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Event: Total Quartz 200
Series: NASCAR Pinty's Series
Location: Canadian Tire Motorsport Park
Format: 200 miles in 51 laps
Team: Go FAS Racing

ALEX LABBE CLINCHED THE BEST ASCENT DURING THE TOTAL QUARTZ 200

Bowmanville (Ontario, Canada) September 4, 2017 – The NASCAR Pinty's 2017 series raced the Total Quartz 200 at the Canadian Tire Motorsport Park on Sunday morning. A rough day for the man behind the wheel of the No. 32 Ford Can-Am/Kappa who started 24th and remarkably grabbed a 6th place finish to maintain his lead in the NASCAR Pinty's championship standing with 26 points.

Fighting adversity over the weekend was quite challenging, but the Go FAS Racing team overcame it all. Crew members changed an engine in only 1 hour, and 30 minutes after it blew up in practice and got the No. 32 Can-Am Ford ready for qualifying. Coming to the last turn of his qualifying run, Alex reported a broken transmission preventing him from completing his lap placing him 24th on the starting grid.

Back to the garage, the team changed the transmission and got the No. 32 car ready for the early race on Sunday morning. Waking up to a foggy and rainy day, drivers were served with wet and dry conditions on track to race 51 laps under a green flag. Labbé drove his way to P6 and fewer than 4 laps, but couldn't raise higher as speed was missing.

"It's not the finish we were looking for," says Alex. "We had issues with our speed on road courses all year and we really wanted to improve. Although, bad luck had us spending our precious time replacing the engine and fixing other parts. Despite this disappointment, I am really thankful for the hard work done this weekend and I am really looking forward to the two races left."

Moving on to Next Race

The team supported by BRP (recreational products from Bombardier) will be heading to Autodrome St-Eustache where they tested two cars 3 weeks ago. As the results of these tests were inconclusively good, Alex Labbé is thrilled about the race that will be held on Saturday night. Hopefully, he will defend his undefeated track record time from 2014.

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