

# **RALLY GUIDE 2**

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JRC competitors must refer to the Japanese version.











# **ATTENTION**

Competitors, teams, media and all the concerned perspnnel must observe traffic laws and regulations of Japan. In accordance with principle of law observation, the Organizer hereby reminds you:

- Per 2017 FIA Regional Rally Sporting Regulations 20.4, violators of traffic laws/regulations will be strictly penalaized.
- Applications from the past violators may not be accepted for the future events
- Violations of traffic laws/regulations during the event may cause fatal impact on the continuity of the on-going event and/or staging future events.

Here are some road rules in Japan that differ from international standards, but that will be strictly enforced. In particular:



with the exception of stop signs which are an inverted triangular shape (similar to 'Give Way' signs in other countries).

All cars must stop at EVERY railway crossing and watch for trains, before proceeding.

Road signs generally comply with the international system,

Don't exceed the speed limit which is 40km/h in built up areas, unless otherwise indicated, and 60km/h elsewhere. Speed limits on expressways are 70km/h.

Also, international visitors should be aware that a valid Japanese license or International Driving Permit is required for driving on public roads. International Driving Permits MUST be issued under the 1949 Geneva Traffic Convention and this will be stated on the front of the document. Please contact the organisers if you are unable to obtain such a license. German, French, Swiss, Italian, Belgian or Taiwanese driving license holders may request a translation of their license from JAF (local ASN of Japan). The combination of this translation and your driving license is valid as an alternative to the 'Geneva Convention' International Driving Permit. Except the above driving license holders, anyone wishing to drive in Japan will be required to switch your license to Japanese one (Gaimen Kirikae). The detail of Gaimen Kirikae is on the website:

http://www.jaf.or.jp/e/switch.htm

See article 8 for more detail.













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# 1. Introduction / Event overview



# 1.1 Welcome from the Mayor of Obihiro City

On behalf of the citizens of Obihiro City, we extend warm welcome to all competitors, crews, all the concerned personnel and spectators to Rally Hokkaido 2017.

This round of FIA Asia Pacific Rally Championships, where crews streak through the vast land of Tokachi, will have its 16th opening this year since it became a joint event with Japan Rally Championship round to be Rally Hokkaido.

The event is jointly hosted by one city and four towns in Tokachi region. Last year, our region was hugely damaged by typhoons, but thanks to the effort by persons concerned the event was successfully held under good weather grounded with approx 28 000 people onioning the charm of Tokachi.





Rally Hokkaido is the only international rally championship round held in Japan, and has become a regular event many fans are eagarly waitint for. I would like to say I am truly glad that Tokachi is hosting the Rally Hokkaido every year, accumulating more experiences and results year by year.

Wishing the Rally Hokkaido to be a great place and opportunity for rally fans, crews, team personnel and related people to meet new friends, people in this region are united together and welcome all the people concerned, with "omotenashi", warm hearts of hospitality

Here in Tokachi, we are promoting reginonal industry policy "Food Valley Tokachi", with "Food" and "Agriculture and Fishery" as its main pillars. And during the event, you can enjoy dishes featuring local food materials Tokachi is proud of, in the Service Park, too. I hope you will enjoy the beautiful scenery and foods this region offers as well as the Rally Hokkaido, and make your memory of the event uforgettable one.

As a closing remark, we sincerely wish this event is held safely, and will be the most exciting event in its history with everyone enjoying the rally to the fullest – and we wish the best rallying for all the competitors and the crews.

YONEZAWA Norihisa Mayor, City of Obihiro











#### 1.2 Event overview

This wil be commemorative 16th FIA Asia Pacific Rally Championship event to be held in Japan since its inaugural event back in 2002. The event is loved by local citizens, and there is a event monument of Rally Hokkaido whose plate is renewed every year, in front of the Obihiro railway station. In 2003 the Rally Hokkaido became the candidate event of the World Rally Championship, and in 2004 it was run in conjunction with the inaugural WRC Rally Japan. However, from 2005 the two events were held separately and Rally Hokkaido became independent event again. Since then, the rally has been co-held with the Japanese Rally Championship and it is the only FIA international championships rally event held in Japan.

This year the rally will be held in mid September, a week earlier than the previous year's event. The weather around the mid-September in Tokachi region of Hokkaido is typical early-autumn with relatively more rainfalls. Average temperature in September there is around 16 degrees celsius. It is cold in the morning and night, but you can feel the warmth of the sunlight during the day. Tokachi has about 12 hours of daylight, beginning with the sunrise around 0506hrs.

The itinerary covers well-known land of Tokachi region. Spectator points will be prepared in 5 of the stages, which are RIKUBETSU, Sammy SATSUNAI(OBIHIRO), HONBETSU, OTOFUKE, and PAWSE KAMUY (ASHORO).

The Rally HQ and Media Centre will be located at the administration building of the Meiji Hokkaido Tokachi Oval Skating Rink in Obihiro city, the same location as the previous year. The main service park will be located at Kita-Aikoku Community Square, which was used as the main Service Park of WRC Rally Japan. In addition, service will be provided in RIKUBETSU on Leg 1, same as the previous year.

Past winners of the event are as follows:

	2016 Winner
Driver	Gaurav GILL (IND)
$C_{\text{o-driver}}$	Stephane PREVOT (BEL)
Entrant	TEAM MRF
$V_{ ext{ehicle}}$	Skoda FABIA R5





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Year	Driver	Co-driver	Entrant	Vehicle	Gp/CI
2015	Pontus TUDEMAND	Emil AXELSSON	TEAM MRF	Skoda Fabia	RC2
	(SWE)	(SWE)		S2000	
2014	Jan KOPECKY	Pavel DRESLER	TEAM MRF	Skoda Fabia	RC2
	(CZE)	(CZE)		S2000	
2013	Gaurav GILL	Glenn MACNEALL	TEAM MRF	Skoda Fabia	RC2
	(IND)	(NZ)		S2000	
2012	Toshihiro ARAI	Dale Jay MOSCATT	Team Arai (J)	Subaru Impreza	R4
	(J)	(AUS)		WRX STi 4Door	
2011	Toshihiro ARAI	Daniel BARRITT	Subaru Team Arai (J)	Subaru Impreza	R4
	(J)	(GB)		WRX STi	
2010	Toshihiro ARAI	Daniel BARRITT	Subaru Team Arai (J)	Subaru Impreza	N4
	(J)	(GB)		WRX STi	
2009	Cody CROCKER	Ben ATKINSON	Motor Image Rally Team	Subaru Impreza	N4
	(AUS)	(AUS)	(SGP)	WRX STi	
2008	Toshihiro ARAI	Glenn MACNEALL	Subaru Team Arai	Subaru Impreza	N4
	(J)	(NZ)	(J)	WRX STi	











# 1.3 Information about Tokachi, Japan

Hokkaido is the northernmost island of Japan, and has a population of 5.6 million people. Comparing the population density to the nationwide average, 342 people per square km, and the figure of Tokyo, 5,629 per square km, Hokkaido has only 67 people per square km, thus, it is relatively sparsely populated. The island has vast areas of forest, mountains and agricultural land.

It is located around the same latitude as northern part of Italy and France. However, due to the effect of South Pacific Current, Hokkaido has long and cold winters. In most parts of Japan, summer is a season where typhoons affect its weather, but Hokkaido redeoves relatively low impact from them.

In appearance the Tokachi countryside is similar to some of the northern States of the U.S, and some people say its stages are somewhat similar to the ones in Wales. Its land is relatively flat and mainly agricultural. A mountain range running from the north to south divides the island and another mountain range runs from the center towards the west, and these two range brings preferranble effect on Tokachi weather. The rally roads are in the flat Tokachi basin and some head into the foothills of the mountain ranges, but the route is not mountainous.

Hokkaido is a relatively new area in Japan, whose development began around 200 years by pioneers from the main island, Honshu. Prior to that, this island's only residents were native people called Ainu, who originaly came from Siberia through Kamchatka peninsula. Due to this, many of the towns, places, rivers and mountains are named in Ainu language, and Rally Hokkaido named its stages based on Ainu words.

Obihiro, where the main Service Park is located, is a city with approximately 170,000 inhabitants. It is a modern looking city and is well serviced with hotels and restaurants due to its role as a regional business centre. There is well laid-out and signposted (in English as well as Japanese) road system. All roads are named from a central point according to their direction and distance from that point. For example, the address of the popular Tokachi Beer restaurant is West 1, South 9-6.

Many of the local residents are very enthusiastic about motor sport. International rally events have taken place since 2001 - from 2004 to 2007, WRC was also held here. That is why rally sport is well understood and supported by the locals.

Maps of Obihiro city is attached as Appendix B.













# 2. Contact details



#### 2.1 Permanent contact details email and internet addresses

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# 2.3 Location of Rally HQ, Kita-Aikoku Service Park and Rikubetsu Service

Rally HQ

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The Rally HQ and Media Centre will be established in the administration building of the Meiji Hokkaido Tokachi Oval Ice Skating Rink, the same location since the event in 2011. This



building is located to next to the Tokacih Oval, and was used as a media center during the ice skating world cup. The main service park will be established in Kita-Aikoku Community Square and another service area will be in Rikubetsu, next to the Rikubetsu circuit. For the locations of Kita-Aikoku Service Park, Rikubetsu Service Area and the Rally HQ, please refer maps in Appendix B.

#### Rally HQ Operaiton hours

Wednesday	13 September	0900hrs – 1900hrs
Thursday	14 September	0800hrs - 1900hrs
Friday	15 September	0530hrs - 2130hrs
Saturday	16 September	0530hrs - 2200hrs
Sunday	17 September	0430hrs - 2100hrs
Monday	18 September	0900hrs - 1200hrs

#### 2.4 Media contact details

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# 2.5 Media centre contact details

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# 3. Programme and critical deadlines



# 3.1 Schedule before the rally week

Friday	25 August		
1000hrs	Publi	cation of Rally Guide 2	www.rally-hokkaido.com
1800hrs	Closi	ng date for entries	Permanent Secretariat
1800hrs	Closi	ng date for co-driver details	Permanent Secretariat
1800hrs	Dead	lline for ordering extra material or equipment	Permanent Secretariat
1800hrs	Closi	ng date for helicopter registration	Permanent Secretariat
1800hrs	Dead	lline for ordering pump fuel from the organisers	Permanent Secretariat
Thursday	31 August		
1800hrs	Clos	ing date for media accreditation applications	Permanent Secretariat
Thursday	7 September		
1000hrs		ication of Seeded Entry List	www.rally-hokkaido.com
1800hrs		ication of Service Park layout and service	www.rally-hokkaido.com
	bay	allocations	
Cundov	10 Contombor		
Sunday	10 September		
1000hrs	Publi	ication of Road Books and Route Map	Permanent Secretariat

3.2 Schedule during th	ne rally week	
Manday 11 Cartar	ah an	
Monday 11 Septem 0900hrs	Service Park open for competitor bump-in, and delivery of sea containers	Kita Aikoku Service Park
Wednesday 13 Septer	mber	
0900hrs	Rally Headquarters opens	A bldg.next to Tokachi Oval
0900hrs - 1900hrs	Opening hours of the Rally HQ	Rally HQ
0900hrs	Official notice board to be set up	Rally HQ Foyer
0900hrs	Scrutineering schedule to be posted	Official Notice Board
1300hrs- 1900hrs	Registration for reconnaissance, service vehicle registration, collection of material for competitors, administrative checks.	Rally HQ
1300hrs - 1900hrs	Opening hours of the Media Centre	Media Centre
1300hrs	Media Accreditation commences	Media Centre
Thursday 14 Septer	mber	
0800hrs - 1900hrs	Opening hours of the Rally HQ	Rally HQ
0800hrs - 1900hrs	Opening hours fof the Media Centre	Media Centre
0900hrs - 1800hrs	Stages open for Reconnaissance	Refer to Recce Schedule
0830hrs - 1900hrs	Scrutineering, marking and sealing of components	Super Pit Chu-oh Ten
1930hrs -	Welcome Party	Kita Aikoku Service Park



1200hrs







Rally HQ



Friday 15 Septem	ber	
0530hrs - 2130hrs	Opening hours of the Rally HQ	Rally HQ
0530hrs - 2130hrs	Opening hours of the Media Centre	Media Centre
0600hrs - 1200hrs	Stages open for Reconnaissance	See Recce Schedule
0830hrs - 1230hrs	Scrutineering, marking and sealing of components	Super Pit Chu-oh Ten
1200hrs - 1300hrs	Shakedown	Sammy SATSUNAI SSS
1330hrs	First Stewards meeting	Stewards' Meeting Room
1430hrs	Pre-Event Media Conference	Media Centre
1500hrs	Publication of Start List for Leg 1	Official Notice Board
1500hrs	Media Briefing	Media Centre
1545hrs	Rally Show	Kita Aikoku Service Park
1645hrs	Ceremonial Start	Kita Aikoku Service Park
1737hrs	Start of Leg 1 A	Kita Aikoku Service Park
Saturday 16 Septem	ber	
0530hrs - 2200hrs	Opening hours for Rally HQ	Rally HQ
0530hrs - 2200hrs	Opening hours for Media Centre	Media Centre
0600hrs	Start of Leg 1 B	Kita Aikoku Service Park
2100hrs	Publication of Start List for Leg 2	Official Notice Board
Sunday 17 Septem	ber	
0430hrs - 2100hrs	Opening hours for Rally HQ	Rally HQ
0430hrs - 2100hrs	Opening hours for Media Centre	Media Centre
0500hrs	Start of Leg 2	Kita Aikoku Service Park
1740hrs	Finish Ceremony, trophy presentation and Final	Kita Aikoku Service Park
	Media Conference	
1810hrs	Post event scrutiny	Super Pit Chu-oh ten
1910hrs	Posting of provisional classifications	Official Notice Board
2100hrs	Media Centre closes.	Media Centre
Monday 18 Septem	ber	
0900hrs - 1200hrs	Opening hours for Rally HQ	Rally HQ
1000hrs	Issuance of Results CD	Rally HQ

Rally HQ closes.













