

LE MANS 2024

Jeremy Braithwaite





LA CHARTRE SUR LE LOIR



- John Wyer adopted the Hotel de France in 1953 with the cars being fettled there and then run on the open road to the circuit
- The Pasteau family owned the hotel for 4 generations and they would also cater for the Aston Martin team at the circuit
- The hotel has been visited by the Who's Who of motor sport with people like Phil Hill, Carroll Shelby, Paul Frere, Bruce McLaren, Graham Hill, Stirling Moss, Jackie Stewart, Jacques Lafitte, Mario Andretti and many more staying there
- The Hotel has become a magnet for enthusiasts, and it is rare to not see interesting cars in the car park in front of the hotel

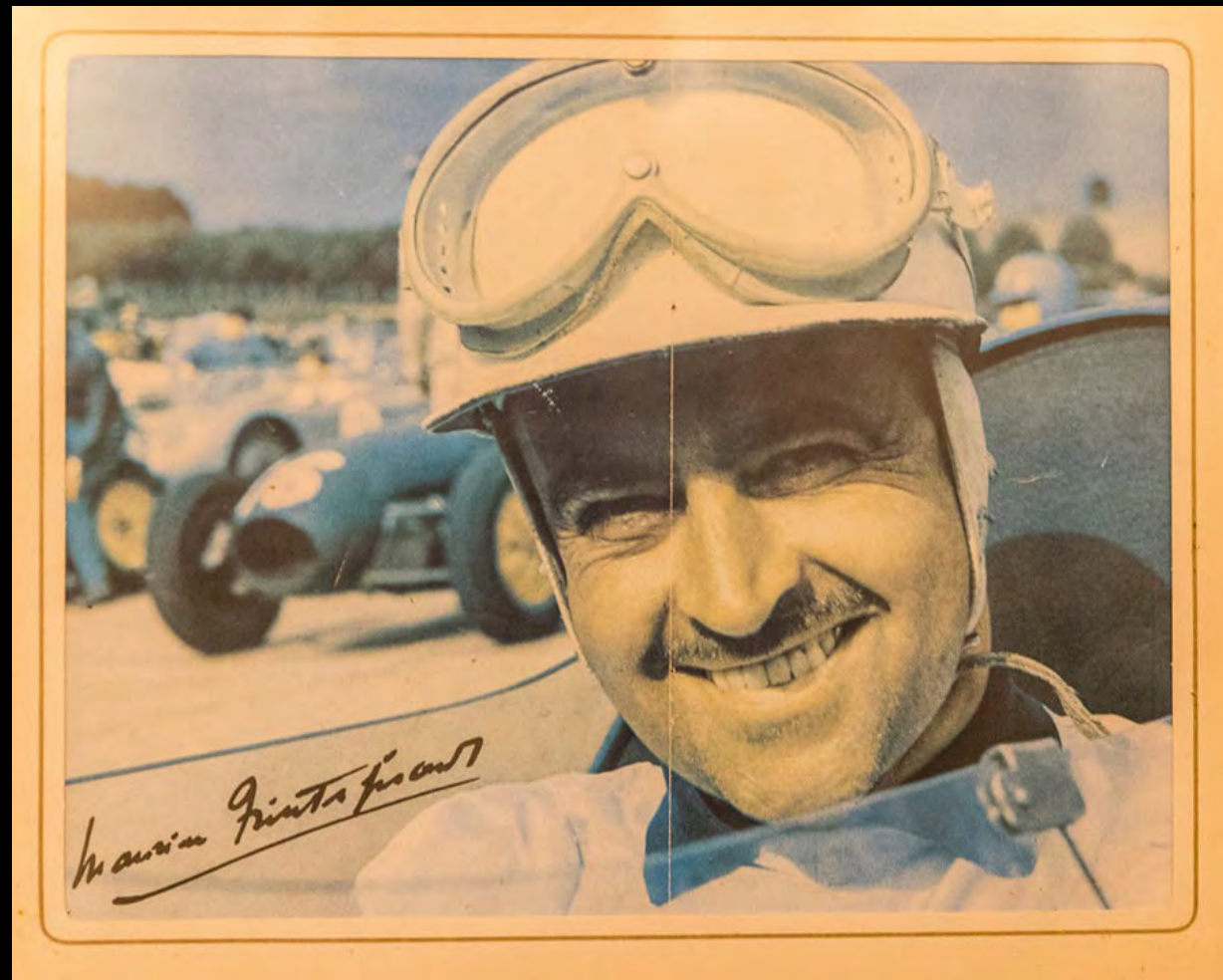




HOTEL DE FRANCE MEMORABILIA



- Luckily our friends John & Helen Young own a house just up the road ... our pied a terre for Le Mans week
- The hotel contains a huge amount of memorabilia:
<https://jbraithwaite.smugmug.com/Europe/France/Pays-de-la-Loire/Hotel-de-France>





BENJAFIELD RACING CLUB VISIT 2023



- Visit to celebrate the Le Mans Centenary
- Martin Overington owns the hotel and a vintage Bentley which he used to tow his Porsche 962
- John Young Photos





