



Round 3 – March 8th

Junior Heat 1

Dean Thomas started out in front in the first junior heat, with Tadhg and Archie looking to make a move early on. Matthew Tubby had a shaky start and ended up dropping to last place after bumping and spinning out on the 2nd lap. Archie managed to squeeze past Dean on the 3rd lap and take the lead, but only with a 0.2 second gap. Levi Anderson was going well and jumped up from the lower end of the grid and into second place after the halfway mark. Archie was doing well in front and had a 2 second lead going into the penultimate lap. Dean was struggling and slipped down to sixth place and Diego somehow found a gap and took second place from Levi as they crossed the line, with Archie in first.

Junior Heat 2

Liam Coleman was put on pole for the second junior heat of the afternoon, with Diego Lopez and Matthew Tubby looking to hold onto position in second and third. There was a fair amount of contact on the opening lap and the field was warning with no bumping boards. Diego and Liam were chopping and changing, but Diego came out with the lead as they approached the final few laps. Liam took second place over Christian Nielson Evans in third, with Diego holding on to the win.

Junior Heat 3

Joshua Craft and Christian Nielson Evans were running at the top in the final junior heat. Ollie Ursell managed to get in the mix and climb into second place after 3 laps, although he was at risk of receiving a penalty for contact at times. Ollie continued his run and climbed into the lead with a 3 second lead after 6 laps. Joshua and Christian were going well with plenty of space in second and third, as the heat began to settle at the front. Meanwhile at the back of the grid, Dean, Liam and Archie were fighting each other and all received a penalty board for excessive force. Ollie Ursell took the win, with Joshua Craft in second and Christian in third after penalties had been enforced.

Junior Final

Diego Lopez started out on top with Dean Thomas chasing him down. Dean set the fastest lap early on with the only driver in the 1.11's after 4 laps. Levi Anderson found his groove but pushed Ollie Ursell off in the process, leaving him with a penalty board for his troubles. Dean Thomas made his move after an excellent race to this point, he came through the inside of turn 10 on the 6th lap to take the lead from Diego. He made it stick through the next lap as well to cement his position at the front with a half a second lead over Emilio. Liam Coleman and Joshua Craft led the main pack but they were a good 6 seconds back after 10 laps. Dean and Diego were still at it with 2 laps to go and less than 0.5 between them. Dean held on and won by 0.255 seconds over Diego, with Joshua Craft in third place after Levi had been penalised.



Senior Light Heat 1

Vaughan Roberts took an early lead with Craig Murchison hot on his heels, as there was a collision with the middle of the field through turn 1 and into 2. Christopher Gristwood pulled off a classic slingshot manoeuvre through turn 6 on the 2nd lap to gain 3 places and jump into 5th. Vaughan managed to pull away in the slippery conditions to build a 4 second lead as we passed the halfway point. Craig and Emilio were closely packed as they fought for second and third place. Craig held strong and crossed the line in second position behind Vaughan in first and in front of Emilio who took third.

Senior Light Heat 2

Yuri Burton started on pole but couldn't stick there for long, as he slipped all the way down to 15th after 2 laps. James Ives took advantage of the early tightness and went to the top with Thomas Knapton close on his tail. Emilio Lopez received the penalty board after persistent bumping and trying to force a kart off the circuit. Thomas Knapton slipped past James to take the lead on the 5th lap, as Scott Taylor jumped into 3rd on the 6th. Scott then took first place through turn 7 on the final lap to move into the lead, he held on and took the flag and the win, with Thomas in second and James in third place.

Senior Light Heat 3

Craig Murchison, Tyler Parslow and Daniel Russell topped the grid in the final light heat of the day. The heat stayed fairly close for the opening laps. Daniel Russell messed up at turn 10 after coming in too hot, he span out and dropped from 3rd to 13th position in one corner. Craig powered away to the win by over 7 seconds, he posted a fastest time of 1.11.884, beaten only by Tom Bush's 1.11.822. Tyler Parslow took second place over Thomas Knapton in third place.

Senior Light Final

Vaughan Roberts and Matthew Diemer set the tone for the final early on, as they fought tooth and nail for the front spots from the beginning. The ever reliable Craig Murchison stepped up and was on the prowl right behind them, waiting to pounce on a mistake. Emilio Lopez and Tom Bush were leading the rest of the pack, with Scott Taylor close behind. The largest field of the afternoon was tightly packed after 8 laps, with 7 seconds between first and 13th place. Vaughan led but only just as they approached turns 10 and 11 on the 10th lap, as Matthew took the inside line and made it stick as they approached the final laps. Matthew Diemer ended up crossing the line first, with Vaughan right behind and Craig a few seconds back.



Senior Heavy Heat 1

Then came the heavies, the 5-strong field boasted quality over quantity in round 3 of InKart 2015. The heat spread early on after the rolling start with plenty of room between the drivers. Doug took the win, with Lee following in second and Callum Jones in third.

Senior Heavy Heat 2

Doug Willingale took an early lead with Lee Eggleton and Andy Barr close behind. James Jennings fell back after a few laps as he struggled to keep the pace. Andy dropped back after 5 laps to 4th place, with Callum leapfrogging him and Lee to jump into second place. The top four were only 0.7 seconds apart after 7 laps as we approached the final laps. Lee took the win, with Doug in second and Andy third.

Senior Heavy Heat 3

The final heavy heat was close to begin with, as Lee and Doug took the lead early on. Andy and Callum were having a good battle yet again, with James in 5th place a few seconds behind. Lee took the win, with Doug in second and Andy in third place.

Senior Heavy Final

Doug came in first place after another solid performance and battle with second placed Lee Eggleton. The two of them sped off and made it a two horse race from the beginning as the 5 drivers really spread out. Callum Jones followed back in third place, just in front of Andy Barr after a closely contested 3rd place battle.