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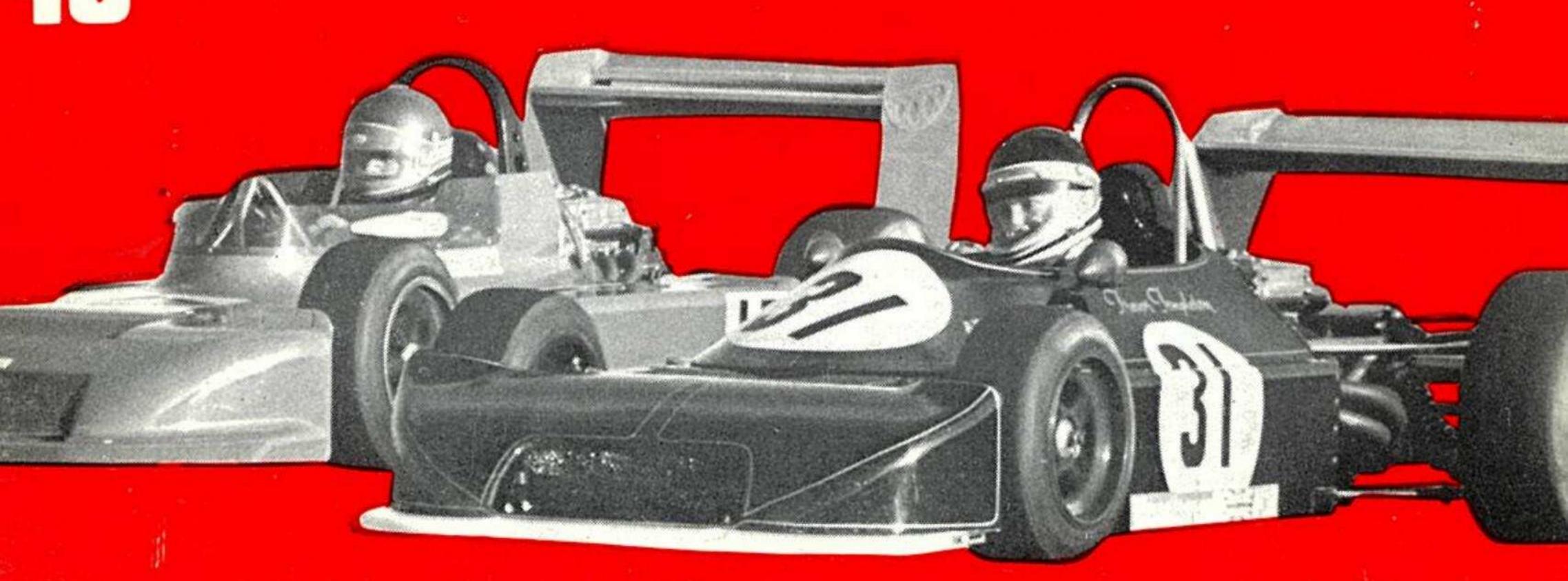
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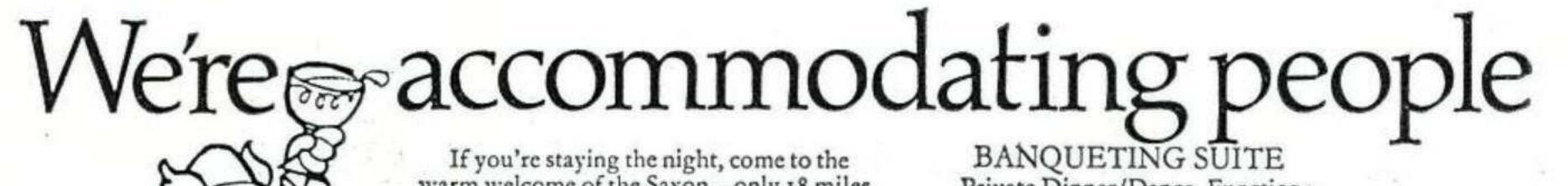
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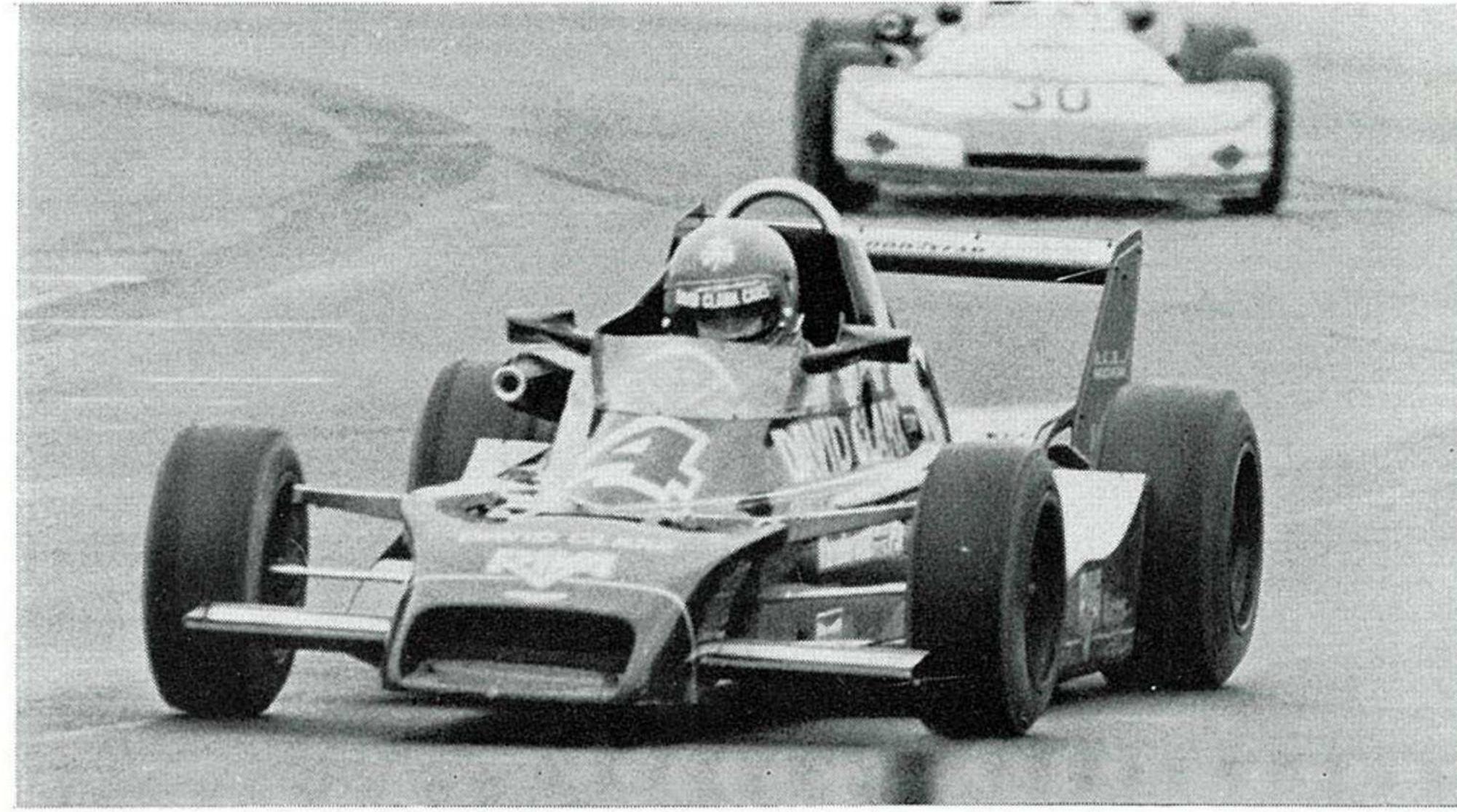
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THE VANDERVELL BRITISH FORMULA 3 CHAMPIONSHIP— A GRAND PRIX TRAINING GROUND

By Nick Hawkins

FEW, if any, of you here today will need to be reminded that in just about ten days' time Silverstone becomes the focus of the motor racing world, as the home of British motor racing plays host once again to the British Grand Prix. Though the venue is the same, the Silverstone of today's relaxed and enjoyable B.A.R.C. organised national championship meeting will take on a very different demeanour with the arrival of the Grand Prix teams. Yet in one other respect the two meetings have a common factor; they both hold rounds of the Vandervell British Formula 3 Championship, and all the leading contenders in this series have their sights firmly set on joining the Formula 1 ranks.



With two second places already at Silverstone this year, Michael Roe will be hoping to go one better today

Photo by Chris Davies

Highly regarded by the Formula One Constructors Association as the only arena in which they can judge the relative merits of up-and-coming drivers, Formula 3 now demands more than sheer speed and bravery from a young driver. Just as in Formula 1, he must know how to constantly develop and improve his car, and Formula 3 competition teaches him to get the best from his machinery by fine-tuning the chassis and suspension, experimenting with aerodynamic settings, and by studying the performance of his tyres. In short, success in Formula 3 comes only as a result of the finest all-round team work, and it is no coincidence that the two favourites for today's race have the most experienced and professional set-ups. Both Andrea de Cesaris and Chico Serra came to this country with minimal racing experience in order to learn their craft as racing drivers, but of the two, 21-year old Serra from Sao Paulo has the edge on experience, having won championship honours in Formula Vee before leaving Brazil in 1977 to race Formula Fords in Britain. Driving for the works Van Diemen team, Chico soon began to notch up a string of victories, culminating in a comfortable win at the Formula Ford Festival as well as capturing the Townsend Thoresen Championship. The transition from Formula Ford to Formula 3 is not an easy one, but Chico set about it the right way by taking his Brazilian sponsorship money to the vastly experienced team manager, Ron Dennis. Though Serra proved the only driver really capable of matching the pace of Nelson Piquet and Derek Warwick, a serious testing accident in August meant he had to settle for third place in both British F.3 championships.