# 4. Entries



# 4.1 FIA Titles for which the rally counts

FIA Asia-Pacific Rally Championship for Drivers and Co-drivers FIA Asia-Pacific Rally Cup for Manufacturers FIA APRC 2 Championship for Drivers and Co-drivers FIA APRC 3 Championship for Drivers and Co-drivers FIA APRC Junior Championship for Drivers

FIA Asia Rally Cup for Drivers and Co-drivers FIA Asia-Pacific Rally Cup powered by Würth

# 4.1.1 Asia-Pacific Rally Championship titles for which the rally counts

**APRC Team Award** 

APRC 2 Asia Cup

APRC 3 Asia Cup

APRC Alternative Energy Vehicle (AEV) Cup

# 4.1.2 JAF titles for which the rally counts

2017 Japanese Rally Championship

# 4.1.3 JMA titles for which the rally counts

2017 Japan Super Rally Series

# 4.2 Entry Package

Item	APRC and / or Asia Cup registered competitors	Other APRC or Asia Cup competitors	JRC competitors
Rally Guide 1	To be downloaded	To be downloaded	To be downloaded
	from the website	from the website	from the website
Supplementary Regulations	To be downloaded	To be downloaded	To be downloaded
	from the website	from the website	from the website
Rally Guide 2	To be downloaded	To be downloaded	To be downloaded
	from the website	from the website	from the website
Road Books	2	1	1
Route Map	2	1	1
Official programme	4	1	1
Results CD	1	1	1
Competitor credential passes	2	2	2
Service credential passes	8	4	4
Guest credential passes	4	-	-
Service vehicle passes	2	2	2
Auxiliary vehicle passes	1	-	-
Service Space	15x10m	7.5x5m	7.5x5m
(Kia Aikoku Service Park)			











Würth driver's kit	1	1	-
Würth mini driver's kit	-	-	1

# 4.3 Additional passes and materials

Please contact the rally secretariat for purchases of additional passes and materials Order form is included as an appendix of the Rally Guide 1.



# 5. Service Park and Rikubetsu Service



#### 5.1 Information about the Service Parks

There will be two service parks to be established in this event, including Rikubetsu Service. The main Service Park will be located in Kita Aikoku Community Square, and the other service park, Rikubetsu Service area will be located next to the Rikubetsu circuit in Rikubetsu town. The surface in both service areas is gravel.

Allocation of service bays will be published on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September, 1800hrs, on the Rally Hokkaido officla website (http://www.rally-hokkaido.com/en/)

Kita Aikoku Pervice Park will open for competitor bump-in from Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September at 0900hrs.

#### 5.1.1 Kita Aikoku Service Park

Service Park opening/closing hours. Everyone must leave the SP before the closing hour.

Monday	11 September	0900hrs - 1800hrs
Tuesday	12 September	0800hrs - 1800hrs
Wednesday	13 September	0800hrs - 2000hrs
Thursday	14 September	0700hrs - 2000hrs
Friday	15 September	0530hrs - 2300hrs
Saturday	16 September	0500hrs - 2400hrs
Sunday	17 September	0400hrs - 2100hrs
Monday	18 September	0800hrs - 1200hrs

Night security guards service will be provided for the Kita Aikoku Service Park from 2000hrs, Thursday 14 September to 1900hrs, Sunday 17 September. Security must be arranged by each team's own prior to Thursday 14 September and/or after 1900hrs of 17 September, if necessary (The organizer will not be responsible for any incidents occured in the service park),

Competitors may bring their auxiliary vehicles into the Service Park, but they must be parked within their designated area. Otherwise these vehicles will have to be taken to the auxiliary parking area adjacent to the Service Park. Two service vehicle plates will be issued per competitor. Extra auxiliary vehicles' plates can be ordered for JPY 10,000.

#### 5.1.2 Rikubetsu Service Park

Rikubetsu Service Park accessible hours

Saturday 16 September 0700hrs - 1530hrs

Service vehicles that cannot be parked within the competitor's designated service area, and/or auxiliary vehicles must be parked at the designated parking area located adjacent to the service area











#### 5.2 Facilities in the Service Park

General facilities available in the service park are as follows:

	Kita Aikoku service park	Rikubetsu Service		
Public Restrooms	3	2		
General Lightings	1	-		
Security Guards	1	-		
Water Taps	1	1		

# 5.3 Service Park Guidelines

- All vehicle passes, including Service and Auxiliary vehicle passes **must** be displayed on the top of the windscreen on the passenger's side, from September 15<sup>th</sup> to 17<sup>th</sup> when accessing to the service parks. **No vehicles without those passes will be allowed to enter the restricted areas.**
- (Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> September and thereafter) Please note there are many one-way roads in the service park. Also, please be advised that service vehicles accessing the service park must use the public entrance during the time when competing cars are accessing the Service Park.
- Parking of any cars on driving lanes in the Service Park is strictly forbidden vehicles with passes are not exception. Please park at the adjacent auxiliary vehicles parking area.
- Please be advised that parking of team or team personnels' vehicles at regrouping areas is strictly prohibited.
- Credential passes must be worn in all areas in the Service Park, except in the spectator areas. Access to the designated area for each teams and their work areas are not allowed without proper credential pass.
- All vehicle traffic must be in the directions shown on the maps. All those who are travelling in the Service Park in vehicle must follow the directions given by the officials and marshals, with speed not exceeding 30km/h.
- All teams and competitors are responsible for proper handling of any waste produced at their service areas. If wastes are found in a service bay after the event, process fees for such wastes will be invoiced to the competitors who occupied the bay.
- All power cables and junctions boxes in the Serivice Parks are for existing lighting only and are not to be used unless otherwise approved by the Service Park Coordinator.
- For regurations for Service Park, Services and Flexi Serfvices, please refer to 2017 FIA Regional Rally Sporting Regulations Article 48,49,50,51 and 52, and their corresponding articles in its V4.



6. Two-way radio



The use of two-way radios is strictly controlled in Japan. The deadline for applications to use two-way radio communication equipment was three months before the rally, and the application was closed on June 14<sup>th</sup>.



7. Fuel and Tyres













Plase refer to the 2017 Rally Hokkaido Supplementary Regulations.



# 8. Import of vehicles and spare parts



# 8.1 National laws / customs clearance

As domestic logistics can be expensive, the organizer of the Rally Hokkaido recommends that all sea freight to be imported through the closest port to the rally venue, Port of Tomakomai. Customs clearance procedure must be followed for all the carry-in items from overseas as well. Container transportation from Tomakomai to the service park takes about three hours.

The general principles of customs clearance are as follows:

- (1) FIA CARNET is required and mandatory for all overseas registered cars that are to be driven on the public roads in Japan (i.e. rally car, recce car, service van and other cars). The carnet is to be issued by each country's ASN. When importing cars with FIA carnet, certification document for the carnet issued by JAF (ASN of Japan) is also required. Please contact the organizer for the acquisition of the certification. The carnet-imported vehicles must be equipped with the FIA carnet and its JAF certification all the time, and those should be available to be presented to authority when challenged. In addoition, every automobile (including rally cars and every foreign registered vehicle) which is driven on public road in Japan has to be covered by Jibaiseki, which is a compulsory insurance.
- Note: Temporarily imported vehicle which is registered in a country that is not a party to the 1949 Geneva Convention must be inspected and registered in Japan on arrival, even if imported under FIA carnet. The inspection requires time and payment of a fee. For more information please contact KURIBAYASHI Co. Ltd. (details below).
- (2) ATA CARNET can be used for tools, parts, tyres and promotional items. All the items imported under ATA carnet must be re-exported after the rally. The import of contraband goods is prohibited, even if those are intended for tempolarily import.
- (3) PRO FORMA INVOICE please check with the organiser or your freight agent on use of pro-forma invoices.

Above documents will be required when applyiung for special import permission for Hazardous items such as high-pressure gas cylinders, and medical supplies. Import of those items needs to be arranged by the competitors themselves..

It is recommended that anyone wishing to import vehicles and goods for Rally Hokkaido contact the official freight agent for Rally Hokkaido shown below.

KURIBAYASHI & Co., Ltd. Tomakomai Branch				
13-16, Motonakano	13-16, Motonakano-cho 2-chome,			
Tomakomai, 053-0005 Japan				
Tel: +81 (0) 144	-32-5161			
Fax: +81 (0) 144-36-6839				
Contact person /	Mr Jungo KOUNO: kouno@kurinet.co.jp			
Email address:	Mr Katsuyuki KOBAYASHI: kat-kobayashi@kurinet.co.jp			

### 8.2 Vehicle regulations

Vehicles temporarily registered for Rally Hokkaido have to comply with the Japanese Road Vehicles Act and the Japanese Road Traffic Law and the provision of the JAF National Sporting Regulations for Vehicles (lighting devices, noise levels of the car, etc) except when Appendix J of the FIA International Sporting Code differs.

For vehicles that are not already registered in Japan, below two documents are required and must be carried in the vehicles and the third in the below list is recommended for competition vehicles:











- (a) A translation of the Carnet certification document, issued by JAF and distributed by the organiser. This document serves as a temporary vehicle import compliance document. For rally cars this is included in the entry fee, however for other vehicles processing fee will be charged
- (b) 'Jibaiseki'. A compulsory insurance. Every automobile (including rally cars and every foreign registered vehicle) which is driven on public road in Japan has to be covered with it. While it is included in the entry fee for rally cars, other vehicles are not. This insurance can be purchased with approximately JPY6,500 (per each vehicles) for other vehicles that are not registered in Japan.
- (c) Third-party rally car insurance. This is recommended for rally cars and recce cars. The fee is approximately JPY20,000 per car, depending on engine displacement.

The Entry Booklet in Appendix D contains a section on importing vehicles. Vehicle details are required for documents (b) and (c) above.

# 8.3 The condition for driving in Japan

International visitors should be aware that a valid Japanese license or International Driving Permit is required for driving on public roads. Only the International Driving Permits issued under the 1949 Geneva Traffic Convention is valid in Japan, and this must be stated on the front of the document. Please contact the organiser if you are unable to obtain such a license. German, French, Swiss, Italian, Belgian or Taiwanese driving license holders may request a translation of their license from JAF. The combination of this translation and your driving license is valid alternative to the International Driving Permit issued under te 1949 Geneva Convention. If your driving license is not in the above categories, either taking driving examination or switching to Japanese license is required. (Gaimen Kirikae).

The detail of Gaimen Kirikae is on the website: http://www.jaf.or.jp/e/switch.htm











# 8.4 Difference of Rules of the road

	International regulations	Japanese regulations
Stop sign  When the intersection has the Stop sign as shown, all cars must come to a full stop and check in all directions before crossing	STOP V	止まれ
Light signals		
Level-crossings with gates  Drivers must stop in front of a level-crossing, even if there are no stop signs, gates, half-gates or light signals giving warning of the approach of trains. They shouldn't move off again until they have ascertained that no train is approaching.		<b>C</b>
Other level-crossings		Su
Do not overtake  You mustn't enter the right side of the road in order to overtake another vehicle in zones that have the road sign.	6-9	
Compulsory minimum speed	30	30
Maximum speed limit  It is expressed by " km " not " miles ".  Don't exceed the maximum speed limit which is posted on the road signs	50	50
Pedestrian Crossing sign		





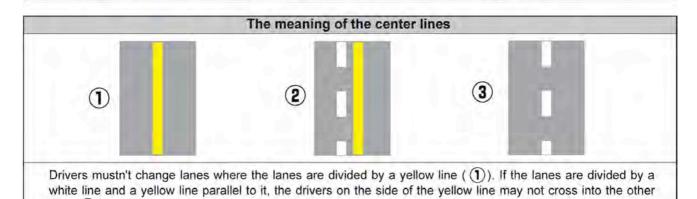






	Japanese regulations
Green arrow light Vehicles may proceed in the direction of the arrow.	
No Right Turn, Left Turn etc.  Vehicles must not proceed in any direction other than that shown on the sign.	
Red flashing light	These are not common,but are located on some of the rural sections of road outside Sapporo and the other towns. Vehicles must stop at the stop line and make a safety check before proceeding
End of traffic regulation  End of regulation designated by the sign	

- ★ Drivers must watch for and give way to pedestrians as they turn onto another road.
- Drivers must travel on the left hand of the road.
- ★ Drivers must indicate to pull out from a stationary position, as they are turning, to overtake traffic traveling in the same direction, to change lanes and to overtake obstacles on the sido of the road.



Drivers are allowed to cross into the other lane for overtaking (3).













# 9. Helicopters



# 9.1 Registration procedure / information

All helicopters flying in support of the rally must be registered with the organiser. There will be a standard protocol for rally helicopters in rally airspace and only registered aircraft will be permitted to fly in this space. A helicopter registration fee will be charged.

Registration of helicopter for this event was closed on 25<sup>th</sup> July.

A list of landing sites and GPS coordinates for special stages and Service Park will be provided later..

Attendance at the pilots' briefing is obligatory for all the registered pilots.

# 9.2 Contact details for domestic helicopter companies

Aero Asahi Corporation		Hokkaido Koku		
Tel:	+81 (0) 11-782-0603	Tel:	+81 (0) 11-781-1247	
Fax:	+81 (0) 11-783-5286	Fax:	+81 (0) 11-780-2711	
HP: www.aeroasahi.co.jp		HP: www.hokkaido-koku.co.jp		



# 10. Hospitality arrangements



For information on corporate hospitality options, please contact:

Ms. Mieko NIINO

Tel: +81 (0) 11 864 1131 Fex: +81 (0) 11 864 1182 Email: niino@homei-gr.com



# 11. Hotel / accommodation reservation



#### 11.1 Contact details for reservations or list of hotels

Please note the accomondation fees for drivers and co-drivers are not included in the entry package, and please make sure to reserve your accomondations in your own. Secretariat of Rally Hokkaido will assist overseas competitors in making reservations.

There are many hotels in and around Obihiro. To search on the internet, try keyword of "Obihiro" and "Tokachigawa". The website below can be a good reference: http://www.obihiroyado.com/English/european.html.

If you are having difficulty in contacting the hotels, or would like the organisers to assist with bookings, please don't hesitate to contact the Rally Secretariat.

Ms. Mieko NIINO

Tel: +81 (0) 11 864 1131 Fex: +81 (0) 11 864 1182 Email: niino@homei-gr.com













# 12. Reconnaissance



# 12.1 Registration for Reconnaissance

Date & Time: Wednesday 13 September 1300hrs – 1900hrs

Location: Rally HQ

Registration for reconnaissance will coincide with administrative checks.



# 12.2 Summary of specific regulations and instructions for reconnaissance

General reconnaissance regulations are included in Article 25 of the FIA Regional Rally Sporting Regulations and Article 9 of the Rally Hokkaido Supplementary Regulations.

Reconnaissance must take place according to the schedule shown in Appendix A.3. There are 3 separate recce groups. Car #1 to 15 are assigned to Group A, while the rest of APRC/Asia-Cup competitors are assigned to Group B. Third group is for all the JRC competitors.

Competitors must register full details of their vehicle prior to leaving for reconnaissance. At registration competitors will be issued a reconnaissance pass and a vehicle identification sticker. The vehicle identification sticker must be displayed on the left rear side window during reconnaissance. The reconnaissance pass is valid for 2 passages and must be carried in the reconnaissance vehicle at all times, and must be submitted to an official for his/her signature at the start of each special stage.

