

# COMPETITOR GUIDE



# **WELCOME TO SILVERSTONE FESTIVAL**

We're looking forward to welcoming you to Silverstone Festival over the August Bank Holiday weekend! It's essential you read this guide to Silverstone Festival with top tips for making your weekend a smoother all-round experience, including:

- Pre-Event Sign On & Declaration
- Access passes, routes and timings for:
  - Competitors in pit garages
  - Race preparers, including how to apply for paddock space
  - Motorhomes & Camping, including how to apply for campsite space
- Competitor Communications on site

### **PASSES**

We have provided your Grid Organiser with envelopes for each of you containing your wristbands and passes. Your Grid Organiser will either send these in the post to you pre-event, or make them available for collection onsite. Please check with your Grid Organiser their intended distribution arrangements.

For access to the venue, an individually barcoded TEAM wristband is required. These will allow entry from Wednesday through to Monday. The TEAM wristband is also required for access to race admin, the pit lanes, and the Competitor Campsite.

Each envelope contains:

- 5 Team wristbands (7 for two driver races), required for access to the venue and for access to the pit lane during your sessions, both race controls and the competitor campsite
- 1 Vehicle set up pass for paddock access on Wednesday and Thursday (2 for two driver races) to drop off your race car into pit garages
- 1 Competitor parking pass
   (2 for two driver races), for parking
   Friday to Sunday in either Car Park 25
   or Red Zone 24 depending on which
   grid you have entered

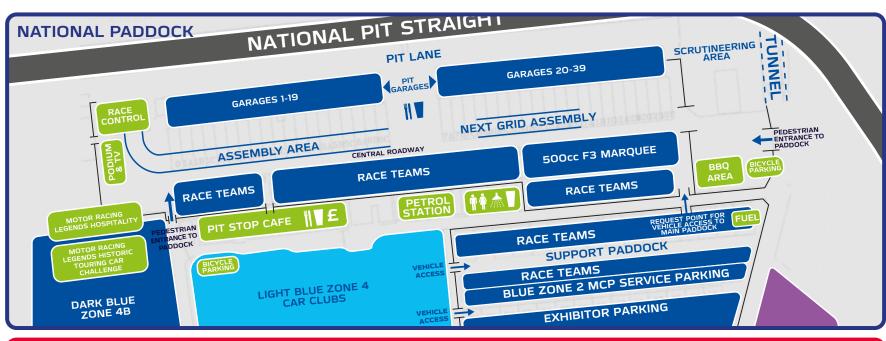
# The grids have been separated into the National and International Paddocks as per the tables (right).

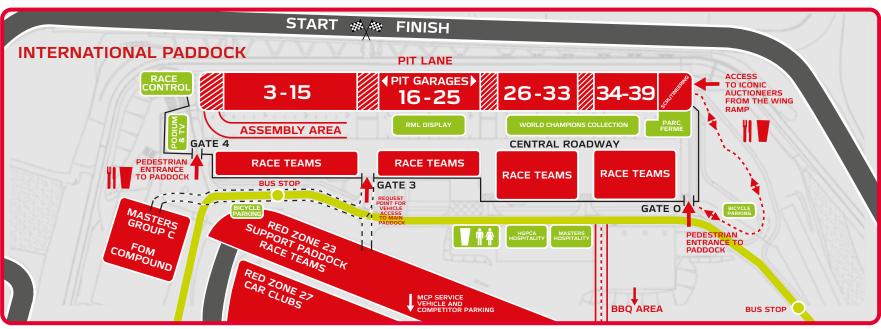
Each grid is allocated a number of pit garages or display marquees for Competitors to run their cars from. These are filled as determined by your Grid Organiser or, on a first come first served basis as Competitors arrive. If your car is prepared by a race preparer who is running multiple cars they must apply for Multicar Preparer space in the Paddock.

