

Pre-War GP, Round 6 the final. Classic and Clubman - 5th December 2022.

Current results.

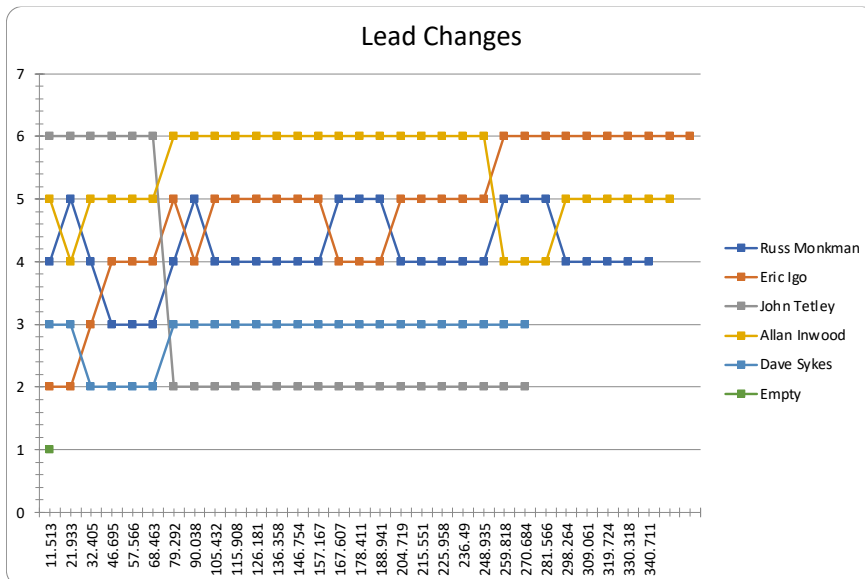
Pre War GP	Race-1	Race-2	Race-3	Race-4	Race-5	Race-6	TOTAL
Russ Monkman	10	8	8	8		10	44
Allan Inwood	-	10	10	10		8	38
John Tetley	8	7	6	7		7	35
Dave Sykes	7	6	5	5		5	28
Eric Igo	-	-	7	6		6	19
John Rees	-	5	4	4			13

The 22 season was drawing to a close, Henri Igo and Giovanni Tetley stood thick as thieves in the flat back of a flat bed truck, Henri occasionally stooped and dragged free a shard of red metal and shook his head or tutted. Giovanni shrugged as he talked through the accident in Le Mans where his Alfa was transformed to this pile of scrap, Henri could not understand why a nearly whole Giovanni stood before him casting dark glances at the Mercedes transporters.

Both Gentleman would be driving for Alfa Romeo in the coming GP, Geovanni in the 308 and Henri in the 512. The Count de Inwood and Her Monkman were back in the silver Mercedes and Sykes at the wheel of his favoured Auto Union. John Rees was missing unfortunately.

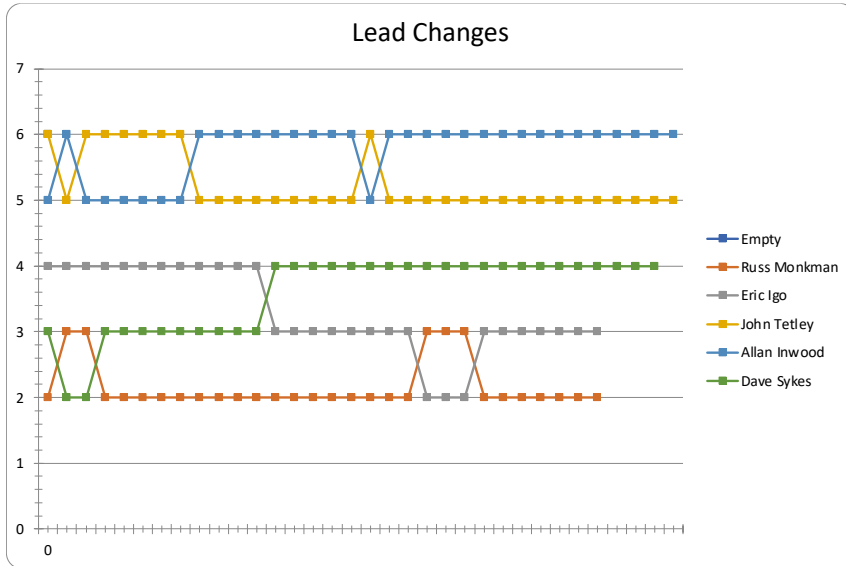
Heat one.

Giovanni took the race to Mercedes and pushed his Alfa to the front, leaving Her Monkman and The Count fighting for second. Her Monkman was struggling for grip and slipped back behind a charging Alfa of Henri. Then a major loss of control for Giovanni dropped him to the back leaving the way clear for the Count de Inwood. Henri was now locked in combat with Her Monkman's Mercedes both swapping positions. This fight saw them drag in The Count, and eventually past Henri taking the win and The Count just getting back at Her Monkman for second.



