Dallara Esports Championship

1. COMPETITION

The Dallara Championship is an Esports competition based on Assetto Corsa dedicated to sim racers from all over the world and organized by Dallara Company.

The championship, due to COVID-19 pandemic, will be played online and it will be divided in 4 hot lap competitions to select the 12 drivers that will join the Grand Final race. In order to participate in the Dallara Esports Championship the players need to register to the **esport.dallara.it**, donate 10,00 euro using paypal, and then take part in the online qualification sessions. Every player will be able to drive the Dallara Stradale, a special car created for this special championship; furthermore there will be a special prize pool for the top 3 drivers of the Grand Final.

All the revenues coming from the registration fees and donations, after deduction of PayPal fee, will be donated to ASST Papa Giovanni XXIII Hospital and the UH Parma Medical Center - University Hospitals

2. CONTACTS, COMMUNICATIONS AND F.A.Q.

For any additional informations please refer to the following contacts: email: <u>esport@akinformatica.it</u> or <u>tournaments@akinformatica.it</u> the official website: esport.dallara.it Facebook event (**TBD**)

3. PARTICIPATION

In order to participate in the Dallara Esports Championship the driver needs to:

- A. Own an original copy of Assetto Corsa on Steam (PC)
- B. Register a new account at this link (esport.dallara.it)
- C. You will receive a confirmation email of the registration. Next you will activate your account and you can subscribe to the competition
- D. At this point the website will redirect you to Paypal where you must donate 10,00 euro
- E. Once the process has been completed successfully, the driver will receive an email with the hotlap server's password
- F. Own a driver profile in-game with real Name and Surname
- G. Download the special car "Dallara Stradale" from esport.dallara.it
- H. Be at least 18 years old

4. HOT LAP QUALIFICATION DETAILS

Every driver, once he/she has been registered correctly on the website (**esport.dallara.it**), has 4 different chances to qualify for the final event by recording his/her best lap in one of the following hot lap events:

- Imola
- Mugello
- Spa Francorchamps
- Brands Hatch

All the valid times recorded by a driver will be shown on a dedicated leaderboard for each hot lap event. The 3 drivers that achieved the fastest hot laps during every single qualification event will be invited to the Grand Final race.

If a driver selected to be invited on the Grand Final can't participate he/she must send an email to <u>esport@akinformatica.it</u> or <u>tournaments@akinformatica.it</u> as soon as possible. The empty slot will be filled with the next driver that achieved the best lap time (4th) during the same hot lap qualification session of the dropout.

Driving Assists allowed: abs and tc allowed, other aids not Setup: modifications allowed

5. CAR ASSIGNMENT

All the drivers must download the Dallara Stradale at this link (esport.dallara.it) and use it to participate in the hot lap sessions and Gran Final.

6. DATES

- Registration opens on March 30th at 12:00 CET
- Imola hot lap server opens on April 6th at 09:00 CET and closes on April 12th at 22:00 CET
- Mugello hot lap server opens on April 13th at 09:00 CET and closes on April 19th at 22:00 CET
- Spa Francorchamps hot lap server opens on April 20th at 09:00 CET and closes on April 26th at 22:00 CET
- Brands Hatch hot lap server opens on April 27th at 09:00 CET and closes on May 3rd at 22:00 CET
- Grand Final online on May 16 (TBD)

*(time may vary)

7. GRAND FINAL

The final race will take place online on May 16(TBD). The best 12 drivers selected during the hot lap qualifications will race in the Gran Final and they will try to win the amazing prizes offered by Dallara and the sponsors.

The Grand Final track will be decided by the vote of the sim racers while the format of the competition is the following one:

- Car: Dallara Stradale
- Free Practice session (10 Min)
- Qualification (30 Min)
- Race 1 (30 Min)
- Race 2 with reverse grid from race 1 result (30 Min)

- Driving assist allowed: abs and tc allowed, other aids not
- Setup: Open

The Grand Final will be live-streamed on different platforms (listed on the website and social networks).

8. SCORES

The 2 final races will have a different score system.

Race 1:

1st place: 25 points 2nd place: 18 points 3rd place: 15 points 4th place: 12 points 5th place: 10 points 6th place: 8 points 7th place: 6 points 8th place: 4 points 9th place: 2 points 10th place: 1 point

Race 2 (inverted grid):

1st place: 16,5 points 2nd place: 12 points 3rd place: 9,5 points 4th place: 7,5 points 5th place: 6 points 6th place: 4,5 points 7th place: 3 points 8th place: 2 points 9th place: 1 point 10th place: 0,5 points

9. DRIVER ELIGIBILITY

A "Driver" is any person who has been registered through the esport.dallara.it website at (**esport.dallara.it**) during the tournament. Drivers must register to the competition before the end of the Hot Lap qualification (**May 3rd at 22:00 CET**) in order to record a valid hotlap and be eligible to participate.

Drivers must meet the following requirements in their entirety to be eligible to compete. Drivers who do not meet these requirements will be deemed ineligible and will be removed from the Dallara Esports Championship.

Administration reserves the right to investigate Driver information when eligibility is in question. Drivers should be prepared to provide a copy of personal identification or other applicable documents to verify that these requirements are met.

9.1. HARDWARE & SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS

A Driver is eligible to participate in the Dallara Esports Championship only if he/she has:

- A PC provided with Steam;
- Decent Internet connection (max ping 100);
- Assetto Corsa.

10. DRIVER RESTRICTIONS

10.1. DRIVER NAMES

Driver Names must be their real ones and must not contain any of the following: Obscene or suggestive language, Corporation, company, sponsor, product, or services names KUNOS Simulazioni, 505 Games, Dallara Esports Championship or any shorthand of the aforementioned Dallara Esports Championship derivatives that may cause confusion during gameplay. Certain special characters might not appear correctly on the in-game HUD during the broadcast, so it is recommended to use simplified characters when applicable.

10.2. CHANGING IN-GAME NAMES

Drivers who attempt to change their in-game names and surnames during an active series may not be able to participate in the competition.

11. CODE OF CONDUCT:

The organizer considers the code of conduct a fundamental aspect in every Esports competition. It is precisely for that reason that if any Driver involved in the Dallara Esports Championship acts in any of the following ways, the organiser has the right to disqualify the player with immediate effect.

- Unsporting conduct (insults in the game chat dedicated to other players, marshalls, organizer etc);
- Obscene insults to the organizing staff and subjects involved (online and offline) on any social platform, websites, forums etc;
- Trolling;
- Unsporting conduct on track (such as obstructing other players during the qualification, "dive-bombing", zigzagging on the track, deliberately causing one or more incidents etc);
- Race Direction will be in charge of penalizing any unfair behaviour and resolve any post-event protest.

12. PRIZE POOL:

The top 3 drivers of the Grand Final will receive special prizes offered by Dallara and the sponsors:

- 1st place: 3 months paid curricular internship at Dallara's Electronics & Software Engineering department;
- 2nd place: Dallara Stradale Experience on track with Dallara coaches, lasting maximum 2 days;
- 3rd place: test session at the Dallara's Professional Simulator with a Dallara specialist,, lasting 1 working day.