NATIONAL PADDOCK (DARK BLUE ZONE 1)	
Garage Number	Grid Name
Race Control	Access to pit lane from Assembly Area
1	Omologato Watches Feature
2 - 10	MRL Royal Automobile Club Woodcote Trophy & Stirling Moss Trophy MRL Royal Automobile Club Historic Tourist Trophy
11 – 25	MRL GT3 Legends
26 - 31	Derek Bell Trophy for F2/5000
32 – 39	Historic Formula Junior
Marquee	500cc F3
Dark Blue Zone 4B	Adrian Flux Trophy for MRL Historic Touring Car Challenge

INTERNATIONAL PADDOCK (RED ZONE 22)	
Garage Number	Grid Name
1-2	Access to pit lane from Assembly Area
3 - 7	HGPCA Pre '66 Grand Prix Cars
8-17	Masters Historic Racing Grids
16	Grid Walk Assembly
18 – 39	Masters Historic Racing Grids
40 – 41	Scrutineering Bay
Support Paddock (Red Zone 23)	Masters Historic Racing Grids
Marquee	World Champions Collection
FOM Compound	Masters Group C

# **COMPETITOR PADDOCK MAP**





# **PRE-EVENT**

### SIGNING-ON & TECHNICAL DECLARATION

Prior to the event, all competitors must **sign-on and submit a Technical Declaration** for scrutineering purposes. You will receive an email from HSCC with instructions on how to do this.

It is mandatory that this is completed prior to your arrival onsite.

### SITE SAFETY RULES

To ensure Silverstone Festival is compliant with all current Health and Safety legislation it is important that you read and are familiar with the separate Site Safety Rules document, which includes rules and guidance around issues such as no glass containers in the main stage area, working at height, storage and use of petroleum, speed limits and public safety.

### **MULTICAR PREPARERS**

If your car is prepared by:

 A race preparer who is running multiple cars and who prefers to use a truck and awning to prepare cars from

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 A race preparer who wishes to park their truck in the paddock, unload tools and multiple cars into pit garages and work on them there

THEY MUST APPLY FOR 'MULTICAR PREPARER' SPACE IN THE PADDOCKS.

Applications must be made by **FRIDAY 8TH AUGUST** (as previously advised) – please visit:

www.silverstonefestival.silverstone. co.uk/multicar-preparer-booking-form for more information and to apply for space.

#### Please note:

- An application does not guarantee a space
- Multicar Preparers will NOT be able to enter the site until they have filled in their application form and submitted a risk assessment and a valid copy of their public liability insurance. If they arrive onsite having not submitted these details, it will have to be filled in online there and then to gain access. There will be no exceptions to this so it is imperative that any race preparer you are employing is made aware of this.

### **MOTORHOME & CAMPING**

Motorhome and camping plots are provided free of charge to competitors at Silverstone Festival. YOU MUST BOOK A PLOT BY WEDNESDAY 13TH AUGUST.

Please visit <a href="https://silverstonefestival.silverstone.co.uk/competitor-motorhome-camping-booking-form-2">https://silverstonefestival.silverstone.co.uk/competitor-motorhome-camping-booking-form-2</a> for more information and to book a plot. Please note, motorhomes are NOT allowed in the Paddocks.



### **TESTING**

Testing is on Thursday 21st August from 09:00 to 17:00. To book testing please click **here** and follow the instructions. You'll need to provide your name, contact details, address, the number of the testing group you wish to join and card details (to make payment).

### **EXTRA TICKETS**

If you would like to purchase any additional event tickets please click here where the code **10COMPETITOR25** will be automatically applied to receive a 10% discount off tickets.

## **ARRIVAL & SET-UP - WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY**

### **ACCESS TO VENUE**

Each competitor entry will receive 5 TEAM wristbands (7 for a 2-driver race) for access to the venue. You will be able to collect your wristbands and vehicle passes from your Grid Organiser. For venue entry, each person will need to present their TEAM wristband to be scanned, please remember to scan out if leaving site so that you are able to scan back in again.

