Class D full race 3.9litre MGBGTV8s at Brands Hatch on Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2015



Simon Cripps in No 88



**Bob Spencer** in No 90



Russell McCarthy in No 93

The May Bank Holiday weekend has become synonymous with the MG Car Club and Brands Hatch, and this year was no different with two days of high speed action at this spectacular circuit over the two days providing thrilling entertainment as ever for spectators, despite tricky weather conditions on Sunday morning. The MGBGTV8 action was exciting!

## **MGCC Motoring Classics Thoroughbred Sportscar Championship**

Rob Spencer unnerved long-time leader Neil Fowler to score sole Thoroughbred Sportscar Championship spoils on Sunday. With just one race for the championship this weekend the stage was set for a thrilling outing. Fowler seized the lead from the start, and after leading for the majority of laps seemed set for the top step of the podium, however, as Spencer trailed Fowler's lead came under threat, before Spencer made a successful bid for top spot. Fowler managed to hold second place, whilst Ian Prior reclaimed third place when a seemingly struggling Simon Cripps slipped to fourth place.

## **MGCC MG Challenge Race**

The final race of the weekend saw the BCV8 Championship cars triumph once more, with victory for Ollie Neaves. Simon Cripps fought his way to second place, ahead of the fast starting Rob Spencer. Ian Prior claimed fourth place, James Wheeler fifth and James Dunkley sixth, after problems for both McCarthy brothers.

Race report and timings available on the Club website.

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