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EV Racing win FIA 2 Wheel Drive Trophy

EV Racing has won the 2 Wheel Drive Class of the FIA Cross Country Rally World Cup. Their Chevrolet Trophy Truck, fitted with TOYO TIRES 37 x 13.5 R 17 Open Country M/T-R finished 6th overall in the Pharaons Rally, earning them both driver and manufacturers World titles.

Schlesser was the only competitor in the Pharaons rally who could have taken the 2 wheel trophy away from EV Racing and as such, was pushing hard from the start. However, Eric Vigouroux came into the rally with a higher points tally meaning a win would not be enough for Schlesser. EV Racing also had to finish lower than third place in the 2 Wheel drive class for Schlesser to take the title.

At the end of the rally, Pharaons race winner, Jean Louis Schlesser was the only 2 wheel drive car ahead of EV Racing, giving Vigouroux and co driver Alex Winocq second place in the 2 wheel drive class and the World title.

Their World title comes in addition to their victory in the 24h Tout Terrain of Morocco earlier this year. A spectacular final year for their trophy truck. Next year, a new car is planned with the objective of winning the overall FIA World Cup even though the new car will remain 2 wheel drive. Ambitious further plans are also being made for the 2012 Dakar.



【Profile of EV Racing 】

Established : 2010

Vehicle : Chevrolet Trophy Truck

Engine: GM Factory 7 litter V8

Tires: 37 x 13.5 R 17 or 37 x 14.5 R 15 Open country M/T-R

【Driver】

Driver: Eric Vigouroux

Team principal Vigouroux is French. He is 45 years old, married with two daughters and lives in San Francisco.

【Co-driver】

Co-driver: Alexandre Winocq

Alex is 38 years old, married with two children and lives in France. his association with Eric began in the 1980s when he was the cheif mechanic for Eric's quad bike racing team

EV Racing have two regular mechancs who join third at the rally and a third on standby. Three further staff assist with the admin, PR and translation of press release which are sent daily during races.

【Workshop】

Brie Comte Robert in France.

