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4th round Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup - Monaco Strong weekend for Konrad Motorsport

With a further story of success and many championship points in the luggage, the team Konrad Motorsport returns from Monaco. At the fourth round of the Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup - at the difficult, 3.340 kilometres long street circuit - Nick Tandy claimed a strong second rank. Patrick Huisman completed the good performance of the team from Germany with the seventh rank.



Finished second at his Monaco debut – Nick Tandy

However, at first the Brit with an accident in the free practice on Thursday had a rather bad start into the race weekend. "That was really a low, but after that it went straight up the whole weekend", says Nick Tandy. Despite the heavy traffic the 25-year-old clinched fifth position in the starting grid for the race. "If I would have known the track as I do now after the race, René Rast would have had a tougher race today", the Konrad-Pilot says with confidence. At the 4th round of the Supercup Tandy was in top-form, did not only finish on second rank, but also drove the fastest lap of the race. "I am really looking forward to the tracks I know already. I think I can fight for poles and victories there", says the Brit, who improved to second rank in the driver standings of the championship.

Patrick Huisman primarily was disappointed about his bad qualifying, when he had to settle with position ten in the starting grid. "Sometimes you have luck, sometimes you don't. That the way it goes here in Monaco", says the Netherlander, who didn't have a free lap when he was on chase for a good time. Right after the start it seems as if the bad luck stays with the Dutch. "Seyffarth spun in the first corner. I almost had to stop my car and dropped back to 13th position", says the four-fold Supercup champion, who than - like his team mate - chased through the field and managed to improve to seventh rank again until the end of the race. "That is only possible, if you have a perfect car, and my Porsche was superb today", Patrick Huisman praised his team.

"With Nick's crash on Thursday, our team had a bad start into the weekend. But something like that can easily happen to a Rookie who drives in Monaco to the first time. Then he delivered a good qualifying and furthermore a superb race today. Congratulations for such a strong drive", team manager Franz Konrad praised his youngster from England. "Patrick has driven a strong race as well. Despite the incident shortly after the start has he fought and worked his way back forward to the seventh rank", so Franz Konrad. "I am very satisfied with the weekend in Monaco."

The 5th round of the Porsche Mobil 1 Supercup takes place in Valencia on June, 27th.

"To keep it in short words - I am really satisfied with the weekend", team manager Franz Konrad was pleased about the good performance of his two pilots. Indeed it was an impressive effort. Nick Tandy, who was racing the first time on the 3,340 kilometre street circuit in the Monegasque Principality, delivered again an impressive proof of his talent and crossed the chequered flag on second rank. "I am really happy, a huge thank-you goes to everyone from the team Konrad Motorsport. All of you made a superb job", so the Supercup-Rookie after the 16 laps between the crash-barriers in Monaco.

Seventh rank for Patrick Huisman



Qualifying - Monaco

1	R. Rast	1:36.580 min
2	S. Maassen	+ 0.109 sec
3	S. Bleekemolen	+ 0.154 sec
4	S. Edwards	+ 0.235 sec
5	N. Tandy	+ 0.326 sec
6	J. van Lagen	+ 0.402 sec
10	P. Huisman	+ 0.618 sec

Race- Monaco

1	R. Rast	26:19.707 min
2	N. Tandy	+ 5.018 sec
3	J. van Lagen	+ 10.759 sec
4	S. Rosina	+ 15.249 sec
5	A. Zampedri	+ 18.881 sec
6	J. Bleekemolen	+ 19.421 sec
7	P. Huisman	+ 22.175 sec

Supercup – Driver standing

1	R. Rast	66 Pt
2	N. Tandy	60 Pt
3	J. Bleekemolen	58 Pt
4	S. Rosina	54 Pt
5	N. Siedler	36 Pt
6	P. Huisman	31 Pt
19	S. Cunill	3 Pt

Supercup- Team standing

1	Al Faisal Lechner	116 Pt
2	Konrad Motorsport	92 Pt
3	Lechner Racing	83 Pt
4	VELTINS MRS	67 Pt
5	Abu Dhabi tolimit	43 Pt
6	Bleekemolen/Harders	40 Pt

Supercup – Schedule

13.03.	Bahrain	BAH
14.03.	Bahrain	BAH
09.05.	Barcelona	ESP
16.05.	Monaco	MON
27.06.	Valencia	ESP
11.07.	Silverstone	GBR
25.07.	Hockenheim	GER
01.08.	Budapest	HUN
29.08.	Spa Francorchamps	BEL
12.09.	Monza	ITA

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