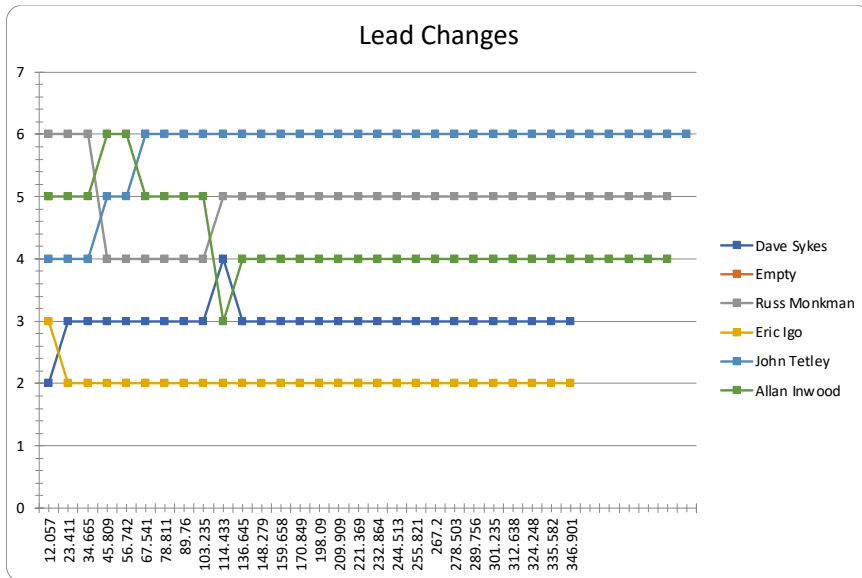
Heat Two.

At the front The Count de Inwood took on Giovanni and just pipped him for the heat. Henri was running a strong third, but lost out to Sykes who had broken free of a struggling Her Monkman with an ailing car.



Heat Three.

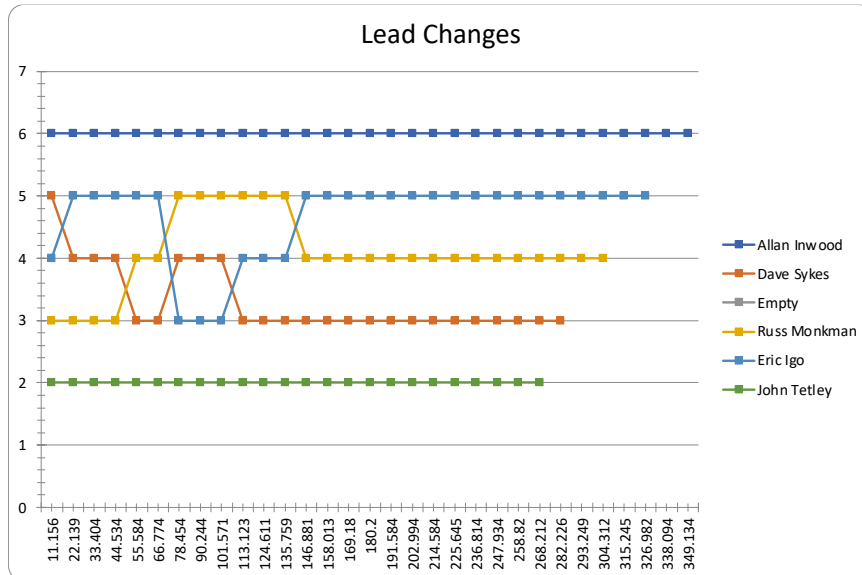
Her Monkman get away the best chased by the Count de Inwood and Giovanni Tetley, Her Monkman's car troubles kept hampering him and the positions reversed. The count fell behind Sykes as Her Monkman regrouped to hold onto second. The count held third, Sykes fourth and Henri fifth.



Heat Four.

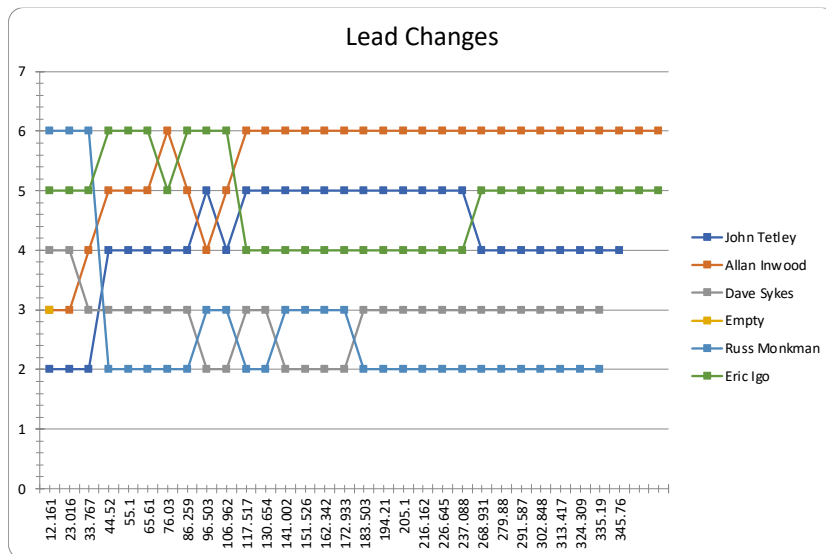
The Count de Inwood got away from the line with a strong post Tea restart.

