



FIM-E 5th Round EUROPEAN FINALS NEIL MIDGLEY TOP FUEL BIKE



During the 5th and final round of the 2024 FIM-E European Dragbike Championship 2024 It was Neil Midgley from the United Kingdom that entered to this event after an absence. His dear friend and team owner of Cannon Motorsports Chris Hannam passed away after an accident that made the Dragbike scene in shock. Such a great personality that for decades allways was involved in the Dragbike scene in Europe but also in the USA.

After a spill on the Top Fuel Bike bike Neil had to recover and the team worked hard to repair the immaculate European record holding Puma Supercharged Nitro injected 4 inline powerhouse. This weekend they came for testing and checking if Neil feeled happy after all that happened. During a conversation he told me that it was real weird to be at Santa Pod and getting ready make a burn out without Chris being there. In spirit Chris was there I told him. It looked so natural to see Neil back on the Top Fuel Bike and he did feel good.

The Puma sounded really crisp! But the experience the team has is incredible with Multiple Top Fuel Bike Champion Ian King and Marius van der Zijden on Neil his side.

Offcourse other teammembers where around like Nick Pepper and others that are involved. The paintwork on the Top Fuel Bike also looked great with black orange and yellow.

This weekend was for testing...Some testing that was!

A truly stout 60ft of 0.9888! Quickest over the weekend!

Quickest ET on the 1/8 Mile of 3.8528!

Fastest MPH on the 1/8 Mile of 199.7MPH!

After that Neil clicked of and it showed allready the true potential of this immaculate TFB!

He ended up as Runner-Up on this event against Rikard Gustafsson!

Well done to all involved and hopefully the team will do the Full FIM-E 2025 Top Fuel Bike Championship rounds to compete against the Swedish domination.



TOP FUEL BIKE 3 Racer Neil Midgley showing the great potential of the recordholding PUMA Supercharged Nitro Injected 4-Inline during the Finals at Santa Pod Raceway 5-8 September 2024 and became Runner-Up!



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Total Concentration from Neil to get ready for the launch during the Euro Finals 2024



Supercharged Nitro at Night! There is Nothing that beats it!



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