Crews are authorized to drive a maximum of two passages through each special stage, and must drive in the same direction as the rally. Where a special stage is repeated, the maximum number of passesw will still be only two.

During reconnaissance, competitors must strictly comply with the road traffic laws. At all times the safety and rights of other road users must be respected. Rally officials may monitor the behaviour of competitors on the reconnaissance route with visual, electronic, photographic or video methods. All offences will be reported the Stewards who may impose penalties up to the refusal to start.

Speed limits as signposted on all roads used during reconnaissance must be observed. Failure to comply will result in a penalty to be applied by the Stewards.

APRC and Asia Cup competitors must use tyres of series production type designed primarily for asphalt use. Use of competition tyres is forbidden.

The location of petrol stations and convenience stores is marked on the Route Map. Most (but not all) stores will accept credit cards though cash is more commonly used as preferred method of payment..

# 12.3 Recommended route to use from the SS finish, back to start

The recommended route for recce is shown in the recce instruction document which is to be porvided at the time of registration.













# 13. Scrutineering, marking and sealing



# 13.1 Date, place and time

Date and time: Thursday 14 September 0830hrs - 1900hrs

Friday 15 September 0830hrs - 1230hrs

Location: Sanyo Konetsu Super Pit Chuo-ten

10 W8, S9, Obihiro

Competitors should nominate preferred time for scrutineering by filling in the details on the Entry Booklet.

If no nomination provided, the organiser will assign a timeslot for those competitors. The scrutineering schedule will be published on the Official Notice Board on Wednesday 13 September 0900hrs.



# 13.2 Preparations to be made before the car is brought to scrutineering

Competitors should position their cars at the entrance to the Scrutineering Bay in accordance with the published schedule, and follow the direction of the officials present. In the case that the entrance is crowded with vehicles of other competitors and entry on time is not possible, a member of the team concerned should find the post marshal at the entrance and notify him or her of the stuation.

Car numer stickers, front plate, front door panels (with car numbers) and organiser's advertsing stickers must be affixed to the car accordingly prior to the entry to the scrutineering. Please refer the Supplementary Regulations for the event for the positions to be affixed.

All the on-board camera must be firmly attached to the vehicle. On-board cameras attached to the cars after the scrutineering are not allowed to use during the event.

The following documents / items should be brought to scrutineering:

- Scrutiny Sheet; given to competitors on completion of Administrative Checks.
- Current vehicle registration papers (Not required for cars registered overseas).
- The vehicles motorsport logbook (If available).
- The rollcage homologation papers.
- FIA Homologation Form for the vehicle including all extensions/updates
- Helmets, FHR/HANS device, driving suits, underwear, socks, balaclavas, racing shoes and gloves.
- Declaration for the Use of On-board camera.

Competitors should make sure they are familiar with Appendix J to the FIA International Sporting Code, especially Articles 252 (General Prescriptions for production Cars) and 253 (Safety Equipment), Chapter 3 of Appendix L to the the FIA International Sporting Code, and FIA Regioanl rally Sporting Regulations Articles 26, 27 and 28, as well as Article 11 of the Rally Hokkaido Supplementary Regulations. For the JRC competitors, please refer to the JAF Sporting regulations.

# 13.3 Route instructions to scrutineering

The location of the Sanyo Konetsu Super Pit is marked on Obihiro city Map included in Appendix B. Turn left after exiting the Service Park and make another left turn, then cross the Satsunai river and turn right at the intersection with Route 236 (where 7-11 store and Hokuren gas station are located). Proceed 400m and turn left (at the corner with ENEOS gas station) and follow the road for 2.73 km, then turn left at the West 5 - South 19 intersection (where AEON store is located). Folow the road for 1.58 km to West 8 - South 9 and you will see a Mobil sign of the Super Pit on your left, sitting back from the street, with its Mobil oil sign in front.













# 13.4 Final Scrutineering

Final Scrutineering for APRC competitors will be held at Sanyo Konetsu Super Pit Chuo-ten, the same location as pre-event scrutineering. Competitors who are required to attend post-event scrutineering will be notified at the entrance of the Finish Parc Ferme. Please follow the instruction to be given there by an official for final scrutineering.



14. Shakedown



Shakedown will be held at Sammy SATSUNAI SSS, which is adjacent to the Kita Aikoku Service Park.

Shakedown is compulsory for all the drivers registered in the APRC Championship and Asia Cup, and other competitors designated by the organiser. Details are as below;

Location	Sammy SATSUNAI SSS
Date and Time	Friday 15 September 1200hrs – 1300hrs
Stage length	0.96km
Service	Kita Aikoku Service Park
Distance from the Service Park	3.24km to the start point of the Shakedown













# 15. Ceremonial Start & Rally Show



#### 15.1 Location and time

Date and time: Friday 15 September 1545hrs – 1620hrs

Location: Kita Aikoku Service Park

# 15.2 Programme, procedure and instructions

The Ceremonial Start is incorporated with a rally show, where autograph session by drivers/co-drivers and other attractions for fans will be held. The Rally Show will be held at Kita Aikoku Service Park, followed by the Ceremonial Start. Drivers and co-drivers are kindly advised to attend in their driving suits.

#### Rally Show

Rally Show for spectators will be held from 15:45 to 16:20 hrs. Rally cars should be lined up for display on the tarmac-surfaced road



between the podium and the service area. Please move your cars from the assembly area (Regroup area after Service-Out) per instructions by officials. Deployment plan and schedule of rally cars and competitors will be provided in a Communication. Spectators will be allowed to enter the exhibition area and take a close look at the rally cars on display. Teams are encouraged to put up team and/or sponsor flags, banners and engage in promotional activities around their rally cars in their respective exhibition area to entertain the spectators. Autograph signing session by drivers and co-drivers should be conducted in this area. After the finish of the Rally Show spectators will be asked to leave the area.

Crews should wait by their cars for directions by the officials to poroceed to the ceremonial start.

#### Ceremonial start

The opening ceremony will begin at 16:35 hrs, and the first car is to start at the podium at 16:45 hrs.

Starting order of the ceremonial start is as follows:

APRC and Asia Cup competitors: Reverse order of their car numbers JRC competitors: Order of their car numbers

(Formal start list for the Ceremonial Start is to be published in advance)

At the ceremonial start each team is allowed to show their own placard (to be prepared by the teams themselves) to introduce their team. The placards must show the car number, drives' names and the team nationality (sponsors names and logos can be shown as well). The person who carries the placard can be a team member (male or female). They can wear team kit, or any other suitable costume.

Please refer Appendix. D6 for the layout of the podium area.

NOTE: Ceremonial start will be followed by SS1 Sammy SATSUNAI.













First car	Activity	Location
1545hrs	Rally Show starts. Spectators are allowed inside the area under control of marshals. All drivers and co-drivers are encouraged to participate in autograph session. Top 10 APRC and top 5 JRC crews must notify the organizers in advance if they are not able to participate. Tables, chairs and tents should be prepared by respective teams if necessary.	Rally Show venue
1620hrs	Rally Show ends. Spectators are guided out of the area and invited to the ceremonial start.	
1625hrs	Photo session. All the drivers and co-drivers should present themselves in front of the start podium	Podium
1635hrs	Start ceremony begins. Crews to move their cars into staging area near the entrance of podium area per instructions by officials.	Podium
1645hrs	First car climbs up the podium. The cars will go over the podium per officials' guidande in 30 sec – 1min intervals. After going over the podium the cars are to be driven to pass in front of the spectators and back into the service area.	Podium
1737hrs	TC 0 Service Exit	Service Park
1757hrs	TC 1 Obihiro	Sammy SATSUNAI SSS
1800hrs	SS 1 Sammy SATSUNAI	Sammy SATSUNAI SSS



# 16. Official Finish



# 16.1 Location and time

Date and time: Sunday 17 September 1737hrs Location: Kita aikoku Service Park

The order for the official finish is as follows:

# **APRC**

APRC registered top 3 crews APRC overall top 3 crews

The rest of the APRC competitors will go over the finish podium according to the order of their check-in at the finish regroup.



Prize giving for all classes will be held (depending on number of entries). Winners are kindly asked to collect their trophies and prizes at the Rally Secretariat after the announcement of final results of the rally.

#### JRC

Date and time: Sunday 17 September 1830hrs (estimated)

Location: Kita aikoku Service Park

Provisional prize-giving for top crews of each classe will be held at the podium.

The rest of the JRC competitors will go over the finish podium according to the order of their check-in at the finish regroup.

Winners are askied to collect their trophies and prizes at the Rally Secretariat after the announcement of final results of the rally.

The layout for the Official Finish Ceremony is included in Appendix D.













# 16.2 Programme, procedure and instructions

# **APRC**

First car	Activity	Details		
1728hrs	Finish holding IN	A regroup precedeing the Finish podium		
1737hrs	3 <sup>rd</sup> placed APRC-registered crew	3 <sup>rd</sup> placed registered APRC car goes on podium and halts at the top. Crew climb out of the car and waves to public for photo (20 sec). Car will be guided into the location at the left of the podium. Crew stays on stanby for prize-giving.		
1739hrs	2 <sup>nd</sup> placed APRC-registered crew	2 <sup>nd</sup> placed registered APRC car goes on podium and halts at the top. Crew climb out of the car and waves to public for photo (20 sec). Car will be guided into the location at the right of the podium. Crew stays on stanby for prize-giving.		
1741hrs	APRC-registered winners	1 <sup>st</sup> placed registered APRC car goes on podium. Car is to stop at the top of the podium slope with its nose at the edge of the downward slope, engine is switched off. The crews get out of the car and climb on the bonnet, receive laurel crowns, then hold a pose for photos, waves to public (30 sec). Team briefly joins the crew on the podium for photos.		
	Olympic podium	After photos are taken, Olympic podium is to be put in place in front of the podium		
1744hrs	Winner interview	Winner is to be interviewed on the podium		
	Presentation	Presentors are on standby, guided by the officials		
1746hrs	3 winning crews onto Olympic podium	Called out by the MC, crews get on the olympic podium in this order: 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Co-drivers stand on the left of their drivers.		
1748hrs	National anthem, flags up	National anthem of the winning driver is played (30 sec). National flags of the 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> an 3 <sup>rd</sup> winning drivers and the winning manufacturer go up.		
1750hrs	Trophies awarded	Presentors bring the trophies, hand them to crews guided by the MC in the order of: 3 <sup>rd</sup> ,2 <sup>nd</sup> , 1 <sup>st</sup> . A bottles of Champagne is placed by each driver's feet. Presentors return to their seats.		
1752hrs	Crew/Trophy photo	Crews hold pose for photos with trophies in their hands		
1754hrs	Champagne shower	After the photo shoot crews spray the champagne, then Olympic podium is moved out to prepapre for APRC overall prize-giving		
1756hrs	Cars leave	Winning car drives off the podium, leaves the venue and 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> placed cars follow to the parc ferme.		
1758hrs	Prize-giving for APRC overall winners & Würth cup winners.	MC announces the commencement of prize-giving of APRC overall winners and Würth cup winnner. If all the top 3 crews for the APRC overall winners are different from the top 3 APRC registered drivers, this is to be conducted with the same procedure as the above. Otherwise the following procedure is applied. 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> crews will get off from the car on the lamp, receive their trophies. They will drive the cars to parc fermme after brief photo sessions. APRC overall winner will receive a laurel crown and trophy on the podium, follwed by a brief photo session.		











		They will then drive their car to the parc ferme
1808hrs	Final Media Conference	Final media conference is held in front of the podium.
1820hrs	The rest of APRC competitors finishes	The rest of the APRC competitors who completed Leg 2 go over the finish podium at 30 sec intervals. The cars to halt briefly on the top of the podium for photos. Crews do not leave the car. All trophies and prizes for the winners of each class are to be given to these crews later at the HQ.

JRC provisional prize-giving

Please refer to the Japanese version of Rally Guide 2



# 17. PR activities and other functions



# Thursday 14 September

# **Welcome Party**

Time: 1930hrs -

Venue: Kita Aikoku Service Park

Description: Stand-up dinner party hosted by the International Rally Support Association

Attendees: Crews, team members and competition officials

# Friday 15 September

#### Pre Event media conference

Date and time: 1430hrs
Venue: Media Centre

Description: Interview session for APRC top crews and JRC top crews

Attendance: Restricted to accredited media personnel. Related team members may be allowed if

capacity of the venue allows.

# Rally Show (Autograph session and Rally Cars display)

Date and time: 1545hrs - 1620hrs

Venue: Rally show space at Kita Aikoku Service Park

Description: Rally cars on display along the main road, with autograph sessions by crews.

Attendees: No restrictions. Open for public till 16:20

# **Opening Ceremony and Ceremonial Start**

Date and time: Opening Ceremony from 1645hrs / Ceremonial Start from 1700hrs

Venue: Kita Aikoku Service Park Description: Podium presentation.

Attendees: Spectators admitted (from the viewing area around the podium)

#### Saturday 16 September

# Events at Kita Aikoku Service Park (Admission Free, except for Auto Test)

Toyota Gazoo 09 : 00~17 : 00

Racing Park Exhibition of Yaris WRC, and full of fun events including ones for kids

Cosplay Cosplay photo session: 10 : 30~18 : 00
Car Exhibition Self Defensive Force Vehicles : 11 : 00~16 : 00

Car Exhibition Itasha (car painted with anime characters): 10:00~17:00 Mitsubishi Slope Slope climb experience up to 45 degrees on Mitsubishi vehicle.











# Climb Experience

**Charity Auction** 

Time: After SS2

Venue: Rikubetsu Circuit

Description: Charity auction with donated goods from competitors

Admission: No restriction / open for public

Fans cheer-up area along the road

Time: Around 1710hrs -

Venue: Obihiro Ekimae Dori street, between W2 S8 and W2 S11 (around Fujimaru

Department Store)

Description: Fans and spectators will cheer-up the crew along the road.

A guiz event to guess the arrival time of the first car will be held.

Attendees: no restriction / open for public

# Sunday 17 September

# Events at Kita Aikoku Service Park (Admission Free, except for Auto Test and Big-eater events)

Auto Test 09 : 00~10 : 30, 14 : 00~15 : 30

Simple and easy motorsport competition where spectators and visitors can

participate. Entry accepted on-site!

Toyota Gazoo 09 : 00~16 : 00

Racing Park Exhibition of Yaris WRC, and full of fun events including ones for kids

Mitsubishi Slope Slope climb experience up to 45 degrees on Mitsubishi vehicle.

