



2024 MOTORSPORT AUSTRALIA SERIES X3 NSW CHAMPIONSHIP

1 ELIGIBILITY

- i. The intent of the following regulations is to enable competitors to adequately understand and be able to prepare for the 2024 race season. The Series X3 NSW Championship is aimed at Club level competitors as an entry level motorsport class operated under Motorsport Australia guidelines and requirements.
- ii. The objective of the championship is to promote and foster the competition of racing cars complying with the Motorsport Australia regulations Specifications of Automobiles 3rd Category – Touring Cars Group 3E – Circuit Excel. Also with any specific reference to any sub-regulations or by-laws implemented by Series X3 NSW in addition to those above. The 2024 Motorsport Australia NSW Series X3 Racing Championship (the “Championship”) is open to all competitors whose vehicles comply with the Group 3E Excel rules as defined by the 2024 Motorsport Australia Manual.
- iii. To be eligible to enter any event sanctioned and/or organized by Series X3 NSW you must be a current financial member of Series X3 NSW.
- iv. To be eligible for the Series X3 NSW Association Championship, you must be a current financial member of Series X3 NSW.
- v. Should a non-financial member wish to participate in a single event, a single event membership can be applied for. The cost and approval of a single event membership is at the discretion of the Series X3 NSW Committee and will be determined on a case by case basis.
- vi. These regulations apply to current financial members of Series X3 NSW at the time of entering and/or participating in an event sanctioned by Series X3 NSW.
- vii. The regulations contained in this document are to be read and applied in conjunction with the following Series X3 NSW regulations, procedures and policies;
 - a. Series Technical Regulations
 - b. Driving Code of Conduct
 - c. Acceptable Social Media Usage Policy
 - d. Privacy Policy
 - e. Drugs and Alcohol Policy
- viii. The onus of proof of vehicle eligibility rests with the individual competitor at all times.
- ix. At the conclusion of championship races vehicles can expect to be directed to parc fermé without returning to the pits or paddock and without having been interfered with. Such vehicles shall remain under the control of the Chief Scrutineer.
- x. Any competing car may be impounded at the discretion of the Chief scrutineer in accordance with the race meeting standing regulations.



2. CATEGORY ORGANISERS

- i. The organisers of the championship shall be Series X3 NSW, herein referred to as “the Organisers;”. The Championship committee contacts are:

President	Shannon Williams	0413 550 955
Vice President	David Brown	0414 949 800
Vice President	Gary Hodges	0458 576 667
Secretary	Scott Ford	0411 833 600
Technical Officer	Jon Misfud	0410 431 193
Technical Officer	Paul Bloodworth	0475 182 421
Social Media	Nicole Williams	0417 448 533
Treasurer	Nicole Williams	0417 448 533
Category Manager / Race Secretary	Nicole Williams	0417 448 533

- ii. The Clubs website is www.seriesx3nsw.org.au

3. CATEGORY AND CLASS DEFINITION

- i. Series X3 NSW will run one championship, over two classes, with differing race formats:
- ii. **Trophy Class** – results based on the tally of place-based points during each round of the championship.
- iii. **Masters Class** – being all drivers over 45 years of age – who elect to not run in the Trophy Class. Results based on the tally of place-based points during each round of the championship.
- iv. To be eligible for the Masters Class, it will be taken as your age as at the 1st of January 2024.
- v. Drivers must nominate which class they intend to race at the time of completing their membership application.
- vi. Trophies will be awarded at each meeting for series points for each class.



4. CALENDAR

- i. The Series X3 NSW Championship will be run over three championship point scoring rounds
- ii. All Series X3 NSW Technical and Sporting Regulations apply to the events that make up the championship.

5. SERIES CHAMPIONSHIP POINTS SYSTEM

The procedure for Series X3 NSW Inc. point score for circuit racing will be as follows:

- (i) Place-getters will be awarded points in each race as per the table below, separate points will be allocated for the Trophy and Masters classes, starting at 100 points for each.
- (ii) To be eligible to participate in any Series X3 NSW Inc. Championship event, competitors must be current financial members of Series X3 NSW Inc. at the time of each meeting.

Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points	Place	Points
1	100	11	60	21	40	31	20
2	90	12	58	22	38	32	18
3	85	13	56	23	36	33	16
4	80	14	54	24	34	34	14
5	77	15	52	25	32	35	12
6	74	16	50	26	30	36	10
7	71	17	48	27	28	37	8
8	68	18	46	28	26	38	6
9	65	19	44	29	24	39	4
10	62	20	42	30	22	40	2

- (i) Note: In case of grids in excess of 40 cars all further finishers beyond P40 shall receive one (1) point only.
- (ii) DNF, DSQ and DNS will all receive 0 points.
- (iii) Should a competitor fail to finish a race, no points will be awarded to that competitor for that race.
- (iv) Should there be a tie of any positions after the championship year has concluded, a clear winner of that position shall be determined by a count-back of the number of round wins over the season and if required, the number of race wins over the season and if further required, the number of second places over the season, to determine the winner.





- (v) Competitors from other states can earn points in a single round of a NSW category event without needing registration, but participating in two or more rounds mandates registration

6. CHAMPIONSHIP

- (i) The 2024 Series X3 NSW Outright Championship will be decided by who has accumulated the highest number of points across the multiple championship point scoring events.
- (ii) The 2024 Series X3 Masters Championship will be decided by who has accumulated the highest number of points across the multiple championship point scoring events and is over the age of 45 as at the 01/01/2024.

7. CATEGORY SPONSOR SIGNAGE

- (i) Category sponsor signage must be displayed on all cars as set out in the current Series X3 NSW By Laws at each event. If sponsor stickers aren't displayed as required by the association, NO championship points will be awarded for races completed

8. VEHICLE COMPLIANCE and SCRUTINY

- i. All vehicles competing must comply with the current Motorsport Australia Technical Bulletin from the 2024 Motorsport Australia Specifications of Automobiles 3rd Category – Touring Cars Group 3E – Circuit Excel.
- ii. Each automobile will be the subject of Targeted Scrutiny, as directed Mandatory audits will be conducted as directed by the Chief Scrutineer.
- iii. Eligibility Scrutiny will be conducted as determined by the event organizers and the event staff including the Chief Scrutineer. Wherever possible, scrutiny will be undertaken in the competitor's paddock area.
- iv. Automobiles are to be presented for scrutiny in a clean, neat and tidy condition, and must be maintained throughout the event in that condition including compliance with the group 3E Excel rules.
- v. Automobiles may be weighed at the completion of any session, heat, or race during the event and must comply with the minimum weight of 1000kg including driver as specified in the Motorsport Australia Technical Bulletin from the 2024 Motorsport Australia Specifications of Automobiles 3rd Category – Touring Cars Group 3E – Circuit Excel.
- vi. Tyres must be fitted and utilised in accordance with the current Motorsport Australia Technical Bulletin from the 2024 Motorsport Australia Specifications of Automobiles 3rd Category – Touring Cars Group 3E – Circuit Excel and in conjunction with any event supplementary regulations.



9. IN-CAR CAMERA FOOTAGE AND SD CARDS

A fully operational forward facing in-car camera and video recorder in accordance with the Motorsport Australia Technical Bulletin from the 2024 Motorsport Australia Specifications of Automobiles 3rd Category – Touring Cars Group 3E – Circuit Excel is compulsory. Penalties apply for not having an operational camera.

10. GRID POSITIONS

- (i) No Grid filling. You must start in your allocated qualifying or previous race position