HP	
Manzatei Ryokan	http://www.manzatei.com/	0279-97-3133	See HP	
Manzatei Annex	http://www.manzatei.com/	0279-97-2209	See HP	
Yunohana Ryokan	http://www.yunohana-m.com/	0279-97-3152	See HP	

Kazawa Highlands area

N a m e	URL	TEL	Price	Remarks.
K o u y o u k a n	http://kazawa.jpn.org/	0279-98-0421	See HP	
guest house Watase	http://watarase.s346.xrea.com/	0279-98-0551	See HP	
S a n a d a y a		0279-98-0111	See HP	
Kyukamura Tsumagoi Kanazawa	http://www.qkamura.or.jp/kazawa/	0279-98-0511	See HP	
R o k u m e i k a n	http://karuizawanet.com/rokumei/	0279-98-0003	See HP	
Hotel Tsuchiya	http://www.sikanoyu.com/	0279-98-0314	See HP	
Lodge Subaru	http://subaru.boo.jp/	0279-98-0415	See HP	
Kazawa Resort Hotel	http://www.jalan.net/yad343298/	0279-98-0484	See HP	

Oku-Tsumagoi Onsen Hiragawa Ryokan Villa Hanaichi	http://www.hoshikawa.jp/	0279-96-1511	See HP
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Asama Plateau

N a m e	URL	TEL	Price	Remarks.
Karuizawa Club				
Hotel Karuizawa 1130	http://www.karuizawaclub.co.jp/hotel1130/	0279-86-6111	See HP	
Kishu Railway Karuizawa Hotel	http://www.kitetsu-hotel.jp/karuizawa/	0279-84-3011	See HP	
Asama Kougen Hotel	http://www.asama-kogen-hotel.com/	0279-86-5150	See HP	
Rental log cabin Hanyuda	http://www.hanyuda-nouen.com/	0279-96-1797	See HP	

Pension chou Review.	http://pchou.com/	0279-86-4406	See HP	Please inform us of the motorsport event at the time of booking. The 2 meals/night plan includes a bottle of Tsumagoi Village's delicious water as a present.
Pension KIKI	https://pension-kiki.com/	0279-86-5131	See HP	
Petit Hotel Etoile Avenue	https://www.ecoile-avenue.com	0279-86-5211	See HP	
Four Windu (holiday homes for rent)	http://f-wind.jp/	0279-86-5377	See HP	Baggage mailing service available.
Pension Broadway	http://p-broadway.com/	0279-86-5222	See HP	
Pension Magic Carpet	http://mahounojuutan.com/	0279-86-5127	See HP	
Wan Wan Pension KUU	http://www.kuu.biz/	0279-86-3577	See HP	
Pension Blueberry YGH	http://ygh.a.la9.jp/	0279-84-3338	See HP	
Pension Rarebit.	http://www7.wind.ne.jp/reabit/	0279-86-4338	See HP	
Estivan Club, Bali, Karuizawa.	http://www.estivant.cc/	0279-84-5448	See HP	
V.H.P Karuizawa	http://www.geocities.jp/vhp_karuizawa/top.html	0279-86-2296	See HP	
Rental log cottages Ulbe Village	http://www.urube.co.jp/	0279-86-2104	See HP	
Rental Cottage Villa Sheurin	https://www.sheulin.com	0279-86-2353	See HP	
Pension Lohengrin	http://www.p-lohen.com/	0279-86-6100	See HP	
Asama Resort Inn	http://www.asama-resort.com/	0279-86-5811	See HP	
Forest of Belair holiday home for rent	http://karuizawa-belair.com/home/	0279-86-4234	See HP	
Rental villa Runesu Karuizawa	http://www.runesu.com/	0279-86-4500	See HP	
Pension & cottage T2	http://www.wanwant2.com/	0279-86-3230	See HP	
Rental Villa Highland Villa Kitakaruzawa	http://highland-villa.com/	0279-86-5820	See HP	
Pension Cattle Saison	http://karuizawa2001.net/	0279-84-5755	See HP	
Pension Forest Bears	http://www.mkuma.com/	0279-84-6193	See HP	
Ichigo Ichie Act 2.		0279-86-6077		
Hotel Aspros.	http://aspros-h.com/	0279-86-3729	See HP	
Kitakaruzawa Kogen Hotel	https://kitakarukogen.com	0279-86-3331	See HP	
Takamine Mountain Hotel	https://www.takamine-mountainhotel.com/	0267-23-1712	See HP	
Pension Sukoyaka	http://pension-sukoyaka.com/	0279-82-5650	See HP	Late check-out available after the event. Please inform the booking that you will be watching motor sports.