THE CAR PARK IN 2024

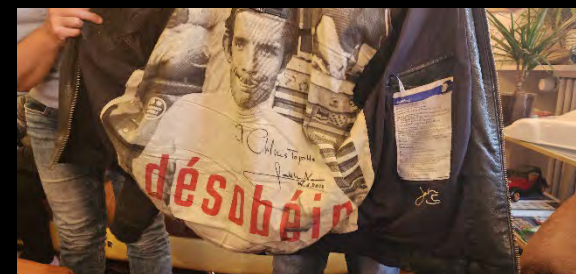




JACKY ICKX



- Spent around 20 minutes chatting with Jacky Ickx
- Won Le Mans 6 times
- 8 wins and 25 podiums in F1, runner up in 1969 and 1970
- Won the 1979 Can-Am Championship
- Won the Paris Dakar in 1983
- Won Bathurst with Allan Moffat in 1977
 - Asked after him





DEREK BELL



- Stayed at the Hotel de France
- McLaren video featuring Derek & Justin Bell and the new Artura
- Overtook us on the way home on Wednesday evening
 - Its quick!





LE MANS WEEK IN LA CHARTRE



- The whole town gets behind the race
- Displays from some of the shops





LE MANS ENTRIES



- 23 x Hypercar
 - Rapidly expanding premier category has revitalised LE Mans and WEC
 - Factory entries from Ferrari, Porsche, Cadillac, Alpine, Lamborghini, Toyota, Peugeot, BMW and Isotta Fraschini
- 16 x LMP2
 - All Oreca chassis with 4 litre Gibson V8s
- 23 x LMGT3
 - Entries include Ford Mustang, Aston Martin Vantage, BMW M4, Ferrari 296, McLaren 720S, Lamborghini Huracan, Lexus RC F, Chevrolet Corvette Z06, and Porsche 911





WHAT IS A HYPERCAR?

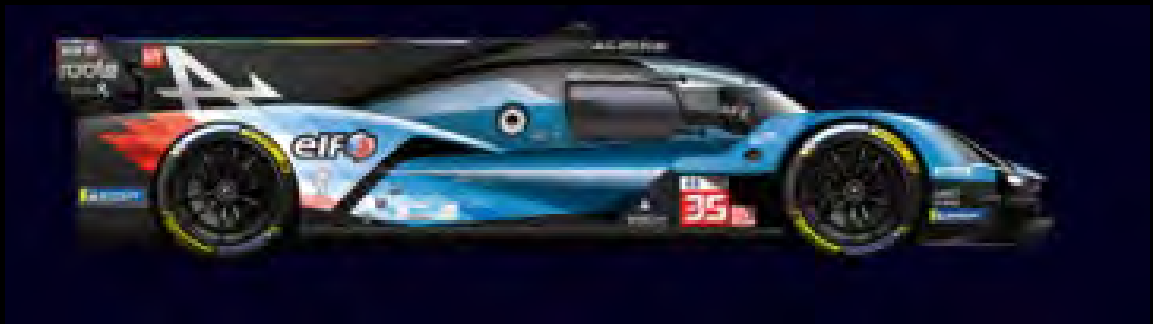


- Le Mans Hypercar: LMH
 - WEC only
 - 500kW ICE
 - Hybrid system can deliver up to 200kW but cannot be utilised under a certain speed
 - Total power 520kW
 - 1030 KG
 - 20 road going examples
 - Ferrari, Toyota, Isotta Fraschini
- Le Mans Daytona h: LMDh
 - WEC and IMSA
 - 470kW ICE – free choice of config
 - Bosch/Williams/Xtrac hybrid system delivers 50kw
 - Total power 520kW
 - 1030 kG
 - Based on approved chassis by Dallara, Oreca, Multimac or Ligier
 - Alpine, BMW, Cadillac, Lamborghini, Porsche

ACO/WEC BALANCE OF PERFORMANCE BALANCES THE FIELD AND HELPS GUARANTEE CLOSE RACING



HYPERCAR TEAM: ALPINE A424



ALPINE ENDURANCE TEAM

<p>PAUL-LOUP CHATIN FRA</p> <p>Twitter Facebook Instagram</p>	<p>FERDINAND HABSURG-LOTHRINGEN AUT</p> <p>Twitter Facebook Instagram</p>	<p>CHARLES MILESI FRA</p> <p>Twitter Facebook Instagram</p>
<p>NICHOLAS STONE FRA</p> <p>Twitter Facebook Website</p>	<p>MICK SCHUMACHER DEU</p> <p>Twitter Facebook Website</p>	<p>MATTHEW VAXIVIERE FRA</p> <p>Twitter Website</p>





HYPERCAR TEAM: BMW M HYBRID V8



BMW M TEAM WRT

**DRIES
VANTHOOR**
BEL BEAUTIFUL

**RAFFAELE
MARCIELLO**
SWE CHE

**MARCO
WITTMANN**
GER DEU

**SHELDON
VAN DER LINDE**
RSA ZAF

**ROBIN
FRIJNS**
NLD

**REIN
RAST**
GER DEU





HYPERCAR TEAM: CADILLAC V SERIES.R



CADILLAC RACING

EARL BAMBER
NZL

ALEX LYNN
GBR

ALEX PALOU
ESP

SEBASTIAN BOURDAIS
FRA

RENGER VAN DER ZANDE
NLD

SCOTT DIXON
NZL



WHELEN CADILLAC RACING

LUIS FELIPE DERANI
BRA

JACK AITKEN
GBR

PHILIP DRUGOVICH
BRA





HYPERCAR TEAM: FERRARI



FERRARI AF CORSE

<p>ANTONIO FIRE ITA</p>	<p>MIGUEL MOLINA ESP</p>	<p>NICKLAS NIELSEN DNK</p>
	<p>Twitter Facebook Instagram</p>	<p>Facebook Instagram</p>
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AF CORSE