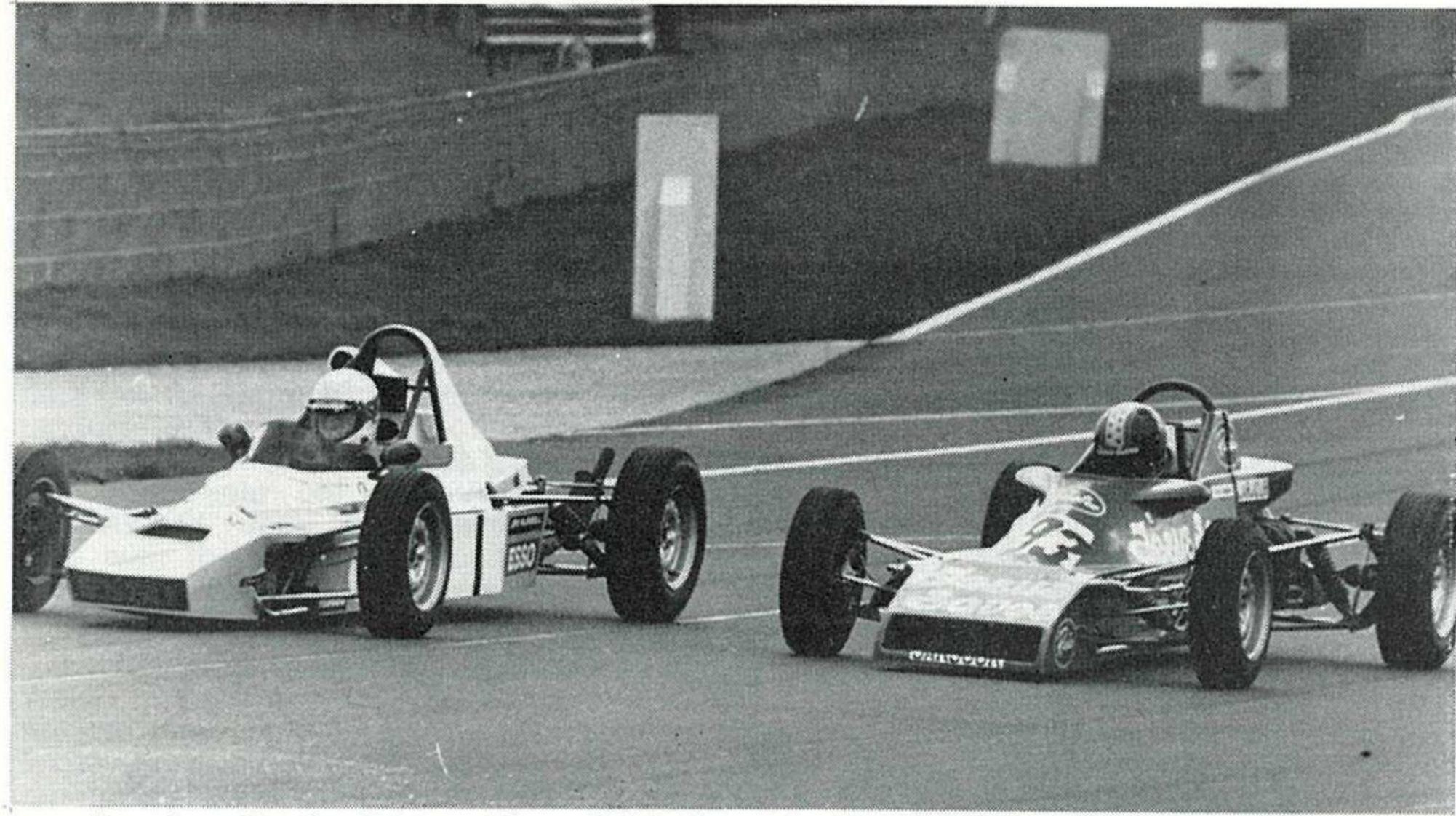
As a result of this late-season disappointment, the decision was made not to go Formula 2 in 1979, and immediately Serra assumed the somewhat uncomfortable mantle of the man-to-beat in Formula 3. So far this year Chico has scored three victories and three second places, but the pressure is really on for him to win today if he is not to

see another championship slip from his grasp. Like Chico himself, his main rival, 22-year old Roman student, Andrea de Cesaris, also has the important advantages of a major sponsor, the very best in March 793 chassis, and an ultra-professional team. A virtually unknown ex-kartist when he came to this country last year, Andrea benefitted enormously from the experience (in both Formula 3 and Formula 1) of his team managers, Tim Schenken and Howden Ganley, who prepared his Ralt RT1 at their Tiga factory in Caversham. De Cesaris has continued to improve dramatically this year, and has taken four victories in his Marlboro March 793. Silverstone, however, has not proved a happy circuit for Andrea, as he has twice been the first to take the chequered flag here, only to be penalised—once for missing out the Woodcote chicane, and more recently for making a false start; he is particularly keen to win here convincingly today.

While these two drivers have accounted for the majority of victories in the Vandervell Formula 3 Championship so far, they have always had a fierce pack of other rivals snapping at their heels, any one of whom is capable of winning today. The Triumph Dolomite-engined Unipart Marches are enjoying their most successful season since first entering this Toyota-dominated formula in 1976, but the Dolomite motor, though strong on top-end power, still loses out to the superior torque of its rival. For team-leader, 25-year old New Zealander Brett Riley, 1979 is a crucial year, his first in a truly competitive F.3 team, although altogether it will be his fourth season in the formula. An underrated driver, Brett certainly possesses the talent and dedication to reach the top and, having recently beaten the best of European F.3 competition at Donington (in the wet), he will

be eager for another win today.

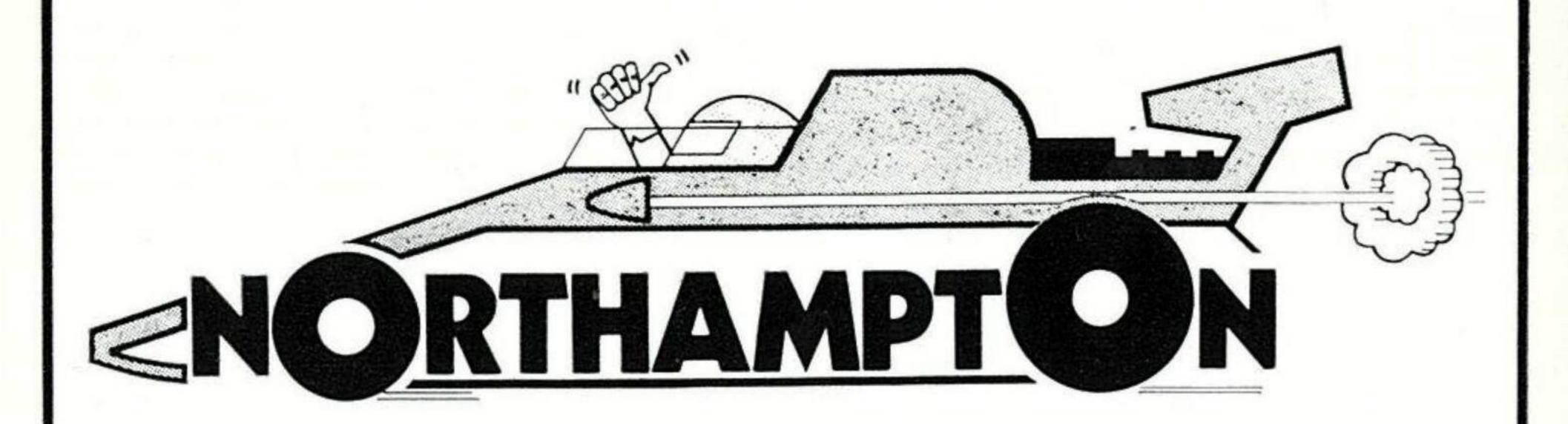
Appropriately for the patriotic Unipart team, Brett's stablemate is one of the very best English drivers to have emerged in the last couple of years, 25-year old Nigel Mansell from Birmingham. He first made his mark in 1976 with an old Formula Ford Hawke DL11, progressing the following year to a Crossle in which, despite a bad accident mid-season, he proved one of the stars of Formula Ford 1600. Unlike several other talented, but under-financed English drivers, Mansell was determined that his future lay in Formula 3, so instead of continuing in FF.1600 or trying a season of Formula Ford 2000, he put all his money into a handful of F.3 races in a works March. The money soon ran out and no more racing was forthcoming in 1978, but Nigel had made his point and he was the first to be considered for this year's Unipart drive, quickly showing he was the right choice by winning at the International Trophy meeting.



Race favourites Jim Walsh and Fernando Ribeiro are hoping that success in Formula Ford this year will lead to a Formula 3 drive in 1980

Photo by John Gaisford

There is certainly no shortage of Irish drivers in Formula 3, and two of the Republic's best prospects, Bernard Devaney and Michael Roe, have each won a race this year. Twenty-five year old Bernard, a close friend of F.1 driver and former F.3 star Derek



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Northampton pole position for business Daly, drove alongside Daly in the Formula Ford Hawke team when they first came to England in 1976. Not meeting with quite the same success, Bernard continued in FF.1600 in 1977, but he became saddled with an uncompetitive car and it was 1978 before he returned to his winning ways driving the works PRS. With sponsorship from Daly's original backer, Derek McMahon, Devaney was chosen to drive the works Chevron B47 in in F.3 this year, but the Chevron has proved a disappointment, difficult to sort out, and sadly uncompetitive with the March 793.

However, both Devaney and the Silverstone-based McMahon team have worked with great determination to drastically revise and improve the original car, and they were justifiably rewarded with a win last time out at Silverstone. Second in that race and winner of a non-championship event at Donington, 22-year old Roe has also had to struggle with a Chevron B47, but like Devaney his obvious talent and determination have carried him through, and the difficult experiences of the year could prove a real advantage to Michael in his later career.

Whilst Michael Roe's 1978 season ended in triumph at the Formula Ford Festival, for most of the season his Van Diemen RF78 had to take a close second place to the Royale RP24 of 21-year old Ulsterman, Kenny Acheson. Having his first season of racing outside Ireland, Kenny ended up by winning three national championships, and took the premier Grovewood Award for Britain's most promising driver, and yet he has enjoyed less success this year than any of the other Formula Ford graduates. His season began badly when the new Ralt RT3 he had ordered failed to arrive, and he had to buy a second-hand Ralt RT1, which was then severely damaged in a workshop fire. Recently provided with a new March, Kenny's biggest problem now is the lack of F.3 experience within his small team, but he is long overdue for a good result and, with his undoubted talent, he could well spring a surprise today.

