

# Top End Tales

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## Another good night racing 1/24 Sports

The first heat of the night set the pace with Derek putting in a 40 lapper "Personal Best" and getting his car into the 3.9sec bracket and new boy Baz putting in a 34 lapper PB and later on getting a 39 another PB and winning his first race, later in the heats young Terry got a PB with 31, Charlotte with a 30 PB and Liam on 34.99 not quite a 35, Lee 42 and yours truly with a 45 lapper, as you can see the finals were going to be hot!.

### C Final – 9mins

#### Liam-Charlotte-Terry

Well Liam should have been the favourite for this race but Charlotte put here foot down and proved she could go well and finished well in the lead, Liam did get the fastest lap but it wasn't enough to keep young Terry out of the race.

<u>Pos/ Name</u>	<u>laps</u>	<u>H/cap</u>	<u>final/laps</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> Charlotte	99.25	(+20)	119.25 laps
2 <sup>nd</sup> Terry	81.28	(+23)	104.28 laps
3 <sup>rd</sup> Liam	93.43	(0)	93.43 laps

### B Final – 9mins

#### Terry-Charlotte-Derek-Baz

A little way into the race Derek suffered a gear failure but managed to put in the fastest lap and pressed on to finish the race with the spare car, Baz was getting to grips with his new thumb controller and improving all the time winning his first final & earning a place in the A final.

<u>Pos/ Name</u>	<u>laps</u>	<u>H/cap</u>	<u>final/laps</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> Baz	113.45	(+8)	121.45 laps
2 <sup>nd</sup> Derek	116.12	(0)	116.12 laps
3 <sup>rd</sup> Terry	86.52	(27)	113.52 laps
4 <sup>th</sup> charlotte	93.33	(17)	110.33 laps

### A Final – 9mins

#### Derek-Lee-Tony-Baz

This was going to be a battle to the finish, Derek had his car sorted, Lee was getting faster all night, I had also improved with the new jk chassis & baz was still buzzing from the B final.

Lap times were getting quicker all the time, I just missed the record by 600<sup>th</sup> of a second, still I now know its within reach, Lee was leaning on me real hard through the race and at one stage too hard taking us both flying through the air & to the floor keeping Liam (marshalling) on his toe's, What a battle it was, and well done to the marshals for a fine job.

<u>Pos/ Name</u>	<u>laps</u>	<u>H/cap</u>	<u>final/laps</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> Tony	123.44	(0)	123.44 laps
2 <sup>nd</sup> Derek	106.25	(16)	122.25 laps
3 <sup>rd</sup> Lee	115.46	(6)	121.46 laps
4 <sup>th</sup> Baz	101.12	(18)	119.12 laps