<p>ROBERT KUBICA POL</p>	<p>ROBERT SHWARTZMAN ISR</p>	<p>YIFEI YES CHN</p>
<p>Twitter</p>		





HYPERCAR TEAM: ISOTTA FRASCHINI TIP06-C




ISOTTA FRASCHINI



CARL WATTANA
BENNETT

 THA



JEAN-KARL
VERNAY

 FRA

ANTONIO
SERRAVALLE

 CAN







HYPERCAR TEAM: LAMBORGHINI SC63



LAMBORGHINI IRON LYNX



**ROMAN
GROSJEAN**
FRA

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CALDARELLI**
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**MATTEO
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ITA

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BORTOLOTTI**
ITA

**DANIIL
KVYAT**



















**EDDOARDO
MORTARA**
ITA



HYPERCAR TEAM: PEUGEOT 9X8



PEUGEOT TOTAL ENERGIES

JEAN-ERIC VERGNE FRA   	MIKKEL JENSEN DNK   	NICO MULLER CHE   
CLOTH VANDORNE BEAUTIFUL   	PAUL FROM THE REST GBR  	LOIC DUVAL FRA    



Paul di Resta



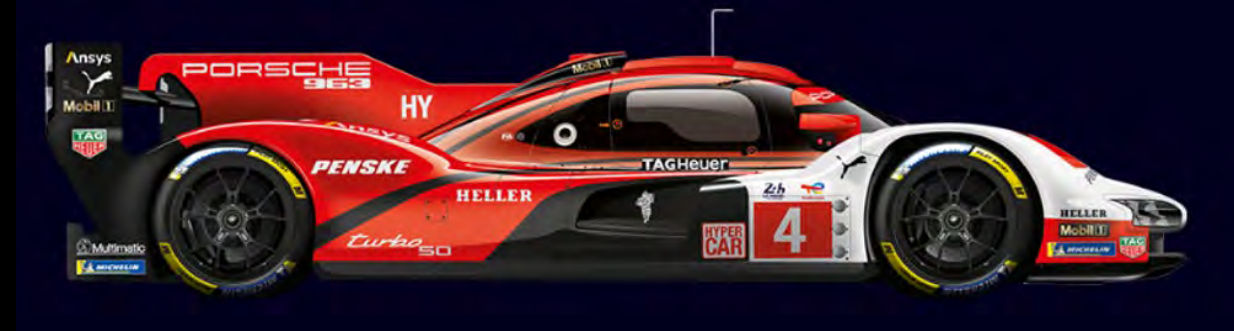


HYPERCAR TEAM: PORSCHE 963



PORSCHE PENSKE MOTORSPORT

MATTHEW JAMINET FRA	PHILIP NASR BRA	NICK TANDY GBR
MATT CAMPBELL AUS	MICHAEL CHRISTENSEN DNK	FREDERIC MAKOWIECKI FRA
KEVIN TO BE FRA	ANDRE LOTTERER DEU	LAURENS VANTHOOR BELGIAN BEAUTIFUL





HYPERCAR TEAM: PORSCHE 963



PROTON COMPETITION

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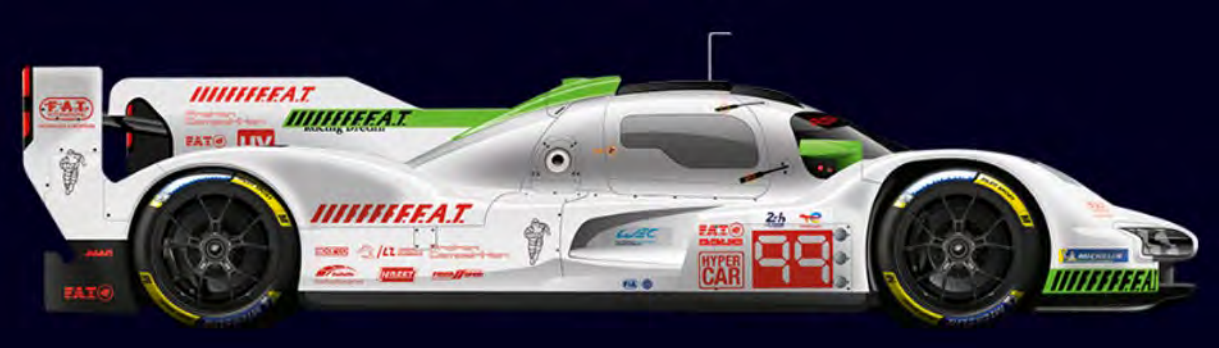
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HYPERCAR TEAM: TOYOTA GR010 - HYBRID

