

STAGE FLASH

Date: 5/4/13
Day: 1
Special Stage: SS6 The Shanks 2 (6.29km)

51. Richard Sykes / Simon Taylor (Citroen C2R2 Max)
Absolutely brilliant! Changed the throttle body on the way back to service. What a difference, we were 20 seconds faster that run through!
66. John Byrnes / TBA (Honda Civic)
We broke an exhaust in there. It's noisy but we had a clean run!
60. Aaron McClure / Tom Woodburn (Ford Fiesta ST)
That was brilliant and different. The first time on the BRC challenge and we finished. We pushed this afternoon as we lost a lot of time this morning.
63. Michael Threlfall / Rob Harrison (Renault Clio 172)
Woah! We finished. We softened the suspension and it settled down a lot. 20 seconds faster that time around, fantastic event!
61. Meirion Evans / Paul Wakely (Ford Fiesta ST)
That was better, we are 7 seconds faster. The first two of the loop were better stages but we enjoyed it.
54. Steven Smith / Daniel Johnstone (Peugeot 206 RC)
We had a puncture on the second to last stage so we were just trying to keep it on the road. Glad to finish.
64. Chris Wheeler / Yan Griffiths (Ford Fiesta MS1)
The car behaved itself all day. Glad to get to the end, bring on the next round.
52. Russ Thompson / Andy Murphy (Renault Clio)
Hopefully we're the winners.
56. Gareth White / Mike Dickson (Citroen C2 R2 Max)
Jamming in third gear, problems all day. We'll try again on the Jim Clark.
55. Luke Pinder / Martyn Taylor (Ford Fiesta ST)
We had a puncture on SS5 and had to change it. We just drove this stage.
67. Gary Wright / Ross Hynd (MG ZR)
We lost a wheel on SS5. Thirty big lads helped put the car back on the road. We've just driven the last stage but I think we're the first 1300. We owe the lads gallons of beer!

