

Round 8

Cadets

Heat 1

Seven karts started us off for heat one in the august round. There were a few new faces making an appearance on the starting grids but making the headlines in race one was Saul Robinson. Saul made his manoeuvres early on to get himself up to first place and then set the pace for the ten laps. Oliver Royer started from pole position and had a good race to finish in second it was only a small error that cost him his place in the lead when Oliver ran wide through the opening section on lap two which Saul capitalised on.

Heat 2

Race two and this time Luke Jenkinson started with the lead. Again though Saul Robinson made a good overtake this time at the hairpin to get in to first. Luke battled hard to match the pace set by Saul but after ten laps he finished 4 seconds off the lead. Jordan Cain pulled off a fantastic display to make up two positions and finished with third place points.

Heat 3

Saul completed a clean sweep of the heat races with victory in heat 3. Saul pulled off one of the over takes of the year when he made a dive up the inside of two karts going in to the second hairpin. Saul left his braking until the last second as he got the inside line and gained two positions. A small amount of side by side contact but this was due to the driver on the outside making their turn in to the corner and catching the side of Saul's kart. Luke Jenkinson and Jordan Cain had a close race in second and third after they had made their way through the field and finished less than half a second between one another.

Final

The final race saw Saul starting on a well deserved pole position. Again setting the pace throughout the final and took victory with little trouble throughout. The battle for second and third were close as Luke Jenkinson started on second place and lost out on the opening lap to Oliver Royer who made his move from third. Oliver Kept his position in the opening stages but was under pressure from an advancing Jordan Cain. Jordan finally made his move after seven laps to get through after a poor start. Oliver Royer briefly lost out on third place

to Luke Jenkinson on hairpin two but regained the position a lap later. Samuel Cunliffe put Luke Jenkinson under pressure in the latter stages of the race but was adjudged to have gained the position from Luke by contact. Samuel was issued with a black flag for an illegal overtake. After serving his penalty Samuel rejoined in fifth place.

Driver	Final Positions	Round Points (inc Heats)
Saul Robinson	1 st	60
Jordan Cain	2 nd	51
Oliver Royer	3 rd	50
Luke Jenkinson	4 th	52
Samuel Cunliffe	5 th	41
Morgan Wroot	6 th	45
Jacob Eden	7th	37

Juniors

Heat 1

Aaron Walsh started from pole position in heat one and stayed in position to take maximum points in the first race. Daniel Taylor kept the pressure on Aaron throughout but could not find a way past to take the race win but did finish with a well deserved second. Ryan Blackburn was one of the new faces to inkart and had a tough start to the round as he lost control and span. The small error cost him track position and when he got going again he was down in last place. Jack Bailey another new comer had better fortunes in the race as he made his move forwards in the race. Jack Bailey kept the pace behind Giacomo for a few laps while he sized up an over take and eventually got his move at hairpin two when Giacomo ran wide and left room for jack to sneak through. Charlie Ellis kept himself quiet behind Jack but as Jack got his over take on Giacomo, Charlie followed his racing line through and gained a position.

Heat 2

Kallum McBride was the winner of race two as he moved from fourth place to first. Kallum got a good start off the line to move in to second place and was following Charlie Ellis who had the lead. Charlie made a mistake on hairpin three as he missed his apex on the corner and left the room for Kallum to move through to first. Charlie kept it together after losing

the position to Kallum and stayed in shape to finish second. Aaron Walsh took third place from a Seventh place grid start And Jack Bailey lost two places in the race to take fourth.

Heat 3

Jack Bailey made amends for his position loss in race two by moving up to third in race three. A faultless effort from Robbie Mercer allowed him to keep the lead throughout and take a race win. Brandon Bethell could not get past Robbie but took second place.

Heat 4

Dominic Caulfield and Kallum McBride led the way for race four and set the pace throughout. Harry Macdonald started in Third place on the grid but came in to the pit lane for a kart swap. Daniel Taylor and Aaron Walsh made up positions to finish in fourth place and fifth respectively.

B Final

There were few position changes in the B final. Only one of the new drivers to inkart featured in the race as two of the three juniors qualified for the A final. Dominic Caulfield took the race win to earn the final grid place in the A final.

A Final

Dominic Caulfield after earning his grid place in the A final wasted no time moving up the order to get in to fifth position but could not advance any further. No driver so far in the year has managed to make the podium after being promoted in to the A final after a race win in the B final. The front three drivers set the race pace through the final and all kept their positions to take the trophies home.

Driver	Finishing Position	Round Points (inc Heats)
Kallum McBride	1 st	55
Aaron Walsh	2 nd	54
Brandon Bethell	3 rd	51
Daniel Taylor	4 th	50
Dominic Caulfield	5 th / 1 st B Final	45
Robbie Mercer	6 th	46
Jack Bailey	7 th	44
Charlie Ellis	8th	39

Blair Henry	2 nd B Final	42
Andre Forrester	3 rd B Final	41
Harry Macdonald	4 th B Final	38
Giacomo Zangarini	5 th B Final	36
Ryan Blackburn	6 th B Final	29