Climb Experience

Cosplay Photo Session 12:00~17:00

Car Exhibition Self Defensive Forces Vehicles: 11:00~16:00

Car Exhibition Replica of rally cars: 14:00~16:30

Big-eating 11 : 00~13 : 00 (Entry 10 : 00~) Eat up 3 different big-serving dishes with a team of 3 big-eaters! Entry accepted on-site, with fee of JPY1,500 per team

Auction Charity auction, starting around :16 : 15~

# **Ashoro Rally Park**

Date and time: Around 0710hrs - (estimated)

Venue: Michi no Eki "Ginga Hall 21", Kita 1-1-1, Ashoro Description: Spectators cheer-up crews driving past them.

Exhibition of replica rally cars.

Attendees: Open to public (no restriction applied)

# **Honbetsu Rally Park**

Date and time: Around 0850hrs - (estimated)

Venue: Michi no Eki "Stellar Honbetsu", Kita 3-1-1, Honbetsu Description: Spectators cheer-up as crews driving past them.

Brief interview session for each crew to be held.

Exhibition of replica rally cars.

Attendees: Open to public (no restriction applied)

# **Ceremonial Finish**

Date and time: 1737hrs -

Venue: Kita Aikoku Service Park

Description: Podium finish and award giving ceremony











Attendees: Spectators admitted (from the viewing area around the podium)

**Final Media Conference** 

Date and time: To be conducted upon the completion of the ceremonial finish.

Venue: In front of the finish podium, Kita Aikoku Service Park Description: Interview with the designated drivers and co-drivers.

Attendees: Spectators admitted (from the viewing area around the podium)



18. Media



# 18.1 Contact details prior to the event

For media enquiries, please contact Mr. Isao KONO .

Media Officer:	Mr Isao KONO		
Address:	Rally Hokkaido Permanent Secretariat (Media)		
	Homei Building, Minami 4-9, Nangodori 19 Shiroishi-ku,		
	Sapporo, HOKKAIDO 003-0022, JAPAN		
TEL:	+81 (0) 11 864 2003		
FAX:	+81 (0) 11 864 1182		
Email:	media@rally-hokkaido.com		
Web:	www.rally-hokkaido.com		

# 18.2 Accreditation procedure / criteria and deadline

All media wishing to attend Rally Hokkaido are required to complete the Media Accreditation Form and send it along with required documents to the Rally Secretariat (Attention: Mr. Jiro KOIKE), no later than Thursday 31<sup>th</sup> August 2017 1800hrs. Applications must be sent by post. The application form, the list of necessary documents and explanation of each document have been posted on the official website www.rally-hokkaido.com. Questions should be addressd to Mr. Koike at the Permanent Secretariat.

Media applications must be received by Thursday 31 August 2017 1800hrs

# 18.3 Contact details during the event

Media Centre				
Address:	Rally Hokkaido Secretariat			
	Administration Building, Tokachi Oval			
	56-7 S7, Minami-machi, Obihiro, Hokkaido, JAPAN 080-0856			
TEL (Direct to Media Center):	Tel: +81 (0)155-66-0456			
FAX:	Fax: +81 (0)155-66-0456			
Email:	media@rally-hokkaido.com			

# 18.4 Accreditation desk - location and opening hours

The Accreditation desk will be located in the media centre.

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Wednesday 13 September 1300hrs - 1900hrs Thursday 14 September 0800hrs - 1900hrs Friday 15 September 0530hrs - 2130hrs

# 18.5 Media Briefing

Friday 15 September 1500hrs -

# 18.6 Media Centre - opening hours

Business Hours;

Wednesday 13 September 1300hrs - 1900hrs Thursday 14 September 0800hrs - 1900hrs Friday 15 September 0530hrs - 2130hrs Saturday 16 September 0530hrs - 2200hrs Sunday 17 September 0430hrs - 2100hrs

# 18.7 Media conferences - time and location

Pre Event media conference			
Date and time:	Friday 15 September	APRC: 1430hrs	JRC: 1450hrs
Location:	Media Centre		

Final media conferen	ce	
Date and time:	Sunday 17 September	APRC: 1737hrs (to be conducted upon
	completion of the ceremonia	al finish)
Location:	Kita Aikoku Service Park	

# 18.7 Media coverage

The follliwing list is extracted from the list of registered media for the previous year, as media accreditation application has not been closed yet, with its due date on 31st August.-

Magazines		
Rally Plus	Play Drive	JAF Sport
Rally Magazine	Rally Magazine-Germany	Best Car
Alan Bird Photography	afimp	

Newspapees and news agencies		
Tokachi Mainichi Shinbun	Hokkaido Shinbun	Rikubetsu News
ASAHI CAMERA		

(Shimbun = newspaper)

T V & Radio programme, internet media		
APRC TV	J SPORTS	RALLY PLUS.NET
Rally Do!	Rally Stream	

Others		
Yokohama Tyre	Robot (Movie)	Joy Kikaku Printing
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# 19. Credential Passes and Vehicle Plates



# 19.1 Credential Passes





All area (Valid only for the location specified)



Spectator area Service Park Results and Information Area Media Centre Media conference Media Point (Access with tabard only)



Only for Police use







Service Park Rally HQ Results and Information Area Media conference (if space allows)









Spectator area Service Park









Lounge



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# 19.2 Vehicle Plates



All parking areas (Valid only for the parking of the respective post)



Spectator parking areas Service park parking areas Media parking areas



Spectator parking areas Service park parking areas Media parking areas Media Point (Access with tabard only) Stage Access (Access with tabard only)







Service space Auxiliary vehicle parking areas





Spectator parking areas Kita-aikoku service park exclusive parking areas Rikubetsu service exclusive parking areas



Rikubetsu service exclusive parking areas only













# 20. Medical and Safety Services



# 20.1 Emergency Number(s)

The main telephone number at Rally HQ will be manned by bilingual officials during opening hours.

General numbers for emergency services are as follows:

Ambulance and Fire Department:	119
Police:	110

The Kosei General Hospital is located in Central Obihiro, across the road from the City Hall. The hospital is fully briefed on the rally programme and has English speaking staff. The most convenient and closest hospital from the Kita Aikoku Service Park is Hokuto Hospital: Following are the contacts for these two hospitals.

Hospital Name	Tel No.	Address
Obihiro Kosei General Hospital	0155-24-4161	W6, S8 Obihiro
Hokuto Hospital	0155-48-8000	7-5, Inada-Cho, Obihiro

Following is the location and contact details for the main hospitals on or close to the rally route:

Hospital Name	Tel No.	Address
Obihiro Kosei General Hospital	0155-24-4161	W6, S8 Obihiro
Obihiro Kyoukai Hospital	0155-22-6600	E5, S9 Obihiro
Obihiro Dai-ichi Hospital	0155-25-3121	W4, S15 Obihiro
Hokuto Hospital	0155-48-8000	7-5, Inada-Cho, Obihiro
Obihiro Tokushukai Hospital	0155-32-3030	Kino Nishidori 14, Otofuke
Kitami Red Cross Hospital	0157-24-3115	N6, E2, Kitami
Hokusei Memorial Hospital	0157-51-1234	2, Chuo-miwa, Kitami
Rikubetsu Kokuho Clinic	0156-27-2135	3,E2, Rikubetsu
Ashoro Kokumin Hoken Hospital	0156-25-2155	3, S2 Ashoro
Honbetsu Kokumin Hoken Hospital	0156-22-2025	6-8 Nishibiribetsu, Honbetsu

Hospitals with critical care centers are in Bold Italic print.

In case if you need medication in holidays or night time, please check the website of Hokkaido Medical Information System to find hospitals available after-hours.

Hokkaido Medical Information System	
URL	http://www.qq.pref.hokkaido.jp/qq/qq01fnlgsp.asp

Pharmacies and Dental Clinics are included in the Business Directory in Section 21.8. Car towing service and transporters are listed in the Business Directory in Section 21.8.













# 21. Useful Facts and Services



# 21.1 Fast Facts

Airport:	7 daily flights available between Tokyo/Haneda Airport to Tokachi Obihiro Airport. Japan Airlines provide four of them, while Hokkaido International Airlines (AIR DO) and All Nippon Airways (ANA) co-operates the rest 3 flights. There are scheduled shuttle bus service available connecting the airpot to the downtown Obihiro in approx. 40 minutes for JPY1,000. Taxicabs and Ren-A-Car, too, are available at the airport.
Train:	Japan Railways (JR) Hokkaido operates limited express trains connecting major cities and Obihiro. Travel time from Sapporo to Obihiro is approx. 2.50 hours, and 2.30 hours from New Chitose Airport to Obihiro.
Cash:	It is wise to expect to pay for most daily expenses in cash (JPY). Hotels and large shops will accept international credit cards, but often smaller convenience stores, petrol stations, restaurants and some ATMs will only accept cash or Japanese credit cards.
Currency:	The currency is Japanese Yen (JPY, or '\( \frac{4}{2} \), and it is a decimal system, with the largest note being JPY10,000, and the smallest coin being JPY1. As of 14 August 2017, the exchange rate was 1 EUR = about 130 JPY; 1 USD = about 112 JPY; 1 AUD = about 87 JPY. (See section below on Banks Credit Cards and Cash) Currency exchange is only available from Monday to Friday in Obihiro.
Elevation:	Kita Aikoku Service Park: 40m / Rikubetsu Service: 217m Average for Special Stages: 369m
Electricity:	100V at 50 cycles. Plugs are twin parallel pin-type, the same as the ones used in the USA.
Embassies and Consulates:	For a complete list of embassies and consulates in Japan and Japanese missions abroad See http://www.mofa.go.jp/about/emb_cons/protocol/index.html
International Dialling:	The international dialling codes vary depending on which phone company is being used. Itshould be listed in the 'Information for Guests' book in hotels, or on the internet for mobile phones.
Mobile phones:	GMS phones except 3G/LTE do not work in Japan. There is more information about mobile phones in the Section that follows.
Opening Hours:	Shops are open seven days a week, normally from 1000hrs until approximately 1900hrs, some stay open later. Banks, government offices and the Post Office, however, opens Monday to Friday only.
Population:	Japan: 126 million Hokkaido: 5.47 million
Public Holidays: (near the event)	Monday 18 September (Respect-for-the-Aged Day)
Rainfall (Obihiro):	September: 138.1mm











Sunrise	05:06hrs (September 15 <sup>th</sup> ) (Source: Site of National Astronomical Observatory of Japan)
Sunset	17:38hrs (September 15 <sup>th</sup> ) (Source: Site of National Astronomical Observatory of Japan)
Tax:	Consumption tax is 8%
Temperature (Obihiro):	September: High :21.5 degrees, Low: 12.1 degrees , Average: 16.3 degrees (figures all in Celcius)
Time Zone:	Standard Japanese time is GMT +9
Tipping:	Tipping is not customary in Japan.
Visas:	Currently, visa is waived for short stays (usually up to 3 months) for the citizens of 67 countries and regions (http://www.mofa.go.jp/j_info/visit/visa/short/novisa.html). You are advised to check with the Japanese Embassy in your home country before commencing travel to Japan. Competitors requiring a letter of invitation from Rally Hokkaido to obtain visas should contact the organizer:  Ms. Mieko NIINO, Secretary: Tel: +81 (0) 11 864 1131 Fex: +81 (0) 11 864 1182 Email: niino@homei-gr.com For a list of Japanese Embassies abroad, see: http://www.mofa.go.jp/about/emb_cons/over/
Water:	Normal tap water is suitable for drinking. Some hotels also use non-drinkable, recycled water, but those are clearly marked as such

# 21.2 Vehicle Rental - cars and trucks

The official rental vehicle supplier for Rally Hokkaido is NIPPON Rent-A-Car. Special discount will be offered for reservations made through the exclusive website below:

http://www.rally-hokkaido.com/en/?page\_id=165

#### Branches:

 Obihiro Airport
 0155-64-5065

 Obihiro Station
 0155-22-0919

 Chitose Airport
 0123-26-0919

# 21.3 Airlines

Japan Airlines (JAL/JL)	Tokyo	03-6733-3062	
All Nippon Airways (ANA/NH)	Tokyo	03-6741-1120	
Air France (AF)	Tokyo	03-5767-4143	
Air India (Al)	Tokyo	03-3508-0261	
Air New Zealand (NZ)	Tokyo	03-5521-2770	
Alitalia (AZ)	Tokyo	03-3568-1411	
American Airlines (AA)	Tokyo	03-4333-7675	
British Airways (BA)	Tokyo	03-3298-5238	
Cathay Pacific (CX)	Tokyo	0120-46-3838	
Finnair (AY)	Tokyo	03-4477-4866	/ 03-3222-6801
Lufthansa (LH)	Tokyo	03-4333-7656	/ 0120-051-844 (Toll-free)
Malaysian (MH)	Tokyo	03-4477-4938	
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Qantas (QF)	Tokyo	03-6833-0700	0120-207-020 (Toll-free)
Scandinavian (SAS/SK)	Tokyo	050-6864-8086	,
Singapore Airlines (SQ)	Tokvo	03-3213-3431	

Thai Airways (TG)
United Airlines (UA)
Tokyo
03-0213-0401
Tokyo
0570-064-015
United Airlines (UA)
Tokyo
03-6732-5011

How to get to Obihiro (the city hosting the Service Park and the Rally HQ).

# From Tokyo / Narita International Airport to Haneda Airport

There is Airport Limousine bus service connecting New Tokyo Int'l Airport (Narita/NRT) and Tokyo Int'l Airport (Haneda/HND). Its fare is JPY3,100 per person. If you are taking connection flight of Japan Airlines (JAL/JL), your stop at Haneda airport is Airport Terminal 1. For those taking connection flight of All Nippon Airways (ANA/NH) or Air Do, please get off the bus at Terminal 2. Average travel time between those two airports is 65 to 85 minutes.

### From Tokyo / Haneda Airport to Tokachi Obihiro Airport-

There are 7 daily flights available between Tokyo/Haneda Airport to Tokachi Obihiro Airport.

Japan Airlines provide four of them, while Hokkaido International Airlines (AIR DO) and All Nippon Airways (ANA) co-operates the rest 3 flights. JAL flights departs from Terminal 1 at Haneda, while ANA and Air Do flights operates from Terminal 2.

#### From Sapporo/Chitose Airport to JR Obihiro Station

For those coming from New Chitose Airport to Obihiro by train (JR railway), a transfer is required at Minami Chitose (South Chitose) Station, which is the first stop from the airport station, arriving from the airport in approximately three minutes. One-way tickets to Obihiro will cost about JPY6,300.