TOYOTA GAZOO RACING

**SEBASTIAN
BUEMI**
CHE

**BRENDON
HARTLEY**
NZL

**RYO
HIRAKAWA**
JPN

**JOSE MARIA
LOPEZ**
ARG

**KAMUI
KOBAYASHI**
JPN

**NYCK
DE VRIES**
NLD





ENTRIES BASED ON WEC + IMSA



No. ⚡	Entrant ⚡	Car ⚡	Tyre ⚡	Series ⚡	MISC ⚡	Driver 1 ⚡	Driver 2 ⚡	Driver 3 ⚡
Hypercar (23 entries)								
2	Cadillac Racing	Cadillac V-Series.R			Hybrid	Earl Bamber	Alex Lynn	Álex Palou
3	Cadillac Racing	Cadillac V-Series.R			Hybrid	Sébastien Bourdais	Scott Dixon	Renger van der Zande
4	Porsche Penske Motorsport	Porsche 963			Hybrid	Mathieu Jaminet	Felipe Nasr ^[10]	Nick Tandy ^[10]
5	Porsche Penske Motorsport	Porsche 963			Hybrid	Matt Campbell	Michael Christensen	Frédéric Makowiecki
6	Porsche Penske Motorsport	Porsche 963			Hybrid	Kévin Estre	André Lotterer	Laurens Vanthoor
7	Toyota Gazoo Racing	Toyota GR010 Hybrid			Hybrid	Kamui Kobayashi	José María López ^[11]	Nyck de Vries
8	Toyota Gazoo Racing	Toyota GR010 Hybrid			Hybrid	Sébastien Buemi	Brendon Hartley	Ryō Hirakawa
11	Isotta Fraschini	Isotta Fraschini Tipo 6-C			Hybrid	Carl Bennett	Antonio Serravalle	Jean-Karl Vernay
12	Hertz Team Jota	Porsche 963			Hybrid	Callum Hogg	Norman Nato	Will Stevens
15	BMW M Team WRT	BMW M Hybrid V8			Hybrid	Raffaele Marciello	Dries Vanthoor	Marco Wittmann
19	Lamborghini Iron Lynx	Lamborghini SC63			Hybrid	Matteo Cairoli	Andrea Caldarelli	Romain Grosjean
20	BMW M Team WRT	BMW M Hybrid V8			Hybrid	Robin Frijns	René Rast	Sheldon van der Linde
35	Alpine Endurance Team	Alpine A424			Hybrid	Paul-Loup Chatin	Ferdinand Habsburg	Charles Milesi
36	Alpine Endurance Team	Alpine A424			Hybrid	Nicolas Lapierre	Mick Schumacher	Matthieu Vaxivière
38	Hertz Team Jota	Porsche 963			Hybrid	Jenson Button	Phil Hanson	Oliver Rasmussen
50	Ferrari AF Corse	Ferrari 499P			Hybrid	Antonio Fuoco	Miguel Molina	Nicklas Nielsen
51	Ferrari AF Corse	Ferrari 499P			Hybrid	James Calado	Antonio Giovinazzi	Alessandro Pier Guidi
63	Lamborghini Iron Lynx	Lamborghini SC63			Hybrid	Mirko Bortolotti	Daniil Kvyat ^[N 1]	Edoardo Mortara
83	AF Corse	Ferrari 499P			Hybrid	Robert Kubica	Robert Schwartzman	Yifei Ye
93	Peugeot TotalEnergies	Peugeot 9X8 ^[12]			Hybrid	Mikkel Jensen ^[13]	Nico Müller ^[13]	Jean-Éric Vergne
94	Peugeot TotalEnergies	Peugeot 9X8 ^[12]			Hybrid	Paul di Resta ^[13]	Loïc Duval ^[13]	Stoffel Vandoorne
99	Proton Competition	Porsche 963			Hybrid	Julien Andlauer	Neel Jani	Harry Tincknell
311	Whelen Cadillac Racing	Cadillac V-Series.R			Hybrid	Jack Aitken	Pipo Derani	Felipe Drugovich ^[14]

