

## 1/5 scale radio controlled model

### RcBajaRace 2016

#### Regulation

RcBajaRace 2016 is a multi-stage race, which is regulated by this regulation and RcBajaRace 2016 radio controlled model technical rules published on [www.baja5b.lv](http://www.baja5b.lv) (if not specified in these published rules, see EFRA rules).

*Note: EFRA International Sports Code and EFRA rules are published on [www.efra.se](http://www.efra.se)*

#### 1. Organization of the competition

- The competition is organized by Baja5b.lv – RcBajaRace
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#### 2. Participants

Any person may participate in the competition, no special licences or permits are required.

#### 3. Place and time \*

Stage	Date	Racetrack
1	14.05.2016	RTpower – Turaida
2	11.06.2016	Aizkraukle RC
3	09.07.2016	RTpower – Turaida
4	06.08.2016	Aizkraukle RC
5	27.08.2016	RTpower – Turaida
6	17.09.2016	Aizkraukle RC

*\*The organizer keeps the right to change previously published race calendar (date and place)*

#### 4. Model class for the competition:

No	Class	Class description
1	1/5 - 2WD	1/5 rear-wheel drive models

#### 5. Counting system

MYLAPS RC4 electronic lap counting system and individual transponders will be used. A chance to rent transponders will be provided.

#### 6. Participation fee:

- Adults – EUR 15
- Adolescents (up to age 16) – EUR 7.50
- Rent of transponders – EUR 4
- If the number of participants is equal to or more than 15, the organizer has the right to participate in the race free of charge.

## **7. Competition points:**

- Individual competition:

In accordance with EFRA GP1 (fewer than 30 participants) and EFRA GP2 (more than 30 participants) point counting system.

A stage is registered in the competition standings, if at least 4 participants have registered for that race class on the race day.

The best 5 results from 6 stages are included in season's standings.

In case there are drivers of RcBajaRace 2016 with the same amount of points, to determine their positions, their results in previous stages will be compared. If this indicator gives the same result for the drivers, the determining factor is the highest place in the final stage.

## **8. Race procedure**

- Participants are randomly divided into two groups – A and B.
- Participants will each take five 10 min qualification runs of which 3 (three) best results are taken into account.
- The final is divided into group A and B.
- Half of the total number of participants who were the fastest in the qualification are in group A final.
- The other half of participants are in group B final.

## **9. Marshalling**

1. All drivers shall participate in marshalling on the racetrack (except for the cases when the organizer has called for special marshals).
2. The track owner shall provide brightly coloured jackets for marshals.
3. Marshalling shall take place in accordance with the schedule.
4. Marshals shall take their place for marshalling 2 minutes before start.
5. Non-marshalling is a situation when marshal is not in its place 1 minute after the start signal.
6. For non-marshalling in qualification, a participant receives penalty – 1 race lap from the best qualification result. In case of repeated non-marshalling, the participant is disqualified from the RcBajaRace stage.
7. For non-marshalling in finals, a participant receives penalty – 3 race laps from the final result. In case of repeated non-marshalling, the participant is disqualified from the RcBajaRace stage.
8. Malicious and permanent taking of marshalling place with delay may be punished with a warning. In case of repeated warning, the participant shall be punished according to Clause 7 or 8.
9. After coordinating it with the judge, a driver has the right to use a substitute that shall take the driver's place in marshalling. The driver is responsible for the actions of his/her substitute on the racetrack.
10. A marshal has the right to start a stalled car, in that case, however, the car cannot be located on the racetrack.
11. Only the official marshals have the right to touch the cars that are in the middle on the racetrack.

12. If the car is damaged, a marshal shall deliver it to a specially designed place next to drivers' platform as soon as possible. For malicious non-delivering or any kind of delay, the marshal-driver in question will be penalized with a 10-second penalty.
13. A marshal shall return the car that has left the racetrack, to the place where it left the track from. When returning car on the racetrack, no other cars should be disturbed in the process.
14. Organizer is not responsible for injuries during the competition!

#### **10. Media**

- If a media representative wants to take photos or film the race in the middle of racetrack, then he/she should coordinate that with the organizers and receive a brightly coloured vest, which shall be used while on the racetrack.
- The organiser is not responsible for racetrack-related injuries!

#### **11. Driving culture in the racetrack**

1. Drivers should treat each other with respect. A driver shall give way for those drivers who are ahead of him/her by a race lap or more. It is specifically forbidden to disturb other drivers! If it happens, the judge may punish the violator.
2. Returning on the track after an accident, a participant must give way to all models that are passing by at that time, regardless of participant's position in that run. Cars, driving in the racetrack, have advantages over cars that are outside the track, overturned or have technical issues.
3. The judge shall determine penalties (disqualification or result aggravation) for participants whose models do not follow the driving standards:
  - 3.1. In case of the first warning, a participant receives a 10-second penalty or "STOP&GO" (STOP&GO must be complied with within the next three laps since receiving the penalty).
  - 3.2. In case of the second warning, 3 laps are counted off of a participant's result.
  - 3.3. In case of the third warning, a participant is disqualified.
  - 3.4. In case of failure to follow the judge's instructions, a participant receives a warning. In case it happens again, the participant is disqualified from the RcBajaRace stage.
  - 3.5. The judge's decision is final and cannot be changed.
  - 3.6. Only those participants driving at the time as well as the coordinator of the competition are allowed to be on the ramp or the command bridge.

#### **12. Objections**

- Only drivers participating in a race may submit objections.
- An Official objections committee consists of a judge and the RcBajaRace organizer.
- An objection must be submitted no later than 15 minutes after the arising of a dispute or the end of the race.
- The RcBajaRace organizer and the judge are responsible for just and fair consideration of the objection.

### 13. Schedule

Depending on the number of participants, changes in the schedule can be made.

8:30	-	9:00	Brīvie treniņi / Free practice		
9:00	-	9:45	Reģistrācija / Registration of participants.		
9:45	-	9:50	Sapulce / Drivers meeting		
10:00	-	10:15	Kvalifikācija 1 / Qualification 1	Group A	Qualification 1
			15min pauze/brake		
10:30	-	10:45	Kvalifikācija 1 / Qualification 1	Group B	
<b>30min</b>					
11:15	-	11:30	Kvalifikācija 2 / Qualification 2	Group A	Qualification 2
			15min pauze/brake		
11:45	-	12:00	Kvalifikācija 2 / Qualification 2	Group B	
<b>30min</b>					
12:30	-	12:45	Kvalifikācija 3 / Qualification 3	Group A	Qualification 3
			15min pauze/brake		
13:00	-	13:15	Kvalifikācija 3 / Qualification 3	Group B	
<b>60 min</b>					
<i>Pusdienas</i>  <i>Dinner</i>					
14:15	-	14:30	Kvalifikācija 4 / Qualification 4	Group A	Qualification 4
			15min pauze/brake		
14:45	-	15:00	Kvalifikācija 4 / Qualification 4	Group B	
<b>30min</b>					
15:30	-	15:45	Kvalifikācija 5 / Qualification 5	Group A	Qualification 5
			15min pauze/brake		
16:00	-	16:15	Kvalifikācija 5 / Qualification 5	Group B	
<b>60min</b>					
17:15	-	17:50	B grupas fināls / Group B final		Final
			25min pauze/brake		
18:15	-	18:50	A grupas fināls / Group A final		

19:10 Apbalvošana / Awards ceremony



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