

Guidelines for FIVA WORLD EVENTS



1. Introduction

- 1.1.** The FIVA WORLD EVENT concept is an important category for FIVA and should therefore represent the "Spirit of FIVA" in a special way and direct the emphasis towards companionship, friendship, discovery of the landscape and culture with a relaxed driving schedule throughout.
- 1.2.** It highlights FIVA's goal to keep Historic Vehicles on the public roads and is set to present and promote the historic vehicle heritage movement to the general public in a sympathetic and professional way.
- 1.3.** All relevant documents like the FIVA Events Code (FEC), the Rules and Regulations for Touring and Regularity Events and the Event Online application form can be found on the FIVA Website (see Appendix 7) or go to www.fiva.org

2. Guidelines

- 2.1** Every year the Events Commission can approve one or more FIVA World Events for Cars, for Motorcycles and for Utilitarian vehicles, or any combination of these. Applications for a FIVA World Event for any of these categories can be made at any time and the EC will consider geographic and national interests when evaluating events for approval. Those approved will be registered on the FIVA Events Calendar fee-free (see Art. 4.5. FEC).
- 2.2.** The FIVA World Event can be organised by an ANF, another FIVA National Member club, a general Historic Vehicle Club or a (preferably non-profit) Historic Vehicle Event Organisation with a proven history in organising such events.
- 2.3.** Each event application will be subject to due diligence by the EC before approval.

- 2.4.** Each World Event should be open to all makes of vehicles and all FIVA categories of Historic Vehicles can be accepted. Preference will be given to organisers who accept most, if not all, FIVA vehicle categories. The inclusion of FIVA Youngtimers will also be encouraged.
- 2.5.** The general format of the Event should be of such a nature to allow a modest entry fee, thus allowing a broad variety of enthusiasts to participate.
- 2.6.** The emphasis should be on touristic aspects with only minor (if any) non-timed sporting components (e.g. Code Boards) to discover the beauty of the landscape and to allow for some social and relaxing activities. The duration of the Event should cover a time span of at least 4 days.
- 2.7.** Once approved, the event will receive special promotion on the FIVA Website as well as on FIVA Social Media platforms. The EC will work with the organising team to devise a promotional plan to obtain maximum exposure for the Event, for FIVA and, where possible, FIVA Partners.
- 2.8.** As these are automatically International Category Events a FIVA Steward will be appointed in order to monitor adherence to the FIVA Events Codes during the event and provide a written report to the Organisers(s) and Events Commission within 14 days of the event finishing.
- 2.9.** The FIVA Events Commission International Award will be presented to the Organiser during the Awards ceremony through a FIVA-Representative. There should also be a special award, at the discretion of the FIVA Steward, for vehicles that have a valid FIVA ID card presented at vehicle scrutineering.

3. How to submit a FIVA World Event application

- 3.1.** To submit an event as a FIVA World Event the applicant must complete the Online event application form naming the event as "FIVA World Event for Cars", or Motorcycles, or Utilitarian or any combination of these. The remainder of the form can be completed with what is planned, e.g. Organiser, Location, Dates, Vehicle Classes, etc. The Online application form can be found by clicking the link here: <https://fiva.org/en/commissions/events-commission/feaf/> or see Appendix 7
- 3.2.** The Events Commission will review each application and will apply due diligence in order to ensure that the event and its organisers meet the standards expected by the Events Commission. Applicants may be asked to submit additional information to assist the Events Commission in its deliberations and applicants will be notified of the outcome.
- 3.3.** Please be aware that there can be more World Event submissions than there are vacancies in the FIVA Calendar, so please submit your application at least one year ahead of the proposed date of the event. The selected events will be presented and promoted at the FIVA GA each year.

For the latest information always visit our website at <https://fiva.org/en/commissions/events-commission/>