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU PROVIDE WRISTBANDS FROM YOUR ALLOCATION TO ANY MEMBERS OF YOUR TEAM, PARTICULARLY IF ANY OF YOUR TEAM ARE ARRIVING BEFORE YOU (E.G. A MULTICAR PREPARER), OTHERWISE THEY WON'T BE ABLE TO ENTER THE VENUE.

Any team members, including mechanics, arriving without a wristband from Wednesday to Sunday will have to purchase a ticket or a wristband before being allowed access.



### **WEDNESDAY 20 AUGUST**

**11:00 – 20:00** Pre-booked Multicar Preparers for set-up at rear of paddocks only. Arrival instructions will follow once an application has been made.

**11:00 – 20:00** Pre-booked Competitor Motorhome & Camping opens in Red Zone 24. Arrival instructions will follow once an application has been made

**19:00 – 20:00** Pit Garages available for dropping off race cars and tools/ spares etc. Use Competitor Set-Up Vehicle pass for vehicle access.

**20:00 STRICTLY** no access to venue for setup after 20:00

#### **THURSDAY 21 AUGUST**

**07:30** Paddock and Pit Garage access for further set-up and pre-booked testing

**08:00** Testing sign-on opens

**09:00 - 17:00** Testing

**20:00 STRICTLY** no access to venue for setup after 20:00

Please study the map on page 6 for set up access routes.

There is track activity on Wednesday 20 August. Multicar Preparers (MCPs) are not permitted to place race cars in pit garages in either paddock until 19:00. If the track activity is clear earlier than 19:00, then the paddock management team will notify MCPs when they can place cars in garages.

### **LEAVING SITE IN THE EVENING**

If leaving site for the evening on setup days (Wednesday 20 and Thursday 21) with the intention of returning after 20:00, please make sure you get a windscreen sticker at the main gate on your way out that will enable you to return to site that evening after 20:00.

### **TEAM WRISTBANDS (RED)**

Each competitor entry will receive 5 TEAM wristbands (7 for a 2-driver race) from your Grid Organiser. The TEAM wristband will be your access to the venue, by having the QR code scanned. They also allow access to the pit lane during your sessions, both race controls and the competitor campsite.

Wristbands will either need to be collected from your Grid Organiser at Customer Corner or will be distributed by your Grid Organiser pre-event. Your Grid Organiser will be able to tell you what timings they are at Customer Corner, where appropriate.

### COMPETITOR SET-UP VEHICLE PASS

This is required for vehicle access to the venue on Wednesday and Thursday to allow you to drop off your race car and any tools/spares etc. into the pit garages. You will either receive this pre-event from your Grid Organiser or will need to collect it from your grid organiser in Customer Corner on arrival. Please note this vehicle pass does not allow access until 19:00 on Wednesday and the vehicle registration number and contact number must be complete for it to be valid and for access to be granted. See the map on page 6 for routes to the paddocks.

### **COMPETITOR PARKING**

Cars can be parked in one of the two competitor parking areas (Car Park 25 for the National Paddock and Red Zone 24 for the International Paddock). For routes to the parking areas see the map on page 6. Car Park 25 is a slightly different parking location to last year so please pay attention to the map and event signage.

#### **TRAILERS**

Trailers, trucks and transporters not in use for the weekend must be parked in the competitor trailer parking area (see Red Zone 26 on the map on page 6).

