

New Zealand Esports HyperFibre League

Driver Information

Welcome everyone to our New Zealand Esports HyperFibre League on iRacing!

We look forward to hosting an exciting tournament for the iRacing community and hope that everyone who attends has an enjoyable time. We believe we have compiled an exciting format and platform to showcase your talents on track and to the wider audience with broadcast support from our National NZ Sim Racing TV channels.

Please find below the tournament information for this event.

Eligibility

All participants of the event must meet the following requirements:

- Have an active iRacing Account
- Be a New Zealand Citizen or Resident
- Hold a D Class Licence or higher in Sports Car Class on iRacing
- Own the required iRacing content listed below

Event Details

Platform:	iRacing	
Car:	Porsche 992 Cup	
Ruleset:	https://www.nzsports.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/2024/08/NZEHL-2024-iRacing-Ruleset.pdf	
Broadcast	Stage 3 will be broadcast on all NZ Sim Racing TV Channels	
Setup	Fixed Setup	
Event Info	Three Stage Format as below	
Stage 1		
29/08/2024	Pre-Qualifying	Okayama International - Full Course

Stage 2		
Stage 2: 05/09/2024	Qualifying	WeatherTech Raceway at Laguna Seca
Stage 3		
19/09/2024	Round 1	Road America - Full Course
26/09/2024	Round 2	Hockenheimring - Grand Prix
03/10/2024	Round 3	Phillip Island
10/10/2024	Round 4	Nurburgring GP - Grand Prix

Tournament Structure

The New Zealand Esports Hyperfibre League is broken down into three key stages. Stage 1 is our open pre-qualifier event, where we will take the top 52 drivers to advance to Stage 2. Stage 2 is our main qualifier night, where we will hold a night of racing to find our top 18 drivers to join our 8 Community Nominated Representative drivers in the Stage 3 finals tournament.

For drivers that do not advance to stage 3 finals from Stage 2, we will offer the opportunity to take part in a secondary 'Tier 2' competition mirroring the Stage 3 finals for people to race in. This will only be run if there is sufficient interest from drivers to participate

Stage 1 - Pre Qualifying	
Track	Okayama International - Full Course
Session Details	Hosted session with Password to be distributed to entrants. Session will be set as a private qualifying session with unlimited laps using the fixed setup with a reduced fuel load. Depending on participants, a second or third session will be created if the first session is filled
Time	Session will run from 12pm (Midday) to 12am (Midnight)
Date	29/08/2024
Advancement Requirement	52 fastest legitimate lap times recorded by iRacing will advance to Stage 2
Stage 2 - Qualifying	
Track	Weathertech Raceway at Laguna Seca - Full Course
Session Details	The 52 Qualifiers will get split into 2 groups based on the results of pre-qualifying using a 'snaked allocation' - for example, 1st from pre-qual will be group 1, 2nd will be group 2, 3rd will be group 2, 4th will be group 1, and so on. The two groups will run at the same time in different sessions to the same format of a 30 minute practise session, 15 minute qualifying session and then 3x 20 Minute Sprint Races.
Time	Session will start at 7:30pm with Open Qualifying Scheduled to begin at 8:00pm
Date	05/09/2024
Advancement Requirement	The top 9 drivers on cumulative points from each group will advance to Stage 3

Stage 3 - Finals	
Round 1	
Track	Road America - Full Course
Session Details	The 18 drivers from Stage 2 will join the 8 community nominated drivers to form a final grid of 26 drivers. The session will feature a 30 minute practise session, followed by a 15 minute open qualifying session. Following will be 1x 25 Minute Sprint Race, then a invert 12 from results of the sprint race for 1x 45 Minute Feature Race
Time	Session will start at 7:30pm with Open Qualifying Scheduled to begin at 8:00pm
Date	19/09/2024
Round 2	
Track	Hockenheimring - Grand Prix
Session Details	The session will feature a 30 minute practise session, followed by a 15 minute open qualifying session. Following will be 1x 25 Minute Sprint Race, then a invert 12 from results of the sprint race for 1x 45 Minute Feature Race
Time	Session will start at 7:30pm with Open Qualifying Scheduled to begin at 8:00pm
Date	26/09/2024

Round 3	
Track	Phillip Island
Session Details	The session will feature a 30 minute practise session, followed by a 15 minute open qualifying session. There will then be 1x 75 Minute Endurance event worth double points
Time	Session will start at 7:30pm with Open Qualifying Scheduled to begin at 8:00pm
Date	03/10/2024
Round 4	
Track	Nurburgring GP - Grand Prix
Session Details	The session will feature a 30 minute practise session, followed by a 15 minute open qualifying session. Following will be 1x 25 Minute Sprint Race, then a invert 12 from results of the sprint race for 1x 45 Minute Feature Race
Time	Session will start at 7:30pm with Open Qualifying Scheduled to begin at 8:00pm
Date	10/10/2024

Points Structure

The points table on page 6 will be used for all point accumulating races through the tournament

Sprint & Feature Races		Enduro Races	
1st	26	1st	52
2nd	25	2nd	50
3rd	24	3rd	48
4th	23	4th	46
5th	22	5th	44
6th	21	6th	42
7th	20	7th	40
8th	19	8th	38
9th	18	9th	36
10th	17	10th	34
11th	16	11th	32
12th	15	12th	30
13th	14	13th	28
14th	13	14th	26
15th	12	15th	24
16th	11	16th	22
17th	10	17th	20
18th	9	18th	18
19th	8	19th	16
20th	7	20th	14
21st	6	21st	12
22nd	5	22nd	10
23rd	4	23rd	8
24th	3	24th	6
25th	2	25th	4
26th	1	26th	2
DNS	0	DNS	0

Prize Pool

We have a total \$5000NZD Prize Pool allocation available for our Stage 3 Finalists as below

1st	\$1600
2nd	\$850
3rd	\$500
4th	\$275
5th	\$200
6th	\$145
7th	\$115
8th	\$110
9th	\$105
10th	\$100
Fan Vote	\$150
Driver Vote	\$150
3x iRacing 6 Month Subscriptions - These will be randomly drawn from all drivers who compete in the Stage 3 Finals - this will be paid via iRacing Credits to the winners iRacing account	\$450
Tier 2 Prizes (If Ran)	\$250