WTSC = IMSA
TYRES = MICHELIN



LMP2 ENTITIES

LMP2 (16 entries)								
9	Proton Competition	Oreca 07-Gibson				Macéo Capietto ^[15]	Jonas Ried ^[15]	Bent Viscaal ^[15]
10	Vector Sport	Oreca 07-Gibson				Ryan Cullen	Patrick Pilet ^[16]	Stéphane Richelmi
14	AO by TF	Oreca 07-Gibson				Louis Delétraz	P. J. Hyett	Alex Quinn ^[17]
22	United Autosports	Oreca 07-Gibson				Bijoy Garg ^[18]	Oliver Jarvis ^[18]	Nolan Siegel ^[18]
23	United Autosports USA	Oreca 07-Gibson				Filipe Albuquerque ^[19]	Ben Hanley ^[19]	Ben Keating ^[19]
24	Nielsen Racing	Oreca 07-Gibson				David Heinemeier Hansson ^[20]	Fabio Scherer ^[15]	Kyffin Simpson ^[15]
25	Algarve Pro Racing	Oreca 07-Gibson				Olli Caldwell	Roman De Angelis ^[21]	Matthias Kaiser
28	IDEC Sport	Oreca 07-Gibson				Reshad de Gerus	Paul Lafargue	Job van Uiter
30	Duqueine Team	Oreca 07-Gibson				James Allen ^[22]	John Falb ^[22]	Jean-Baptiste Simmenauer ^[22]
33	DKR Engineering	Oreca 07-Gibson				René Binder ^[22]	Laurents Hörn ^[22]	Alexander Mattschull ^[22]
34	Inter Europol Competition	Oreca 07-Gibson				Vladislav Lomko ^{[N 1][23]}	Clément Novalak ^[23]	Jakub Śmiechowski ^[23]
37	Cool Racing	Oreca 07-Gibson				Lorenzo Fluxá	Malthé Jakobsen	Ritomo Miyata
45	CrowdStrike Racing by APR	Oreca 07-Gibson				Colin Braun	Nicky Catsburg ^[24]	George Kurtz ^[8]
47	Cool Racing	Oreca 07-Gibson				Matt Bell	Naveen Rao	Frederik Vesti
65	Panis Racing	Oreca 07-Gibson				Mathias Beche ^[22]	Scott Huffaker ^[22]	Rodrigo Sales ^[22]
183	AF Corse	Oreca 07-Gibson				Ben Barnicoat	François Perrodo	Nicolás Varrone

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PA = AMATEUR DRIVER IN THE TEAM