#### **COMPETITOR** Silverstone **SET UP ACCESS FeSTiVaL** 22-24 AUG 2025 **ACCESS TIMES** WEDNESDAY THURSDAY **KEY** 20 AUGUST 21 AUGUST CAR PARK 26 CONTRACTOR & VOLUNTEER CAMPSITE COMPETITORS ARRIVING Up to 19:00 PRIOR TO 19:00 BECKE **■■■** MULTICAR PREPARERS 12:00 - 20:00 07:30 - 20:00 GATE 6 **◀**■■■ MOTORHOMES 14:00 - 20:00 07:30 - 20:00 COMPETITORS FOR 19:00 - 20:00 07:30 - 20:00 NATIONAL PIT GARAGES GATE 5 COMPETITORS FOR 19:00 - 20:00 07:30 - 20:00 INTERNATIONAL 10 PIT GARAGES COMPETITORS PARKING 19:00 - 20:00 07:30 - 20:00 FOR INTERNATIONAL CAR NATIONAL PITS STRAIGHT COMPETITORS PARKING 19:00 – 20:00 07:30 - 20:00 25 FOR NATIONAL PADDOCK 20 19 18 VIP, MEDIA & CAR PARK 50A PUBLIC & DISABLED CAR PARK 49 CLUB NORTH CAR PARKS PUBLIC PARKING WOODLANDS CAMPSITE DADFORD ROAD DADFORD ROAD ENTRANCE ENTRANCE ENTRANCE 5 ENTRANCE 10

# **EVENT DAYS - FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

For those driving in each day, use competitor entrances to access the site in the quickest and most efficient way on public days (Fri, Sat, Sun).

### **ACCESS TO VENUE**

Your TEAM wristband QR code gives you access to the venue during the weekend. If you are leaving site please ensure you scan out so that you are able to scan in again when returning.

### COMPETITOR PARKING VEHICLE PASS

Cars can be parked in one of the two competitor parking areas (Car Park 25 for the National Paddock and Red Zone 24 for the International Paddock). You will receive this vehicle pass from your Grid Organiser and this must be displayed in your windscreen onsite. See the map on page 9 for entry routes.

- Use the pink triangle entrance route to gain access to the National Paddock parking area (Car Park 25)
- Use entrance 10 to gain access to the International Paddock parking area (Red Zone 24)

PLEASE NOTE: THESE ENTRANCES ARE DIFFERENT TO THE MAIN GATE USED DURING SETUP DAYS.

These are designed to reduce congestion at the Main Gate each morning and will result in a quicker entry process for you.

Throughout the weekend, if competitors wish to visit friends in the other paddock, the competitor parking pass allows you to park in both Car Park 25 and Red Zone 24. Please use the route between the parking areas (Car Park 25 and Red Zone 24) of the National and International Paddocks – see route on map on page 9.

### **RESTRICTED PADDOCK ACCESS**

There will be strictly no vehicle access (other than competing cars) into the paddocks during live race timings, including for service vehicles with Service Vehicle passes. The National Paddock is restricted 07:30 – 13:30 and the International Paddock is restricted 13:30 – 19:00. The paddocks will still be accessible with Service Vehicle passes outside of these hours via the request points and under the direction of the Paddock Marshals. Request points are shown on the map on Page 9.

If your race preparer ('multicar preparer') is issued onsite with a Blue Zone 2/Red Zone 23 pass for a service vehicle they will be able to follow the routes on the map on Page 9 to gain entry to the support paddock areas. Temporary access to the paddock to drop off tools/spares etc is then by

request to the paddock management team via the request points labelled on the map overleaf. If you are a competitor operating from both paddocks but not as a multicar preparer, a pass will be issued onsite to allow temporary access to each paddock by the paddock management team for parts unloading. These can be obtained from Race Admin in either paddock and will only be given at the organisers discretion.

### **COMMUNICATIONS & RESULTS**

For race results and live timing please visit <a href="www.tsl-timing.com/event/253458">www.tsl-timing.com/event/253458</a> or scan the QR code below for live timing. Bulletins including driver changes etc will be posted to the event notice board, please visit <a href="https://hscc.org.uk/event-notice-board/">https://hscc.org.uk/event-notice-board/</a>

For timetable updates, please listen out for PA announcements and keep your phone to hand for SMS text message and/ or email updates. Please note, it is the driver's responsibility to check for timetable updates.

