



Metzeler Racetec National Superstock Championship – Donington Park

Race 2

Raceways Yamaha completed the double here at Donington this afternoon as Hudson Kennaugh and Jon Kirkham set a blistering pace to finish first and second for the second day in succession. The formation pair pushed each other hard with lap times only hundredths apart but it was the South African, Kennaugh, that collected the full twenty five points to rise to second in the table. Series leader Glen Richards, favourite for ultimate honours, rode a solid professional race to finish third, making it a Yamaha one-two-three.

Kennaugh led from the start with John Laverty on the Buildbase Ducati close behind as they entered Redgate for the first time. Team-mate Kirkham closed in on the Ulsterman and was ahead by the time the field completed lap one. Laverty held third until a successful strong challenge from Glen Richards secured the place for the Champion elect. Richards claimed fastest lap on fourth (1m 34.760s) as he brought his YZF-R1 home for the sixteen points. Laverty took fourth, with team-mate Roberts three seconds behind in fifth. Steve Brogan finished a distant sixth as he slipped to third in the table behind Kennaugh.

Hudson Kennaugh: *“Perfect weekend for Raceways. The team have given us great bikes and the work that K-Tech have put into the development of the front end internals and rear shock is really starting to pay off”.*

Steve Rogers, Raceways Yamaha Team Owner: *“I’d just like to thank Chris Nash at K-Tech and Andy Smith of Yamaha for all of the help and support they have given us. Its just a pity that Hudson missed four rounds during the season as it could have been so different.”*

The final double-header rounds at Kent’s Brands Hatch Indy Circuit 12-14th October, will decide the title.

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1 – Kennaugh (Yamaha), 2 – Kirkham (Yamaha), 3 – Richards (Yamaha)

Championship Points

1. Richards	183
2. Kennaugh	144
3. Brogan	142
4. Laverty	109
5. Kirkham	100