

Hare & Hound Road Rally

The objective of a hare and hound road rally is to arrive at the final destination with a recorded mileage that most closely matches the known mileage for the set route. The mileage for each vehicle will be recorded before the rally begins. Each team will have a map of the course in a sealed envelope (for emergency use). Breaking the seal of the envelope will disqualify the team from competition. Teams will stagger start every 30 seconds. At each intersection, the team will decide if it is to go left, right or straight. There will be a caution tape flag marker that will signify the correct route. The marker will usually be placed out of sight of the intersection. If the team travels more than three tenths of a mile without encountering a flag, they are on the wrong route and must return to the intersection a make another choice. There will be drivers on the course that will be "hares" and their sole purpose is to throw off the hounds by intentionally taking wrong turns or back tracking the correct routes. Speed and handling is not a factor in this endeavor. All you need is a car or truck, van, bus, motorcycle, motor home, or moped with an accurate odometer. The team that comes closest to matching the mileage of the actual route, without detours, will win a \$100 cash prize. Every registered vehicle will receive two coupons for an ice-cream cone at Young's Jersey Dairy.