### **PUBLIC BUSES**

Buses will operate continuously between the Main Stage on the Village Green and the International Paddock for those wishing to move between the northern and southern sections of the infield. There is also a public bus route on the perimeter road including a stop in the infield to link with the internal bus route. See the full event map on the last page of this document for routes and timings. There will be no vehicle access in the evening through the link road from the Competitor Campsite to the Village Green. With the Main Stage now on the Village Green it is only a short walk from the Competitor Campsite to watch the evening concerts. Please do not drink and drive.

### **PADDOCK BIKES**

Bikes, buggies, quads and scooters (but not e-scooters) are welcome for personal use for transfers between the paddock and campsite areas. A Registered Service Vehicle Sticker will be required to be able to use your own vehicle. Please request this from your Grid Organiser. These vehicles may also use the internal Link road if transferring between paddocks, but please keep journeys to an absolute minimum as there is a high density of pedestrian visitors in the infield and please note that the link road will be closed in the evening after 19.30 and you will not be able to ride to the Main Stage area from the Competitor Campsite. You must stick to the designated roadways and persons riding paddock scooters/mopeds/ motorcycles/quads/buggies must hold the appropriate DVLA road licence for the same machine.

# **EVENT DAYS - FRIDAY, SATURDAY & SUNDAY**

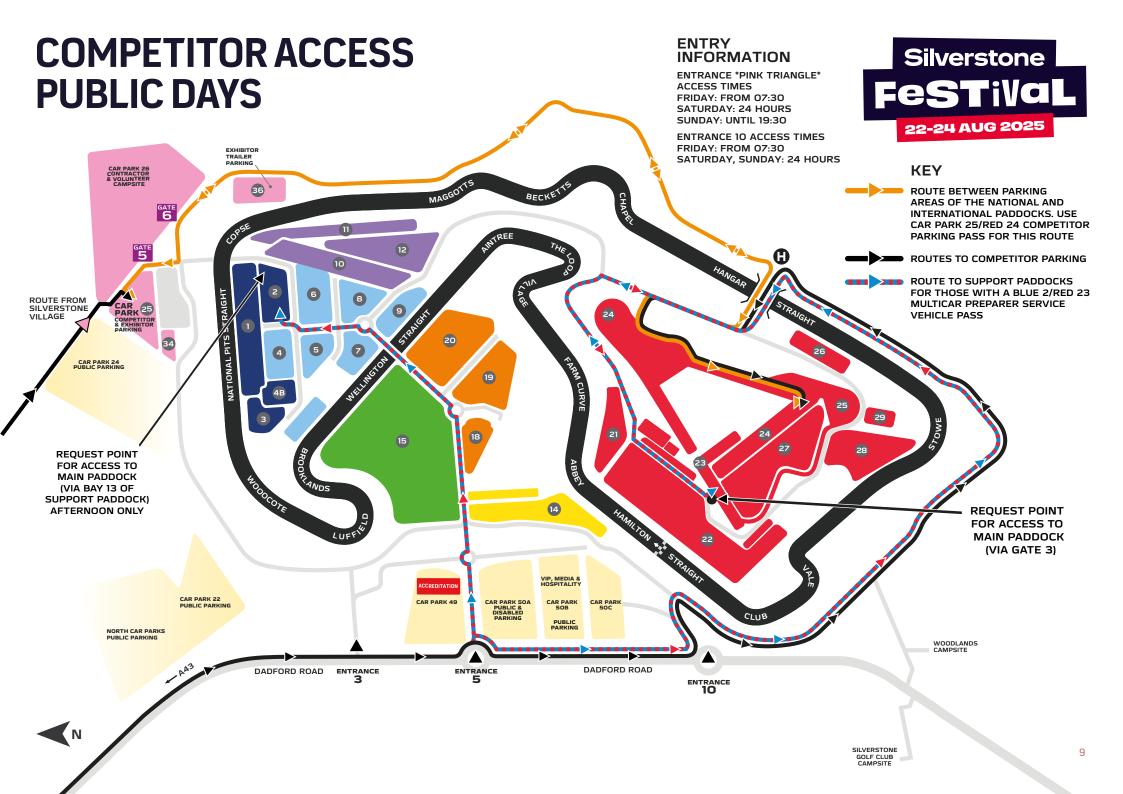
The rider must wear the appropriate safety helmet at all times and the vehicle must be road-legal, taxed and insured and must not carry any more passengers than the road-legal limit. There will be no vehicle access through the link road to the evening concerts; please do not attempt to drink and ride. It is a condition of your entry that all competitors comply with the parking arrangements and instructions regarding paddock bikes. You are responsible for your own safety, your passengers and for the safety of our many visitors.

