

Shahan, Mihir shine in National Karting C'ship



Sr Max Category 1. Shahan Ali (C) 2. Manav Sharma (L) 3. Bala Prasath

BENGALURU: Agra's Shahan Ali Mohsin and Bengaluru's Mihir Avalakki stole the limelight in Round-I of the Rotax Class of the JK Tyre-FMSCI National Karting Championship at the Meco Kartopia here on Sunday. Shahan of MSport proved to be the star in the Senior Max category, winning both his races (the pre-final and final) to accumulate a total of 89 points to surge into the lead. Peregrine Racing's Manav Sharma finished second in both races of the day and collected 85 points while Bala Prasath of MSport finished third in his two outings to end the day with a total of 82 points. Local boy Mihir, who starred in the opening round of the X-30 class earlier this month, sizzled again to go atop the leader board in the Junior Max category. Mihir, racing for Birel Art, finished on top in both the races and picked up 89 points. He is being trailed by his team-mate Rushon, who has 83 points. Another Birel Art racer and Bengaluru's own Ruhaan Alva ended the day on third spot. In the Micro Max category, it was the young Ishaan Madhesh of Peregrine Racing who emerged on top with two wins and a total of 89 points in his kitty. Trailing in the second spot is Ranveer Singh of Birel Art with 85 points while Jagrat Detroja of Peregrine Racing is third with 82 points.