There are many other accommodation facilities in Tsumagoi Village. For more information, please visit the Tsumagoi Village Tourist Association's website <http://www.tsumagoi-kankou.jp/>

21.2 Other facilities

Banks

N a m e	Address	TEL	Remarks.
Gunma Bank Tsumagoi branch	394 Mihara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-2411	Shop・ATM
Kitagunma Shinkin Bank Tsumagoi branch	172-1, Oaza-Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-96-0421	Shop・ATM
Gunma Mirai Credit Union Tsumagoi branch	771-2, Omae, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-96-0531	Shop・ATM

ATMs are available at Tsumagoi Village Hall and convenience stores in the village.

Shops

Bento (Japanese box lunch)

M a n r y o	481-1, Oaza-Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-96-0706	9:00 AM - 7:00 PM
B a n c h a n c h i	489-2, Tashiro, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-98-0901	

Garages

Ageya Corporation	1451-21, Oni no Sensui, Oaza Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-80-3074	
Ashiuda Auto Y.K.	524-2, Ashioda, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-3594	
Ichiba Motor Service	337-1, Oaza Fukurokura, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-3808	
Kamahara Motors	451-2, Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-2035	Subaru Cooperating Stores
Garage Kumagawa	805, Oaza Imai, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-2628	
Kuroiwa Car Body Factory Ltd.	1870-3, Oaza-Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-96-0952	
Kojima Shokai Co.	509, Oaza-Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-96-0731	
Mitsukoshi car maintenance workshop	407-2, Oaza Omae, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-96-0208	
Shimizu Car Maintenance Shop	777 Oaza Tashiro, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-98-0012	
Simoya Automobile	518-1, Ashioda, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-3270	
Takahashi Car Maintenance Shop	711-5, Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-2803	
Tashiro Automobile Maintenance Private Vehicle Inspection Factory Ltd.	483-3, Oaza-Tashiro, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-98-0748	
Tsuchiya Motors Ltd.	Azuma-gun, Tsumagoi-mura, Oaza-Osasa 1076	0279-96-0121	
Tsumagoi Car Maintenance Cooperative Association	1836-2, Oaza Omae, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-96-0045	
Hasebe Automobile Maintenance Y.K.	97 Oaza Nishikubo, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-2123	
Hoshimata Motor Vehicle Repair Workshop Ltd.	Azuma-gun Tsumagoi-mura Oaza-Hanamata 1566-4	0279-96-0244	
Gunma Toyota Tsumagoi	890, Oaza Mihara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-2311	Toyota dealer

Home improvement store

Komeri Hard & Green	922-1, Aza-takoji, Oaza-kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Agatsuma-gun	0279-80-2077	9:00 AM - 8:00 PM
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Supermarkets

San-ei Wholesale Centre	44-1, Oaza Nishikubo, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-3831	
Yanagiya Tsumagoi Mart shop	722 Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-3321	

JA Tsumagoi-mura A Co-op Oasis 767-2, Oaza Omae, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-80-6820

Courier service

Yamato Transport Gunma Tsumagoi Centre 717-1 Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 027-265-7719 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Restaurants

Western-style food

Tsumagoi Kogen Brewery 2193-27, Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-96-1403 11:00 AM - 6:30 PM.

Restaurant Mama & Papas 1970-111 Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-86-4095

Mama's Garden 1054-862, Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-84-3130 11:00 AM - 8:30 PM.

Japanese-style food

Japanese restaurant Nakaiya 388 Mihara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-97-2643 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM

sakura sushi 710-26 Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-97-2158

Kappou Taikou 702-18 Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-97-2221

Japanese dining room 'Tamabune'. 1902-14, Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-86-5488

Plateau Club Ayame-tei 2279-739 Omae, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-82-1020

Tonkatsu Mori-Tei 1572-1, Oaza-Naganohara, Naganohara-machi, Agatsuma-gun 0279-82-2911 Rally officials' favourite shop.

Diners

Asama Restaurant 7107-7, Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-97-2121

Tengu Restaurant 710-5, Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-97-2194

Ohmae Restaurant 100-5, Omae, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-96-1100

Mihara Restaurant 397 Mihara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-97-2019

Benkyouya Restaurant 119 Omae, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-96-0036

Hakkei Restaurant 102-1, Tashiro, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-98-0059

Yakiniku Restaurant Juen 727-6 Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-97-2279

Soba

A s a g i r i 2185-10, Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun. 0279-96-2705 11:00 AM - 7:30 PM.