LM GT3 ENTRIES

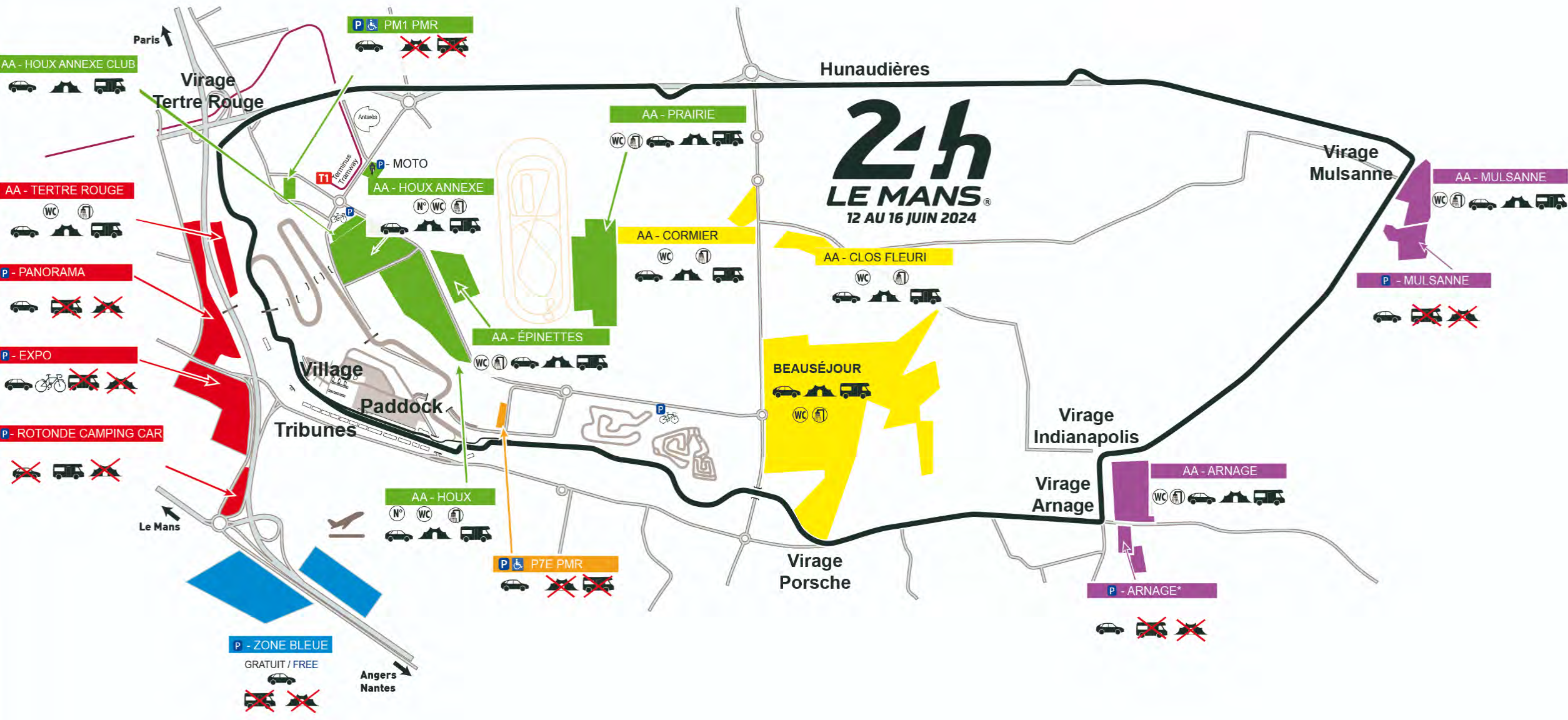


LMGT3 (23 entries)									
27	Heart of Racing Team	Aston Martin Vantage AMR GT3 Evo		WEC	Ian James	Daniel Mancinelli	Alex Riberas		
31	Team WRT	BMW M4 GT3		WEC	Augusto Farfus	Sean Gelael	Darren Leung		
44	Proton Competition	Ford Mustang GT3		24LM	John Hartshorne ^[25]	Christopher Mies ^[25]	Ben Tuck ^[25]		
46	Team WRT	BMW M4 GT3		WEC	Ahmad Al Harthy	Maxime Martin	Valentino Rossi		
54	Vista AF Corse	Ferrari 296 GT3		WEC	Francesco Castellacci	Thomas Flohr	Davide Rigon		
55	Vista AF Corse	Ferrari 296 GT3		WEC	François Heriau	Simon Mann	Alessio Rovera		
59	United Autosports	McLaren 720S GT3 Evo		WEC	Nicolas Costa	James Cottingham	Grégoire Saucy		
60	Iron Lynx	Lamborghini Huracán GT3 Evo 2		WEC	Matteo Cressoni	Franck Perera	Claudio Schiavoni		
66	JMW Motorsport	Ferrari 296 GT3		ELMS	Giacomo Petrobelli	Larry ten Voorde ^[15]	Salih Yoluç ^[15]		
70	Inception Racing	McLaren 720S GT3 Evo		WTSC	Brendan Iribe	Ollie Millroy	Frederik Schandorff		
77	Proton Competition	Ford Mustang GT3		WEC	Ben Barker	Ryan Hardwick	Zacharie Robichon		
78	Akkodis ASP Team	Lexus RC F GT3		WEC	Timur Boguslavskiy ^[N 1]	Arnold Robin	Kelvin van der Linde		
81	TF Sport	Chevrolet Corvette Z06 GT3.R		WEC	Rui Andrade	Charlie Eastwood	Tom van Rompuy		
82	TF Sport	Chevrolet Corvette Z06 GT3.R		WEC	Sébastien Baud	Daniel Juncadella	Hiroshi Koizumi		
85	Iron Dames	Lamborghini Huracán GT3 Evo 2		WEC	Sarah Bovy	Rahel Frey ^[26]	Michelle Gatting		
86	GR Racing	Ferrari 296 GT3		ELMS	Riccardo Pera ^[15]	Daniel Serra ^[15]	Michael Wainwright		
87	Akkodis ASP Team	Lexus RC F GT3		WEC	Jack Hawksworth ^[11]	Takeshi Kimura	Esteban Masson		
88	Proton Competition	Ford Mustang GT3		WEC	Dennis Olsen	Mikkel O. Pedersen	Giorgio Roda		
91	Manthey EMA	Porsche 911 GT3 R (992)		WEC	Richard Lietz	Morris Schuring	Yasser Shahin		
92	Manthey Pure Rxcing	Porsche 911 GT3 R (992)		WEC	Klaus Bachler	Alex Malykhin ^[N 2]	Joel Sturm		
95	United Autosports	McLaren 720S GT3 Evo		WEC	Hiroshi Hamaguchi	Nico Pino	Marino Sato		
155	Spirit of Race	Ferrari 296 GT3		ELMS	Conrad Laursen ^[27]	Johnny Laursen ^[27]	Jordan Taylor ^[15]		
777	D'station Racing	Aston Martin Vantage AMR GT3 Evo		WEC	Erwan Bastard	Satoshi Hoshino	Marco Sørensen		

