

ANNEX A

W Series

W Series is a free-to-enter motor racing championship, which provides equal opportunities for women and eliminates the financial barriers that have historically prevented them from progressing to the upper tiers of motorsport.

All W Series' cars and corresponding equipment are the same specification and managed by the series, ensuring that our races and championships are won by the most talented drivers, rather than those with the wealthiest backers or the fastest cars. W Series was the second



most-watched women's sport in the UK behind football during our inaugural season in 2019, and since then the series has created the greatest number of professional women racing drivers of all time.

W Series aims to create a pathway for women racing drivers, encouraging more girls into junior karting and more sponsors to support women racing drivers as they progress into the upper tiers of motorsport. The more high-profile role models it can create, the more W Series believes it will inspire young girls to go karting – if you can see it, you can be it.

Race Car: Tatuus F3 T-318 – a race car homologated to the latest FIA F3 Specification

Engine: 4-cylinder turbocharged 270hp engine tuned by Autotechnica Motori

Drivers to watch: <u>Jamie Chadwick</u>, <u>Abbi Pulling</u> and <u>Emma Kimilainen</u>. Abbi and Emma are mounting the strongest pressure on Jamie's crown this year and have secured podiums this year. Also notable are W Series Academy team drivers <u>Bianca Bustamante</u> (Philippines) and <u>Juju Noda</u> (Japan). These drivers are 16 and 17 years old respectively and are impressing in their first season as rookies at W Series, Bianca having recently graduated to single-seater racing.

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