

Q&A with

Class A1 driver, James Card

1 - Have you always had an interest in motorsport?

Yes, Rodger (Father) raced Formula Ford when I was very young, so I was always going to be a petrol head. I would always watch the Touring Cars and Formula One as a kid.

2 - What motivated you to get into motor racing?

Someone bought me a track experience for my birthday one year and I loved it. Then Rodger had a BMW M3 E30 that was ready to be scrapped. I persuaded him to put a roll cage in it and go and do track days. Within a few months we had entered the Championship for the following year.

3 - Where & when was your first race?

I think it was Snetterton 2007 in BMW Kumho

4 - When did you start prepping for the 2016 season?

No idea to be honest it all blurs in to one long season of fixing and getting the cars ready.

5 - If you could do any race over again, which race would you choose?

Birkett 2014, if I could do it again I would simply not bother. I waited hours to go out, then did 4 laps behind the safety cars followed by 1 clear lap to then be took out by a Porsche at 120mph that wrecked the car and meant going home with a broken car.

6 - What are your goals for the 2016 season?

To be faster at each circuit that I was last year and maybe win a few races.

7 - What advice would you give anyone who wanted to start racing in class A1?

Be prepared to be broke.

8 - What was your first car & what have you got in your garage right now?

My first car was a Citroen AX GT

In the garage now, Lancia Flaminia GT, BMW M3 E30 and a Alfa 155 V6, then there is the race cars an E46 and an E30 M3

9 - Who is your all time racing hero?

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10 - Last & probably the most important question, Who would win in a race between the Flash & Superman?

Superman