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Successful Weekend for Brian Stewart Racing Karting Championship at Innisfil *Exciting racing on track as BSRKC returns to Innisfil Indy*

Gilford, ON – The Brian Stewart Racing Karting Championship returned to action this past weekend, as the two-cycle classes along with the Honda Junior Medium class contested their second double-header at the newly repaved Innisfil Indy. The race marked the return of the BSRKC to Innisfil since the series' first year of competition, five short seasons ago. After a successful day of practice on Friday, teams and drivers completed race one on Saturday under gray skies and wet weather, but returned on Sunday for some sunshine and warmer weather for race two.

Saturday Report

In addition to the six official BSRKC classes taking part at Innisfil, the local Rotax Micro-Max class was added to the lineup. Rainy conditions were the talk of the paddock, as a gentle mist and light showers settled over the Innisfil track throughout the day, causing drivers to use their spec MG and Mojo rain tires for the days events.



With two solid finishes, Zach Meyer is back in the championship hunt in F125 Shifter
(Photo by: Cody Schindel - Autosports Media Group)

Once again, the F125 shifter class was the highlight of the day, as Zach Meyer and Ryan Horses continued their battle for the class championship. The two raced head-to-head in Saturday's final, swapping the lead nearly every lap for the opening fifteen tours. In the end, Horses was the victor, holding the off the defending class champion. Joining them on the podium was Jamie Riberdy, who put in a stellar drive to earn his first podium of his rookie season in the class.



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In Rotax Senior, series point leader Andy Jaffray stormed to the pole-position in qualifying. Joined by Andrew Waring and Michael Glaze in the final, the three broke away from the field early. After Glaze and Waring swapped the lead near the mid-point of the 20-lap race, Glaze was able to break away for a couple of laps before engine issues plagued him, allowing Waring and Jaffray to catch up and eventually pass. Waring took the win, followed by Jaffray and Glaze. Earning some redemption in the Rotax DD2 class, Glaze swept the day's events earning the pole-position, pre-final and final. Joining him on the podium was Zach Boam and Derek Woodbridge in second and third place respectively.



Michael Glaze earned three victories on the weekend, two in Rotax DD2, and another in Rotax Senior

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Continuing his dominance in the Rotax Junior class, Austin Milwain was in cruise control on Saturday in Innisfil. The Greenspeed Karting pilot went untouched throughout the day, qualifying on the pole, winning the pre-final and dominating the final. He was joined on the podium by his teammate Cameron Morrison in second place, and Spencer Todd in third.



Earning his first regional victory, Nelson Learn took the top honours in Rotax Mini-Max on Saturday

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Hutchinson rebounded to finish second, and Miles Tyson completed the podium in third place.

Tyler Brady continued to show he is a championship contender in the Rotax Mini-Max class. Placing his Arrow kart on the pole-position for the first time in his short career, he then raced to victory in the pre-final. However, his drive to the daily sweep ended just short, as a mechanical issue forced him off the track in the final. Benefitting from this was JP Hutchinson, as he acquired the lead, until he too spun, this time on lap ten, handing the lead to Nelson Learn. Completing the solid drive from fifth place, Learn took the checkered flag at his home track, with Frank Launi cheering for the youngster from the

sidelines. Hutchinson rebounded to finish second, and Miles Tyson completed the podium in third place.

Nicholas Ledson scored another victory in the Junior Medium class, holding off a charging Matteus Makos in the closing laps while Jaret Stewart finished in third. In the



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option Rotax Micro-Max class, Karter Hickling went uncontested for the victory, finishing fifteen seconds ahead of his closest competitor. Hubert Rzeszutek and Luca Vivona finished second and third place respectively.

Sunday Report

Brighter skies and dry weather welcomed everyone back to the track on Sunday morning. The action on track was again intense, and fences were lined for the F125 Shifter final, which once more provided the most excitement. When the class went green for the final, the shifters scattered into turn one. Grabbing the holeshot, Zach Meyer took the early lead, followed closely by Addison Rayner and Jamie Riberdy. Opening lap incidents ended the race for Stefan Jeffrey, Josh Adams and Paul Hunter. As Meyer controlled out front, lap-by-lap, karts began to fall off, first Jimmy Lo on lap three, then Kristian Jeffrey and Ryan Horses on lap five. Adding to the number of driver spectators between corners one and two, Jamie Riberdy then fell victim on lap eight. With four karts left on track, Meyer held on for victory despite a sputtering engine, while Frank Launi worked into second place ahead of Addison Rayner and the Ironman Tony DeMarco. For his weekend's efforts, Meyer earned the Autosports Media Group Senior Driver of the weekend award.

Leaving Saturday's unfortunate loss behind him, Michael Glaze dominated the day's two other senior classes, as he controlled the Rotax Senior and Rotax DD2 races from start to finish giving him three victories on the weekend. Joining him on the podium in Rotax Senior was Saturday winner Andrew Waring in second and Andy Jaffray in third. Zach Boam and Derek Woodbridge once again stood beside Glaze on the DD2 podium.

Earning his fourth straight victory, Austin Milwain proved he was unstoppable in Rotax Junior, sweeping the days events and winning the final race by over seven seconds. Michael Taibi was able to improve on his Saturday result to cross the race in second place, and Cameron Morrison earned his second podium of the weekend finishing third.



*Four-for-four, Austin Milwain has been unstoppable in Rotax Junior
(Photo by: Cody Schindel - Autosports Media Group)*

In the Rotax Mini-Max class, Nelson Learn used his momentum from Saturday's victory to earn the pole-position in qualifying, but in the pre-final Ryan Mohan was able to sneak away with the victory. After forgetting his transponder in



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qualifying, Braydon Strik drove from last place to finish second in the pre-final. However, once Mohan got going in the final, he was untouchable, cruising to victory. Behind him Strik held onto second, and Miles Tyson earned another third place finish. With his never give up attitude, Strik earned Autosports Media Group Junior driver of the weekend.



Nicholas Ledson controlled the Honda Junior a second.

Medium class, winning both days

(Photo by: Cody Schindel - Autosports Media Group)

Finally, Nicholas Ledson earned his second victory of the weekend in the Honda Junior Medium class. Jaret Stewart and Matteus Makos joined him on the podium. Although it was only a two-kart race in Rotax Micro-Max, Karter Hickling and Antonio Serravalle battled to the bone in their final race, changing the lead often. In the end, Hickling scored his second win of the weekend, crossing ahead of Serravalle by less than

Up next for the BSRKC will be the event at Point Pelee Karting in Leamington on July 2-4. All 12 official classes will take part in this three-day event, with practice on Friday, followed by the two cycle classes along with Honda Cadet and Honda Junior Medium racing on Saturday, and the full slate of Honda classes plus a second race for Rotax Senior racing on Sunday. The full weekend schedule can be found on the BSRKC.com website in the 2010 Schedule link.

For more information about the Brian Stewart Racing Karting Championship Series including event schedules and information, please visit their website <http://bsrkc.com> or call Lynda Chiovitti at 905.722.3089 or contact her via email at LyndaChiovitti@hotmail.com .

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