I s s a k u a n Tashiro 3, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-98-0225

Cafe

D-Cafe 1053-566 Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-84-1083

Japanese style pubs

Saketei Hana 396-1, Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-96-1090

Karaoke bar 2190-13, Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-96-1630

Sanbonmatsu 157-3, Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-96-0545

Chise n 710-42 Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-82-1838

Snac La Sean 2148-25, Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-82-5778

K e i ' s

Day spa

Baragi Onsen Kohan no yu 2401, Higamata, Tsumagoi-mura, Agatsuma-gun 0279-80-6020

Tsumagoi Onsen Tsutsuji no Yu 930 Tashiro, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-98-0930

Convenience stores

7-Eleven Mihara shop 710-25 Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-97-1577

Lawson Mihara shop 935-1, Mihara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-97-4013

7-Eleven Osasa shop 169-1, Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun 0279-96-1358

Taxis

Asashiro	Kanko		
Jidosha Co.	710-35, Kamahara, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-97-2424	
Mihara office (taxi)			

Car rentals

Toyota Rent-a-Car Naganowara-Kusatsuguchi Ekimae	1357-1, Naganohara, Naganohara-cho, Agatsuma-gun	0279-82-0100	8:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Toyota Rent-A-Car Karuizawa Ekimae	4-8, Karuizawahigashi, Karuizawa-cho, Kitasaku-gun, Nagano, Japan	0267-42-6100	8:00 AM - 8:00 PM
Niko-Niko Rent-a-Car Tsumagoi Osasa	180-3, Oaza-Osasa, Tsumagoi-mura, Azuma-gun	0279-96-0150	7:00 AM - 7:00 PM

◆◆◆◆ 22. Other ◆◆◆◆

22.1 Event sponsorship & food/goods merchandising

For those who are interested in becoming an event sponsor or selling food/goods in the Rally Park, please contact:

Japan Motorsports Association (JMA).

Japan Super Rally Series Secretariat (c/o Cinq LLC)

5-5-21-202 Niko, Takatsu-ku, Kawasaki, Kanagawa 213-0002

Tel: +81 44-850-5115 / Fax: +81 44-850-5116

Email: info@super-rally.net

Appendix 1.

Rally of Tsumagoi 2023 ITINERARY Ver.1.2

27 November 2022

Start (Sections 1 & 2)		Saturday 4 February 2023			(Sunrise 6:46, Sunset 17:14)	
TC	LOCATION	SS dist.	Liaison dist.	Total dist.	Target time	First car due
-	Royal Blue Golf Resort		(10.18)			(11:30)
0	Start - Start Ceremony (Tsumagoi Kaikan)					13:00
	Start no Refuel. Distance to next refuel	(22.28)	(61.18)	(83.46)		
1	Kadokai		6.65	6.65	0:20	13:20
SS1	Kadokai Panorama 1	5.66				13:23
2	Omae		10.58	16.24	0:40	14:03
SS2	Omae Suzaka 1	5.48				14:06
2A	Regroup & Technical Zone IN		11.10	16.58	0:40	14:46
2B	Regroup & Technical Zone OUT / Flexi Service IN					
Flexi Service A (Royal Blue Golf Resort)		(11.14)	(28.33)	(39.47)	0:20	
2C	Flexi Service OUT - Regroup IN					
2D	Regroup OUT					15:36
3	Kadokai		15.42	15.42	0:35	16:11
SS3	Kadokai Panorama 2	5.66				16:14
4	Omae		10.58	16.24	0:40	16:54
SS4	Omae Suzaka 2	5.48				16:57
RZ	Refuel - JA		[6.85]		(0:41)	(17:38)
1	Distance to next refuel	(17.58)	(61.59)	(79.17)		
5	Nitazawa		9.95	15.43	0:55	17:52
SS5	Nitazawa Baragi 1	3.31				17:55
6	Omae		9.17	12.48	0:35	18:30
SS6	Omae Suzaka 3	5.48				18:33
7	Nitazawa		9.95	15.43	0:40	19:13
SS7	Nitazawa Baragi 2	3.31				19:16
7A	Parc Fermé & Technical Zone IN		11.97	15.28	0:35	19:51
7B	Parc Fermé OUT - Flexi Service IN				00:10(min)	
Flexi Service B (Royal Blue Golf Resort)		(23.24)	(67.04)	(90.28)	0:45	
7C	Flexi Service OUT					21:26
7D	Parc Fermé IN(Hotel karuizawa1130)		4.80	4.80	0:10	21:36
	For all cars, (except re-starting crews), TC7D will close at -					24:00
	Note 1 : At the 20 min service, crew have a maximum of 25 min to move their cars into the Service Park.					
	Note 2 : At the 45 min service, crew have a maximum of 50 min to move their cars into the Service Park.					
	Note 3 : Early check-in allowed at TC7C , TC7D					
Saturday totals		34.38	100.17	134.55		

