△ SPORTS: Karter, 18, taking European tour

# Vincec switches teams, continents

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Mike Vincec is planning to spend a good portion of his summer in Europe.

While the 18-year-old Stouffville resident will do some sightseeing, his primary purpose in going overseas is to work for the Pserra Racing/Birel team.

While Vincec enjoyed plenty of success last year in racing with the Cameron Motorsports team by winning the Stars of Karting Inter Continental C national championship, Vincec had always expressed an interest in competing overseas.

The Pserra Racing/Birel team provided him with the opportunity.

In leaving the Cameron Motorsports team, Vincec was quick to thank them as he raced for them since 2005.

"We thought a long time about the decision to focus on doing more racing in Europe," Vincec said in a news release, "and part of that process included the tough decision to switch teams. We started racing with Cameron Motorsports in 2005 and over the years have had tremendous success which included the opportunity to race with the CRG factory team in the European Karting Championship in 2008.

"Since then however, the focus for the team, the manufacturer and the focus on karting in North America has changed. For us to continue racing in Europe we needed to work with a team committed to that market as well as North America."

Peter Serravalle, Pserra Racing/Birel team principal owner, was glad to have

Vincec join their group.

"We are extremely excited to have Mike come on board with us. He is one the most talented drivers out there right now and having him part of our growing national team will once again bring Birel to the forefront on the North American market," Serravalle said.

Over four years with Hamilton-based Cameron Motorsports, Vincec recorded multiple podiums, race wins and overall championships in the World Karting Association, the Sunoco Ron Fellows Karting Championship, the SKUSA SuperNationals and the Snap-On Stars of Karting series.

In 2006 he was crowned the Canadian National Champion in ICC and selected as the Stars of Karting's ICC Rookie of the Year. His continued success through 2007 earned him a scholarship for the Skip Barber Southern Regional Series in formula cars.

In 2008, Vincec won the East and West division ICC titles in the Stars of Karting Series and capped the year by capturing the national title as well. With that came another scholarship to race formula cars in the Skip Barber National Race Series. He was selected as the Ekartingnews.com 2008 Driver of The Year and most recently voted the Canadian Karter of The Year in the Inside Track News Readers' poll.

"That is a lot to accomplish in four short years," Vincec said, "and I owe that success to the incredible support and effort put in by everyone at Cameron Motorsports, especially Bob (Cameron) and Danielle (Duffy)."

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Under 10 Boys

Pizza Nova 8 (Justin Day 7, Marco Perruzza) vs. Rotary Club of Stouffville 6 (Cole Sipidias 3, Denzel Benedict 2, Luke Spagnuolo); Schell Building Centre 4 (Ryan Sheardown 4, Maxim Mellioukh) vs. Stouffville Fish and Chips 3 (Jacob DeRoo, Michael Campanale-Freitas, Sam Bettencourt); Toshiba 6 (Nathan Hamilton 3, Aidan Aird 2, Ben Raymo) vs. Richardson Masonic Lodge 3 (Justin Bohemier, Riley Cusack, Nicholas Murray); Sutton Group 6 (Luca Mortillaro 3, David Risi 2, Craig Oldham) vs. Four Seasons Tree Care 5 (Brandon Moyer 4, Matthew Particka).

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Under 12 Girls

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