



RALLY SCHOOL BROCHURE 2020

INTRODUCTION

Arka Motorsports rally school is one of the best ways to upgrade your rally skills!

Seven Time National Rally Champion & Multiple Racing Champion N Leelakrishnan along with National Rally Champion Karna Kadur and his team will teach you how to drive on gravel or tarmac.

You have different programs to choose from. The teaching is always tailor-made to suit your skills & requirements.

Our instructors have many years of experience in Motorsports at different levels of Racing & Rallying Championships and they will help you improve your techniques and skills as a rally driver and co-driver.

The team constitutes to a little over 121 National Championship Titles as Drivers, Co-Drivers, Team & Tuners!

Please find more information on the following pages and do not hesitate to contact us further if you need assistance.





ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The Indian Rally Culture

Based in the city of Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu, which is well-known for its Motorsport history and success. The Coimbatore Rally is a part of the Indian National Rally Championship and runs its round every year by end of July. Known to be a fast and challenging rally for both man/woman & machine! Some of the best Indian National Racing & Rally Champions are from Coimbatore.

Roads Used For Your Schooling

All the roads used for your schooling are typical Coimbatore rally roads located in the region. The track & surface is replicated to suit new comers to experienced drivers. These are private roads on a single private property with no public interference.

Our Location

Arka Motorsports is situated 7Kms from the Coimbatore International Airport and the rally school stages are located about 35 kilometers – an hour's drive from the office. There's a wide range of accommodation options, if you need any assistance do get in touch with us.

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Logistics & Personnel

Once your date has been finalized, if you need an airport transfer, it could be arranged at an additional cost. Those opting to visit us at our office at the prescribed time can be driven along with our instructors to the venue and back.

Please do inform us if you are being accompanied by your co-driver / team member or any other member in advance. However, it is not recommendable to have other persons other than your co-driver to help you keep your focus on the desired objective during the schooling process.

Your Own Car

Please do inform us in advance if you would like to use your own vehicle for the course along with your crew. If you do need us to provide a technical team to oversee your vehicle during the course, that can also be accommodated, please do inform us beforehand.





OUTLINE OF THE COURSE

Here is a brief outline of the course content:

- An introduction to the course
- Event procedures (what to expect on the day)
- Safety signs and signals
- Driving theory
- Practical driving instruction
- Driving assessment
- Rules & Regulations (Please refer GP on FMSCI webpage for further information)
- Officials and their duties (Please refer GP on FMSCI webpage for further information)
- Safety clothing & equipment
- Pre-Event preparation
- Scrutineering
- Competitor behavior
- Close & course evaluation

PARTICIPANT GUIDELINES

- Minimum age: 16 (under 18s need parental / quardian present)
- Minimum height: 5ft
- Maximum height: 6ft 6in
- Maximum weight: 135Kgs
- You should be in reasonable health and able to climb in and out of the car
- You must hold a full, valid driving licence and must be able to drive manual transmissions.
- Spectators are usually welcome, however there may be small charge.

WHAT TO WEAR / BRING?

- Weather can be variable so bring a pair of carry over clothes incase if you do end up needing them.
- Hat and sun screen.
- Sunglasses
- No bare legs are permitted!
- Driving Shoes are recommended.
- Please carry your own driving gear and Helmets, we use Peltor / OMP / Stilo Intercom systems.
- A Go-Pro/Camera for your on board footage.





(A.) Rally Experience

What is this course?

This course is designed specifically for those enthusiasts who would like to first "experience" what rallying is all about. Program provides the opportunity to experience what high performance driving is all about! In addition to understanding basic car control on a gravel road, students experience the thrill of driving a purpose built machine on one course designed to challenge and expand their skills. The program concludes with a Thrill Ride from an instructor to demonstrate what is possible from a professional driver on a closed course.

What the course includes?

- Theory session for 45 minutes
- In Car Driving experience
- Basic Car Control
- Braking in a Straight Line
- Choosing the right line over the rough surface
- 4 Hot Laps with two different instructors!
- The driver stays with the same instructor for the duration of the course and benefits from the continuity and the high level of instruction.
- Each driver will take part in a timed competition to decide the driver of the day.
- Each driver will receive a rally certificate on completion of their course.
- This course represents unbelievable value for money,



(A.) Rally Experience (Continued...)

Course Duration?

Its estimated 2-hour session, number of participant's dependent! The participants will be in batches of 5 and the course will be on a one on one basis with a professional rally driver! Don't miss out.

(B.) Rally License

Thinking of going rallying? We can help you take the first step to becoming a rally driver with an FMSCI rally license.

