

STIPA-Molenaar Racing GP kicks off during first session in home GP TIM TT Assen

The 80th edition of the TIM TT began today under very good weather circumstances. STIPA-Molenaar Racing GP rider Randy Krummenacher finished on a good eighth position today and the Spaniard Luis Salom ended up on a provisional third row with a 11th place.

The 80th edition of the TIM TT Assen is for the STIPA-Molenaar Racing GP team their home Grand Prix home Grand Prix. Both riders want to get a good result this weekend. Randy Krummenacher wasn't entirely satisfied with the provisional eighth place of today. Krummenacher wants to qualify tomorrow in the top 5 and is able to this.

Luis Salom feels absolutely wonderful here in the Netherlands with the Spanish weather today. The winner of the Red Bull Rookies Cup race here at the circuit of Assen in 2007 was still not completely satisfied. The Spaniard came to a respectable 11th position and has been designed to target a top 10 place this weekend.

Randy Krummenacher (8th, 1:44.779):

"It went okay today. We are still in the set-up mode and are going in the right direction. In the session today, we had some small problems with the engine but were solved during the session. I could then concentrate on tuning the suspension and we are getting close to a good set-up. An eighth place is good for today. I know we can do better and we will. Tomorrow we will show in qualifying where I'm going for a top 5 position."

Luis Salom (11th, 1:45.298):

"I'm not completely satisfied with today's result. I pushed very hard in the last minutes of the session but didn't succeed to ride a faster time. Maybe I was pushing too much. The engine can be improved and the team is working on this. I think the engine is much better tomorrow and that I can be faster. It would be nice for the team here at their home Grand Prix, to get a good starting position. It would be great if I qualify tomorrow on the second row!"

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