

Rules of Surfer Classic 2022

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1. Information

The series of virtual championships called Surfer Classic in the 2022 season is intended for competitors competing on the Richard Burns Rally platform using the Hungarian RSF plug-in and all the necessary accessories, i.e. cars, rally stages, car physics, etc.

- The organizer of the Surfer Classic is **Grupa Rajdowa Surfer** in cooperation with **Auto Moto Klub Wrocławski**.
AMK Wrocławski: <http://amkwroclawski.pl/>
Grupa Rajdowa Surfer: <https://www.facebook.com/grsurfer/>
- Each of the individual rallies included in the Surfer Classic 2022 series will be modeled on real equivalents, and the binding elements will be weather conditions, schedules, section names, and the surface.
- Each round will be a tournament created on the Hungarian plugin, which will be divided into two stages (legs). The individual rounds will be held from Monday (01:01 am) to Sunday (11:59 pm) according to the tournament calendar.

2. Competitors & Enrolment

2.1 Competitors.

Only competitors with an account on the Hungarian rallysimfans.hu plugin will be allowed to start in the Surfer Classic 2022 series.

- Competitors who have their first and last name in the Username or Real name field will count for each classification. Competitors who do not have their first and last name in the Username or Real name field will be excluded when awarding points.

2.2 Enrolment & Competition numbers.

- In the Surfer Classic 2022 season, the organizer does not introduce a system of Enrolment for individual rounds. This means that each player can start a specific round of the cycle by selecting it from the list in the game while it is running.
- For the Surfer Classic 2022 season, competition numbers will be given to competitors from the priority list, which consists of the TOP3 of each Surfer

Classic 2021 class. The priority list will be published before the start of the first round.

- Competitors whose names will not appear on the priority list may stick any number on their cars greater than the last competition number on the above list.
- Starting with more than one account is **PROHIBITED**.
- Starting in a chosen class during the first round is not binding. There is no obligation to use one car/class for the entire season. The exception is the **SURFER** class.
- Participation in the Surfer Classic 2022 does not require ANY paid license.

3. Events Calendar

Round 1	Rally Lotos Baltic Cup	21-27 February 2022
Round 2	Rally Subaru	11-17th April 2022
Round 3	Rally Polski	20-26th June 2022
Round 4	Rally Preem	5-11th September 2022
Round 5	Rally Podlaski	17-23th October 2022
Round 6	Rally Cieszyńska Barbórka	28th November-4th December 2022

4. Rally Groups

4.1 Classification.

Competition during Surfer Classic 2022 will take place in the following classes for which the classifications will be conducted. In addition, a general classification will also be carried out.

- **Class A-2WD** (Gr.A 2WD except KitCar's)
- **Class A-4WD** (Gr.A 4WD)
- **Class R4+S2000** (R4 & S2000 Cars)
- **Class R2** (R2 Cars)
- **Rally3 Cup** (Ford Fiesta Rally3 Cup)
- **SURFER** (Internal class for members of Grupa Rajdowa Surfer)

5. Points

5.1 Scoring at the finish line.

Scoring in the general classification and for each of the individual classes will be carried out according to the following key:

- 1 place – 10 pts.
- 2 place – 8 pts.
- 3 place – 6 pts.
- 4 place – 5 pts.
- 5 place – 4 pts.
- 6 place – 3 pts.
- 7 place – 2 pts.
- 8 place – 1 pt.

5.2 Points on Power Stage.

The last special stage of the rally will be based on the Power Stage principle. Additional points will be awarded to the top five competitors in the general classification in with accordance to the following key: **5-4-3-2-1**. Bonus points will also be awarded in classes.

5.3 An equal number of points situations

In the case of equal points between competitors, the final position of the Competitors in the classification is determined by the number of higher places at the finish line during the season.

6. Replays verification

6.1 Stage run control.

- The organizer, via the *Surfer Classic - RBR Championship* Facebook page, may ask competitors to provide a rally stage replay to verify if the stage run was completed correctly in with accordance to the set rules.
- Competitors selected by the Stewards for verification will be informed by the organizer with an appropriate message published on the above-mentioned website and the group *Surfer Classic by Grupa Rajdowa Surfer*.

6.2 Replays verification.

The rally stage replays will be verified based on:

- a video recording, published on YouTube, containing information about the replay (visible name of the SS, name of the rally);
- replay sent, delivered to the organizer via e-mail:

surferclassicrbr@gmail.com

6.3 No replay or late delivery.

If the rally stage replay is not delivered or is sent after the deadline, a time penalty will be imposed on the competitor (see clause 7.2).

6.4 Irregularities while running a special stage.

If it is determined, based on a replay, that the competitor has completed a special stage incorrectly (e.g. illegal shortcuts) or in an unsportsmanlike way (eg taking turns "over barriers", avoiding permanent obstacles, or harassing), the Stewards have the right to impose an appropriate time penalty on the competitor (see clause 7.3).

7. Penalties

7.1 Unethical behavior.

Unethical behavior (any words considered indecent or insulting) in the commentary – 1-minute penalty for each disclosed case added to the time achieved by the player in a given round.

7.2 No replay or late delivery.

Failure to deliver a rally stage replay within the specified period (concerning clause 6.3 of the Regulations) - a 3-minute penalty for each undelivered replay, added to the total time achieved in the rally by the competitor.

7.3 Finding incorrect or unsportsmanlike stage run.

Confirmation of incorrect or unsportsmanlike run of the rally stage based on the replay provided by the competitor (linked to point 6.4 of the Regulations) - 3-minute penalty will be added to the time achieved by the Competitor on the verified rally stage.

7.4 No rally stage replay from an unclassified competitor or a competitor using the SR system.

In case of failure to meet the obligation to send replay by a competitor who has finished the competition with SR or was not classified, the Organizer reserves the right to penalize the competitor following point 7.5 of the Regulations.

7.5 Other offenses not included in the Regulations or not detected so far.

Offenses not listed above will be individually considered.

8. Protests

8.1 Appeal against judges decisions.

Penalized competitors have the right to appeal against the decision of the organizers within 48 hours after the decision is announced.

8.2 Conditions for recognizing an appeal.

An appeal can only be accepted if the verification of the rally stage replay shows that the competitor has a 100% clear stage run.

8.3 No modification of penalties in certain cases.

Judges do not modify the penalties imposed by the plugin in connection with:

- False start
- „red screen”.

Appeals about this kind of punishment are dismissed without consideration.

9. Final provision

9.1 Changes to the regulations.

The organizer reserves the right to change the rules of the tournament. The organizer ensures that any modifications to the regulations will be carried out in line with the fair-play spirit. The organizer will notify about all changes with a message published on the cycle's Facebook page. It is the competitor's responsibility to read the changes.

9.2 Acceptance of the regulations.

Each participant who takes part in the championship declares that he has read the rules, accepts them, and will not make any claims.

9.3 Creating an unhealthy atmosphere.

Any kind: provocations, presumptions, slander, as well as unjustified information - not supported by evidence - will not be considered by the Organizer, and a competitor who publishes such information may be punished following point 7.5 of the Regulations.

9.4 In matters not covered by the regulations, the Organizer has the decisive vote.