The test is a great introduction to motorsport and will equip you will some new skills, increase your knowledge of the sport and etiquette, thus providing a higher level of safety for all involved, being driver, navigator, officials and spectators. By obtaining the license, you will have achieved a minimum standard for both the academic and practical knowledge of rallying which is essential for anyone before starting their rally career.

The assessment comprises of the following elements:

- Welcome introduction
- Briefing what to expect at your first rally, safety issues and the BARS test details
- Driving Evaluation in a chosen rally car
- Written Assessment
- De-brief

(C.) Co-Driver Course

Pleased to offer rally co-driver tuition for all levels of experience of co-driving and navigation techniques with a co-driving ace. The importance of a good co driver must never be underestimated when a team is seeking to win events or special stages.

The course is intended to cover essential topics, together with a large number of "Tips" and samples of paper work, check lists, stage procedures, communication, etc.

Rally co-drivers course covers the following:

- What does the Co-Driver Do?
- Rules and Regulations
- Navigating on Road Sections
- Timing
- Control Procedure
- Recording your Actual Time
- Types of Control
- Stage Start Routine
- Co-Driver's Equipment
- Co-Drivers Responsibilities
- On Stage-Reading the Map
- On Stage-Reading the pace notes
- Making Pace-notes and Recce
- Movements Schedule
- Service Schedules and Servicina



(D.) Day Courses

One Day Course

(Duration: 6-8 Hours)

- Optimizing
- Braking
- How to Maximize Traction
- Induce Correct Slides
- Adapt to Understeer and Oversteer
- Throttle Management
- Understand Weight Transfer

Two Day Course

(Duration: 16 Hours)

- Understand Weight Transfer Stage 2
- Throttle Management Stage 2
- Left Foot Braking Stage 2
- Adapt to Understeer and Oversteer Stage 2
- Induce and Correct Slides Stage 2
- Drive in the Proper Racing Lines Stage 2
- Optimize Braking Stage 2
- How to Maximize Traction Stage 2
- Trail Braking
- Adapt to Changing Conditions
- Pendulum Turns
- Proper Use of the Hand Brake
- Recognize and Adapt to Different Surfaces
- Recognize Limits



Three Day Course

(Duration: 24 Hours)

- Understand Weight Transfer
- Throttle Management
- Left Foot Braking
- Adapt to Understeer and Oversteer
- Induce and Correct Slides
- Drive in the Proper Racing Lines
- Optimize Braking
- How to Maximize Traction
- Trail Braking
- Adapt to Changing Conditions
- Pendulum Turns
- Proper Use of the Hand Brake
- Recognize and Adapt to Different Surfaces
- Recognize Limits
- Driving Real Roads
- Basic Understanding of Rally Navigation



(E.) Advanced & Personalized

These Advanced & Personalized Courses are Tailor-made for individuals ranging from 3 - 5 Days.

- Understand Weight Transfer
- Throttle Management
- Left Foot Braking
- Adapt to Understeer and Oversteer
- Induce and Correct Slides
- Drive the Proper Rally Line
- Optimize Braking
- How to Maximize Traction
- Trail Braking
- Adapt to Changing Conditions
- Pendulum Turns
- Proper Use of the Hand Brake
- Recognize and Adapt to Different Surfaces
- Recognize Limits
- Driving Real Roads
- · Basic Understanding of Rally Navigation
- Handbrake with Downshift
- Linking Corners
- Acute Corners
- Overlapping Pedal Inputs
- Reading Roads
- Processing Pace Notes

HOT LAPS / THRILL RIDES

Ever dream of what it's like to ride shotgun in a fully prepared rally car with a professional driver?

Our Thrill Ride is designed to show just how quick a rally car can go on gravel, mud, and anything else a road might throw at you.

Secured in place with a racing harness, helmet and roll cage, your only task is to sit back and enjoy the ride over our challenging, action packed roads that include hairpin, pendulum, and handbrake turns, and plenty of high speed sideways action.





DRIVER DEVELOPMENT

Arka Motorsports Academy offers a completely integrated progression for driver development program, designed with flexibility for each participant according to their capabilities and driving history.

We have the ability to develop a driver with no experience, and progress through stages of development to compete in top levels of motorsport. Through detailed planning and calculated steps, we will design a schedule, which follows a structured path but also allows for variation when needed. Because each program is unique to each person, it can be molded and adapted depending on results and performance.

Our Driver Development Program offers both front and all-wheel drive cars as an integral part of training in preparation for driving a fully prepared stage rally car.