Another driver who looks due for his first win of the year is the 22-year old Swede, Stefan Johansson, who began the year with a Chevron but has since acquired a March, which is still prepared here by Derek McMahon Racing. Always very quick and spectacular since his arrival in European Formula 3 in 1977, Stefan can draw on the experience of an admittedly troubled 1978 season with the works Argo team and this, coupled with his talent and the knowledge that this year he has to win, could make him a very considerable force in this second half of the season. At only just 18 years of age, Mike Thackwell, who hails originally from New Zealand but whose home is now Perth in Western Australia, has time on his side. Yet despite only having one year's Formula Ford experience behind him, Mike recently capped a string of fast practice times with a championship victory at Brands Hatch, and his works-tended March cannot be discounted today.

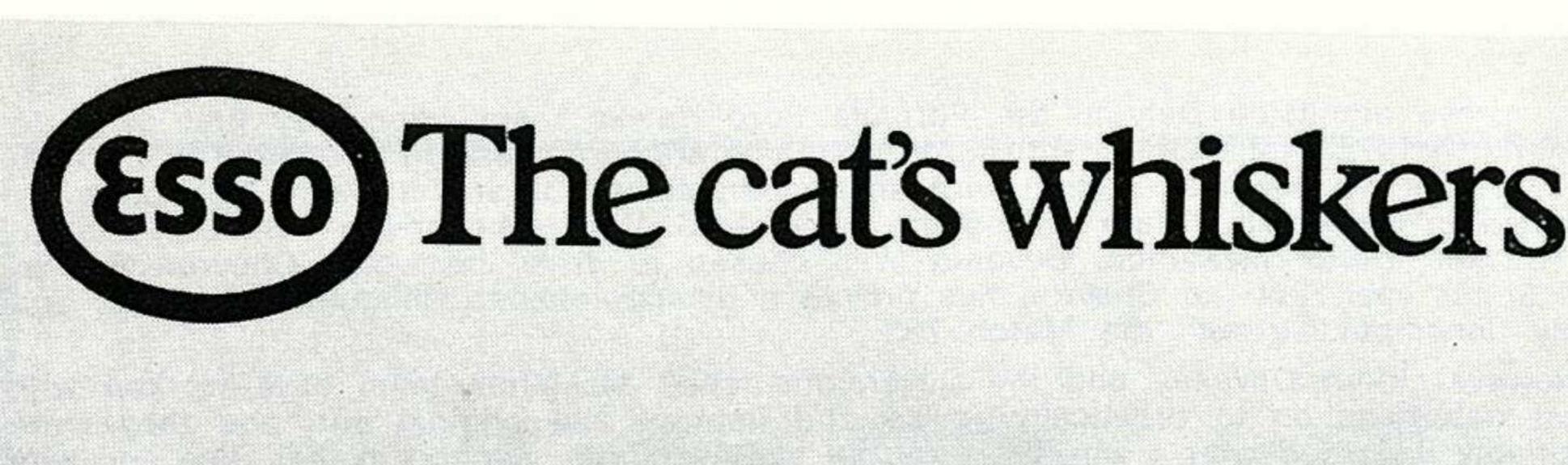
These then are the contenders for outright victory, but with Formula 3 enjoying its most competitive season for some years, the other runners are bound to be battling not so very far behind.

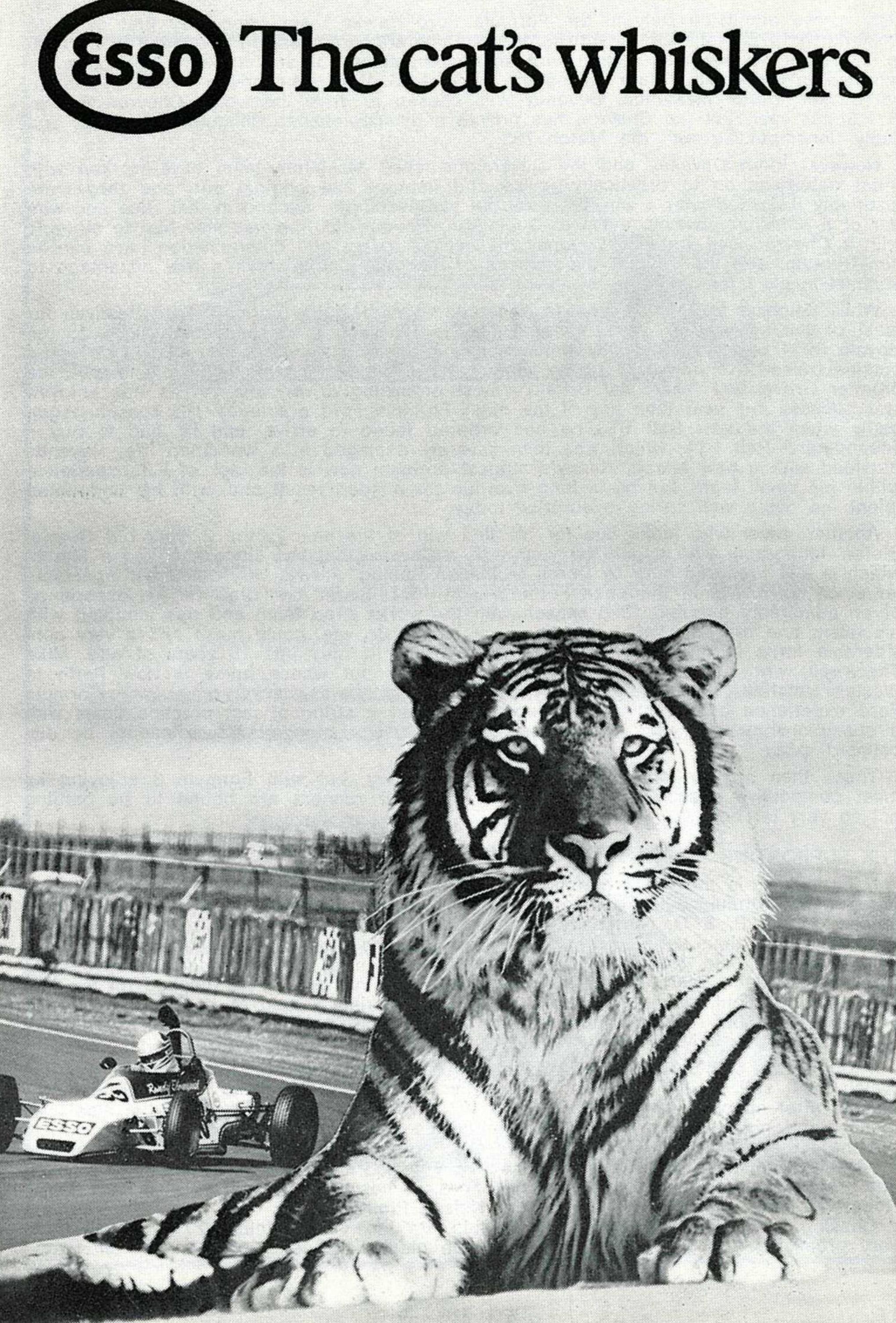
THE SUPPORTING EVENTS

If Formula 3 is the finest training ground for a Formula 1 career, then the best preparation for Formula 3 is Formula Ford 1600; without exception any of the leading contenders in the P. & O. Normandy Ferries Championship would find it hard to ask for anything better than an F3 drive. Comfortably leading the B.A.R.C.-organised championship is 23-year old Norfolk driver, David Sears, son of the chairman of Silverstone Circuits Ltd., Jack Sears, himself a formidable driver in the sixties. Equipped for the first time with the right tools for the job, David is garnering a load of honours in Formula Ford this year, but he can expect to fight out the lead of today's race with anything up to a dozen other drivers.

Though only recently beaten at Silverstone for the first time this year, local driver Jim Walsh must still remain favourite to win any Formula Ford race at his home circuit—he has after all been winning here since 1974. The man who finally beat Jim also lives locally, and his Van Diemen RF79, like Walsh's Royale RP26, is based at the circuit, but there the similarity ends, for 22-year old Fernando Ribeiro has only recently arrived in Britain. Assisted by his brother, one-time F.1 and F.2 pilot Alex Ribeiro, Fernando has proved an instant success in Formula Ford, as has another recent arrival from Brazil, Robert Moreno, a protege of G.P. driver Nelson Piquet.

Chasing David Sears in the championship are the Van Diemen RF79s of two more very promising young English drivers, London medical student Jonathan Palmer (who

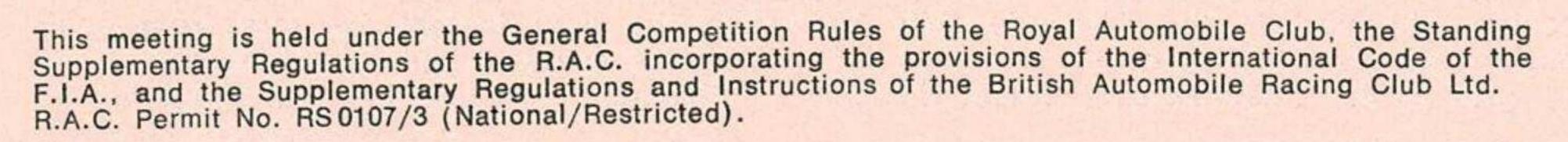




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3rd £10 (or £20 voucher). 4th £5 (or £10 voucher). Plus trophies to 1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th. Race Three: 1st £36. 2nd £24. 3rd £16. 4th £12. 5th £8. 6th £4.

Race Four: 1st £300. 2nd £225. 3rd £150. 4th £100. 5th £85. 6th £70. 7th £45. 8th £25.

Race Five: In each class - 1st £25. 2nd £15. 3rd £10. 1st £60. 2nd £40. 3rd £30. 4th £20. 5th £15. 6th £10. Race Six:

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P & O NORMANDY FERRIES FORMULA FORD 1600 QUALIFICATION RACE

8 laps 12.86 miles 20.70 kms.

This is a race for single seater racing cars using near standard 1600 cc Ford Cortina engines. Racing tyres used by these cars are identical. Practice will be divided into two sessions, one for odd numbers and one for even numbers. If track conditions remain the same for both sessions then the fastest 26 cars overall will start in the Championship Race (Event 6) and the next fastest 30 will start in the Qualification Race. The first 4 finishers in this event will form the rear of the grid in the Championship Race. If track conditions—vary considerably for the two sessions then the fastest 13 cars from each session will start in the Championship Race and the next fastest 15 cars from each session will start in this event. The first 4 finishers in this event will form the rear of the grid in the Championship Race. Entrants for this race are listed under Event 6.

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Race 2

AUSTIN MORRIS MINI 850 CHALLENGE RACE

10 laps 16.08 miles 25.88 kms.