### PLEASE NOTE: USE OF E-SCOOTERS IS NOT PERMITTED.

Failure to comply with the instructions of the stewards and marshals may result in exclusion from the meeting.

IMPORTANT TO NOTE: GLASS CONTAINERS MUST NOT BE TAKEN ANYWHERE ONSITE, INCLUDING TO THE MAIN STAGE, THEY MUST REMAIN IN COMPETITOR CAMPSITES ONLY. IF YOU ARE FOUND WITH GLASS ONSITE IT WILL BE CONFISCATED.





## **FURTHER INFORMATION**

#### LIVE STREAMING

The event will be live streamed. Friends and family can access the live stream throughout the weekend at <a href="www.youtube.com/@silverstonefestival">www.youtube.com/@silverstonefestival</a> (please note the live stream doesn't include testing on Thursday).

### BREAKDOWN – SUNDAY 19:30 ONWARDS

With live music on Sunday evening, there will still be many visitors in and around the paddocks into the evening. If you are intending on leaving before 19:30, please contact one of the paddock management team to arrange a safe departure. Please make sure your race preparer is aware of this, particularly if they wish to start dismantling awnings etc. whilst the public are on site.

Please also be aware that there are many visitors onsite attending the evening concerts until 21:30 so please remain vigilant and abide by the speed limits at all times.

If staying for the Sunday evening concerts: The National Paddock must be clear by 20:00 Sunday evening so if you wish to leave your truck onsite overnight please arrange an escort with the paddock management team to park it up in the International Paddock overnight.

The International Paddock must be clear by 10:00 on Monday 25th August and the competitor campsite will close and need to be clear by 10:00 on Monday as well.

### **BBQ & OPEN FIRES**

Barbecues and/or open fires are **NOT** permitted in the pit garages, paddocks and support paddocks. This is in the interest of safety given the large amount of fuel in use in the pits and paddock areas. If such facilities are found they will be extinguished and the multicar preparer and/or the competitor responsible may be ejected from the event and the competitor may be disqualified from competing. There will be a designated BBQ area for each paddock for multicar preparers and competitors to use – please see the Paddock Maps on page 3. The fire marshals and security have absolute authority in this respect and their instructions must be complied with.



# AUCTION PREVIEW & DRIVER'S DRINKS RECEPTION – THURSDAY

Our auction partner Iconic Auctioneers is inviting all competitors and their partners to a Drivers Drinks Reception and Auction preview on Thursday 21 August from 17:00 to 19:00 in Halls 1, 2 & 3 of the Wing. Entrance to the Auction room is via entrance 3 of the Wing building (head up to the first floor and turn left) or the Wing ramp at the Farm curve end of the International Paddock. Entry to the Auction hall at all other times is free for competitors

on production of their accreditation. Catalogues are available to purchase (£20) on entry (Red Zone 21 – see Event Map on page 9).

### **ADRIAN FLUX**

### ADRIAN FLUX: GEARED UP FOR RACE DAY

Adrian Flux is geared up to meet all your needs for race day or a classic car event with a variety of bespoke motorsport insurance deals.

