

## **England 2, France 1**

This weekend's opening round of the Superleague Formula series at Silverstone witnessed the first competitive running of the MCT V12s in 2010. Although a little damp due to the mixed weather conditions, the Easter weekend event delivered some superb racing, a home win for Tottenham Hotspur and another excellent reliability performance by the MCT V12 power units.

British driver Craig Dolby and the Tottenham Hotspur team dominated the weekend, claiming both Race One and the Super Final victories on Easter Sunday. The home talent didn't have it all their own way though, with ex-Formula One driver Sebastian Bourdais winning Race Two for the French club Olympique Lyonnais, making the final day's tally England 2, France 1.

Seventeen cars lined up on the grid for the first race at Silverstone on Sunday, to kick off the 2010 season. In fact, this year's Superleague Formula welcomes a number of new drivers and new teams to the series, which also includes four ex-Formula One drivers - a demonstration of the growing stature the championship has earned over the last two years.

The MCT support team was present all weekend to provide technical support to the teams up and down the paddock throughout the meeting. The seventeen MCT V12s performed well all weekend, covering a combined 8,337 kilometers without serious problem, which continues to demonstrate the reliability of the 4.2 litre V12 engine.

The Superleague Formula series now moves to Assen in Holland, on 15/16<sup>th</sup> May, to take the championship battle to the Dutch fans. In the meantime, fans can visit the Superleague website to see the collection of videos and pictures taken from Silverstone to keep them going before the trip to Holland next month.