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CORNISH'S BLISTERING FORM AT BLYTON PARK

Following on from his overall win at the previous round of the British Supermoto Championships, Norfolk based racer Lewis Cornish once again took his CRT TM UK bike to the top step of the podium at Blyton Park, Lincs. Lewis put his bike on pole during Saturday's 450 Elite qualifying sessions and his blistering pace in race one saw him take the lead several times following some heated battles with his nearest rivals Chris Hodgson and Matt Winstanley. Crossing the line, Cornish had to settle for the runner up spot behind Winstanley. Race two was a disaster for Lewis as he stalled the bike on the line and was lucky that he wasn't hit by another bike as his rivals thundered off the grid. By the time he had restarted his high compression 450cc bike, he was 3/4 of a lap down on the leaders. In a pure master-class display of high speed supermoto, he powered his way around the high speed Blyton tarmac and gravel track to catch and pass all but six riders ahead of him. Determined not to make the same mistake for the final race of the day, Lewis' more aggressive race start saw him power his TM450 off the line and by lap two he had worked his way into the top three. For the next 10 laps, the leading trio pulled away at the head of the pack in a game of high speed cat and mouse. Lewis proved his worth and as the laps wound down, he took the lead with a tactical move towards the race end to take the race win and runner up overall on the podium.

Sunday's Open Elite races and Cornish was once more in stellar form as despite not getting an ideal start in any of the days three races, he still forced his way through to join Winstanley and Hodgson at the head of the pack. Lewis seemed to be simply biding his time as he once again made his moves towards race end to take the wins in races one and three. It could well have been a hat trick of race wins for Cornish if it wasn't for problems with traffic later in the race, and with a lap to go the best he could do was cross the line a whisker behind Hodgson to take second place. However, Lewis had done more than enough to comfortably take maximum points and the overall win.

Lewis explained, "I'm so pleased with how the weekend has gone, despite the problems on Saturday when I stalled on the line. I didn't give up and I still managed to get the fastest laps all day to take the runner up spot. Sunday was another story and after some great races with Chris and Matt, I feel as though I narrowly had the beating of them and desired the win. My team have really worked hard and given me a fantastic bike, it lets me do exactly what I want it do and it's an amazing all round package. I'm looking forward to racing in Europe again soon and my British Championship is back on track since my big crash in June. I just need to work on my race starts and try some different settings in the clutch"

Lewis and his CRT team mates Edgars Ivuskans and Craig Gray will continue testing and training in preparation for the next round of the British Supermoto Championships at Three Sisters, Lancs in October and hopefully another trip across the channel shortly.



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Lewis Cornish on his way to victory at Blyton Park



Lewis on the top step of the British Championship podium for the second time in a row.

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