

STAGE FLASH

Date: 28/4/12

Day: 2

Special Stage: SS5 Bewshaugh 2 (8.12km)

4. Jarkko Nikara / Petri Nikara (Citroen DS3)

The car feels much better, we made lots of changes but Keith is on a charge.

5. Elfyn Evans / Andrew Edwards (Ford Fiesta R2)

Much better, a cleaner run than first. We made no changes in service

1. Keith Cronin / Marshall Clarke (Citroen DS3 R3T)

A puncture two miles from the end. We didn't lose too much time.

12. Alastair Fisher / Daniel Barritt (Ford Fiesta R2)

The brakes seized up in there. They have freed up again now, we will just have to see how we go.

2. Mark Donnelly / Dai Roberts (Renault Clio R3)

I know I keep going on about it, but I'm still picking up confidence! Our aim is to be on the pace later in the day.

11. Jussi Kumpumaki / Marko Salminen (Ford Fiesta R2)

Happy, that felt ok.

9. Jukka Korhonen / Mikael Korhonen (Skoda Fabia R2)

We had two big moments but it's all fun. On a compromised setup now, it's going ok.

14. Peter Taylor / Andrew Roughead (Renault Clio R3T)

Much better than first time around, I can hear the navigator now!

3. Tom Cave / Craig Parry (Citroen DS3)

Much happier, times are improving and getting back on the pace.

8. Jonathan Greer / Gordon Noble (Citroen DS3 R3T)

We made loads of changes to the car in service. They took a mile or two to get used to , but it's for the better.

22. Niko-Pekka Nieminen / Pasi Haataja (Ford Fiesta R2)

Much better than first run

28. Steve Rokland / Kim Hjalmsen (Ford Fiesta)

Much better than before

24. Ruary MacLeod / Paul Beaton (Ford Fiesta R2)

Clean and tidy compared to last run.

20. Gethin Jones / Kevin Devine (Ford Fiesta ST)

Softer tyres on the front. I'm not too sure if it was the right choice. We're starting to pick up a vibration.

6. Desi Henry / Niall Burns (Citroen DS3 R3T)

Good time in there, was ok, car going well.

26. Matt Cotton / Glyn Thomas (Ford Fiesta ST)

Cleaner than first run, better grip in there now.

27. Garry Pearson / Craig Wallace (Renault Twingo R1)

Good clean run, steady.

29. Arron Newby / Julian Wilkinson (Skoda Fabia R2)

Much happier than previous run, really happy with the setup on the car.

23. Chris Ingram / Joe Cruttenden (Renault Twingo R2)

I thought I had a puncture, it felt really loose on the back.

15. James Grint / Phil Clarke (Citroen DS3 R3T)

No moments in there which is an improvement. A faster time than first run.

18. Alex Parpottas / Chris Davies (Ford Fiesta R2)

[reported to be off in ditch and not restarting]