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36 TOM HURN - Swindon	Specialists Driver	BLMC Mini	
41 JONATHAN LEWIS - Richmond	Driver	McCain Mini	
42 NIGEL GAYMER - Farnham	Boopspeed Engineering	Boopspeed Mini	
52 NICK BAILY - Huntingdon	Driver	Austin Morris Mini	
53 GRAHAM HOBBS - Dursley 61 EDWARD WELLS - Staunton	Driver Driver	BL Mini BLMC Mini	
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83 JOHN KNIGHT - London	Mechanic Bob Morans	BL Mini	
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P & O Normandy Ferries Formula Ford Championship

P&O Normandy Ferries, the major cross-channel operators, are entering the world of motor racing by putting their name to the BARC's 1979 Formula Ford Championship. The 19-race series will be known as the P&O Normandy Ferries Formula Ford Championship, running for the two seasons 1979 and 1980.

The P & O Normandy Ferries Formula Fords — in which tomorrow's Grand Prix stars learn their craft — will be seen at nine British circuits including Silverstone, Donington and the BARC's home track of Thruxton.

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Points. At each round: 9, 6, 4, 3, 2, 1, plus 1 for fastest lap. (A competitor shall count

his results in the total number of rounds run less three).

Decals. To be eligible to compete in a championship race cars must carry sponsors' decals in an unobscured manner (assuming decals are available at the meeting).

Today's race is the opening round of the Championship.

Current points position:

David Sears	 	61	Carlos Abdala	 	10
Terry Gray	 	36	Cameron Binnie	 	9
Jonathan Palmer	 	36	Roberto Moreno	 	9
Marc Smith	 	21	Thierry Tassin	 	7
David McClelland	 	12	Richard Trott	 	6

STP Modified Sports Championship

STP, one of racing's most famous sponsors, are to continue with their sponsorship of the BARC Modified Sports Championship for the second year running. The STP Championship was one of the best-supported BARC championships of the 1978 season, and STP, whose UK distributors Link Hampson market oil and petrol treatment, carburettor cleaner and other automotive products, look forward to their continued involvement.

The Championship features 19 rounds on ten British circuits, and is divided into four classes: (a) over 2000 c.c.; (b) 1051-2000 c.c.; (c) 1151-1500 c.c.; (d) up to 1150 c.c.

Compettors must be BARC Racing Members and carry STP decals in order to secure 1st £25, 2nd £15, 3rd £10 in each class at each round, and score points in class of 4-3-2-1 plus 1 for fastest lap.

End of season awards are: Overall winner £100 and Fred Dixon Trophy; other class winners £50, 2nd £30, 3rd £20 in each class.

Current Points Position:

Class A			Class C		
Tony Wingrove	 	23	Steven Roberts	 	 30
Steve O'Rourke	 	13	Gary Wilson	 	 23
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Class B			Class D		
Paul Berman	 	23	John Pugsley	 	 34
Jon Fletcher	 	17	Pat Longhurst	 	 19
Dave Bettinson	 	9	Graeme Sutton		 6

Race 3

OCEANAIR CLUBMANS SPORTS CHAMPIONSHIP RACE

10 laps 16.08 miles 25.88 kms.

This is a round of the 1979 Oceanair Sports Championship for two seater racing cars built to rules governing body shape and construction. Engines identical to those used in 1600 cc Formula Ford, keeping costs to a minimum as these are not highly developed racing engines.

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46 BRIAN LEGG - Stortford	Driver	Mallock Mk20 Minister
47 MIKE EVANS - Chester	Driver	MTA/Mallock 18 Davron
48 RAYMOND ELLENDER -	Driver	Centaur Mk14B Ford-Thompson
Newport Pagnell 50 JOHN DAY - Petersfield	Driver	Mallock IIO Mkde Ford
53 MIKE BILES - Reading	Driver	Mallock U2 Mk16 Ford Mallock Mk16B Scholar
54 PAUL WEBB - Southampton -	Delapena Honing Equipment	Mallock U2 Mk16BW Ford
	for Better Engines	
57 BRIAN COLVIN - Yeovil	Hundredstone Garage	Mallock U2 Mk20 Ford
58 PHIL BROWN - Sittingbourne	Driver	Mallock Mk18CW Minister Ford
60 NIGEL CORRY - Hatch End	James Hammond Racing	Mallock U2 Mk16BW Nelson
68 TONY CHIPP - Evesham 69 PETER RICHINGS - Redditch	Driver Barry Eggleton - Manor Garage -	Mallock U2 MkII Ford
05 FEIER RICHINGS - Reduiton	Northfield - Birmingham	Mallock U2 Mk20E Donovan
70 PHIL MARTIN-DYE - Ascot-	Page's	Page's U2 CES
72 JOHN JAMES - Bracknell	Driver	Mallock Mk18 CES
73 PETER CLARK - Bedford **	Driver	Mallock Mk18BW Titan
74 NIGEL BUTCHER - Caversham -	Serck Services	Mallock U2 Mk20 Nelson
76 COLIN FISHER - Ilford	Kaypalm (Bakery & Catering	Gryphon C74 Davron
81 NICK WADHAM - Liss Forest	Equipment)	Handlenand Mko CCC Ford
82 DAVID CHILDS - Bedford	Driver Driver	Haggispeed Mk9 GGS Ford Centaur Mk17 Ford
85 PETER LUDFORD - Hertford	Driver	Diamond R7 Morgan
86 DAVID ATTERBURY -	Driver	Gryphon C4A Ford
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89 ROBERT GLASS - Cambridge **	Seppi Fabrications Racing with	Stallwood U2 R79 Ford
91 PAUL LANGE - London	Manor House Publications	Denfald 700 Ford
94 PHILIP MATCHWICK - Reading	Driver Driver	Penfold 78B Ford Mallock Mk18CW Minister Ford
95 WILLIAM FLEMING - Redditch	Driver	Mallock 11B Ford
98 GRAHAM PATERSON -	Driver	Mallock U2 Mk16 Aldon
Stoke-on-Trent		
99 IAN MITCHELL - Bishops	Driver	Centaur 15B Ford Minister
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Mike Donovan (Mallock U2 Mk20B)

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Vandervell Formula 3 Championship

Vandervell Products are expanding their interest in motor racing by sponsoring the 1979 British Formula 3 Championship. The new series consisting of 20 races, will be known as the Vandervell British Formula 3 Championship, jointly organised by the British Racing Drivers' Club and British Automobile Racing Club.

In combining the two championships that have been run in the past, the two clubs and Vandervell would like to emphasise that this move has been made to benifit Formula 3 racing both for the competitors and spectators.

Full acknowledgement is given to the assistance of the RAC who have conferred the title BRITISH on this Championship. It will be the only Formula 3 Championship to be run in Great Britain in 1979.

Points are scored in each round on a 9-6-4-3-2-1 basis with an additional point for the competitor(s) setting fastest lap in the race.

Prize money per round: May 19/20 — as per European Formula 3 Championship Regulations. July 12/13/14 — a total of £2,500. Other rounds — 1st £300. 2nd £225. 3rd £150. 4th £100. 5th £85. 6th £70. 7th £45. 8th £25.

Competitors are not required to register for this Championship. Except where amended above, the RAC British Motor Sports Council Regulations will apply to this Championship.

current	points position:-		LE
	Chico Serra		6+
	Andrea de Cesaris		11.61
	Brett Riley		35
	Bernard Devaney		23
	Mike Thackwell		22 24
	Nigel Mansell		22
	Stefan Johansson		18 17
	Michael Roe	***	15
	Roberto Guerrero	-	
	Kenny Acheson	***	5

F. Jorge		TO LES	3		
Jorge Caton					4
Alain Prost				(6/7)	4
Elisio Salazar					4332
John Bright				***	3
Placido Iglesias			· VES		
Ken Eady	• • •			***	1
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Alan Smith These points ar	Α	provi	sional	•••	1
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Oceanair Clubmans Sports Championship

For the third consecutive year London Airport based freight company Oceanair are sponsoring the BARC's Clubmans Sports Championship in conjunction with overland truckers to the Arabian Gulf, Concorde Express. This is the Clubmans B series catering for Formula Ford 1600 engined two seater sports cars. The Oceanair Championship takes place over 19 rounds at 10 circuits during the season. Prize money for the season totals over £2,000.

Competitors must be members of the BARC to score points and win prize money.

Points are scored at each round on a 9-6-4-3-2-1 basis with an additional 1 point for fastest lap.

Awards - At each round: 1st £36. 2nd £24. 3rd £16. 4th £12. 5th £8. 6th £4. End of season: 1st £100 and Oceanair Trophy. 2nd £75. 3rd £50. 4th £25.

Current points position:

Phil Martin-Dye	9			37-54		John Day	 200	***	7
Nigel Butcher				35		Philip Brown	 	1-000	6
Robert Glass			- 20	23		Roger Fullagar	 		5
Paul Webb				23		Reg Holland	 		4
Peter Clark		- 0000		20	4.4	lan McCulloch	 775	4	4
Glenn Eagling	***		***	13		Phil Matchwick	 ***	***	4

Race 4

VANDERVELL BRITISH FORMULA 3 CHAMPIONSHIP RACE

30 laps 48.24 miles 77.64 kms.

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This is a round of the 1979 Vandervell British Formula 3 Championship for single seater racing cars governed by International Regulations. Engines are based on production 2-litre units. Tyres are restricted to one make.

