

# Battle for points resumes

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India's leading two-wheeler manufacturers will yet again go head-to-head in a thrilling battle for points as the third round of the MRF-MMSC FMSCI Indian National motorcycle racing championship gets underway at the MMRT here on Friday.

Honda, TVS, Yamaha and KTM have a strong presence in the 16-race card that will also showcase India's top bike racers, including girls, representing a clutch of teams, some privately funded and others supported by the manufacturers in various forms.

### Plenty of action

This weekend promises plenty of action with riders

jockeying for positions in their respective championship leaderboards with an eye on the points that are critical for National titles in various categories.

The premier Pro-Stock classes of 301-400cc, 201-300cc and the 165cc, all run on MRF slick tyres, have dishd out edge-of-the-seat thrillers in the previous rounds with little separating the front-runners.