Ruhaan wears Junior crown

BENGALURU, DHNS: Bengaluru's Ruhaan Alwa capped off his spectacular run in the X-30 class of the JK Tyre-FM-SCI National Karting Championship to emerge the 2019 junior champion here on Saturday.

Ruhaan sealed his victory in Race 1 itself, riding on his supremacy in earlier rounds to amass 164 points in the five rounds. He collected 34 points over the weekend too to win a ticket to the World Karting finals in France next month.

City-mate Arjun S Nair (134 points) and Chennai's Ryan Mohammed (91) took the second and third places in the championship.

Chennai's Nirmal Umashankar claimed the



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Senior category by collecting a total of 23 points in the fifth and final round to amass 160 points.

Bengaluru's Aditya Swaminathan (101 points) and Delhi's Debarun Banerjee (81) took the other two podium places.

In the Cadet category, it was Bengaluru's Ishaan Madhesh who maintained his vice-like grip on the top of the table, taking three more races to accumulate 36 points win with a grand sum of 189 points. Shriya Lohia, a 11-year-old driver from Pune, picked up 27 points to end on the second spot with 134 points.