

CRG RACING TEAM

DE CONTO TO THE FORE IN WACKERSDORF'S HEATS ON CRG-TM

Paolo De Conto has put his name forward in Germany as one of the main protagonists of the KZ World Championship that is underway in Wackersdorf. Among the quickest also Fabian Federer and Flavio Camponeschi.



CRG drivers are back on track in Wackersdorf after the qualifying stages of the KZ World Championship and International KZ2 Super Cup, as they put in very convincing performances following a bit of bad luck that spoiled their qualifying on Friday.

CRG is back to where it belongs in Germany at the end of qualifying heats on Saturday. Several CRG drivers have been excellent both in KZ and KZ2, but **Paolo De Conto** has definitely been above all. He completed a stunning recovery from the fourth row of the grid in the two heats, taking two P4s and a nice victory, results that place the Italian driver among the candidates to the final win. *"I am really happy for the results of the heats – the Reigning World Champion declared – especially for this win in the third race on the wet, after qualifying that were certainly not been very positive. There is one more heat to go on Sunday morning and then we will see where we stand ahead of the Final. I hope in a dry race tomorrow, I prefer racing in dry conditions."*

Saturday started with the sun shining, but rain later on arrived to make the qualifying stages even trickier. Among the quickest of KZ on Saturday, **Fabian Federer** of SRP Racing Team and **Flavio Camponeschi**, **Jorrit Pex**, **Stan Pex** and **Andrea Dalè** have been very quick as always, while

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Alessandro Giardelli and Macau's driver **Wing Chung Chang** were a bit more to the back, as the latter was also penalized as his front fairing was dropped due to a racing contact.

The provisional KZ classification after heats: 1. De Conto, 5. Federer, 9. Camponeschi, 11. Jorrit Pex, 12. Stan Pex, 25. Andrea Dalè, 32. Chang, 36. Giardelli.

In KZ2, the Dutch driver of CRG Holland **Benjamin Tornqvist Persson** confirmed to be among the quickest at the end of the heats putting in some very good performances, as his team mate **Max Tubben** and **Fabrizio Rosati** of SRP Racing Team. The two Spanish drivers of CRG **Gerard Cebrian Ariza** and **Enrico Prospero** have also had a solid day. In KZ2, the French driver of CRG **Emilien Denner** had a positive outing so far on Kali Kart-Tm.

Qualifying heats will continue on Sunday morning for KZ and KZ2 to define the starting grid of the respective Finals, scheduled for local 14:00 (KZ2) and 14:50 (KZ).

All results, Live Timing and Live TV are available at www.cikfia.com and www.wskarting.it

THE PROGRAMME OF WACKERSDORF

CIK-FIA World KZ Championship

CIK-FIA International KZ2 Super Cup, 8-10.09.2017

Sunday 10 September: Qualifying heats KZ2 and KZ from 10:30. Drivers presentation at 12:25. Finals: KZ2 at 14:00; KZ at 14:50.

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In the picture: 1) Paolo De Conto, KZ, Ph. CRG Press; 2) Paolo De Conto (right) and Flavio Camponeschi (left) in the new CRG motorhome.

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