No. Driver/Country 1 BERNARD DEVANEY - Ireland -2 STEFAN JOHANSSON - Sweden -3 EDDIE JORDAN - Ireland -4 MICHAEL ROE - Ireland -5 ANDREA DE CESARIS - Italy -6 BARRY GREEN - Australia -9 GERRY AMATO - England 11 DAVID BROTHERSTON - Scotland 12 PAUL DALTON - USA 13 CHICO SERRA - Brazil -14 BRETT RILEY - New Zealand -15 NIGEL MANSELL - England -16 JOHN BRIGHT - England _ 17 MIKE THACKWELL - N. Zealand -18 KEN EADY - England -29 ROB WILSON - New Zealand -30 KENNETH ACHESON - Ireland -31 TREVOR TEMPLETON - Ireland _ 32 WYATT STANLEY - England -33 PHIL SILVERSTONE - England -36 ELISIO SALAZAR - Chile -37 FIRMIN VELEZ - Spain -

38 PLACIDO IGLESIAS - Brazil -40 OSAMU HATAGAWA - Japan 42 FERNANDO JORGE - Spain

45 ROBERTO GUERRERO - -Columbia 51 MIKE BLANCHET - England -

55 BENOIT MORAND - -61 JOHN LEWIS - England -

Entrant Derek McMahon Racing with Chevron Cars Marlboro Racing with McMahon Marlboro Racing with McMahon David Clark Team Riva Watches Marlboro Team Tiga Driver Driver Driver

Driver Sadia Racing with Project 4 Unipart Racing Team Unipart Racing Team **Gerard Racing**

March Racing R H Coachworks International Computers Limited

The RMC Group A. W. Brown Racing with Malcolm Templeton Driver

Welwyn Discount Tyres & **Exhaust Centres** Schick Toyota Chilean Team Equipo Nacional Formula 3 -Danone

Team Perdigao with RKR **Hub of the Universe Racing** Driver Roldan Autos Racing with

Anglia Cars SDC Builders, Bedford Driver Driver

Car

Chevron B47 Toyota Novamotor

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Ralt RT3 Toyota Novamotor March 783 Toyota Novamotor

Ralt RT1 Toyota Novamotor Ralt RT1 Novamotor Ralt RT1 Toyota Novamotor Argo JM3 Toyota

Lola T672 Titan-Chevrolet Chevron B38 Toyota Chevron B47 Toyota

Ralt RT - 64019

Lap Record: Derek Warwick (Ralt RT1 Toyota)

54.28 secs.

106.65 m.p.h.

55

	RESULTS	
1st	Time	Speed m.p.h.
2nd	3rd\	4th
5th	6th	
Fastest Lap: Car No	Time	Speed m.p.n

Austin-Morris Mini Challenge

1979 sees the running of the fourth Mini Challenge, with a nationwide series of sixteen races for each class of Mini 850, 1000 and 1275 GT.

The Mini 7 Racing Club are again administering the Challenge on behalf of Austin-Morris Ltd., who are offering a brand new Mini 1275 GT, worth £2,800, to the overall winner of the Challenge, together with trophies and cash awards or retail part vouchers to the first four finishers in each race.

Points are awarded on a 10-9-8-7-6 5 4 3 basis to the first eight finishers with all other finishers gaining two points and each non-finisher one point.

A competitor's best thirteen scores will count towards the final points standings.

Current points position in Mini 850 Championship:

Chris Tyrrell Graham Woskett	 	56 61 56 62	Gary Hall Nigel Gaymer		53 46 55
Patrick Watts	 •••	58 64	Russell Grady	 	42

Crompton Driver of the Year and Driver of the Day Award

In 1979, Crompton Parkinson Marketing Limited, a Hawker Siddeley Company, are sponsoring the Silverstone Driver of the Day and Year Awards for the first time. This company is a marketing subsidiary of Crompton Parkinson Limited, one of Britain's major electrical manufacturers producing a wide range of industrial and consumer products

including lamps and lighting equipment, cables and Vidor dry batteries.

These popular awards are contested at Silverstone's promoted meetings during the season. The Crompton Driver of the Year Award is calculated on a points basis pertaining to races at each promoted meeting, and the Crompton Driver of the Day Award (chosen by a panel of judges) is given to the competitor establishing the best performance at each of the promoted meetings. At the meetings all races will be eligible for points except heats, qualifying races and consolation races.

Points scoring - Single class races: 20-15-12-10-8-6-4-3-2-1. Races with classes: In each

class — 15-12-9-6-3.

Fastest lap in class or race: 1 point (2 points if this is a new lap record).

A bonus of 3 points is awarded to the Crompton Driver of the Day.

A driver can only score in one race at any meeting. If a driver scores in more than one race, his highest score will count. A driver's best eight scores will count towards the final position.

Awards at each round: Crompton Driver of the Day Award of £25 (£50 at Grand Prix Circuit International Meetings).

End of Season Awards: 1st £500. 2nd £250. 3rd £125. 4th £75. 5th £50.

Competitors are not required to register for this Championship. Except where amended above, the RAC British Motor Sports Council Regulations will apply to this Award. Current points position :

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		Walsh Martin-Dye		*****	116	John Brindley			22.	31
	Bru	co Halford		And I	58	Charlie Kirby				31
		Mallock	***		45	Roddy MacPh	erson			31
			***		41	Chico Serra				31
	reit	dinand Ribeiro	***		39	Sue Davies				30
	MIK	e Donovan			35	Alan Curnow	- 1			20
	Cha	rles Bernstein		1	34	Chris Knight				29 29
	Mar	tin Boyle			34	Richard Lloyd	•••	White.	• • •	29
	Mic	hael Roe			33	Gordon Spice		***	***	28
		my Rossiter			33			***	***	28
		rry Tassin				Richard Long	nan			27
	Tom	Walkinshaw	•••	•••	33	Michael Moor	е			27
		d Soore		•••	33	Richard Trott				27
		on Davis	***	***	32	Jim Crawford				27
			• • • •	***	32	Andrea de Ce	saris			26
		McGovern			32	Rob Mason				26
		y Stone			32	Peter Baldwin		***	•••	
	vern	on Davies	•••	•••	32		•••	•••		26
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April		Derek Daly		April		Roderick MacPherson	May	28	John N	lielson
vhi II	8	Rick Gorne		April	29	Colin Wild	June		Mike Do	novan

Race 5

STP MODIFIED SPORTS CHAMPIONSHIP RACE

10 laps 16.08 miles 25.88 kms.

This is a round of the 1979 STP Modified Sports Championship for sports cars governed by regulations laid down by the RAC. The body may be modified but must keep the original profile. The engine must be based on the original.

No. Driver/Town	Entrant	Car	c.c.
CLASS A Over 2000 c.c.		Darraha Carrara	2784
1 TONY WINGROVE - E Grinstead	Priver Radial Motor Components	Porsche Carrera Marcos GT Ford V6	2994
2 RICHARD GAMBLE - Markyate 7 RON LEA - Bromley	Arleigh Caravan Equipment	Jaguar E Type	4300
STEVE O'ROURKE - Woking	EMKA Productions Limited	Jaguar E Type V12	5343
9 BARRY ROBINSON -	T.W. Robinson Demolition - Scotts Corner Garages	Porsche Carrera RSR	3000
10 DUDLEY WOOD - Newport Pagnell	Driver	Porsche Carrera	2784
12 LEE BARTON - Houghton Regis	Gilburn Freight Services Morris Stapleton Motors	Turner Mk II Ford Morgan +8 Rover	3500
15 BRUCE STAPLETON - Banbury	Worris Stapleton Wotors	Worgan To nover	0000
CLASS B 1501-2000 c.c. 28 PAUL BERMAN - Stanmore	Hendon Way Motors	Lotus Elan Twin Cam	1800
29 NICKY ELLIS - Newcastle	Cowgate Motor Company	Lotus Elan	1600
32 JOHN CHURCHILL - London	Driver	Lotus Elan	1800
39 RICHARD WARD - Leatherhead	Performance Unlimited, Southend	Lotus Elan Ford	1600
41 VIC MOORE - Huntingdon	Driver	Lotus Elan Ford	1600
CLASS C 1151-1500 c.c. 11_PAUL HOWARTH - Whissendine	Rutland Leathergoods Limited	MG Midget	1279
17 IAN HALL - Bristol	Driver	Davrian Mini Mk7A	1400
45 ROBIN CARLISLE - Thrapston	Clubcar Race Team	MG Midget BMC 'A'	1300
47 RUPERT RUSSELL - Towcester	Driver	MG Midget	1380
48 STEVEN SOPER - Bushey Heath	Radbourne Racing Limited	Fiat Dallara X1/9	1498
58 STEVEN ROBERTS - Chippenham	Trans XL/Hogg Robinson	Mini Marcos Mk4 Ginetta G4 Ford	1380 1498
52 DAVID MERCER - Orpington 55 C. WESTELL -	Equipe Esso Driver	MG Midget Mk II BMC A	1430
59 SIMON FARR - Leamington Spa	Driver	Ginetta G4 Ford	1470
60 JON JEFFERY - Stoke Poges	Driver	Arklem SS BMC A	1450
69 BARRIE MUTLOW - Stevenage	Taylor Instrument	Austin Healey Sprite	1476
70 ALAN ILES - Swindon	Jack O'Newbury (Newbury Laundry Limited)	MG Midget Mk3	1380
76 JOHN GALLAGHER - Cheadle	J. Gallagher & Co. Ltd.	MG Midget	1380
87 GARRY WILSON - Southport	Rally Equipe Bury	MG Midget	1450
88 TONY EDWARDS - Leighton Buzzard	Lee Barton	Turner Mk II Ford	1498
CLASS D Up to 1150 c.c.			
94 JOHN PUGSLEY - Dulverton	Driver	Davrian Mk6 Carter Davrian Mk7 Carter IMP	1148 1142
98 PAT LONGHURST - Tonbridge	Driver 1 9 28		44
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Class A: Brian Hough (TVR		59.4 secs. 97.45 m	
Class B: Max Payne (Lotus	Elan)	59.5 secs. 97.29 n	CAP-III PARTITION IN THE PARTITION OF TH
Class C: Keith Ashby (Longr	nan MG Midget)	64.3 secs. 90.02 m	
Class D: Bob Jarvis (Davrian	1410	61.2 secs. 94.59 m	

Overall :	24	RESULTS	1820		
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	39	Time	Speed	4th	
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Fastest Lap	: Car No	. Time			

P & O NORMANDY FERRIES FF1600 CHAMPIONSHIP RACE

12 laps 19.30 miles 31:05 kms.

This is a round of the 1979 P & O Normandy Ferries Formula Ford 1600 Championship for single seater racing cars using near standard 1600 cc Ford Cortina engines. Racing tyres used by these cars are identical. Qualifications for this event is described under Event One.

