



## **RULES OF PARTICIPATION**

### **BMW MOTORRAD GS CHALLENGE 2023 MALAYSIA.**

1. The "BMW Motorrad GS Challenge 2023 Malaysia" (hereinafter referred to as "the Event"), is a competition event designed for motorcycling enthusiasts who wish to experience the sporting challenge of the "GS" with likeminded individuals. There is particular emphasis on the fact that this is not a racing event. The Event is not a timed competition as such, although time limits may to be imposed.
2. Participation is open to entrants with any BMW Motorrad GS models motorcycle that is licensed for road use. The Event is designed for and open to all owners of BMW GS motorcycles purchased from BMW Motorrad authorized dealer in Malaysia only or registered with BMW Motorrad authorized dealer.
3. In order to take part in the competition, participants must be prepared to subject themselves to challenges that may go beyond everyday motorcycling. This includes dirt and mud situations as determined by the weather and as is common in off-road motorcycle activities. Competitors will be challenged with riding various different course sections and tasks. These tasks may be designed to test motorcycling skills and/or knowledge as well as other tasks that may have nothing to do with motorcycling whatsoever.
4. The Event takes place on 23 and 24 September 2023. Prize for the best five participants will be a tour to the "Follow the Trails in Namibia 2024" tour (hereinafter referred to as "FTT Namibia 2024"). No cash alternative to the prizes will be offered. The prizes are not transferable. Tour details: <https://www.enduroparkandalusia.com/follow-the-trails/>
5. Participants with confirmation by BMW Group Malaysia (hereinafter referred to as "the Organizer") are required to come to the event venue at Kelab Menembak Sasaran Shapadu (KMSS) and participate in the Event on their own BMW GS motorcycle. The event is run in the GS spirit, and as such we encourage competitors to bring along their friends and relatives to join us as spectators, at their own cost and arrangement. We kindly advise to register via the website under Type B (spectators).
6. Participants will compete in a range of different tests at varying levels of difficulty to complete. In order to take part, participants must be prepared to face challenges of a non-everyday nature with their motorcycles, in the type of conditions that are typically encountered in off-road sport, and which may, depending on the weather, be considerably muddy or dusty. A participant may refuse participation in any test, but in this event, participant will not receive any points and will, if applicable, receive the maximum number of penalty points.
7. Online registration will be closed on Friday, 25 August 2023. Registration application has to be submitted via website with complete payment.

8. The Event is divided into two days:  
Day 1: All registered participants will enter the preliminary round on Saturday, 23 September 2023, with own BMW Motorrad GS models motorcycle that is licensed for road use.  
  
Day 2: Upon completing all skills test challenges from day 1, top 10 scoring riders (gender mix) will have to go through another round of riding skills test on BMW R 1250 GS (provided by the Organizer) on Sunday, 24 September 2023.
9. The best 5 riders from the Event will join the FTT Namibia 2024 tour. All finalists must use BMW Motorrad motorcycles provided by the Organizer. Any deviation to above at sole discretion of the Organizer.
10. The Event is open for Malaysian nationality, permanent resident and expatriates of any nationality to participate and test their skills.
11. Participation is open to both male and female. All participants, regardless of gender will be competing in equal basis for a place at the FTT Namibia 2024 tour.
12. Qualification for the Event is only possible when the participant is the owner of a BMW Motorrad GS models motorcycle at the time of registration date close for the Event, on Friday, 25 August 2023. The motorcycle must be purchased from BMW Motorrad authorized dealer in Malaysia only or registered with BMW Motorrad authorized dealer. Participants are required to submit copy of registration card as proof of ownership upon registration is confirmed.
13. Participants are expected to use the Organizer's motorcycles in a responsible manner. Any participant who subjects the motorcycles in what the Organizer consider to be a reckless manner shall be disqualified. The Organizer's decision shall be accepted as final. No compensations or refunds for disqualified participants will be entertained.
14. Participants are responsible for obtaining their own fuel during preliminary round except for motorcycles.
15. It is recommended to use Enduro tyres admitted for road use (e.g. Metzeler Karoo; check authorization for use). Exclusive deals from our official sponsor, Metzeler where the confirmed GS Challenge participant will enjoy special price for a set of Metzeler Karoo 4 tyres. Labour fee is excluded. For more information, kindly contact Mr. Peh +60 16 494 4888.
16. Participation is only possible with a motorcycle that is licensed and in technically flawless condition. The Organizer reserves the right to scrutineer and exclude vehicles from the event that are of dubious technical condition.
17. On the event day, at Kelab Menembak Sasaran Shapadu (KMSS), sanitary facilities such as toilets, prayer room, showers are provided. Participants must supply their own toiletries, towels, accommodation etc.
18. The entry fee for the Event is RM399. This fee includes the followings;
  - Competition fee
  - breakfast (2x), lunch (2x), dinner (1x)
  - Event jersey

- Cap

19. The entry fees exclude:

- Fuel for your own BMW Motorrad motorcycle.
- Domestic travel to event venue.
- Personal Accident Insurance.
- Cost of off-road tyres during the event.
- Motorcycle transportations.

All selected participants commit to follow ALL event programs and rules determined by the Organizer.

## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BMW MOTORRAD GS CHALLENGE 2023 MALAYSIA.**

1. Participants must be 18 years of age or above and hold a valid B full Malaysia riding license and full and valid International license.
2. Participants must not possess racing license. No instructor level or professional riders allowed. The following individuals are not entitled to take part in the Event: Staff members of BMW AG, BMW Group Malaysia, proprietors of a BMW dealership, instructors who do work for BMW Motorrad and their dealers, holders of any racing license and finalist who took part in former GS Trophy finals (2008, 2010, 2012, 2016, 2018, 2019 and 2022).
3. Participants must be in good health and excellent fitness.
4. Participants must be a current owner of a BMW Motorrad GS motorcycle. Any BMW Motorrad GS models motorcycle that is licensed for road use and purchased from BMW Motorrad authorized dealer in Malaysia only or registered with BMW Motorrad authorized dealer in Malaysia.
5. The Event is designed for hobby and amateur motorcyclists. Riders competing as experts, or above, in any form of off-road motorcycling, should not take part. The Organizer reserve the right to refuse or accept entries without dispute.
6. Scoring as per the Organizer methodology and judges' decision is final on any enquiries of disputes. Expatriates residents of Malaysia are welcome to enter to enjoy the Event experience, however will not be eligible for qualification regardless their finishing position (including top 5).
7. Participants are responsible for providing their own protective clothing, which must be worn at all times of riding and must include:
  - Full face helmets must be ECE 22-05 or equivalent and in good condition.
  - Motorcycle type gloves should be lightweight and offer dexterity in the fingers, so that you can use the motorcycle controls.
  - Motorcycle textile type road jackets and trousers are fine, providing the quilted layer can be removed, as you may get hot during some of the challenges. However, if you wish to wear the event jersey, you are encouraged to wear Off-road motorcycle protector guard.
  - Motorcycle boots MUST be off-road motocross/Enduro boots.
8. All participants must be physically capable of riding a motorcycle off-road.

9. In order to secure a place in qualifier event, you must first complete your online registration. Thereafter, you will be contacted by booking administrator within 3 working days for payment process upon passing the vehicle ownership process. Only registration with paid fees in full, will be accepted as confirm booking. **MAKING A PROVISIONAL BOOKING ONLINE DOES NOT SECURE YOUR PLACE UNLESS FULLY PAID FOR.**
10. All actions (online bookings, payments, cancellations etc.) will be communicated and confirmed to you by means of email notifications. If you are unsure about anything, kindly send us an email at [bmwmotorradgs@trad3mark.com](mailto:bmwmotorradgs@trad3mark.com)
11. Status of your booking
  - Reserved: if you have made a successful online booking with copy of vehicle registration card attached - well done, your name is on the list for this specific event! No payment has been made. You will be contacted by booking administrator within 3 working days.
  - Paid: The booking has been paid in full and therefore confirmed.
  - Cancelled: The booking has been cancelled.
12. All participants are required to sign an indemnity form upon confirmation of payment via online.
13. The Organizer reserve the right to postpone or cancel the event due to unforeseen circumstances. In such cases participants who have booked on this event will be offered an alternative date, or a refund of all monies paid.
14. If participants would like to cancel their participation, please inform booking administrator and it must be informed in writing and email it to [bmwmotorradgs@trad3mark.com](mailto:bmwmotorradgs@trad3mark.com)
15. In an unfortunate case of the client having to cancel a confirmed (fully paid) reservation, the following fees will be charged:
  - Cancellation less than 7 days prior to commencing of event – NO REFUND.
  - Cancellation more than 7 days prior to commencing of event – 10% of payment will be forfeited. Refunds will only be made after event date.
  - No refunds will be issued if the course curriculum is not completed or if participant fails to arrive for the event in time.
16. Participant's safety and enjoyment are our prime concerns while taking part in this event. We kindly ask you to respect yourself, other participants, and staffs on the event. The Organizer reserves the right to withdraw riders from the event who exhibit dangerous behavior that risks the safety of other event participants and staffs.
17. No use of alcohol allowed during or while the event is in sessions, except on during the evening.
18. The Organizer and his agents/assistants accept no liability for a participant's health risks in connection with his participation in the event. It is the responsibility of each participant to undergo a health check prior to taking part. Any medications required must be procured by the participant in sufficient quantities. The participant takes part in the event at his/ her own responsibility.
19. Participants indemnifies the Organizer without limit against any and all claims brought by third parties against the Organizer due to personal or other damage caused by the participant or vehicles used by him/her in the course of the event, insofar and as long as such claims from third parties are

not covered by the Organizer's liability insurance. The participants are fully aware that to use own motorcycle throughout this event at own risk and no claims against the Organizer. The participant is obliged to render compensation for damage occurring to the Organizer should such claims be asserted. This also includes the cost of judicial proceedings.

20. The participant agrees that any photographs, films or interviews for radio, television, Internet, print media, books, or photomechanical duplication made in connection with the event may be broadcast, published or used for publicity purposes without him having any claim for payment. The passing on of personal data to third parties, with the exception of member companies of the BMW Group, is excluded. Should participants object in retrospect to the processing or use of their data, they may disagree to it without charge.
21. By registering for the event, the participant recognizes the rules of participation. For more information, you may contact booking administrator at [bmwmotorradgs@trad3mark.com](mailto:bmwmotorradgs@trad3mark.com)

**BMW Motorrad Malaysia wish you well for the BMW Motorrad GS Challenge 2023 Malaysia.**

**We thank you for your participations and we look forward to seeing you on the event day.**