As an example of how a program may be personalized for each student, a driver with extensive rally experience may begin with private coaching courses, whereas the progression for a student with limited rally driving experience may include the following:

- Three Day Ultimate Rally Experience
- Two Day Advanced
- Private Coaching in a school car first then the rally car
- Private Coaching with Arka Motorsports Technicians discussing car preparation and setup



DRIVER DEVELOPMENT

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 For a student with little rally driving experience, the schedule in the previous page is strongly recommended for success in the top level cars, regardless of other motorsports experience. Because each student in the Development Program will require a personally designed curriculum.

We have the following special packages for Driver Development Program. Please call or write to us for more details.

- Volkswagen Package
- Toyota Package

CORPORATE ACTIVITY

CORPORATE ACTIVITY & TEAMBUILDING

Do you think your team needs a morale booster?

Corporate team-building and employee-incentive events for companies?

- Experiences start from inexpensive and quick options such as rides in a rally car with one of our instructors.
- Course offerings include rally driving, schools, offroad driving, for individuals & private companies.
- Courses offer educational and recreational experiences appropriate for all abilities.

Call or write to us for a detailed discussion & we will assure you the most exhilarating experience! You can find our contact details at the end of this brochure.



THE INSTRUCTORS

N. Leelakrishnan

- Six Time Indian National Rally Champion 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1998 & 2001
- Formula 3 (India) Champion
- Indian Touring Car Champion
- Driver mentor & evaluator at Toyota Etios Motor Racing Program 2012-2015
- Key teams associated MRF Rallying, JK Rallying, Team Yokohama India, Mahindra Adventure, Toyota Etios Motor Racing, Toyota Thums Rally Team, Maruti Suzuki Motorsports.

Karna Kadur

- Indian National Rally Champion 2016
- Indian National Rally Champion INRC 2 2018, 2016
- Indian National Rally Champion INRC 1600, 2015
- Indian National Rally Champion Group N 2011
- Rally Star Cup Winner 2009
- Driver mentor & evaluator at Toyota Etios Motor Racing Program 2012-2015
- Key Teams associated Team Kadur, Red Rooster Racing, Red Rooster Performance, Team Mahindra Adventure, Team Yokohama India, Team Arka Motorsports, Team JK Tyre Rallying



THE INSTRUCTORS

Nikhil Pai

- Indian National Rally Champion INRC 2 Co-Driver, 2018, 2016.
- Indian National Rally Champion Co-Driver INRC, 2016
- Indian National Rally Champion Co-Driver INRC 1400, 2009
- Indian National Rally Champion Co-Driver INRC 1400, 2002
- Regional TSD Champion Co-Driver (2W), 1997.
- Key Teams associated Team Kadur, Red Rooster Racing, Red Rooster Performance, Team Yokohama India, Team Arka Motorsports, Team JK Tyre Rallying.

Rahul Kanthraj

- Indian National Rally Champion INRC 2, 2017
- Indian National Rally Champion INRC 2L, 2015
- Indian National Rally Champion INRC 2L, 2014
- Indian National Rally Champion INRC 1600, 2010
- Indian National Autocross Champion INAC 1400, 2013
- Indian National Rally Champion INRC Novice, 2001
- Key Teams associated Team Yokohama India, Team Arka Motorsports.





THE MACHINES

The following mentioned are the Rally cars which will be used for all the activities held at Arka Motorsports Academy.

- Toyota Etios Liva
- Volkswagen Polo
- Mitsubishi Cedia
- Maruti Suzuki Esteem

CONTACT

Please do not hesitate to contact us further if you need any assistance.

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REFUND & CANCELLATION

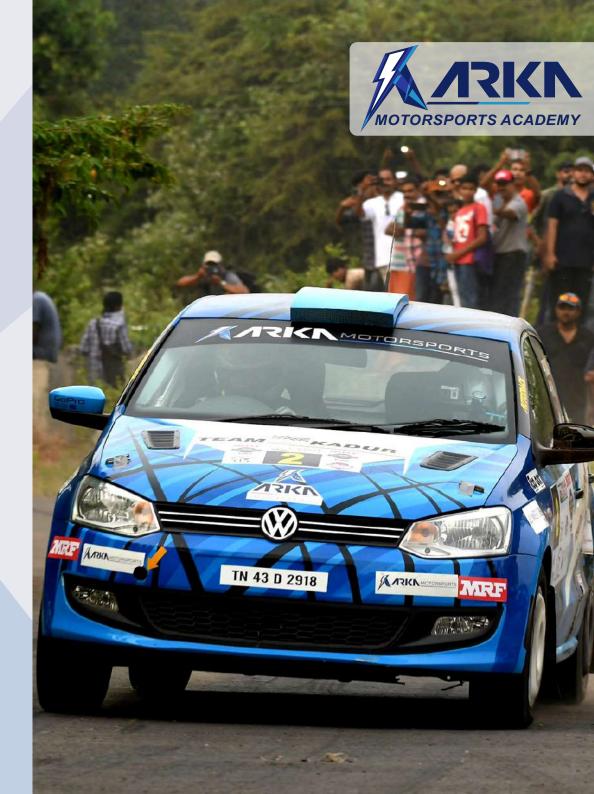
REFUND & CANCELLATION POLICY

Tuition is always transferable. Tuition is refundable minus a 15% cancellation fee up until 2 weeks before the class.