Their specially created Race Vehicle Insurance covers your car if it's laid up, being transported to and from events, or being worked on in the pits.

They also offer policies for vehicle trailers and transporters used to get your car to events. Many of their customers rely on a vehicle transporter for their livelihoods, meaning they are more likely to look after them. Because of that, Adrian Flux can offer discounted premiums compared to other insurance providers.

Call 0800 085 9280 for a swift no obligation quote for your race day car or transporter.

Family owned and based in Norfolk, Adrian Flux is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.



### KEEPING TIME WITH OMOLOGATO

Omologato joins us this year as the Official Timing Partner of Silverstone Festival. Visit their special feature in Garage 1, National Paddock all weekend to explore their motorsport heritage and stunning watch collection. And if you're taking part in the Derek Bell Trophy for F2/5000, you could win a watch of your own. Omologato will be awarding an authentic Derek Bell timepiece to the winner of Race 2.



### **GRIOT'S GARAGE ARE LANDING**

As one of the US's most respected names in car care, Griot's Garage is launching its long-awaited debut with us at the Festival this summer and we're delighted to confirm that you're eligible to pick up some FREE product to help keep your car looking beautiful when you sign-on at the start of the event.

## **FURTHER INFORMATION**

### **FUEL**

Anglo American Oil Company will pump the leaded R5SR+, R6SR and the unleaded Sunoco FR in Red Zone 25 for International Paddock and the R5SR+ and Sunoco FR in National Support Paddock (Bays 30/31, Blue Zone 2) – no need to pre-book these pumped fuels.

Should you need any other Sunoco race fuels in cans or drums, including methanol or sustainable fuels, please pre-order before the event, latest by Friday 15th August. Contact details are as follows:

### **Anglo American Oil Company Ltd**

Pre-order 01929 551557 shaun@aaoil.co.uk

Onsite 07802 968016 anders@aaoil.co.uk



### LUXURY MOTORHOME HIRE WITH EMPIRE RV

Enjoy priority placement in the dedicated Competitor camping area while staying in your very own American RV.

Delivered to the Festival by Empire RV's expert team, all you need to do is turn up, check in and enjoy Silverstone Festival in pure comfort and style!

Their team will ensure your Motorhome is ready for your arrival, with services connected and beds made.

When it's all over, simply pack your things and head off having lived the RV high life during this year's Festival.

Click here <u>www.empirerv.co.uk/</u> <u>silverstone-festival</u> to book your American RV.

### **MARSHALS BBQ & RAFFLES**

In recognition of the great work that the marshals do for us all, the drivers will be putting on a BBQ for them on Friday evening at which there will be a raffle. If you wish to donate any prizes to the raffle please drop them off to the HSCC team at Race Admin on Thursday 21st August. There are likely to be raffles for marshals on Saturday and Sunday as well so don't worry if you are not there on Thursday. Please continue to leave any prizes with the HSCC team in Race Admin in either paddock throughout the weekend.

### **ONSITE SHOP**

Over the weekend, there are a couple of onsite shopping options. Head to Foodie Fest to shop the best local produce in our Artisan Market – we've got the most incredible sausages and burgers for your BBQs as well as local cheese and other fine foods. Tom the Shop will also be based in the Shopping Village bringing the convenience store (almost) to your doorstep over the weekend. Shop snacks, essentials and camping gear.

#### **FUN RUN**

Our Fun Run will take place on the full Grand Prix circuit after qualifying sessions have concluded for the day on Friday 22 August. This is being held in support of this year's nominated charity, Race Against Dementia and all runners will need to make a charity donation of £10, so you'll not only have the chance to run around the circuit, you'll also be helping to fund and support the brightest research minds to find preventative treatments and cures for dementia – faster.

You'll be able to register in advance via the website until 17:00 on Friday 15 August or visit the Race Against Dementia stand before 17:00 on the day.