Henri and Sykes followed him with Her Monkman coming through the field. Suddenly both Alf's pit and the team boss slaps the junior mechanic around the head. Both drivers had been equipped with the others steering wheel. Much gesticulation and the red cars were back out, Henri pushing to make up for lost time fighting his way back through to claim second from Her Monkman.



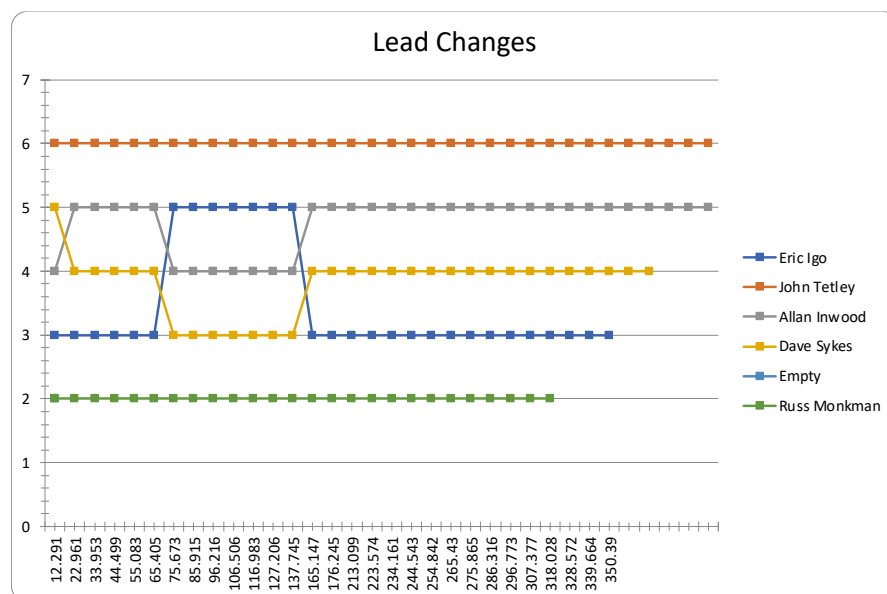
Heat Five.

Her Monkman led away followed by Henri. Sykes dropped back as first The Count and then Giovanni got past him. Similarly, a slip up for Her Monkman let Henri through. Inwood caught Henri and the pair traded places with Giovanni joining in. A little further back Her Monkman traded positions with Sykes in the ERA just piping Her Monkman at the line.



Heat Six.

Giovanni in blue led away and although chased by the Count de Inwood was uncatchable. Henri tried to wrestle second from the Mercedes, but dropped back behind Sykes to fourth. Her Monkman's night to forget, save biscuits tea and chat, continued unabated.



Race-5 – Final Round

Position	Driver	Laps	Fastest laps by Lane							
1	Allan Inwood	198.354	9.392	10.056	10.095	10.335	9.881	9.65		9.392
2	Eric Igo	183.616	10.222	10.456	10.091	10.206	10.259	10.216		10.091
3	John Tetley	182.872	10.229	10.092	9.879	10.06	9.791	10.025		9.791
4	Russ Monkman	177.904	10.177	10.231	9.659	10.177	10.194	10.303		9.659
5	Dave Sykes	173.268	10.799	11.006	10.682	10.403	10.38	10.38		10.38

Position	Driver								
1	Allan Inwood	31.84	34.67	33.144	31.746	32.855	34.1		
2	Eric Igo	32.606	30.827	28.729	29.631	32.129	29.695		
3	John Tetley	24.772	34.565	34.453	24.368	30.497	34.216		
4	Russ Monkman	30.931	30.426	33.758	27.262	29.052	26.476		
5	Dave Sykes	24.788	33.152	28.977	25.279	29.944	31.128		

Final result.

All cars running looked and felt much closer. Update class win for Russ two points in it at end.

Pre War GP	Race-1	Race-2	Race-3	Race-4	Race-5	Race-6	TOTAL
Russ Monkman	10	8	8	8	6	10	50
Allan Inwood	-	10	10	10	10	8	48
John Tetley	8	7	6	7	7	7	42
Dave Sykes	7	6	5	5	5	5	33
Eric Igo	-	-	7	6	8	6	27
John Rees	-	5	4	4			13