



### MEDIA ZONE GAP : WRC2-WRC3 - END DAY 3

Date :	27.01.2024		
Day :	3	Flash N° :	24

#### 20. ROSSEL-DUNAND

« The second loop went well and it was maximum attack this afternoon. We'll see tomorrow, but it's a great battle. »

#### 21. GRYAZIN-ALEKSANDROV

« The fight is going well. We lost a lot of time in the first stage of the afternoon. I was not risking on the cuts but Pepe (Lopez) made a big push and it was worth it. The cuts were really dangerous, so he could have got a puncture. In the second and third stages, we tried something on the car and we improved. We are still in the fight and tomorrow should be fun. »

#### 23. PAJARI-MÄLKÖNEN

« Tricky loop, a lot of mud on the second stage and in the last one it was starting to get quite cold and humid, so we had low grip. Somehow, the driving is quite okay but we are not taking any risk. We are not scoring the points anyway so I'm just trying to take all the positive there is to take to be ready for the future. »

#### 24. CIAMIN-ROCHE

« We increased the gap on our direct rival. It wasn't easy. The first one was drier but the other two were more complicated. It wasn't very pleasant, but we're here. »

#### 25. LÓPEZ-VÁZQUEZ

« We battled with Nikolay (Gryazin) and Yohan (Rossel). The rally is still open for tomorrow so, we will try our best to get the win. »

#### 27. LEFEBVRE-MALFOY

« Better than this morning, the drier conditions suit the car better so we're more confident with it. We're still missing a few things to be as quick as we'd like. We are going in the right direction, so it's positive. »



### **28. BOUFFIER-VAUCLARE**

« The second loop was good. We set some good times and were able to push a bit more. The second stage wasn't far from home so there were a few friends in the crowd. We tried to put a bit more throttle on to make sure they wouldn't make fun of us in the coming weeks. »

### **29. SOLANS-SANJUAN**

« We had a puncture in the last stage, we are still learning on this new car. »

### **30. MAURO-PÉREZ**

« So hard, I'm so tired. The conditions are so difficult for me even though it's my fifth time here. We are surviving and our objective is to finish the rally. We are currently P9 in WRC2, which is OK. »

### **32. MIELE-BELTRAME**

« That was a long day but everything went well. We are happy with our position in the standings. We could be a bit faster but our pace is OK. »

### **35. BURRI-LEVRATTI**

« It was just as slippery as the first loop. Nothing in particular to say, I had to be cautious because it was very tricky. A complicated rally, it's a true Monte Carlo with lots of people on the side of the road. »

### **37. LAURENCICH-MLAKAR**

« It was OK, we had a good pace. We could catch up a bit with the crews ahead of us. »

### **39. BOLAND-MJ**

« No problem. The rhythm was better. The last one was a bit greasy but only for about 5km. We had the good tyres one. »

### **40. SERDERIDIS-MICLOTTE**

« We made good progress in the dirty part of the second stage, but it was dark on the last one and it was difficult for me, especially in the fast sections. We saved what could be saved. »

### **41. MORATO-BOSI**

« I'm here to have fun, I turned 61 and we are celebrating our 32<sup>nd</sup> wedding anniversary with my wife. Sorry to her for being away every year on this date. The day was beautiful, the rally is amazing and the organisation is superb. »



#### **43. CHIARANI-ZANELLA**

« We broke a wheel rim and the hand brake from the inside of the car, so it was not so easy in the hairpins. We will try to repair for tomorrow to start the day in good conditions. »

#### **44. MARCHINO-OMETTO**

« It was better than this morning. I'm doing my best but it's our first rally with this car. »

#### **45. VOSSEN-VISSENBERG**

« The afternoon loop was very good, we tried to push. I'm happy. »

#### **47. ROSSI-SARMEZAN**

« It's getting better and more enjoyable. The car is softer so we are performing better. We can still do better. »