### **SHIFT TO ZERO**

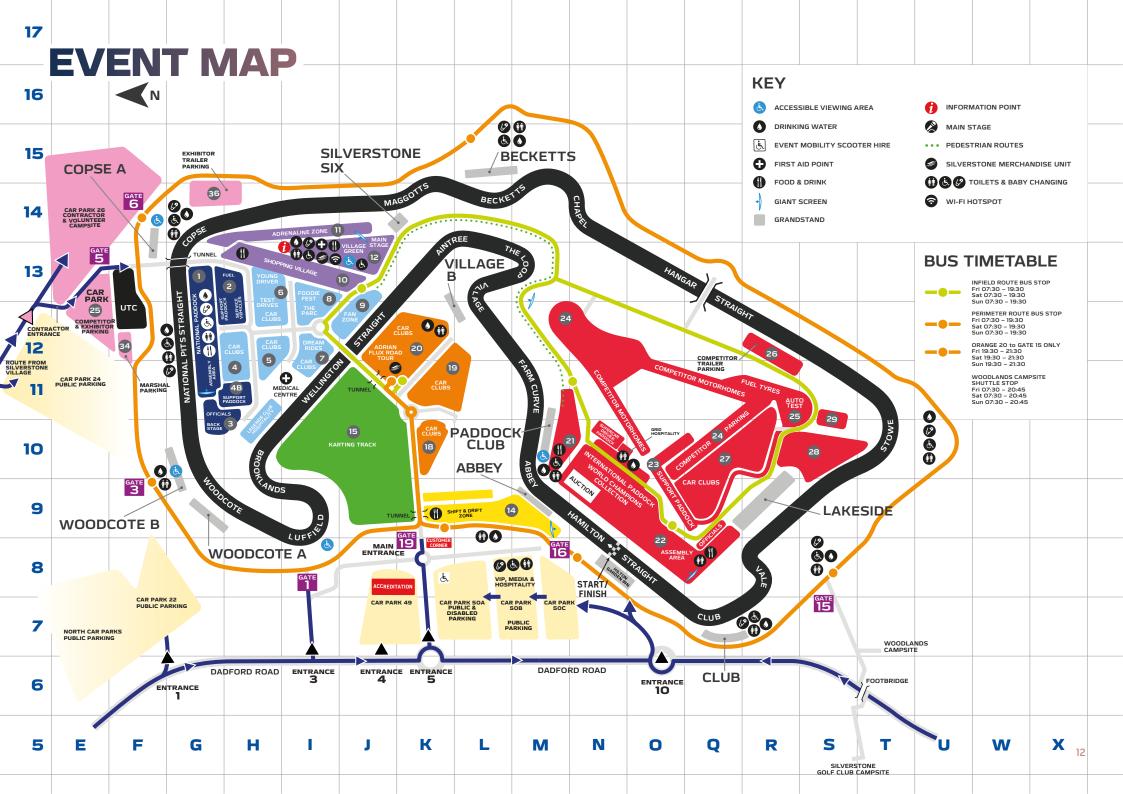
It is Silverstone's ambition to become the UK's premier leisure and business destination with motorsport at its heart and underpinned by a Shift to Zero strategy.

To help us measure the impact of Silverstone Festival on this journey to improved sustainability, we'll be circulating a simple form to capture the distance travelled to and from site each day by all drivers and support teams. We'd be really grateful if you could spare 5 minutes of your time to share this information with us. We'll be in touch on this soon. Thank you for your support.

### ON BOARD FOOTAGE

Many of you have on board cameras in use at Festival, and we are sure there is a wealth of spectacular footage recorded that we currently never get to see, and we would now encourage you to send us your footage so that we can use it in social media, the ITV4 programme and generally for posterity. So please send onboard footage, preferably as a WeTransfer link, to media@auroramedia.com with your name, car number and make, as well as the race and day the footage is from.

#### THANK YOU!



# **ORGANISATIONAL INFORMATION**

### RACE ORGANISATION & RACE CONTROL

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