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No. Driver/Town
   1 DAVID SEARS - Wymondham-
   2 ROBERT GIBBS - Wymondham
   3 FERNANDO RIBEIRO - Towcester -
   4 NICK WARD - Hitchin
   5 TREVOR WIGGLESWORTH -
      St. Annes-on-Sea
   EDDOCUS - PART B
   7 JOHN GUNCKEL - Gloucester
   8 MIKE TAYLOR - Cinderford
   9 JEFF PRUDEN - Rugby
  10 PETE DIGBY - Iver Heath
 11 WILLIAM MOORE - Aylesbury
 12 KEITH WATSON - Mansfield
 14 R. McCASKILL - Reading
 15 JOHN FLETCHER - Coventry
 16 PETER WILLIAMS - Eastleigh
 17 KOMRAD HAUGE - Attleborough
 18 TONY KENWORTHY - London
 19 CHRIS HAIGH - Ascot
 20 BRIAN DUNNING - Leicester
 21 DAVID McCLELLAND - Southend -
 22 PETER ROBERTS - Bath
 23 HUGH JONES - Nottingham
 24 DUDLEY WOOD - Newport
      Pagnell
 25 ALLEN CRAWFORD - Wattib
 26 RICHARD EYRE - Shoeburyness
 27 MARTIN OCHILTREE - Coventry
 28 DAVID WHEELER - Peterborough
 29 ALLEN PITTAWAY - Studley
 30 DAVID WIGDOR - Hove
 31 FBA Jan Shaw
 32 TERRY PUDWELL - Caversham -
34 PETER LUNDIN - Wymondham
 35 MARK DUNHAM - Ely
36 TOM WOOD - Solihull
37 PHILIP GREEN - Abberley
38 NEIL TOWNSEND - Leamington
     Spa
39 TBA
40 ROBERTO MORENO - Claygate
41 DAVE SCOTT - Midhurst
42 DAVID MEARS - Bath
43 JONATHAN PALMER - London -
44 ROGER TILY - Bristol
45 BRENT BUSKELL - Campden
46 KEITH MacGREGOR - Sunbury-
    on-Thames
47 TERRY GRAY - Norwich -
48 BOLIVAR DE SORDI - Norwich
50 MICHAEL TAYLOR - Amesbury
51 GUY DORMEHL - Amesbury
53 JON BEEKHUIS - Towcester
      Jensen
54 JIM WALSH - Northampton -
55 WILL PRINGLE - Worksop
56 JOHN BOOTH - Sheffield
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Entrant Rushen Green Racing Rushen Green Racing

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Falcon Motor Racing (Race Hire)

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DIP Disposal Driver Midland Race Hire with Pernagh **Towing Equipment** Hawke Racing Cars Limited

Driver Jim Russell International Racing **Drivers School**

Driver Driver SDC Builders Limited, Bedford Driver **David Wigdor Antiques** Hanger Motor Group

ICL Dataskil/CHC Software Marketing **Hub of the Universe Racing** Dairy Time Yogglace Racing International

Henry Garner Datsuns B'ham/ Equipe Esso Driver

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Driver

Van Diemen International Racing Service Ltd. Van Diemen International Racing Service Ltd. Scorpion Race Hire Scorpion Race Hire Scorpion Race Hire Jim Russell International Racing **Drivers School**

Crompton Lighting Driver Driver Driver Imediacopy Driver Marc Smith Team Royale Driver

Car

Royale RP26 Minister Royale RP26 Minister Van Diemen RF79 Minister Royale RP26 Auriga Van Diemen RF79 Minister

Van Diemen RF78 Scholar Crossle 32F Scholar PRS RHO1A Scholar Royale RP26 Greetham Tiga FF/77/79 CES Royale RP26 Alan Smith Van Diemen RF76 Scholar Hawke Mk11B Kent Priamo's Ford Crossle 32F GGS Van Diemen RF78 Scholar Van Diemen RF79 Minister Hawke DL15/19 CES Ford Crossle 35F MRH

Hawke Mk21 Scholar Crossle 25F CES Ford Lotus 61M Holbay Ford Van Diemen RF77 Scholar/Ford

Royale RP24 Scholar Hawke Mk21 Scholar Hawke DL15 Minister Royale RP26 Titan Dulon LD4 Ledar (Ford) Sark RF77 Minister PRS 79F Minister Tiga FF78 Rowland

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Royale RP26 Minister Hawke DL12 Phantom

Lola T540E Minister Royale RP26 Minister/Ford Royale RP26 Minister **Dulon MP17 Minister** Van Diemen RF79 Scholar Elden Mk10FF Nelson Merlyn Mk9 Ford Hawke Mk21 Minister

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Royale RP26 Titan/Ford Royale RP24 Titan Van Diemen RF79 Scholar PRS Mk1 Ford Royale RP26 Scholar Royale RP 24 Shrew Royale RP26 Titan Crossle 30F Scholar Royale RP24 Minister

64	TERRY KAVANAGH - Gloucester
65	TOMMY BYRNE - Welwyn

Garden City 66 RICK MORRIS - Welwyn -

Garden City 67 GRAEME GLEW - Goole 69 CLIVE WOOD - Bournemouth

70 WILLHEIM VON TIEJEN -Bournemouth

71 KEVIN LUNCH - Lookingham

72 MARTIN BOYLE - Towcester -

73 TBA 75 JEROEN BOS -

76 JOHN MUNDEN -

Driver PRS Racing Cars Limited

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Lap Record: Bernard Devaney (PRS 78F RHO1 Minister)

61.60 secs.

93.97 mph

RESULTS

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		Speed m.p.h.
2nd	3rd	. 4th
5th	6th	
Fastest Lap : Car No	. Time	Speed m.p.h.

57 KEVIN RILEY - Nottingham

61 MARC SMITH - Colmworth

63 HERVE DIDION - France

62 ANDY BLYTH - Wokingham

58 RICHARD TROTT - London -

60 PHILIP MYATT - Stoke-on-Trent

SILVERSTONE SHORT CIRCUIT SPEED TABLE

1 LAP = 1.608 miles = 2.5878 kilometres

Speed

Time

Speed

: 85.13 : 137.00

.2 : 84.88 : 136.00

.4 : 84.63 : 136.20

.6 : 84.39 : 135.80

.8 : 84.14 : 135.41

.2 : 83.65 : 134.63

.4 : 83.41 : 134.24

.6 : 83.17 : 133.85

.8 : 82.93 : 133.47

.2 : 82.46 : 132.71

.4 82.23 132.33

.6 81.99 131.96

.8 : 81.76 : 131.58

.2 : 81.30 : 130.84

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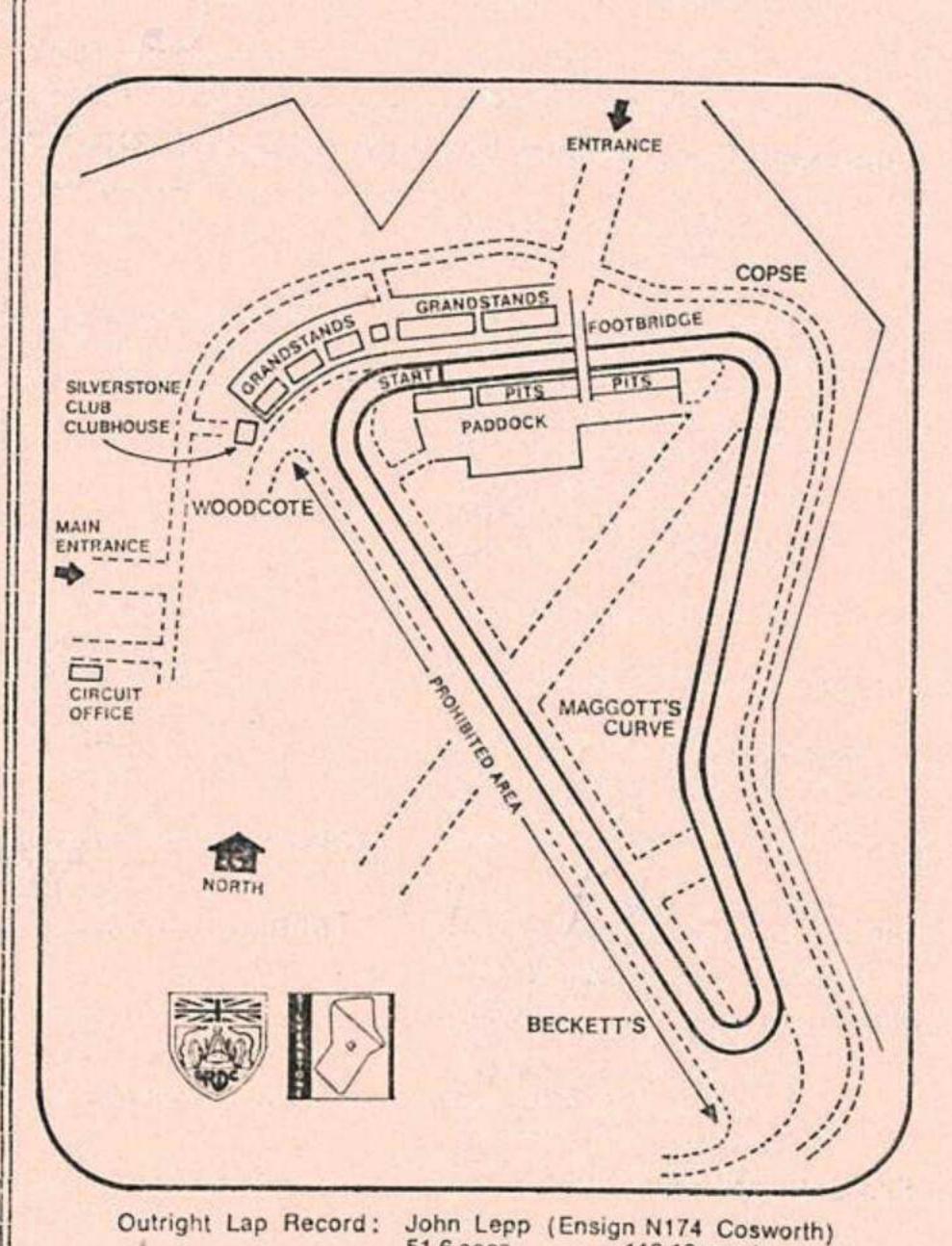
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.4	112.62	181.25	.4	95.84	154.24
.6	112.19	180.55	.6	95.52	153.73
.8	111.75	179.85	.8	95.21	153.23
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.4	110.90	178.47	.2		152.22
.6	110.47	177.19	.4	94.28	151.73
.8	109.64	176.44	.6	93.97	151.24
.0	103.04	170.44	.8	93.67	150.75
0 53	109.22	175.78	1 02	93.37	150.26
.2	108.81	175.12	.2	93.07	149.78
.4	108.40	174.46	.4	92.77	149.30
.6	108.00	173.81	.6	92.47	148.82
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.4	106.41	171.25	.4	91.31	146.94
.6	106.02	170.63	.6	91.02	146.48
.8	105.64	170.00	.8	90.73	146.02
0 55	105.25	169.38	1 04	90.45	145.56
.2	104.87	168.77	.2	90.17	145.11
.4	104.49	168.16	.4	89.89	144.66
.6	104.12	167.56	.6	89.61	144.21
.8	103.74	166.96	8.	89.33	143.77
0 56	103.37	166.36	1 05	89.06	143.33
.2	103.00	165.77	.2	88.79	142.89
.4	102.64	165.18	.4	88.51	142.45
.6	102.28	164.60	.6	88.24	142.01
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.4	100.85	162.30	.4	87.18	140.73
.6	100.50	161.74	.6	86.92	139.88
.8	100.15	161.18	.8	86.66	139.46
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0 58	99.81	160.62	1 07	86.40	139.05
.2	99.46	160.07	.2	86.14	138.63
.4	99.12	159.52	.4	85.89	138.22
.6	98.78	158.98	.6	85.63	137.81
.8	98.45	158.44	.8	85.38	137.41