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GETTING TO THE CIRCUIT





PARKING

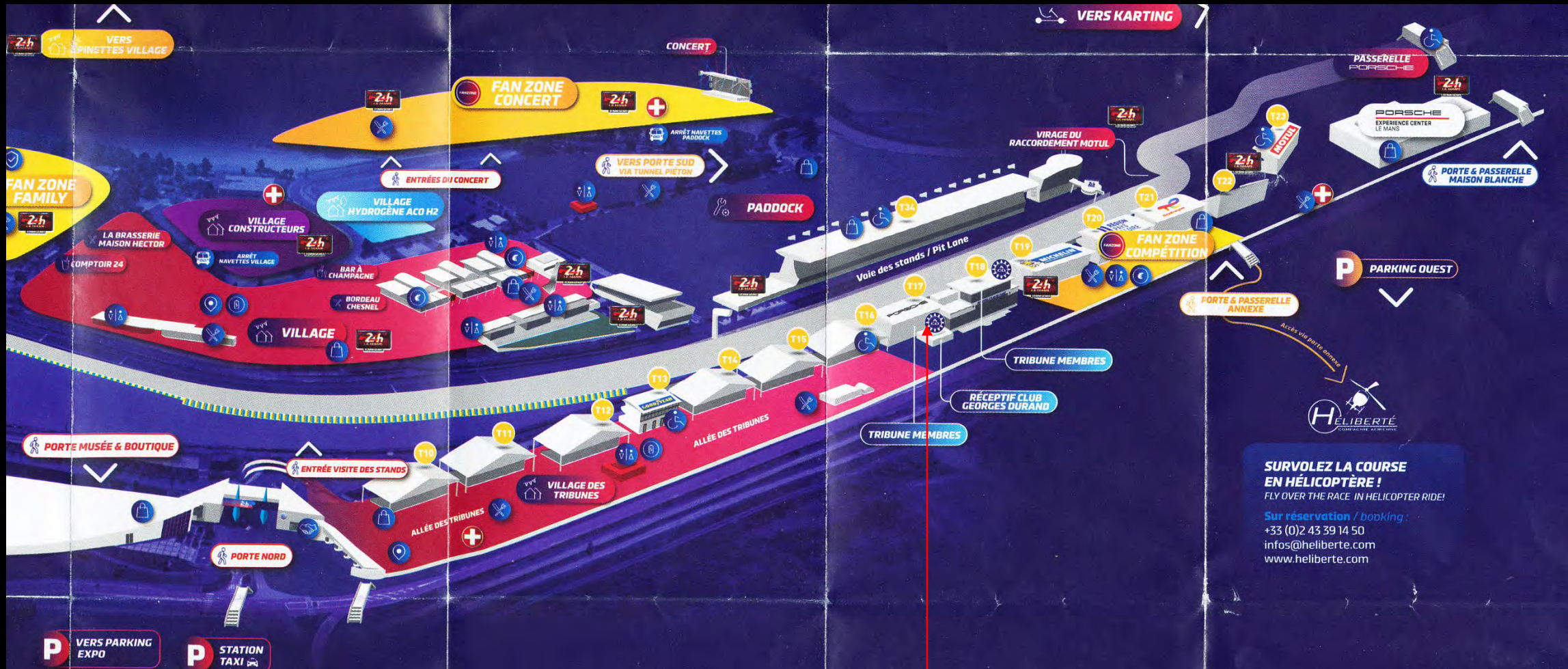


- We were in Expo for the weekend – but only had access to ‘Gratuit’ on the Wednesday
- One hour walk on a sandy track
- Lucked on a taxi that night
- Home 90 mins after race finish on Sunday





TICKETS



ACO MEMBERS STAND

329,000 spectators ... tickets for ACO Members stand sold out in 1 hour
We were on the front row!!
Only grandstands directly opposite the pits can see the pit stops



WEDNESDAY QUALIFYING



Pos	Class	No.	Team	Qualifying	Hyperpole	Grid ^[32]
1	Hypercar	6	Porsche Penske Motorsport	3:25.051	3:24.634	1
2	Hypercar	2	Cadillac Racing	3:24.993	3:24.782	7 ^[Q 1]
3	Hypercar	3	Cadillac Racing	3:24.642	3:24.816	2
4	Hypercar	51	Ferrari AF Corse	3:25.049	3:25.156	3
5	Hypercar	50	Ferrari AF Corse	3:24.731	3:25.598	4
6	Hypercar	35	Alpine Endurance Team	3:24.872	3:25.713	5





NIGHT PRACTICE





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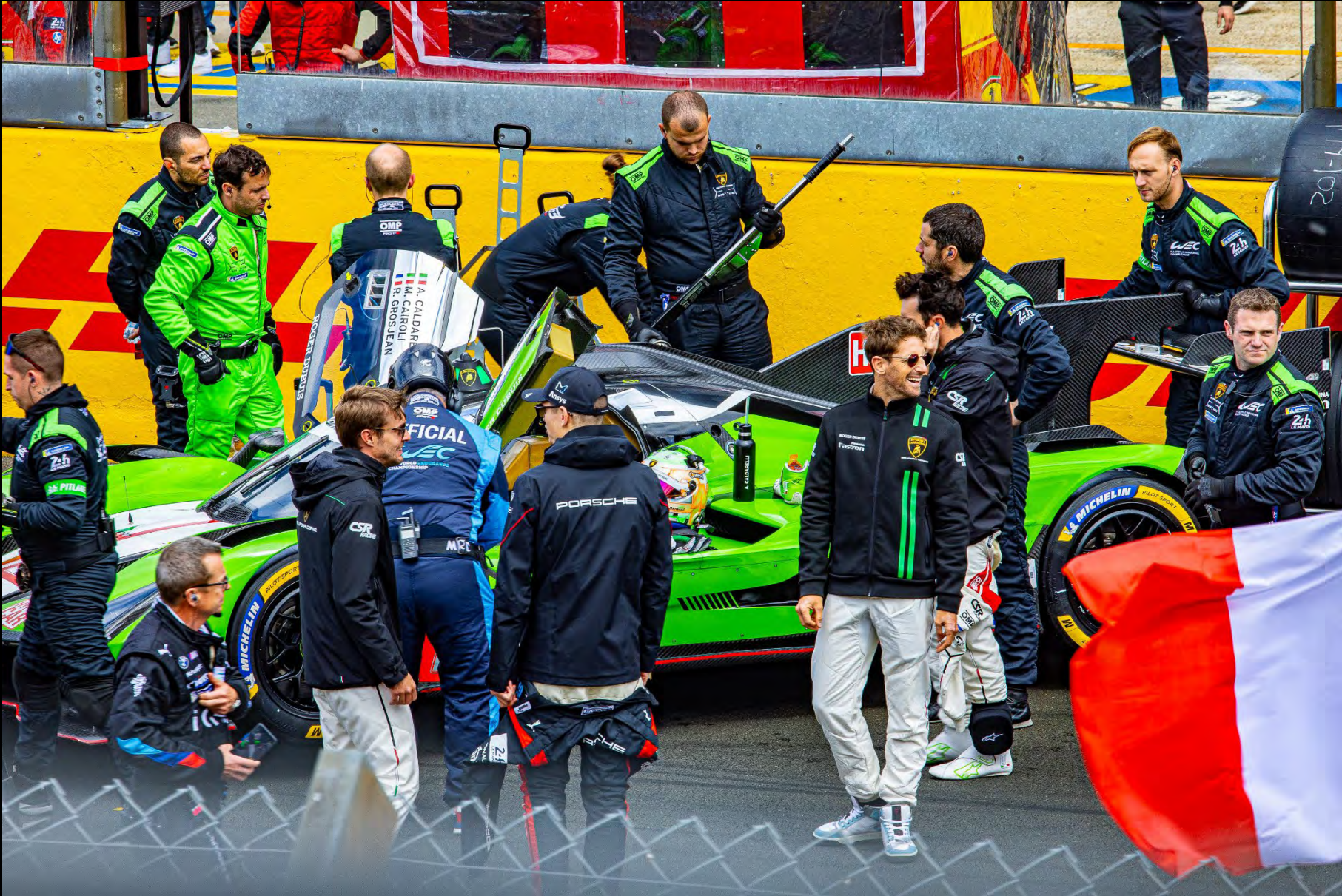


