



# Press Release

October 2007

## Event Schedule

### Friday May 16th

Registration  
Marshal brief  
Press conference  
Black Tie Ball

### Saturday May 17th

Show and Shine at Plaza  
Official Driver brief  
Evening Prologue

### Sunday May 18th

Broken Hill Motorkhana  
Head out to properties

### Monday - Friday

Competition stages  
round-robin style on  
stations

### Saturday 24th

All stage results  
released in morning.  
Competitors grouped  
based on current  
position.  
Round robin-style  
stages.  
Early finish so  
competitors and  
marshals can clean-up.  
Evening Presentation.

Event date

16th - 24th May 2008

## Cash Prizes for Stage Winners

The 2008 ARB Warn Outback Challenge is not only the 10th anniversary of the event, it is also the first year that cash rewards will be given for special stage winners.

Lengthy discussion with competitors and others involved in the sport has highlighted that this is the trend in this motorsport. Rather than just award cash to the overall winners, by spreading it through to all stage winners, second and third placegetters there is a greater chance of participants being part of the prize pool. Obviously if you win heaps of stages, you will not only be in the top 10 overall but bring home a cash prize kitty as well.

Special Stages are still in the planning but there should be 26 in total.

1st place	\$200
2nd place	\$150
3rd place	\$100

That's a total of cash prizes equaling \$11,700 Add to this the discount voucher for the top 3 overall @\$1500 each = \$4500. Plus prizes for top 10 overall of value in excess of \$10,000.

Prize pool in excess of \$26,000 - that's more than \$1000 per stage.

Looking at past results of the event it's likely that the top placegetters will tally up a good cash prize pool on top of the prizes they will take away.

It's not guaranteed but the overall winner and second place could come away with more than \$2000, third and fourth overall could get \$1000 or more plus prizes. It's possible that the other overall competitors in the top 10 will receive more than \$500 plus prizes.

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The great thing about special stage prizes is that competitors only have to come in the top 3 of any of the 26 stages and they get not only medallions but a cash prize.

This, the 10th anniversary event, promises to be awesome with more than 40 competitors registered already and a huge field from overseas.

The event will kick off with a black tie ball in Broken Hill and there will be competitors, marshals, spectators and supporters coming from all over the world to be part of this historic event. More details can be found on the website.

[www.outback4x4challenge.com](http://www.outback4x4challenge.com)