

## 2025 Liverpool Motor Club Speed Championship

Rounds 1 and 2, Anglesey, April 5 and 6, 2025

Two days of expertly organised sprinting hosted by the Longton and District Motor Club. The weather could not have been better with dry sunny conditions all weekend. Saturday's action was on the National circuit of 1661 metres, Sunday the international circuit of 3109 metres. Among the 120 strong entry were 12 Liverpool championship contenders.

Saturday

In class SD for standard cars the sole entry was the Mazda MX5 of Keith Rose. Keith had travelled Aberdeenshire to compete a distance of 470 miles.

Class 1B, road saloons Jono Baines in the well turned-out Renault Clio 200 Cup was second, Simon Baines, his dad was third out of a class of six.

Nigel Trundle won class 1D, sports cars up to 2 litre. He was driving his rapid very modern Mazda MX5 and set a new class record. Second was Ronnie MacGregor in the Honda S2000. Sadly, he suffered clutch failure and couldn't compete on Sunday.

In class 1E Tom and James Bourn were driving Tom's powerful turbocharged Mazda MX5. Tom finished third in class with James fourth.

Class 2A for roadgoing kit cars etc up to 1800cc was won by Matt Bramall in the Caterham Zetec. Second was new championship recruit John Hunter in another Caterham. Third was Chris Bramall who was double driving with claa winner son, Matt.

In 2B over 1800cc kit cars, I managed to secure second place in a class of four.

Finally in class 5A for single seat racing cars was Stuart Mather who had travelled from near Edinburgh. Stuart has a very pretty OMS powered by a Suzuki GSXR1000 motor. Stuart successfully completed the Friday track day but sadly suffered a starter motor failure and did not complete a timed run.

Sunday's event was on the high speed International circuit where my Caterham was consistently clocking 125mph at the speed trap.

The results were as follows.

Class SD 1<sup>st</sup> Keith Rose

1B 1<sup>st</sup> Jono Baines, 3<sup>rd</sup> Simon Baines

1D 1<sup>st</sup> Nigel Trundle

1E 1<sup>st</sup> Tom Bourn, 2<sup>nd</sup> James Bourn

2A 1<sup>st</sup> Matt Bramall, 2<sup>nd</sup> Chris Bramall, 3<sup>rd</sup> John Hunter

2B 1<sup>st</sup> Nigel Fox

The next two championship rounds are at Blyton in May. There is a class for every car. The championship is in two divisions, either best 9 results count or the best six results. Many events are local to the North West.

For more information and to join the championship see Liverpool Motor Club website and [speedchampionship.com](http://speedchampionship.com)