

WAYPOINT RUN INFORMATION SHEET

THE MX-5 CLUB OF NSW ENCOURAGES SAFE & COURTEOUS DRIVING

The Mazda MX-5 Club of NSW Inc. has adopted a second type of run option for run organisers. Waypoint runs have been used exclusively by the Mazda MX-5 Club of Western Australia for several years and were recently adopted by the Mazda MX-5 Club of Queensland.

This information sheet is indicative of the fact that waypoint runs have no special rules other than **participants must:**

- **drive within all the road rules; and**
- **drive in a courteous manner; and**
- **drive to the prevailing conditions; and**
- **have a valid drivers licence; and**
- **hold current motor vehicle registration for their car; and**
- **accept sole responsibility for their own actions and conduct on the road.**

The Mazda MX-5 Club of NSW, its office bearers and representatives hold no responsibility for drivers' conduct on the run.

The **organiser of a waypoint event will provide:**

- **a proposed route from the start to the end destination for the run; and**
- **details of points along the way that the organiser plans to stop for a convenience and/or refreshment break, if any; and**
- **an oral and/or written briefing for the proposed route; and**
- **mobile phone contact for those who get lost or have been delayed or abandon the run; and**
- **the destination address.**

Unlike traditional convoy runs, on a waypoint event **there is/are no:-**

- ❖ **Run leader; or**
- ❖ **Sweep; or**
- ❖ **Any obligation or requirement to drive in convoy; or**
- ❖ **Look out or wait for following cars; or**
- ❖ **Follow the proposed route; or**
- ❖ **Stop at the organisers waypoints or wherever people choose to stop along the route; and**
- ❖ **Any obligation on anyone to wait for anyone else at a waypoint or change of direction.**

In essence each participant in a waypoint event drives as an individual to a destination on a route and manner of their choice. There is no obligation to drive in a bunch nor is there any prohibition of the informal formation of small bunches.

Participants should familiarise themselves with the proposed route from the Google Map with Directions link on "More Info" on the Club's Event Calendar before the run and consider having the benefit of a preprogrammed GPS with the proposed route of the run in their car.



Most of all - be safe and have fun !

