

# Scott heads race for title

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lead. Then, on lap sixteen in a breath taking manoeuvre, running side by side down the Craner Curves, Mansell outraked Zwart into the old hairpin and the lead was his.

Scott added: "After following him for 12 or so laps I realised I could only overtake in one place.

"It is one of the hardest places to overtake, coming down the Craner Curves, a series of high-G 180 mph corners.

"Two laps before the end I got a good run coming out of Redgate and lined him up. I darted to the right just before the old hairpin, having to take a small amount of grass on the inside and only just about slipped through.

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■ Mansell mania ... Clifton Campville racer Scott Mansell leads title rival Klaas Zwart en route to second place in the EuroBOSS race at Donington Park on Sunday. Picture by Jakob Ebrey

Later in the lap, Zwart, having greater traction from copping onto the back straight managed to get along side the teenager before Goddards, forcing Mansell wide onto the marbles and into a half spin onto the grass.

The teenager cleverly kept his engine running, rejoined the race and still

managed to finish second behind the much-improved Zwart.

Scott said: "Coming on to the back straight Zwarts car had much more traction than mine, and as we entered the following chicane he came up the inside of me, forcing me on the grit and old rubber at the side of the circuit.

"Having less grip now, the car over steered and I could not keep hold of it.

"I spun, but I managed to carry on and finish second in the race."

With two rounds remaining at Brands Hatch and Le Mans, Scott Mansell leads the EuroBOSS championship from Klaas Zwart by seventeen points.