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### Another podium weekend for Monster Energy/Alpinestars/Piller's/Kawasaki

Shawn Maffenbeier and Tyler Medaglia deftly put Team Monster Energy Alpinestars Piller's Kawasaki on the podium at Round 4 of the MRC Triple Crown Series in Sarnia, ON, which was held this past Saturday at the Progressive Auto Center arena.

Maffenbeier was once again at the top of his game, hammering down his third consecutive first place main event finish in 250 Pro while Medaglia – equally podium consistent – recorded a third place in the 450 Pro division.

In his heat race, Maffenbeier – like he would prove to be in the main event – was the man to beat aboard the potent Kawasaki KX250F. Nobody was up to the task, however, and the Saskatchewan native convincingly snared first place at the checkered flag, winning by a country mile. This put him in the Clash for Cash, but with an eighth place finish he did not pick up any extra points. Considering Maff's considerable points advantage over second place in the championship, it was not too big of a deal. In the main, Maffenbeier basically ran his own race to cruise to the top slot on the box. He was joined on the podium by Marco Cannella in second place and Tanner Ward in third.

Looking to get comfortable in his 450 heat race, Medaglia struggled a bit with the track. He still finished in third, however, after making an error in the whoops while running in second place. Unfortunately, Medaglia failed to qualify for the Clash, which cost him some potential points. In the main, Medaglia poured on the gas to take his KX450F to a solid third place behind second place Matt Goerke and winner Cole Thompson, who proved untouchable at his home race.



“The entire team is really proud of both Shawn and Tyler. They are showing in this series that they are forces to be reckoned with. The results they’ve been getting speaks volumes for their effort and the Kawasaki KX250F and 450F bikes,” team manager Adam “Stu” Robinson said.

The MRC Triple Crown Series wraps up this weekend with Rounds 5 & 6 of the AX Tour at the Molson Center arena in Barrie, ON April 13/14.

### Rd 1 – 250 Arenacross Results

**1. Shawn Maffenbeier (Kaw)**

2. Marco Canella (Yam)
3. Tanner Ward (KTM)
4. Michael Fowler (Yam)
5. Ryan Lockhart (Kaw)
6. Jason Benny (Kaw)
7. Travis Roberts (KTM)
8. Drew Roberts (KTM)
9. Dario Zecca (Hon)
10. Duncan McLeod (KTM)



### Rd 4 – 450 Arenacross Results

1. Cole Thompson (KTM)
2. Matt Goerke (Yam)
- 3. Tyler Medaglia (Kaw)**
4. Carson Brown (Hon)
5. Keylan Meston (Husq)
6. Colton Facciotti (Hon)
7. Dillan Epstein (Yam)
8. Steve Mages (Kaw)
9. Zack Zager (Yam)
10. Davey Fraser (Husq)



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