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GREAT VICTORIES AT THE 32ND ANDREA MARGUTTI TROPHY

The final win of KZ2 went to Senna Van Walstijn, that of MINI to Emanuele Olivieri, X30 Junior's to René Lammers and X30 Senior's to Cristian Comanducci.

Lonato del Garda (Brescia), May 2nd 2021. The 32nd Andrea Margutti Trophy, race organized by Parma Motorsport since 1990 to honour the memory of the young Andrea Margutti, ended with another great success. This edition held at the South Garda Karting Circuit in Lonato had 244 drivers from 32 different countries at the start out of the 260 entered in the four categories KZ2, MINI, IAME X30 Junior and X30 Senior.

The final stages were run on ideal conditions after the difficult qualifying stages that were affected by the rain that complicated heats on Saturday. On Sunday, the track conditions highlighted the event with great races that named the winners of this 32nd edition of the Margutti Trophy: the Dutch Senna Van Walstijn (CPB Sport/Sodi-TM Racing) won the Trophy in KZ2 for the second time, the Italian Emanuele Olivieri (Formula K Serafini/IPK-TM Racing) claimed a strong win in MINI, the Dutch rookie René Lammers (BabyRace/Parolin-Iame) won X30 Junior, while the Italian Cristian Comanducci (PRK/Tony Kart-Iame) claimed a deserved win in X30 Senior.

Victory to Van Walstijn in KZ2.

KZ2 has seen the Dutch Senna Van Walstijn (CPB Sport/Sodi-TM Racing) dominating the race for the second year in a row, despite he had to face very strong rivals. Van Walstijn completed a clear round taking the pole position in qualifying, the first place after the heats and the victories in the prefinal and in the splendid final. Behind him, his teammate from France Jean Nomblot was second, while the Swede Douglas Lundberg (Renda Motorsport/BirelART-TM Racing) claimed P3 from the Dutch Laurens Van Hoepen (Leclerc by Lennox/BirelART-TM Racing), who was handed a 5s time penalty. The 2019 World Champion from France Emilien Denner (Intrepid Driver Program/Intrepid-TM Racing) missed his appointment with the top of the standings as he was stopped first by an incident in the Prefinal and then by another one in the Final when he was gaining some ground. The fourth place went to the Dutch Laurens Van Hoepen (Leclerc by Lennox/BirelART-TM Racing), the fifth to Ukraine's Viacheslav Putiatin (Parolin Motorsport/Parolin-TM Racing).

KZ2 Final Classification: 1. Van Walstijn, 2. Nomblot, 3. Lundberg, 4. Van Hoepen; 5. Putiatin.

Olivieri wins the MINI Trophy.

In MINI the Italian flag was raised high by Emanuele Olivieri (Formula K Serafini/IPK-TM Racing), who had a great weekend. Olivieri won the Prefinal and then dominated the Final leading two other great interpreters of the discipline like the Romanian David Cosma Cristofor (Gulstar Racing/KR-Iame) and the Spaniard Christian Costoya (Parolin Motorsport/Parolin-TM Racing), the latter had posted in fact the pole position time and was first after the heats. The fourth place was taken by the Dutch Dean Hoogendoorn (Kidix/Alonso-Iame) and the fifth by the Czech Jindrich Pesl (BabyRace/Parolin-Iame), both at the end of a good comeback in the prefinal and final.

MINI Final classification: 1. Olivieri, 2. Cosma-Cristofor, 3. Costoya, 4. Hoogendoorn, 5. Pesl.



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Lammers wins X30 Junior at the debut.

The Dutch René Lammers (BabyRace/Parolin-Iame) claimed a stunning win at the debut in X30 Junior after getting off the MINI kart last week following the victory and title of WSK Super Master Series. Lammers completed a good comeback race in Prefinal and managed to take the lead of the race towards the end of the Final, eventually securing a good win. Giulio Olivieri (Righetti Ridolfilame) also run a good race and recovered up to P2 leading the French Paul Alberto (Tony Kart-Iame), who rounded off the podium. The fourth place went to Sebastiano Pavan (Team Driver/KR-Iame), who was on top in qualifying and heats, while his teammate Franco Marenghi was fifth after a 9 place recover.

X30 Junior Final classification: 1. Lammers, 2. Olivieri, 3. Alberto, 4. Pavan, 5. Marenghi.

Comanducci victorious in X30 Senior.

The Italian Cristian Comanducci (PRK/Tony Kart-Iame) had a successful weekend in X30 Senior. He was on top after the heats and came second in Prefinal before winning the Final. Comanducci engaged a duel with Leonardo Megna (Zanchi Motorsport/Tony Kart-Iame) and then took the lead of the race keeping it all the way until the end of this hard-fought Final. At the flag, he led Andorra's driver Alex Machado (Valtex/Tony Kart-Iame) and Megna, who was third on the podium. The fourth place went to David Locatelli (Zanchi Motorsport/Tony Kart-Iame) and the fifth to Daniele Vezzelli (LGK/EKS-Iame). Valentino Baracco (Novalux/Luxor-Iame) was also among the fastest and lost P3 due to a 5s time penalty.

X30 Senior Final classification: 1. Comanducci, 2. Machado, 3. Megna, 4. Locatelli, 5. Vezzelli.

The next appointment on track for Parma Motorsport is the Trofeo delle Industrie on November 7th, 2021 in Lonato.

Complete classifications are available at <u>www.trofeomargutti.com.</u>

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