#### From Sapporo/Chitose Airport to Obihiro by car

Take Hokkaido Expresway from "New Chitose Airport IC" or "Chitose IC" towards Sapporo, and at "Chitose Eniwa JCT", which is approx. 9km from the New Chitose Airport IC, drive into "Doto Expressway". Follow the signs all the way to Obihiro for approx. 140km. At "Obihiro JCT", turn left to drive into "Obihiro-Hiroo Expressway" and continue your journey to Obihiro. The nearest exit to the Kita Aikoku Service Park is "Obihiro Kawanishi IC".

# From Tokachi Obihiro Airport to the central Obihiro downtown-

Airport shuttle bus services are available connecting the airport and major downtown hotels, departing the airport approx. 15 minutes after the arrival of each flight. The fare is JPY1,000 and the travel time is approx. 40 minutes. Taxis and rental cars are also available at the airport.

#### From the Obihiro downtown to the Rally HQ.

Travel from JR Obihiro Station to the Rally HQ takes approximately 10 minutes by car. If you are driving from the Tokachi Obihiro Airport to the Rally HQ, travel time is approx.40 minutes.

# 21.4 Photocopy Services

Winet	W 5, S 9	0155-25-1211
Tokachi Micro	E 4, S13-19	0155-24-2171
Sugihara Jimu	W 5, S10	0155-25-1509

There are a lot of 'around the clock' convenience stores (7-11, Lawson, Seicomart and so on) in and around Obihiro. Many convenience stores have ATM's and photocopying machines.

# 21.5 Telephones

#### **Mobile Phones**

Cell phone networks in Japan supports 3G and LTE, but not GSM. Thus, if your phone supports GSM only, you should not expect it to work in Japan.











If you plan to use your mobile phone in Japan, please confirm with your moble phone carrier for the availability of roaming service for your phone.

#### Store Information for moble phone and mobile Wifi router rental services

SoftBank Global Rental		
English http://www.softbank-rental.jp/e/		
Japanese	http://www.softbank-rental.jp/inbound/	
JAL-ABC		
Japanese https://www.mobile.jalabc.com/		

#### List of mobile phone rental shops at major int'l airports:

Narita (NRT)	http://www.narita-airport.jp/en/service/svc_19
Kansai (KIX)	http://www.kansai-airport.or.jp/en/service/rental/index.html#_02
Haneda (HND)	http://www.haneda-airport.jp/inter/en/premises/service/internet.html#mobilePhone

#### Pre-paid SIM Card for visitors from overseas

If you own SIM-free mobile phones that support 3G and/or LTE, you might be able to use your phone device with locally-purcahsed prepaid SIM card. There is a "Japan Travel SIM" available for visitors from overseas (valid for limited data transfer quantity and period). For details, please refer to:

Japan Travel SIM: <a href="https://t.iijmio.jp/en/index.html">https://t.iijmio.jp/en/index.html</a> - Supported Phone Devices: <a href="https://t.iijmio.jp/en/dv/">https://t.iijmio.jp/en/dv/</a>

- Activating voice calls with the SIM: https://t.iijmio.jp/en/qa/index.html (Q5/A5)

There are other various brand of prepaid SIMS available for touriists, and some of them can be purchased at international airports.

#### **Public Phones**

International calls can be made from grey, or brown/green coloured public telephones located in hotels and passenger terminals of airports. JPY1,000 notes are required to buy phone cards to use the phones. Vending machines for phone cards are often located around the public phones.

#### **Internet Connections**

Almost all the hotels have internet connections available at guest rooms, or in their business centres.

#### 21.6 Security Guard Services

Teikoku	W 2, S 4, Obihiro	0155-22-5519
Chukei	W 6, S 2, Obihiro	0155-23-3084
Sanwa Keibi	W 5, N 2, Obihiro	0155-22-0511
SECOM	W 6, S 2, Obihiro	0155-26-1500

#### **21.7 Taxis**

Otofuke Taxi	Shindori 9-1, Otofuke	0155-42-2012
Hinomaru Koutsu	W19, S1, Obihiro	0155-36-5111
Marimo	Odori, S17, Obihiro	0155-23-8181
Obihiro	W19, S1, Obihiro	0155-33-8844
Toyo Taxi	W18, S2, Obihiro	0155-33-3939
Tokachi Chuo Kanko Taxi	W19, S1, Obihiro	0155-33-9595 (Obihiro)
		0155-62-2621 (Memuro)
Kojin Taxi Association	W9, S34, Obihiro	0155-48-5141 `

#### 21.8 Business Directory











Dental Clinics		
Tsugayasu Dental Clinic	W10, S9, Obihiro	0155-21-2002
Tokachi Dental Health E7, S9, Obihiro		0155-25-2172 (Sundays and holidays
Centre		treatment only)

Pharmacies		
Tsuruha Obihiro Minami	W5, S18, Obihiro	0155-20-3533
Tsuruha Inada	S9, W9, Inada-cho	0155-49-2066
Tsuruha Satsunai	163 Satsunai-kyoei	0155-20-3825

Tow-away service / Car Transporters			
Landmark33	W2, S33, Obihiro	0155-48-4616	0120-747-110
Obata shokai	W20, N2, Obihiro	0155-33-3900	
Maeda Jidosha Kogyo	Honbetsu	01562-2-3002	
Bodyshop Kunii	Ashoro	01562-5-4607	

Electronics Stores / Computers			
Yamada Denki	W13, N1, Obihiro	0155-58-1011	
100 Man Volts Inada-cho, S9		0155-48-3939	
Hara Denki	Odori, S12, Obihiro	0155-22-5522	

Vehicles - Spare parts, batteries, distilled water, oil & etc			
Homac	Inada-cho S9, W9, Obihiro	0155-49-1101	
Yellow Hat	W5, S16, Obihiro	0155-26-1680	
Autobacs	W6, N1, Obihiro	0155-23-5500	

Windscreens		
Tokachi Glass	W23, N2, Obihiro	0155-37-0022
Kiriya Glass	W6, N1, Obihiro	0155-24-3246

Gas Cylinders			
	Hokkaido Air & Water	W22, S1, Obihiro	0155-37-1181

#### 21.9 Restaurants

Name	Address & TEL		Cuisine	Price	Closed on
Kakemura	Odori, S 11-20	0155-27-6100	Izakaya style Chinese	2	Sundays
かけ村			& Japanese restaurant		
Bisan	W5, S 19-7	0155-67-0900	Izakaya style	1-2	Thursdays
旬菜広間 びさん			restaurant		
Sumi	E4, S6-9-7	0155-67-0311	Ramen	1	Tuesdays
十勝麺処 澄					-
Kita no Yatai	W1, S 10		Various (Food court)	1	Differs for
北の屋台	(Mall of small rest	aurants)			each shops
Tokachi no Nagaya	W1, S 10		Various	1	Differs for
十勝乃長屋	(Mall of small rest	aurants)			each shops
En	W1, S11-5-4	0155-22-6737	Izakaya style Chinese	1-2	Sundays
無国籍料理 えん			& Japanese restaurant		•











Isshin 十勝 和鮮食場 一心	W1, S10-5	0155-24-3789	Izakaya style restaurant	1-2	Sundays (Mondays)
Kakashi かかし	W2, S10-20-7	0155-25-5911	Izakaya style Japanese restaurant	1-2	Sundays
Hakodate Akachochin 函館あかちようちん	W1, S9-9	0155-22-2537	Izakaya style Japanese restaurant	1-2	Sundays & Holidays
Tokachi Local Jin-ya じんや	W2, S11-14	0155-22-0664	Izakaya style Japanese restaurant	1-2	Sundays (irregular)
Kitano Tori たかはしていの居酒屋 北の栖	2F, W2,S10	0155-23-2222	Izakaya style Japanese restaurant	1-2	Sundays
Benkei 酒菜道場 弁慶	W2, S9-10	0155-23-5181	Izakaya style Japanese restaurant	1-2	Mondays
Torisei 鳥せい 中央店	W1, S 10-13-4	0155-23-8989 0120-73-2389	Yakitori (chicken grill)	1-2	1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>nd</sup> Sun of the month
Easy Diner 7026 イージーダイナー7026	W2, S 8-20-2	0155-23-8875	Izakaya style Japanese restaurant	2	Sundays & Holidays
Tokachi Noen 十勝農園	W1, S9-6	0155-26-4141	Japanese Western	1-2	Sundays
Mana Pizza Cafe マンマピッツァカフェ	W1, S 10-2-3	0155-23-4523	Italian	1-2	Sundays
Osteria Alpesca オステリアアルペスカ	W1, S12-2-7 0155-28-5663		Italian	1-2	Sundays
Million santé ミリオンサンテ	Tokachi-mura, V horse racing trac	k) 0155-66-6778	Western, Pasta, Sweets	1-2	Tuesdays and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wed
Hageten はげ天	W1, S 10-5	0155-23-4478	Japanese, Tempura, sushi, pork bowl	1-2	No scheduled closures
Pancho 元祖ぶた丼の ぱんちょう	W1, S1 1-19	0155-22-1974	Pork Bowl	2	Mondays & 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays
Tatsumi zush 辰巳寿し	W1, S 11	0455 04 0005			
-	,	0155-24-6665	Sushi	2	Sundays (Mondays)
Choju an 長寿庵	Odori, S 9-15	0155-22-5007	Soba noodie	1	(Mondays) Irregular
Choju an	,				(Mondays)
Choju an 長寿庵 Misuzu	Odori, S 9-15	0155-22-5007	Soba noodie	1	(Mondays) Irregular
Choju an 長寿庵 Misuzu らーめんみすず Anju	Odori, S 9-15  W2, S 8-20  Odori, S 9-15  Odori, S 12-1	0155-22-5007 0155-23-4706	Soba noodie  Ramen noodle  Grilled meat	1 1	(Mondays) Irregular Wednesdays.
Choju an 長寿庵 Misuzu らーめんみすず Anju あんじゅ Heiwa en	Odori, S 9-15  W2, S 8-20  Odori, S 9-15  Odori, S 12-1  W14, S12-3-1	0155-22-5007 0155-23-4706 0155-26-5464	Soba noodie  Ramen noodle  Grilled meat (Yakiniku)  Grilled meat	1 1-2	(Mondays) Irregular Wednesdays. Open 7 days
Choju an 長寿庵 Misuzu らーめんみすず Anju あんじゆ Heiwa en 平和園 本店 Genghis Khan Hokkaido	Odori, S 9-15  W2, S 8-20  Odori, S 9-15  Odori, S 12-1	0155-22-5007 0155-23-4706 0155-26-5464 0155-22-6151	Soba noodie  Ramen noodle  Grilled meat (Yakiniku)  Grilled meat (Yakiniku)  Grilled Lamb	1 1 1-2 1-2	(Mondays) Irregular  Wednesdays.  Open 7 days  Open 7 days

#### Price range:

- 1 = below JPY1000 for main dish
- 2 = between JPY1000 and JPY3000 for main dish
- 3 = above JPY3000 for main dish

#### Japanese food vocabulary

Sashimi = raw fish, to be dipped in soy sauce with wasabi paste

Sushi = raw fish with wasabi paste served on a rice ball, to be dipped in soy sauce

Sukiyaki = sliced beef and vegetables cooked in a pan.











Butadon = Pork Bowl. Charcoal-grilled thick slices of pork with house-original sauce, served on rice

Udon = large white noodles, made from rice flour, eaten with stock, meat and fresh vegetales.

Soba = buckwheat noodles eaten hot or cold, often in a clear soup stock with fresh vegetables.

Ramen = Chinese style noodles served in hot soup. Hokkaido is known for Miso Ramen, which is

ramen with a salty soy-bean paste flavoured soup.

Yakiniku = barbecue style originating from Korea / Mongolia. Guest sit around a table with the grill built into the table between them., and cook various types of meat and vegetables.

Izakaya = Japanese style pub food, where guests share a variety of small dishes. Similar in

concept to Spanish 'tapas'.

Gyoza = Japanese style grilled 'won tons'.

#### **Bars and Pubs**

There are many number of karaoke bars, like mamy other Japanese cities. The table below shows selected western style bars / pubs available in Obihiro.

Name	Address&TEL	Description
Chelsea London Pub	1F, W1, S10-1	Popular local 'grunge' bar
ロンドンパブ チェルシー	0155-27-0888	
Bar Owl	13F Hotel Cabin, W1, S11-12-2	Roof-top bar with great view
	0155-26-8150	
Beifu	Odori, S 12-1	Casual Bar
米風	0155-27-1291	
Galway	W2, S11	Irish Pub. Popular among foreginers.
	0155-20-5211	Cash on delivery.
Pub Zig Zag	3F Kagetsu Bldg, Odori S10-11	Pub
パブ゠゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゚゚゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゙゚゚゙゙゙゙	0155-25-5830	













### **APPENDIX**



- A. Itineray
- B. Maps
- C. Road Books
- **D. Drawings Layout**
- E. Vocablary













# A.1 Itinerary



	<b>ly <sub>15-178ep.</sub>2017</b> <b>kkaido</b>		ASJA-PACIFIC RALLY CHAMPIONSHIP	773	JAPAN SUPER RALLY	rally & racing A.G.M.S.C HOKKAIDO
		Itinerary				
nt Leg 1	A			Friday 15 S	September 20	17
			Liaison	Total	Target	First
TC	Location	SS dist.	dist.	dist.	time	car due
0	Start Leg 1 - (Kita Aikoku)					17:37
RZ	Refuel - Kita Aikoku					17.37
1	Distance to next refuel	0.96	84.43	85.39		
1	Obihiro	0.06	3.24	3.24	0:20	17:57
1A	SSS Sammy SATSUNAI 1 Parc Ferme IN	0.96	0.82	1.78	0:10	<b>18:00</b> 18:10
		Overnight regroup				
rt Leg 1	В			Saturday 16	September :	2017
T.C.	Landing		Liaison	Total	Target	First
TC	Location	SS dist.	dist.	dist.	time	car due
10	Dara Farma OUT Carrier IN					6:00
1B	Parc Ferme OUT - Service IN Service A - Kita Aikoku	0.96	4.06	5.02	0:15	6:00
1C	Service - OUT	0.00	1.00	5,02	0.10	6:15
RZ	Remote Refuel - Kamitoshibetsu	- Vales	- 400			
2	Distance to next refuel Rikubetsu	48.00	70.99 103.03	118,99 103.03	2:10	8:25
SS2	RIKUBETSU LONG 1	4.63	100.00	103.03	2:10	8:28
3	Shotoshibetsu		19.42	24.05	0:30	8:58
SS3	KUNNEYWA 1	28.75	1100	10.71		9:01
4 SS4	Sipirkakim SIPIRKAKIM SHORT 1	14.62	14.99	43.74	0:51	9:52 <b>9:55</b>
RZ	Remote Refuel - Kamitoshibetsu	14.02				3.00
3	Distance to next refuel	10.40	9.05	19.45		
5 <b>SS5</b>	Pawse Kamuy PAWSE KAMUY 1	10.10	15.85	30.47	0:36	10:31
RZ	Remote Refuel - Kamitoshibetsu	10.40				10:34
4	Distance to next refuel	52.63	74.21	126.84		
6	Rikubetsu		29.78	40.18	0:53	11:27
<b>SS6</b>	RIKUBETSU LONG 2  Regroup and Technical Zone IN	4.63	0.20	4.83	0:07	<b>11:30</b> 11:37
6B	Regroup and Technical Zone OUT		0.20	4.00	0.07	11.01
	Service IN					
	Flexi - Service B (Rikubetsu)	63,03	183.27	246.30	0:20	4
6C 6D	Service OUT - Regroup IN  Regroup OUT					12:27
7	Rikubetsu		3.02	3.02	0:55	13:22
SS7	RIKUBETSU LONG 3	4.63				13:25
8	Shotoshibetsu	20.75	19.42	24.05	0:40	14:05
<b>SS8</b>	KUNNEYWA 2 Sipirkakim	28.75	14.99	43.74	0:51	<b>14:08</b> 14:59
SS9	SIPIRKAKIM SHORT 2	14.62				15:02
RZ	Remote Refuel - Kamitoshibetsu	1,123	760.00	022.00		TT N
<b>5</b>	Distance to next refuel Pawse Kamuy	11.36	96,23 15.85	<b>107.59</b> 30.47	0:36	15:38
SS10	PAWSE KAMUY 2	10.40	15.05	JU.41	0.30	15:41
10A	Regroup IN		90.30	100.70	2:00	17:41
	Regroup					
10B 11	Regroup OUT Obihiro		3.15	3.15	0:10	17:56 18:06
SS11	SSS Sammy SATSUNAI 2	0.96	5.10	3.10	0.10	18:09
11A	Parc Ferme and Technical Zone IN		0.82	1.78	0:06	18:15
11B	Parc Ferme and Technical Zone OUT					
	Service IN Flexi - Service C (Kita Aikoku)	59.36	147.55	206.91	0:45	
	LIVAL - OULTING O INITIA MINUNUI	33.30	147.00	200.01	0.40	

