



EMTEK KAWASAKI RACE REPORT

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THE SHEZ SHOW SHINES AT PHAKISA 2009 SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL SUPERSPORT CHAMPION

Sheridan Morais, who is currently the 2008 SA National Superbike Champion has successfully wrapped up the SA National Supersport Championship for 2009.

This was achieved in Race 1 at Phakisa and it has to be mentioned that it was achieved under difficult conditions. Not only was the track in a bad state of decay at turn 3 but Sheridan was never afforded any rest between the two classes he is contesting simultaneously.

And to really drive the achievement home Sheridan has broken a [World Record](#) at the same time on a very limited budget.

Sheridan has successfully won 13 races from 13 starts (in a National Series) to break the World Record which was previously held by an American in the AMA Supersport Championship.

Unfortunately Race 2 saw a determined Quarmby on a Yamaha R6 finally break the unbeaten run of Shez due to the fact that he had brand new tyres on as a result of a crash in Heat 1. Never the less Sheridan has still achieved what most people dream about – a World Record as well as the Championship.

On a side note Sheridan has contested a number of International events including the World Superbike round held here at Kyalami.



They are the following:

- SA National Superbike Championship (Kawasaki ZX10) – leading
- SA National Supersport Championship (Kawasaki ZX6) - won championship with two rounds still remaining
- World SBK Kyalami (Kawasaki ZX10) – 13th and 11th
- World Supersport Brno (Yamaha R6) – 6th
- British Superbike Brands Hatch (Kawasaki ZX10) - 10th and 8th

The interesting point is that Shez has now competed in **four** different major International Championships and has scored points in all series and is still not last on the points table.

We wish Sheridan all the very best for attaining these achievements and we now all wait for the closing of the Superbike Championship as this is a lot more closely contested.



Shez trying in vain to keep the front end down on the powerful ZX10R

Sheridan wishes to thank the efforts of the members of the Team including Ricky Morais (father, mentor and team technician), Ryan August, Adeleine Kritzingler, Gilbert and Andy Parsons, Bradley, Kyle and Justin. Further thanks go out to his mom Michelle.

Finally Sheridan would also like to send a **HUGE THANK YOU** to the Teams **sponsors** without whom none of this would have been possible.

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Shez showing what a 600cc Kawasaki can do if you know how!!!

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