

## **MCT heads to Assen with Superleague**

The grandstands at Assen will this weekend (15-16 May) echo to the striking sound of [Menard Competition Technologies'](#) (MCT) V12 engines, as the [Superleague Formula](#) championship moves to Holland for the second round of the 2010 season. The opening round at [Silverstone](#) in April saw the first competitive running of the V12s in 2010, with the 17 MCT V12s covering a combined distance of 8,337 kilometres during the weekend.

Although a little damp due to the mixed weather conditions, the Easter weekend event at [Silverstone](#) delivered some superb racing and a home win for [Tottenham Hotspur](#). The [Superleague Formula](#) has continued to grow in stature over the last two years and now includes four ex-Formula One drivers including [Sebastien Bourdais](#), [Franck Montagny](#), [Robert Doornbos](#), [Narain Karthikeyan](#)

Kevin Lee, [MCT's](#) managing director, commented: "Our 2010 [Superleague Formula](#) season has got off to a great start. The mixed conditions at [Silverstone](#) did little to dampen the racing and all of the 17 [MCT](#) V12s ran well all weekend."

"The next two rounds of the championship are back to back races with the Magny-Cours event taking place over the weekend of 22-23 May, which will put a little pressure on the teams in terms of logistics. The [MCT](#) support team will be on hand to provide technical support to the teams throughout the two meetings."

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This weekend's visit to [Assen](#) is the first time that the [Superleague Formula](#) has visited the circuit within its [championship calendar](#). The 4.55kms track offers a mix of challenging corners to test both a car's engine and chassis, with the long main straight sure to be the driver's favourite choice to take advantage of the MCT V12's push to pass function.

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### Notes to editors:

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Expertise includes total engine design, development and manufacturing capabilities, transmission dynamometer, as well as total project management and track support.

[MCT's](#) customers include leading teams and manufacturers from [NASCAR](#), international sports car series and a number of European and North American single seater championships.

MCT has in excess of thirty year's experience at the pinnacle of the world motorsport industry. Its management team boasts championship success across [F1](#), [sportscars](#), [touring cars](#), [IRL](#), [CART](#) and [NASCAR](#).

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