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#### Itinerary

TC	Location					
	Location	SS dist.	Liaison	Total	Target	First
			dist.	dist.	time	car due
	Start Leg 2 (Kita Aikoku Service Park)					
11D	Srevice IN					5:00
	Service D (Kita Aikoku)				0:15	
11E	Srevice OUT					5:15
RZ	Refuel - Kita Aikoku					
6	Distance to next refuel	19,91	94.17	114.08		
12	Otofuke	10.01	29.66	29.66	0:42	5:57
S12	OTOFUKE REVERSE 1	6.12				6:00
13	Honbetsu		35.70	41.82	0:51	6:51
S13	NEW HONBETSU 1	13.79				6:54
RZ	Refuel - Kamitoshibetsu		- A - W			7 6 64
7	Distance to next refuel	29.11	26.04	55.15		
14	Ashoro		41.63	55.42	1:15	8:09
SS14	NEW ASHORO LONG 1	29.11				8:12
RZ	Refuel - Kamitoshibetsu					
8	Distance to next refuel	6.12	95.68	101.80		
15	Otofuke		78.17	107.28	2:08	10:20
S15	OTOFUKE REVERSE 2	6.12				10:23
15A	Regroup and Technical Zone IN		30.76	36.88	0:45	11:08
15B	Regroup and Technical Zone OUT					
	Service IN					
	Flexi - Service E (Kita Aikoku)	55.14	215.92	271.06	0:20	- 11
15C	Service OUT - Regroup IN					
15D	Regroup OUT					11:58
RZ	Refuel - Kita Alkoku	70.0				
9	Distance to next refuel	13.79	90.38	104.17		
16	Honbetsu		61.54	61.54	1:22	13:20
S16	NEW HONBETSU 2	13.79				13:23
RZ	Refuel - Kamitoshibetsu		2189			
10	Distance to next refuel	29.11	26.04	55.15		
17	Ashoro		41.63	55.42	1:15	14:38
S17	NEW ASHORO LONG 2	29.11				14:41
RZ	Refuel - Kamitoshibetsu					
11	Distance to next refuel	1.47	83,00	84.47		
17A	Regroup IN		93.89	123.00	2:15	16:56
	Regroup (Satsunai river)					
17B	Regroup OUT					17:06
18	Obihiro		0.04	0.04	0:03	17:09
S18	SSS Sammy SATSUNAI 3	0.96				17:12
18A	Service IN		0.85	1.81	0:06	17:18
	Service F (Kita Aikoku)	43.86	197.95	241.81	0:10	
18B	Service OUT - Finish-Holding IN	1312		7.7.7		17:28
	Podium Finish				0:09	17:37

TOTALS OF THE RALI	LÝ			
	SS	Liaison	Total	%
Leg 1 - 11SS	123 35	334.88	458.23	26.92
Leg 2 - 7SS	99.00	413.87	512.87	19.30
Total - 18SS	222.35	748.75	971.10	22.90

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## A.2 Itinerary compared with previous years



The itinerary of this year's Rally Hokkaido is very similar to the one for the previous year's event, but a new stage "SIPIRIKAKIM SHORT" is introduced.

Leg 1 consists of Leg 1A, where competitors drive Sammy SATSUNAI River for SS1 after the Ceremonial Start on Friday, and Leg 1B, which is to be held on the Saturday. In Leg 1A, spectators who attended the ceremonial start can walk to the SS1 to enjoy the action.

Leg 1B consists of RIKUBETSU LONG, KUNNEYWA, "SIPIRIKAKIM SHORT", which is a new stage, and PAWSE KAMUY as the day's core stages. Stage layouts of RIKUBETSU LONG and PAWSE KAMUY are the same as the previous years' ones. The stage start point of KUNNEYWA is moved back to the same location as 2015's. Like the previous year's event, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> loop of RIKUBETSU LONG stages are driven in succession, with a Flexi-Service between them. After the 2<sup>nd</sup> loop of the stages, rally cars are to come back to Obihiro, where competitors drive Sammy SATSUNAI stage to complete the Leg 1B. Service in Rikubetsu will be hosted in Rikubetsu Off-road Circuit, the same venue as the RIKUBETSU LONG stage just like past years' events.

In Leg 2, crews will drive OTOFUKE REVERSE, NEW HONBETSU, and the long stage - NEW ASHORO LONG, followed by Sammy Satsunai stage. This year, JRC cars, too, will drive the 2<sup>nd</sup> loop, in addition to the APRC cars..

2017	2016	2015	2015 2014 2013 2012		2012	2011
SSS Sammy SA	TSUNAI			There we want		
SS1/11/18	SS1/11/18	SS1/11/18	SS1/11/18	SS1/10/17/18	Not Used	Not Used
0.96km	1.47km	0.96km	0.94km	2.46km		
Used in 2013 - 2	016.					•
RIKUBETSU LO	NG		A	4.7		
SS2/6/7	SS4/8	SS2/6/7	SS3/7	SS4/7	SS3/6	SS4/7
4.63km	24.97km	4.63km	4.63km	4.63km	4.63km	4.63km
Used in 2005 - 2	016					
KUNNEYWA		1 1 1 1 1 1			and the second	1.000
SS3/8	SS4/8	SS4/9	SS5/9	Not Used	Not Used	SS3/6/9
28.75km	24.97km	28.75km	28.75km			28.41km (R)
Used in 2009,20	14-2016.					
SIPIRIKAKIM SI	ORT	100000	a - P - 1 - 2 - 2 - 2		See	
SS4/9	Not Used	Not Used	Not Used	Not Used	Not Used	Not Used
14.62km						
New Stage. Part	of the "SIPIRIKA	KIMU" stage (24.	81km)" used in 2	009.		
PAWSE KAMUY						
SS5/10	SS5/9	SS5/10	SS2/6/10	SS13/16	SS4/7/9	SS13/15/17
10.40km	10.40km	10.40km	10.40km	10.40km	9.98km	9.98km
Jsed in 2011 - 2	016.					
OTOFUKE REV						
SS12/15	SS12/15	SS12/16	SS12/15	SS11/14	SS12/15	SS12/16
6.12km	6.12km	6.12km	6.12km	6.12km	(R)	(R)
Jsed in 2013 - 2	016. Also used in	reverse direction	prior to it.			
NEW HONBETS	The state of the s			E TOTAL		V - V - A T - A
SS13/16	SS13/16	SS14/18	SS13/16	SS11/14	SS14/17	SS14/18
13.79km	13.79km	13.79km	10.78km	11.03km	(R)	(R)
Jsed in 2015,20	16. Partially used	d in 2013,2014. La	atter half of the st	age is tarmac-surfa	aced.	
NEW ASHORO	LONG	2000	2 Contract	7 - 10 19 19		* · · · · ·
SS14/17	SS14/17	Not Used	SS14/17	SS2/5/9	SS13/16	Partly Used
29.11km	29.11km		29.11km	29.11km	29.11km	(R)
Jsed in 2012 - 2	044 0040	1		-		

(R) : Used in reverse direction.













## A.3 Reconnaissance Schedule



#### **APRC**

Thursday 14 September,

Open time	Stage name	Stage number	Comment
	KUNNEYWA	SS3 / SS8	One passage
09:00 - 11:50	RIKUBETSU LONG	SS2 / SS6 / SS7	Two passages
	KUNNEYWA	SS3 / SS8	One passage
12:30 - 13:30	PAWSE KAMUY	SS5 / SS10	Two passages
13:30 - 15:30	NEW ASHORO LONG	SS14 / SS17	Two passages
16:15 - 18:00	Sammy SATSUNAI	SS1 / SS11 / SS18	Two passages

#### Friday 15 September,

Open time	Stage name	Stage number	Comment
06:30 - 08:00	SIPIRIKAKIM SHORT	SS4 / SS9	Two passages
09:00 - 10:00	NEW HONBETSU	SS13 / SS16	Two passages
10:00 - 11:30	OTOFUKE REVERSE	SS12 / SS15	Two passages

#### **JRC**

Thursday 14 September,

Open time	Stage name	Stage number	Comment
09:00 - 10:30	NEW ASHORO LONG	SS14 / SS17	Two passages
10:30 - 11:30	PAWSE KAMUY	SS5 / SS10	Two passages
12:00 - 12:45	RIKUBETSU LONG	SS2 / SS6 / SS7	Two passages
13:00 - 15:00	KUNNEYWA	SS3 / SS8	Two passages
16:15 - 18:00	Sammy SATSUNAI	SS1 / SS11 / SS18	Two passages

#### Friday 15 September,

Open time	Stage name	Stage number	Comment
06:00 - 07:10	OTOFUKE REVERSE	SS12 / SS15	Two passages
07:15 - 08:35	NEW HONBETSU	SS13 / SS16	Two passages
09:00 - 11:30	SIPIRIKAKIM SHORT	SS4 / SS9	Two passages













**B.1 Route Map** 









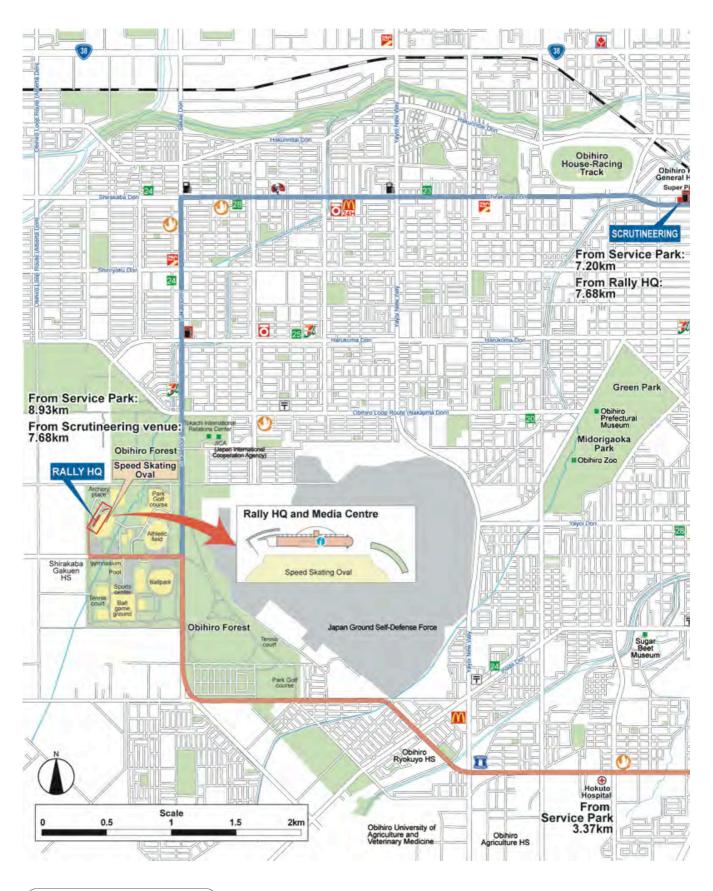






**B.2 Map of Obihiro city** 























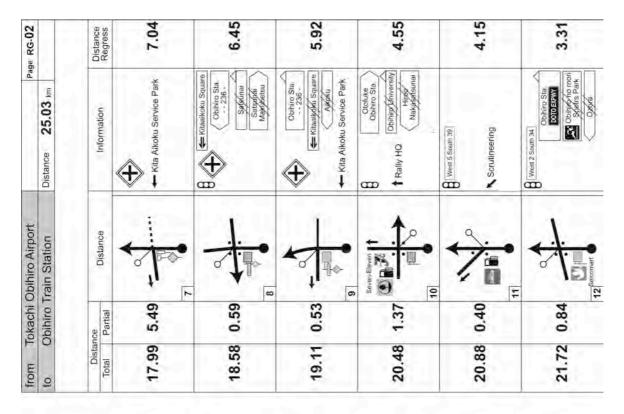






# C.1 Road Book: Airport - Obihiro Railway Station





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order common moon	Obihiro Train Station	Distance	78			<del></del>	<b>*</b>	
0.000	bihiro T	Partial	0	1.05	1.74	3.76	0.70	5.25
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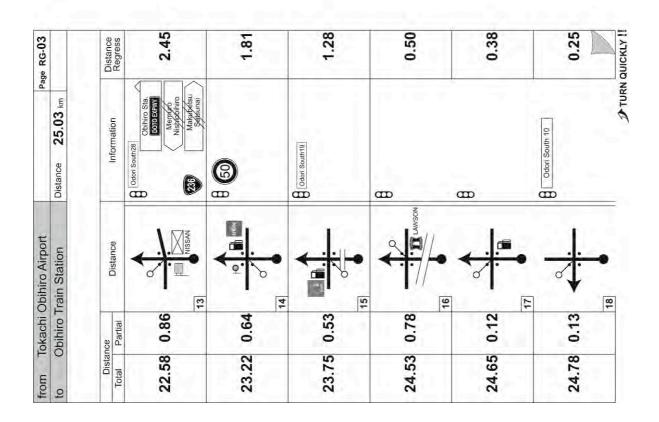








