



MDINA GRAND PRIX 2015 Photography Workshop

Thursday 8th October

10.00 – 10.30hrs

Introduction and Briefing Session by Charles A Zahra Valletta Grand Prix Foundation Secretary

10.30 – 12.30hrs

Creative Car Photography - Tutorial 1

- **Location**
- **Shoot at the right time of day**
- **Be on the lookout for reflections**
- **Driving shots**
- **Color of the car**
- **Background suits the car**
- **Panning for motion blur**
- **Let the car interact with the surroundings**

17.00 – 20.00 hrs

Creative Car Photography - Tutorial 2 (practical)

The Thomas Smith Hill Climb Mellieha + Dinner

A stand-alone event that gives the competitors a chance to properly, shake down their vehicles in preparation for the Mdina races over the weekend. Set outside the picturesque village of Mellieha, the competitors will have to tackle the Ta' Pennellu hill, a fast 2.5 km stretch with some 'interesting' bends and corners that will test the cars and the drivers' attributes to the max.

Enjoy the trials while dining under the clear skies.



Friday 9th October

10.30 – 11.30hrs

Creative Car Photography - Tutorial 3

- **Lighting**
- **Angles**
- **Exterior Details**
- **Interior**
- **Panning**
- **Give it a go!**

11.30 – 12.30hrs

Creative Car Photography - Tutorial 4 (practical)

13.00hrs

Lunch at Palazzo Depiro

You will enjoy a light lunch together with the drivers and owners of the cars.

14.30 – 16.00hrs

“Le Concours d’Elegance” - in front of The Mdina Cathedral

The Mdina Glass Concours d’Elegance has become the premier such Concours in Malta. The organizers will be inviting selected car collectors to bring out some true automotive gems and put them on display at the unique venue that is the city of Mdina. Visitors will be able to feast their eyes on rare and fine examples of what could be classified as nothing less than automotive art.



Saturday 10th October

10.00 – 12.00hrs

Photography workshop on the circuit – Tutorial 5

Saturday morning includes two practice sessions to allow the drivers to acclimatise themselves with the circuit. The afternoon sees the cars let loose individually on the track so as to define the starting order for Sunday's grid.

Sunday 11th October

10.00 onwards

Photography workshop on the circuit – Tutorial 6

This is where the real racing kicks off. The cars are grouped into packs of 8 to 10 cars and set off around the circuit to provide a thrill for the drivers and spectators alike. The unforgiving nature of the circuit will bring out the very best of performance driving by both the drivers and their classic racing automobiles. A spectacle like no other. A chance for classic race-car owners to put their cars through their paces at a circuit in a unique location and a chance for spectators to feast their eyes on some examples of fine classic racing machinery going at speed around this fantastic circuit.

20.00hrs

Presentation of Awards and Dinner Party at the Corinthia Palace Attard.