You may reschedule your class up until 14 days' prior for no fee. No reschedules can be made with less than 14 days' notice.

In the unlikely event we have to reschedule your class due to weather or other unforeseen circumstances, we will give you a minimum of 48 hours' notice of a potential conflict. If you're travelling here from out-of-state, travel insurance is suggested.

In the event of a delay or reschedule, we will be as accommodating as possible to find another class that fits your schedule.



TERMS & CONDITIONS

These are the following terms and conditions with Arka Motorsports Academy. Please read carefully for all course bookings.

<u>Important</u>

We ask you to please read the terms and conditions carefully; we want you to be fully informed and if there is anything you would like explaining more fully, please ask, we are here to help.

All complaints need to be put in writing. Any dispute arising under these terms and conditions shall be subject to Coimbatore iurisdiction.

<u>Accidental Damage</u>

In the event of a damage or an accident; all charges will be debited to the concerned participant on actual cost to repair. Arka Motorsports will have the final say in the preparation of the damage estimate.

Your Commitment

- No Alcohol can be consumed before or during the course and
 we reserve the right to refuse participation on a course to
 persons we suspect to be under the influence of alcohol
 and/or drugs. In such circumstances, Arka will not rebook the
 course or make any refund. All Courses require the wearing of
 an approved crash helmet, this is mandatory and there are no
 exceptions.
- Be able to competently drive a manual gearbox



Public Liability Indemnity

The very nature of our driving courses mean that some personal risk may be involved in taking part in the activities we offer and you should be aware of this when booking.

We require the driver's signature on a registration form before participation is allowed. On this form you will certify you are medically fit to undertake and participate in the Course. Please note that some medical conditions preclude certain drivers from taking part. For further details, please speak to a member of our team. Arka Motorsports Academy does not provide personal insurance to drivers

Own car' Tuition Courses

When using your own car at Arka Motorsports Academy, you are solely responsible for the condition and worthiness of the vehicle to participate in the Course and you accept full financial responsibility for any damage to your car, however caused.

Age, Height and Weight Restrictions

Our Courses have age, height and weight restrictions imposed; minimum age 14, minimum height 5ft, maximum height 6ft 6" and maximum weight (135Kgs)

Changes

We reserve the right to make changes to the advertised prices, but of course, this will not affect you if you have already booked and paid for a Course.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Force Majeure and the Weather

All our Courses are offered subject to availability of dates, vehicles, facilities and of course the weather and there can be no guarantee that a particular date will not be withdrawn due to extreme adverse weather conditions. If we are unable to run your Course due to extreme adverse weather conditions or other events beyond our control such as any governmental restrictions, adverse weather, riot, commotion, acts of God, industrial action, breakdown of plant or any failure of gas, water services, electricity etc., we will let you know with as much notice as possible. In such circumstances, your course will be rescheduled.

Accommodation & Transportation

Arka Motorsports Academy, will not provide accommodation or transportation facility to the venue. Participants should arrange their own accommodation and transportation. There are many hotels available in close proximity to the venue. For any recommendation / assistance you may contact our team for further insight.

Registration and Reporting

- Training seats are allotted on receiving the completed and submitted registration form, along with the indemnity document, ID proof and the full payment for the course chosen.
- Seats for the batches are limited and will be allotted on first come first serve basis.



 Applicants below 18 years of age should submit the form and other documents duly signed by a parent or guardian.
 Applicants below 18 years of age who do not have parents/guardian consent will not be considered.

Others

- We reserve the right to alter the programme for, and the content of, any course.
- You will comply with our directions and instructions at all times
 during the course and we reserve the right to prevent your
 participation, at any time, in the course if you fail to do so
 and/or if we do not consider your behavior to be reasonable
 or responsible and/or we consider you are unfit to drive for
 reasons of health or consumption of alcohol and/or drugs,
 and in such event you will not be offered an alternative date
 for a course or be offered a refund of the course fee, and any
 voucher will be cancelled.
- Before participation on the course, you (and if you are aged under 18, your parent or guardian) will be required to sign a form of Declaration and Indemnity in the form annexed. Without signing this you will be unable to take part.
- You may, by prior arrangement and agreement with us, be accompanied on the course by third parties who may spectate only, provided they sign a Spectator's Undertaking and Indemnity.
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