Speed



Lap

Time

1 17

1 19

Speed

: 75.18 : 120.99

.2 : 74.98 : 120.68

.4 : 74.79 : 120.36

.6 : 74.60 : 120.05

.8 : 74.41 : 119.74

: 74.22 : 119.44

.2 : 74.03 : 119.13

.4 : 73.84 : 118.83

.6 : 73.65 : 118.53

.8 : 73.46 : 118.23

.2 : 73,09 : 117.63

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.6 72.72 117.04

.8 : 72.54 : 116.74

.2 : 72.18 : 116.16

.4 : 72.00 : 115.87

.6 71.82 115.58

.8 : 71.64 : 115.30

: 73.28 : 117.93

m. s. : m.p.h. : k.p.h.



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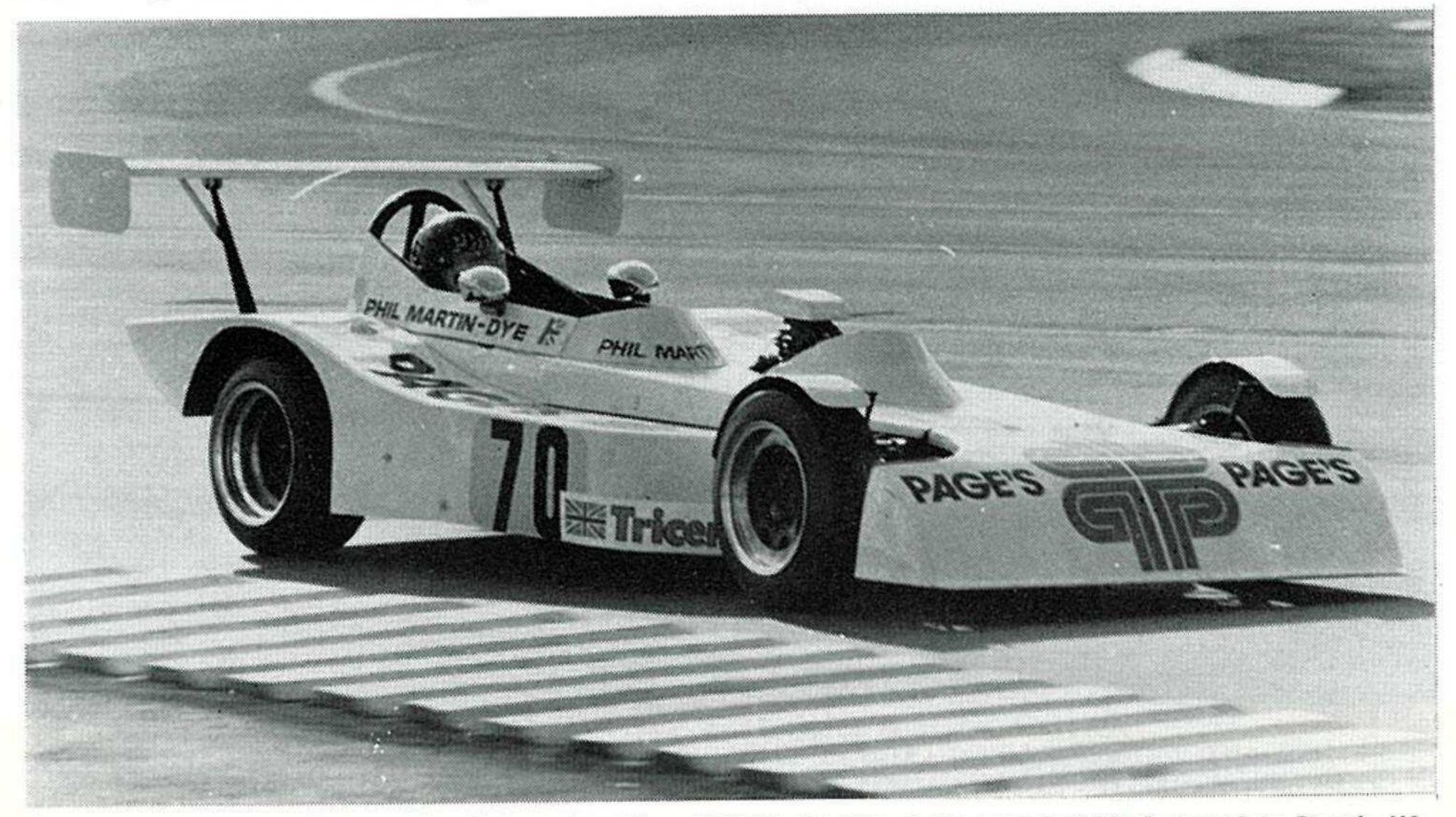
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began his career racing modsports cars), and former kartist from Ashford in Kent, Terry Gray, both in their second season of Formula Ford. However, the visits of these to Silverstone are rare, and the Van Diemen challenge could well be led by the 20-year old Solihull driver, Tom Wood. The promising new Hawke MK21, driven by one of last year's leading competitors, Irishman David McClelland, has made only two appearances at Silverstone, but on the second of these David finished a very close second to Jim Walsh so he should be worth watching today. Strong challenges too come from the Royales of Marc Smith and Silverstone regular Richard Trott, and from the works PRS pair, experienced Rick Morris and young Irishman Tommy Byrne, who looks due for a win very soon.

Whilst the competitors in the Austin Morris Mini 850 Challenge Series race essentially for pleasure without the Grand Prix aspirations of the single-seater drivers, the battle for the lead in today's race is likely to be just as closely contested. The championship lead is currently disputed by two veterans of 850 Mini racing, twice champion Chris Tyrrell, and Graham Woskett (driver of WOS 6, the latest in a line of successful Minis), but there are a number of other experienced campaigners always in hot pursuit, among them close championship rivals Patrick Watts, Nigel Gaymer and Russell Grady. Also going well this year is Gary Hall, brother of the reigning 850 Champion, whilst Reg Armstrong and Jim MacDougall are other former champions to watch today.



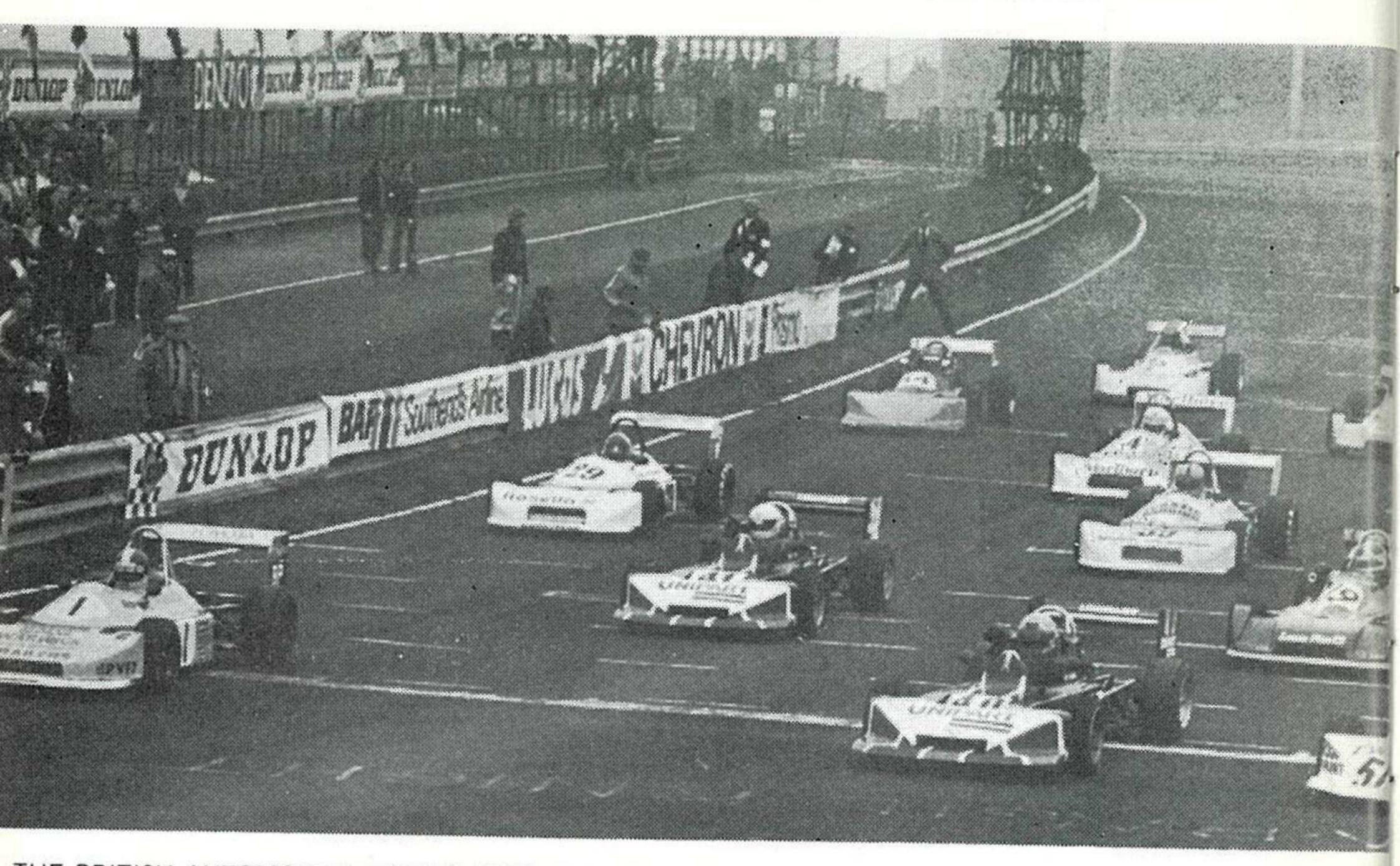
Currently the leader of two national championships, Phil Martin-Dye at the wheel of his immaculate Page's U2

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The strange-looking, but effective front-engined Clubmans Sports Cars always provided entertaining racing at Silverstone, and today's round of the Oceanair Championship has attracted a full field of these popular Formula Ford-engined two-seaters, dominated as always by the Mallock U2s built at nearby Roade, Ascot airline-pilot Phil Martin-Dye has established himself as the man-to-beat in this formula, but he leads the championship only narrowly from the latest U2 of Nigel Butcher. Strong challenges can be expected from Peter Clark, Clubmans stalwart Robert Glass and former Formula 1300 ace, Paul Webb, but newcomers to the formula, Glenn Eagling (from FF 1600) and Peter Richings (from modsports), could also spring a suprise.