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Pe	Distance 25.03 km		Information	æ	B Obihiro Train Station
Tokachi Obihiro Airport	Obihiro Train Station	i	Distance	Hotel Hotel	Hotel
okachi C	bihiro T	eo	Partial	0.13	0.12
from Te	to O	Distance	Total	24.91	25.03









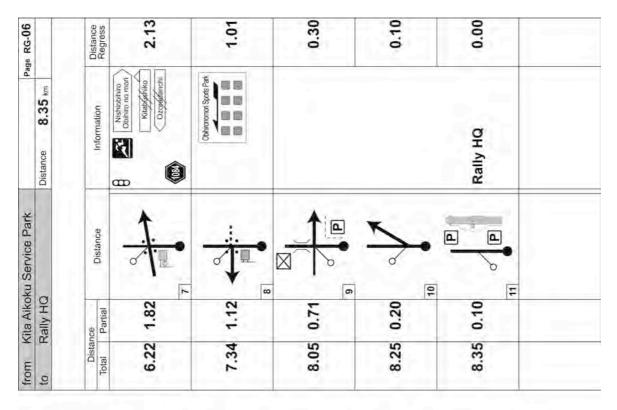






# C.2 Rally HQ - Kita Aikoku Service Park





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Pag	Distance 8.35 km	Information		Kita Aikoku Service Park		Opptive University Opptive Sta Scrutineering Nakesatsunal and Oblitice Train Station	œ	West 19 South 42   Ozora   Ozora   Roylý 38   Roylý 38   Kaylý félebell   Kaylý félebell	Minaminomon West 2
Kita Aikoku Service Park		Distance		Sandous		Seven-Eleven	Hokuir Hospital	Noswa	
ta Aiko	Rally HO	9	Partial	0.00	0.55	1.37	0.85	£ .	0.52
from Ki	to R	Distance	Total	0.00	0.55	1.92	2.77	3.88	4.40

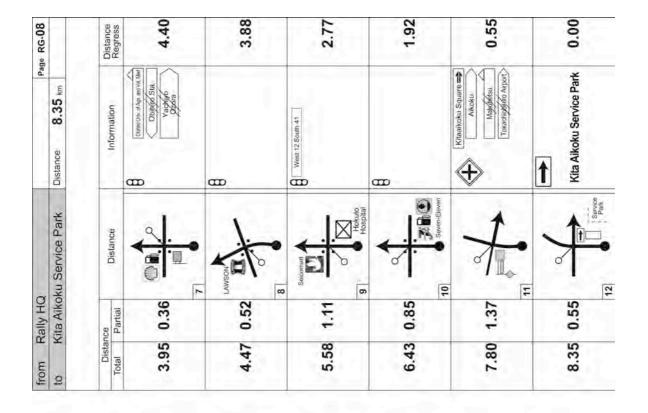


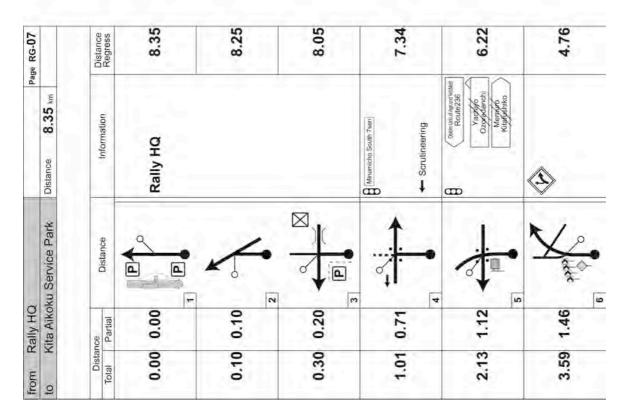


















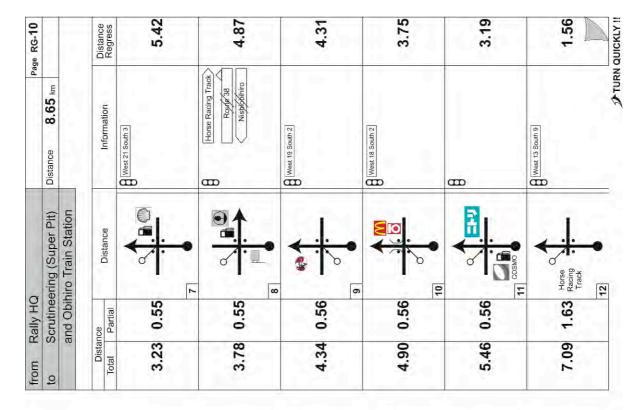


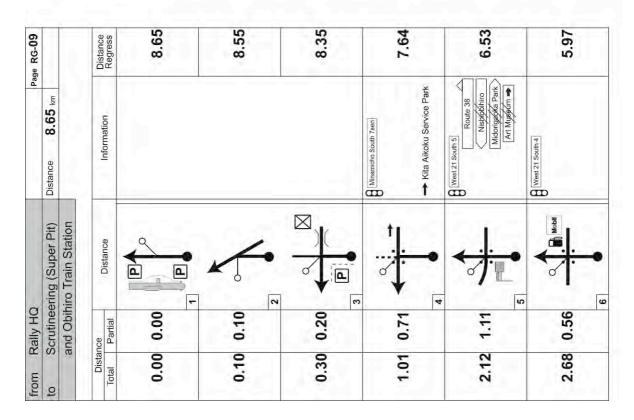




## C.3 Rally HQ- Scrutineering

















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Page RG-11		7	Distance	1.39	0.90	0.62	0.26	0.00
ď	8.65 km		Information	Obirhiro Sta. Midorigatoka Park	Super Pit Chuoten Scrutineering Marking and Sealing	South Gate North/Sate ROUPE 38		B Obihiro Train Station
	Distance		=	œ	Super B	മ്മ	œ	B Obihiro
	Scrutineering (Super Pit)	and Obihiro Train Station	Distance	3	13 koosi			Hotel Hotel
Rally HQ	crutineer	nd Obihii	ce		0.42	0.28	0.36	0.26
from R	to S	e	Distance	7.26	(7.68) (0.42)	8.03	8.39	8.65







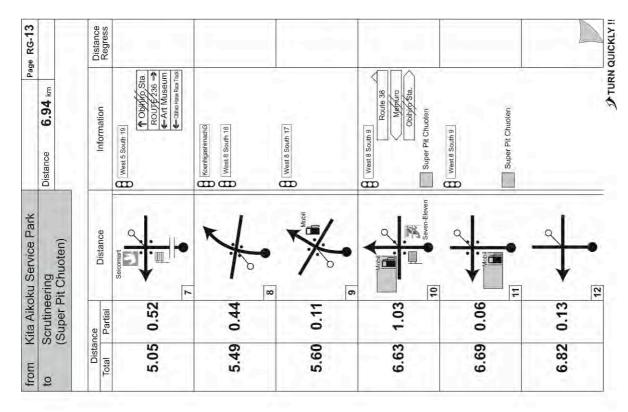


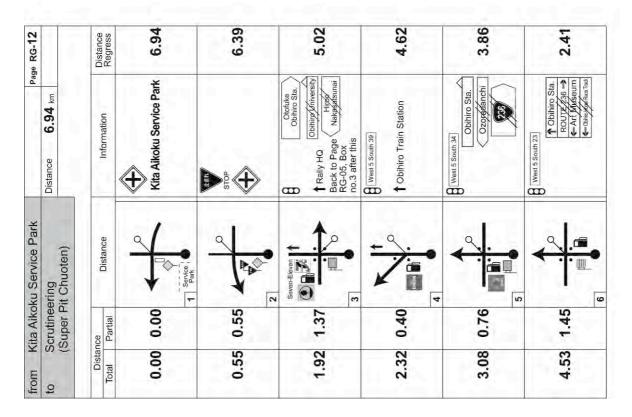




## C.4 Kita Aikoku Service Park - Scrutineering







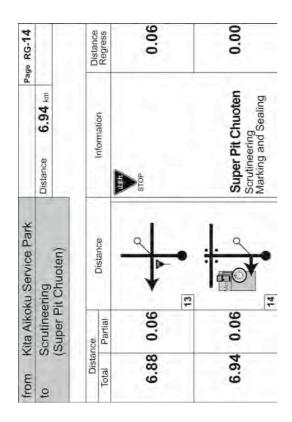












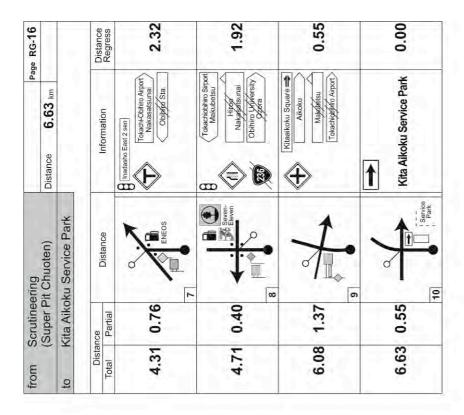


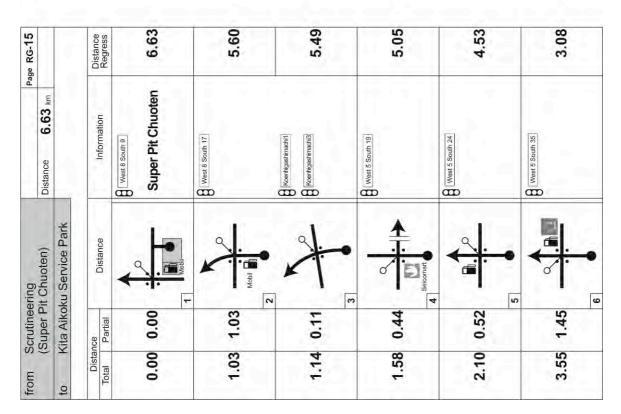


















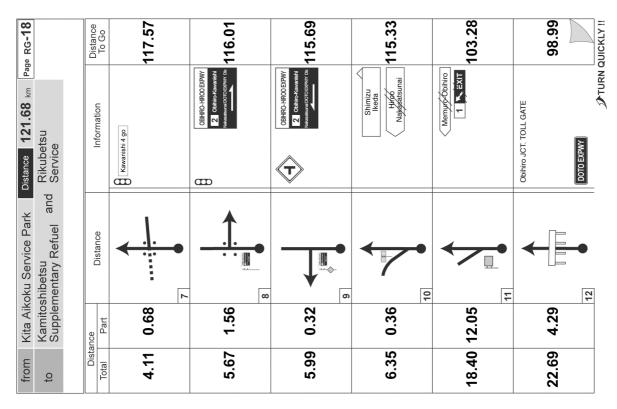






## C.5 Service Park - Remote Refuel Zone & Rikubetsu Service





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Distance 121.68 km	Rikubetsu Service	Information	IIIIOIIIII			dors don	Hiroo Nakasatsunai Obihiro Zhiversity Obihiro Sta.	Inadacho East 1 sen	æ
Kita Aikoku Service Park	Kamitoshibetsu Supplementary Refuel and	ocactaiO	Distalled		- To		Bowen- Talendaria		<b>←</b>
Kita Aik	Kamitos Supplen	nce	Part	0.00	0.26	0.55	1.37	0.63	0.62
from	to	Distance	Total	0.00	0.26	0.81	2.18	2.81	3.43

