

SACC Student and Young Persons Report - 16th September 2014

Brick and Steel Junior 1000 Ecosse Challenge

The second round was at Crail on the 14th June. There were 13 Junior competitors, with 10 managing a finish. Alexander Vassallo came in first, leading the rest of the field by a minute. Second place went to Dylan O'Donnell, followed by Mikey Dickie in third.

The third round was Albar Kames on the 13th July. 10 crews came to compete, with Adam Gould from the MSA academy present to observe and advise. It was a closely fought day with Vassallo coming in first, this time with only a 9 second lead. Dylan O'Donnell came second, with Michael Robertson in third.

The fourth round was the Solway Coast on the 10th August. This event brought together competitors from all three Junior 1000 Championships in the UK. There were 27 starters, 14 of which were Scottish crews, and 17 finishers. Vassallo came in first overall, an impressive 1 minute 44 seconds in front of the rest of the field. Michael Robertson was the second Ecosse driver, with Sandy Fairbairn the third Ecosse driver.

Currently Vassallo is leading the championship, which is his third and final year before he reaches the age limit. Michael Robertson is just 15 points behind in second, with Dylan O'Donnell in third.

Championship dates for 2014:

30th August – Knockhill

19th October – ABR Kames

20th September – Knockhill

1-2nd November - Anglesey

Full details and results at www.j1000ecossechallenge.co.uk

British Schools Karting Championship

The UK National Final was held on the 19th July at Whilton Mill. Hutchesons' A came in 9th overall and ESMS came in 25th.

Full information on the championship at www.bskc.co.uk

Edinburgh University Motorsport Club

The club has been quiet over the summer, but is looking forward to restarting full activity in September. Members have been competing over the summer in several tarmac rallies, as well as marshalling. This year is the club's triennial reunion, being planned for February.

More information about the club and upcoming events at www.eumsc.co.uk

Scottish Rally Championship Juniors

After round 5 Greg McKnight is leading the Junior drivers, followed by Kieran Renton and Scott MacBeth. Ross Hynd is leading the Junior co-drivers, followed by Hollie Wilson in second and Laura Stuart in third.

Full information on the championship at www.scottishrallychampionship.co.uk/competitors/src-juniors