Section 1

Section 2

Rally of Tsumagoi 2023 ITINERARY Ver.1.2

27 November 2022

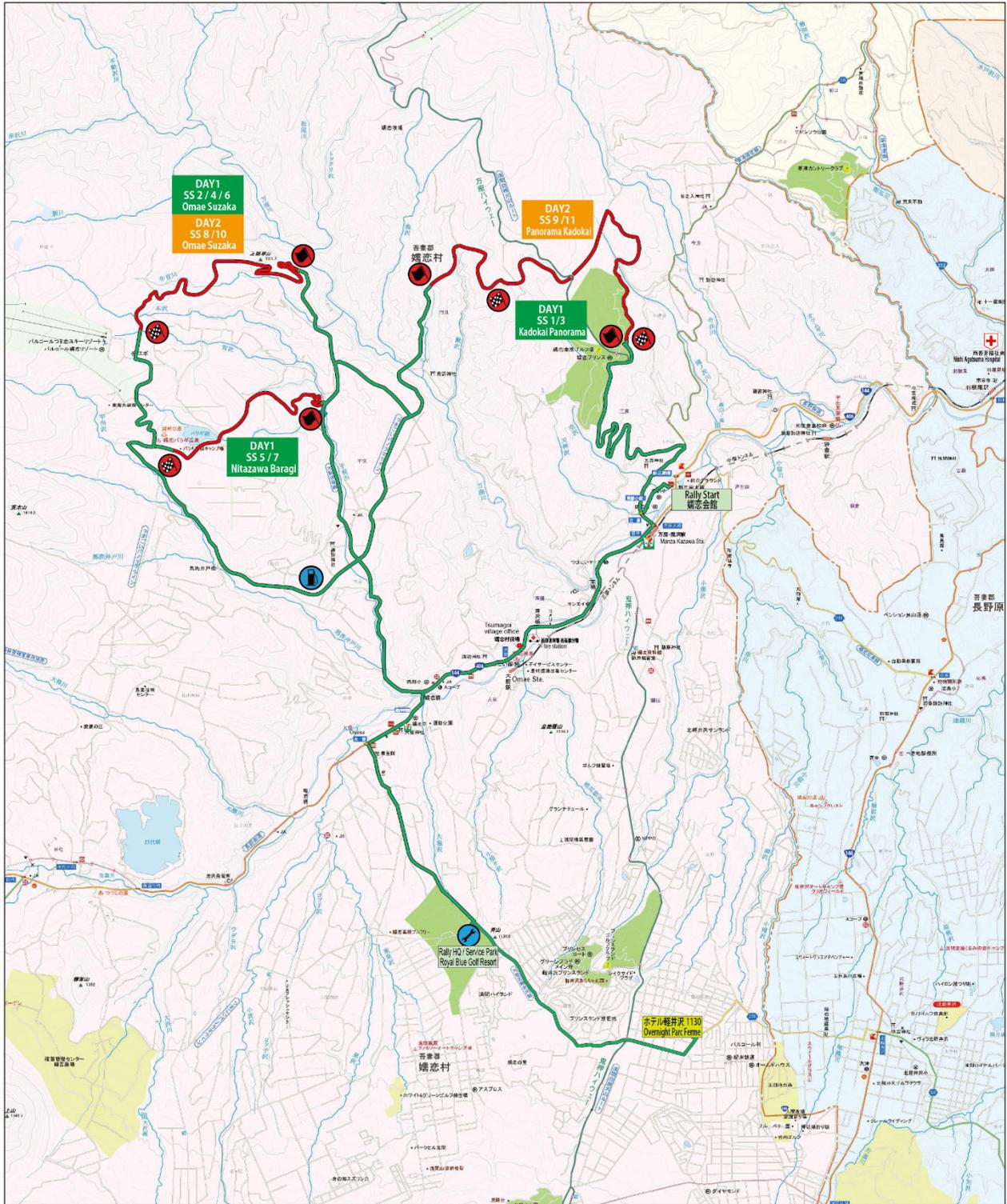
Re-Start (Sections 3 & 4)		Sunday 5 February 2023			(Sunrise 6:45, Sunset 17:15)	
TC	LOCATION	SS dist.	Liaison dist.	Total dist.	Target time	First car due
7E	Parc Fermé OUT(Hotel karuizawa1130)					8:00
7F	Service IN		4.80	4.80	0:10	8:10
Service C (Royal Blue Golf Resort)			(9.60)	(9.60)	0:15	
7G	Service OUT					8:25
8	Omae		10.95	10.95	0:30	8:55
SS8	Omae Suzaka 4	5.48				8:58
RZ	Refuel - JA		[6.85]		(0:34)	(9:32)
2	Distance to next refuel	(20.82)	(59.28)	(80.10)		
9	Panorama L		12.07	17.55	0:50	9:48
SS9	Panorama Kadokai Long 1	7.67				9:51
9A	Regroup & Technical Zone IN		15.52	23.19	0:50	10:41
9B	Regroup & Technical Zone OUT / Flexi Service IN					
Flexi Service D (Royal Blue Golf Resort)		(13.15)	(38.54)	(51.69)	0:20	
9C	Flexi Service OUT - Regroup IN					
9D	Regroup OUT					11:31
10	Omae		10.95	10.95	0:30	12:01
SS10	Omae Suzaka 5	5.48				12:04
11	Panorama L		12.07	17.55	0:40	12:44
SS11	Panorama Kadokai Long 2	7.67				12:47
11A	Holding IN -Podium Finish (Royal Blue Golf Resort)		15.52	23.19	0:50	13:37
	Parc Fermé IN (Royal Blue Golf Resort)					(13:45)
Note 4 : At the 20 min service, crew have a maximum of 25 min to move their cars into the Service Park.						
Sunday totals		26.30	81.88	108.18		