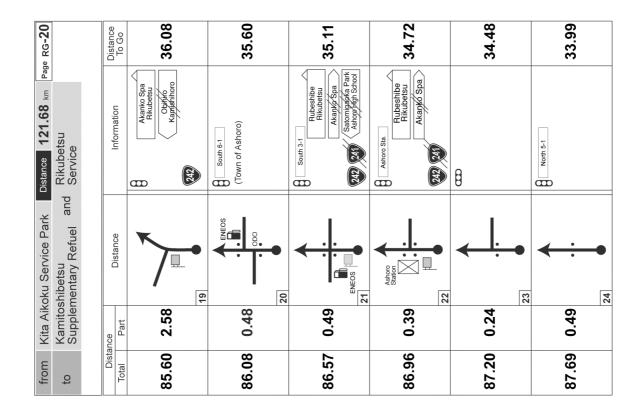


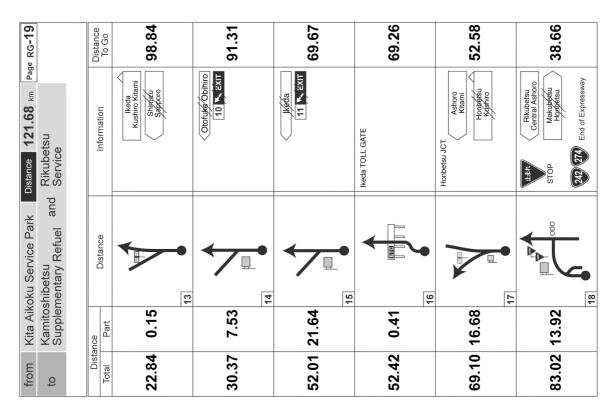












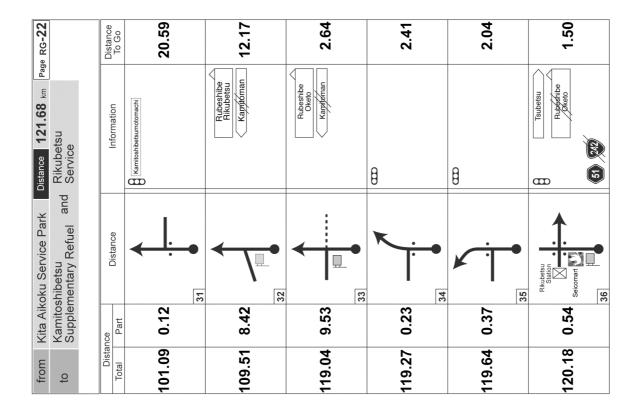


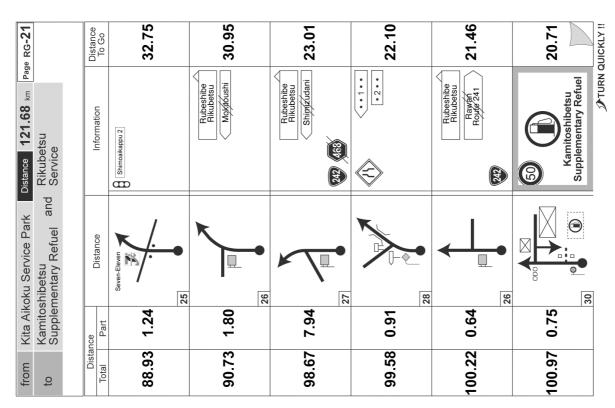












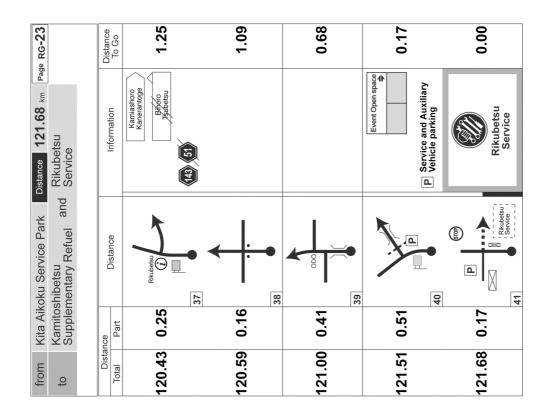


















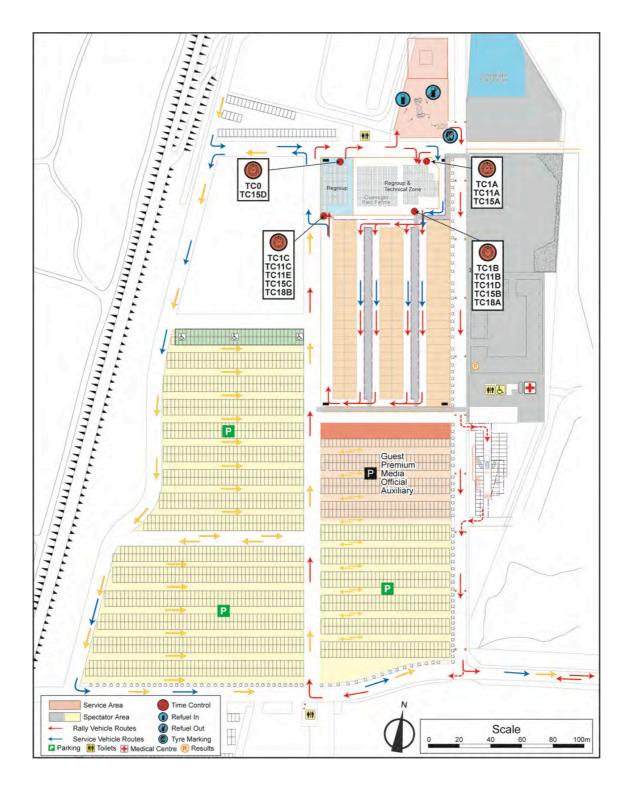






## D.1 Layout of Kita Aikoku Service Park











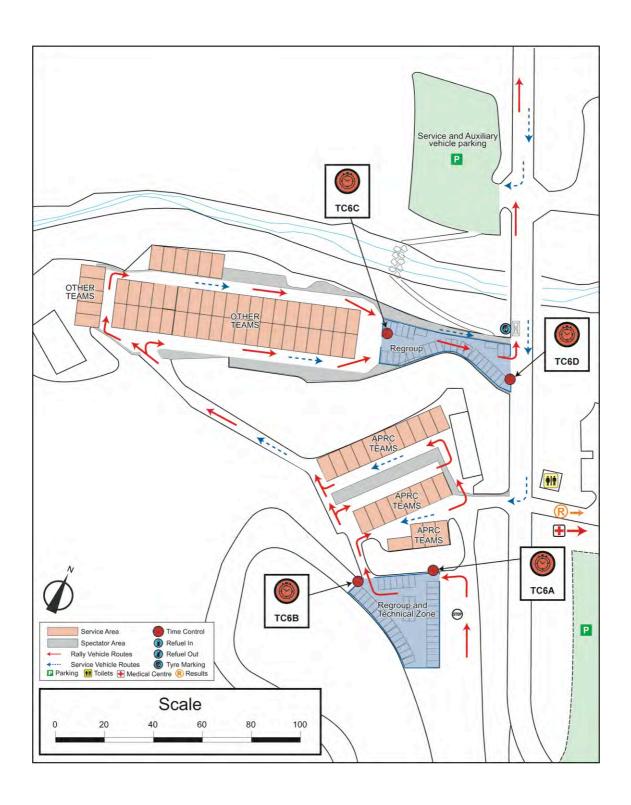






# D.2 Layout of Rikubetsu Service











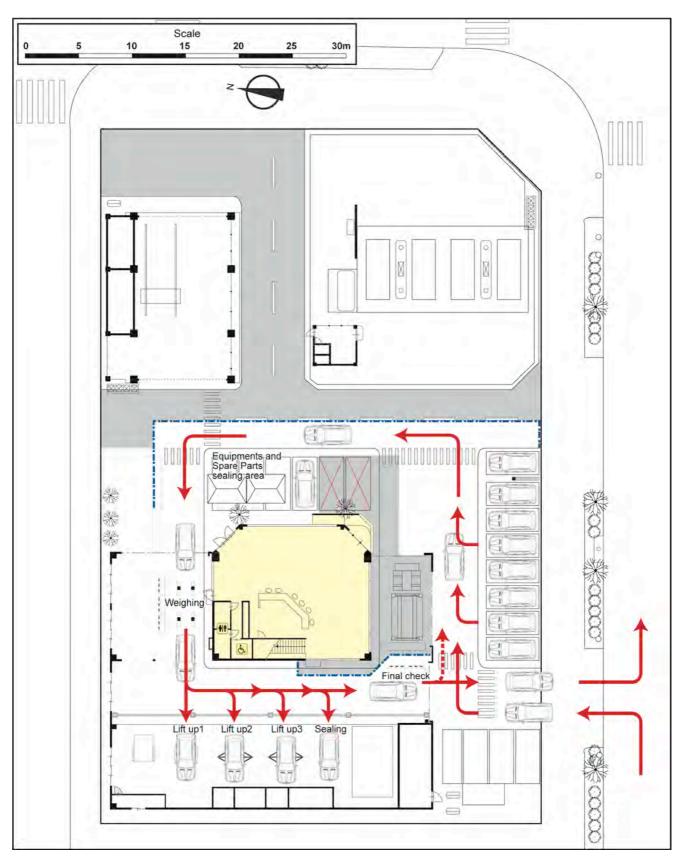






# **D.3 Scrutineering Layout**











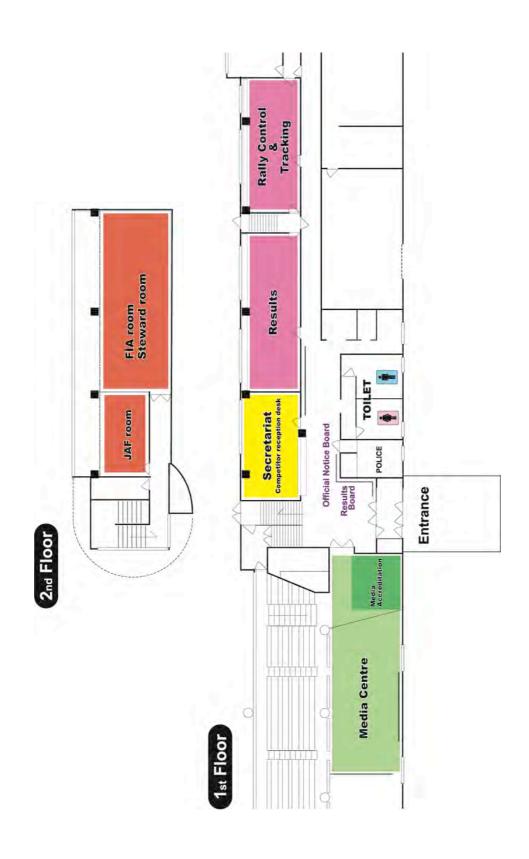






# D.4 Rally HQ and Media Centre Layout











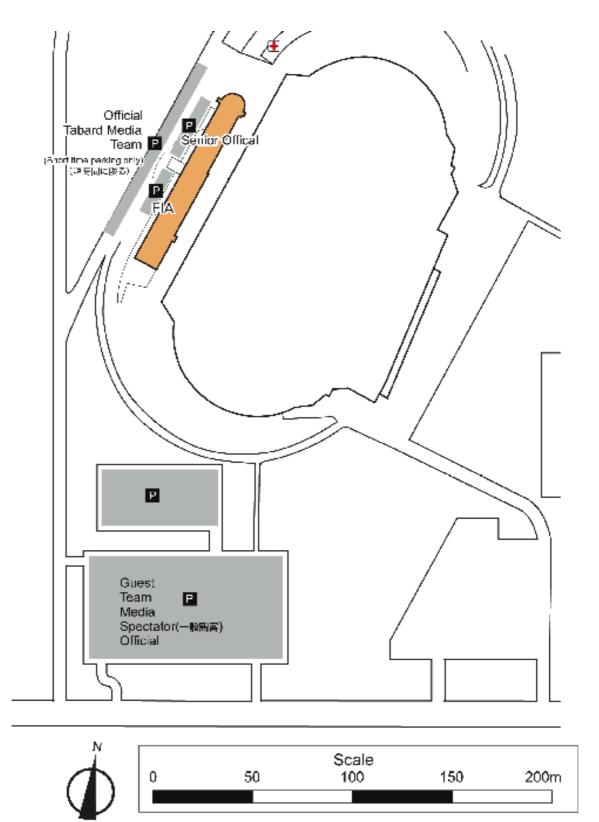






# D.5 Rally HQ and Media Centre parking











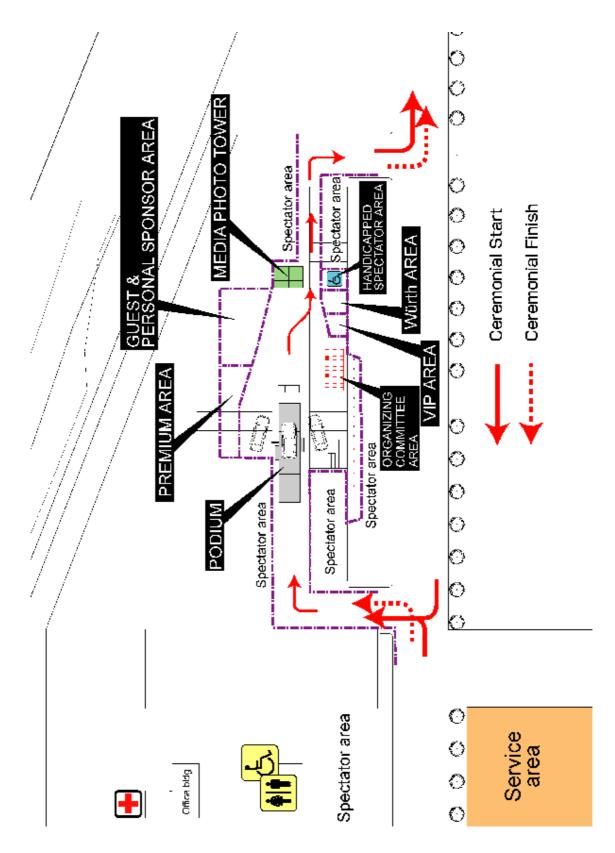






# **D.6 Ceremonial Start and Finish Layout**

















# E. Vocabulary



English	Japanese	Fronunciations
General Conversation		
Good Morning	おはようございます	Ohayou gozaimasu
Hello	こんにちは	Konnichiwa
Good evening	こんばんは	Konbanwa
Good bye	さようなら	Sayounara
Thank you	ありがとう	Arigatou
Excuse me	すみません	Sumimasen
Nice to meet you	はじめまして	Hajime mashite
Long time no see	ひさしぶり	Hisashiburi

Restaurant		
Western style food	洋食	You-shoku
Japanese food	和食	Nihon-shoku / Wa-shoku
Chinese style food	中華	Chuuka
Chicken	鶏肉	Tori-niku
Fish	魚	Sakana
Beef	牛肉	Gyuu-niku
Pork	豚肉	Buta-niku
Beer	ビール	Biiru
Coffee	コーヒー	Kouhi
Tea	紅茶	Kou-cha
Japanese Tea	日本茶/お茶	Nihon-cha
May I order?	注文してもいいですか?	Chuumon shitemo iidesuka
Can I have a glass of water please?	お水を下さい	Omizu wo kudasai

Directions		
Excuse me, where is the toilet?	すみませんが、トイレはどこで すか?	Sumimasen ga toire wa doko desuka
East	東	Higashi
West	西	Nishi
South	南	Minami
North	北	Kita
Right	右	Migi
Left	左	Hidari
Front	前	Mae
Rear / Back	後ろ	Ushiro

Traffic	Traffic			
Train	電車	Den-sha		
Car	自動車/車	Jidou-sha / Kuruma		
Motorbike / Motorcycle	オートバイ/バイク	Ohto bai / Baiku		
Bike / Bicycle	自転車	Jiten-sha		
Bus stop	バス停	Basu-tei		
Station	駅	Eki		
Airport	空港	Kuukou		











English	Japanese	Pronunciations
Public facilities		7,000,000
Bank	銀行	Gin-kou
Post office	郵便局	Yuubin-kyoku
Fire station	消防署	Shoubou-sho
Police station	警察署	Keisatsu-sho

Numbers		
One	一/壱	Ichi
Two	二/弐	Ni
Three	三/参	San
Four	四四	Shi / Yon
Five	五	Go
Six	六	Roku
Seven	t	Shichi / Nana
Eight	八	Hachi
Nine	九	Ku / Kyuu
Ten	+	Juu
Hundred	百	Hyaku
Thousand	Ŧ	Sen
Ten thousand	一万	Ichi-man

Days	4 1 2 2	
Monday	月曜日	Getsu-youbi
Tuesday	火曜日	Ka-youbi
Wednesday	水曜日	Sui-youbi
Thursday	木曜日	Moku-youbi
Friday	金曜日	Kin-youbi
Saturday	土曜日	Do-youbi
Sunday	日曜日	Nichi-youbi
Yesterday	昨日	Kinou
Today	今日	Kyou
Tomorrow	明日	Ashita
Day before yesterday	一昨日	Oto-toi
Day after tomorrow	明後日	Asatte

Shopping		
How much does this cost?	これはいくらですか?	Kore wa ikura desuka
Souvenir	お土産/おみやげ	Omiyage

Communication		
Public phone	公衆電話	Kousyuu-denwa
Mobile phone	携帯電話	Keitai-denwa
International call	国際電話	Kokusai-denwa
Radios	無線	Musen
Radio wave	電波	Denpa
Radio frequesncy	周波数	Syuuha-suu
Reception	感度	Kando