Finally, a round of the STP Modified Sports Championship should prove a victory for the powerful Porsche Carrera of Tony Wingrove. Class opposition comes from Richard Gamble's Marcos and Steve O'Rourke's spectacular V12 E-Type, but the toughest challenge to Wingrove could come from the rapid Elans of Paul Berman and Newcastle driver Nicky Ellis. The overall lead in the championship is currently held by the Davrian of Somerset farmer, John Pugsley, a newcomer to racing, but Class C leader Steve Roberts (Mini Marcos), will be hoping to close the gap today.

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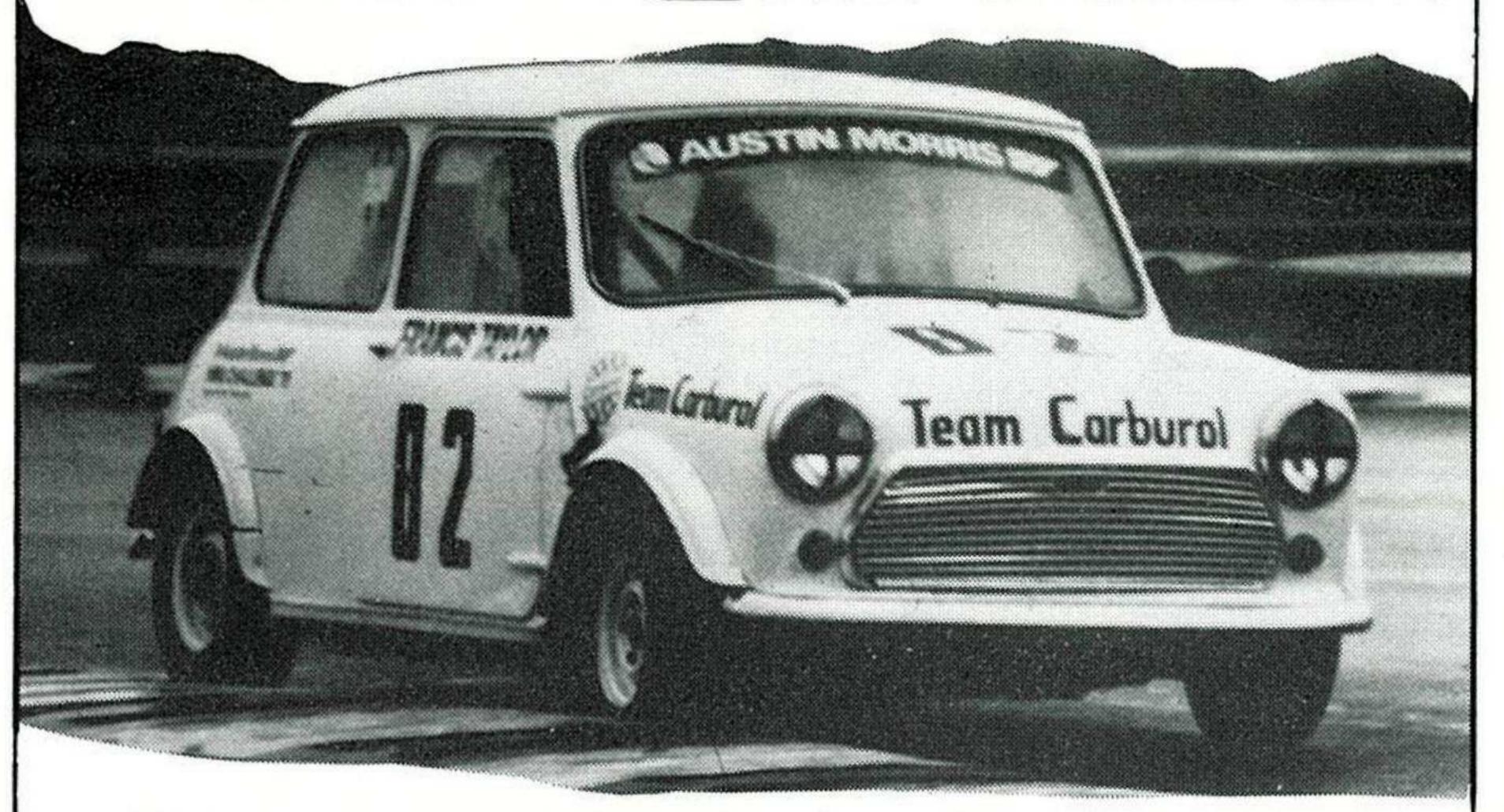


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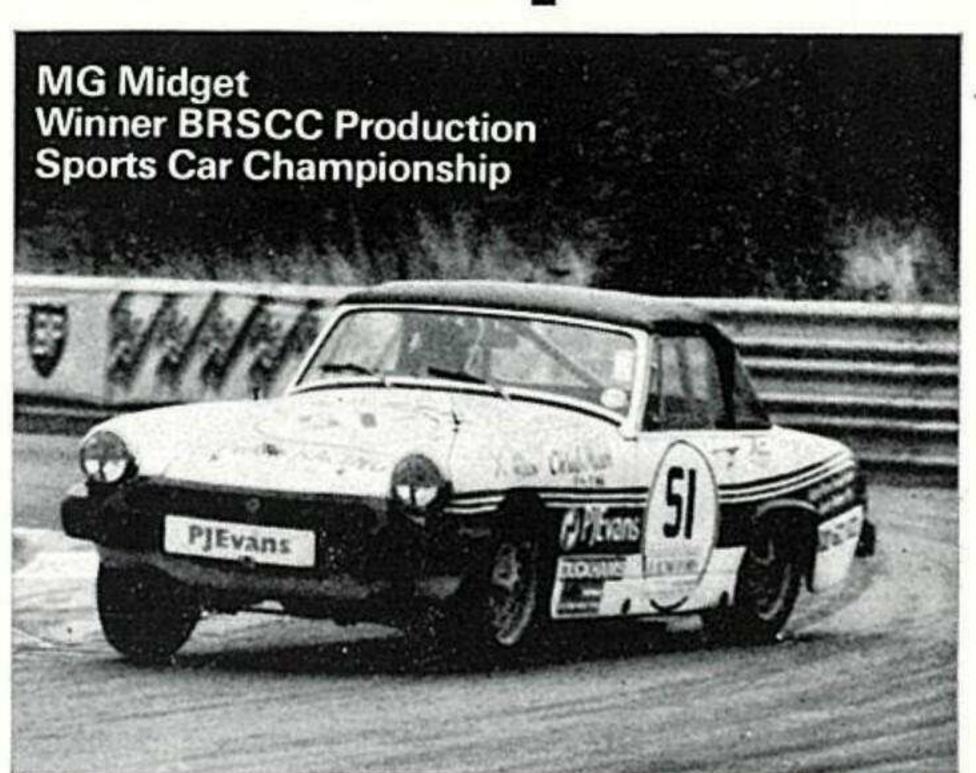
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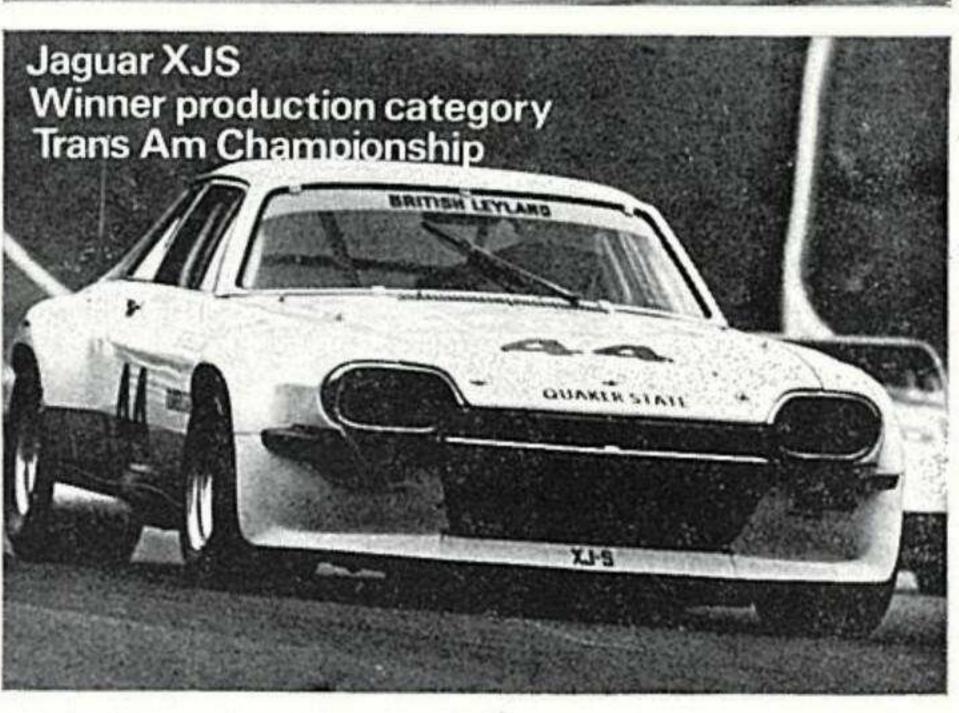
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