Section 3

Section 4

Totals of the Rally		SS	Liaison	Total	%
Saturday	7SS	34.38	100.17	134.55	25.6
Sunday	4SS	26.30	81.88	108.18	24.3
Total	11SS	60.68	182.05	242.73	25.0

Appendix 2.



Route Map



- SS Start
- SS Finish
- Service
- Refuel

SS Course : —— Liaison : ——

Appendix 3.

Use of studded tyres

The Rally of Tsumagoi has decided to allow the use of studded tyres for participants in the international-rated category as well as for those competing in domestic-rated categories with two-wheel drive vehicles.

Until 2019, the use of studded tyres is regulated by the JAF Domestic Technical Regulations Part 2, Rally Vehicle Regulations, Chapter 3, Article 6, and 2-wheel drive vehicles must use tyre chains on SS courses with heavy snowfall. 2-wheel drive vehicles had to drive with tyre chains fitted on SS courses with heavy snowfall. However, as there were several instances where the tyre chains broke or fell off while driving in dangerous conditions, an application for special approval for the use of studded tyres in domestic rallies was submitted to the JAF, and this was approved. The use of studded tyres will be as follows, and those planning to participate should use this as a reference for preparation.

(1) Use of studded tyres

Snow tyres that can be driven on Japanese action rallies and stud tyres that conform to the Supplementary Regulations. Stud tyres to be used shall be checked at the time of vehicle inspection for the shape and number of studs and the amount of protrusion. The use of studded tyres may be prohibited by the Clerk of the Course depending on snow conditions on the course. If the amount of stud protrusion exceeds the regulations, the use of the relevant tyre will be prohibited from the next section onwards.

(2) Number of tyres used.

The number of tyres that may be used in this competition is limited to 20. However, studded tyres may be used for up to 8 tyres (inter-rated). The number of tyres used by national-rated competitors shall be in accordance with the regulations of the respective championships (national-rated).

Stud tyres permitted during the rally

The following snow studded tyres are permitted during the rally

The number of studs on the tyre must not exceed 20 per 10.0 cm in any part of the circumference.

Detailed rules on permitted studs

1. studs shall be solid, cylindrical in shape and cut flat.
2. the cross section of the stud shall be cylindrical in any place.
3. studs shall be of a single material.
4. the stud shall have a minimum diameter of 2.5 mm at the end and shall be cylindrical and cut flat.
5. the total length of the stud shall not exceed 20 mm.
6. the weight of the stud must not exceed 4 grammes.
7. the shape dimensions of the stud must not exceed the dimensions indicated in the supplementary drawing.
8. the maximum protrusion shall not exceed 7.0 mm from the block surface.
9. studs shall be mounted from the outside of the tyre.
10. studs penetrating the tread are not permitted.
11. At least one stud shall be pulled out and checked for shape and dimensions at the time of vehicle inspection or re-inspection.