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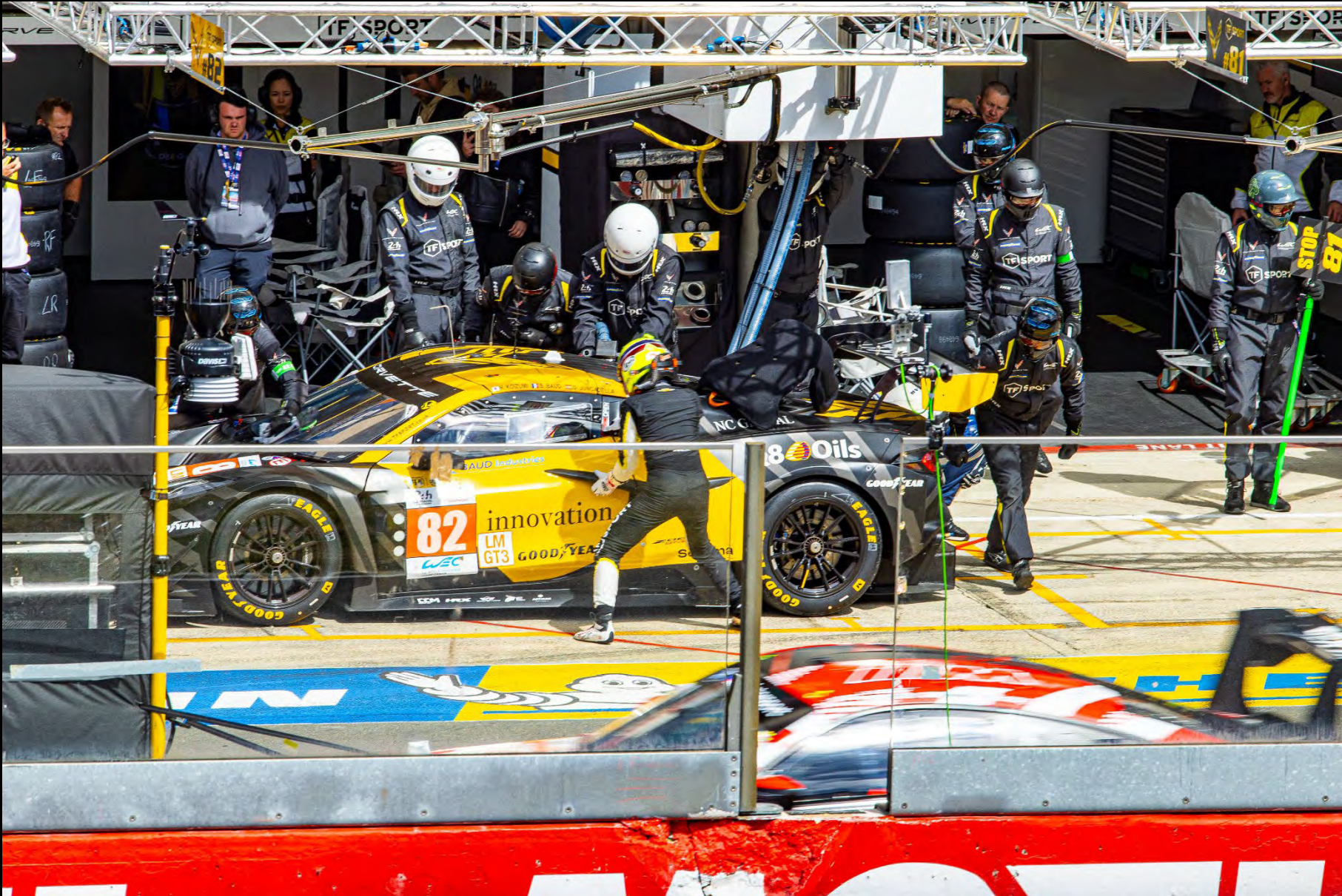


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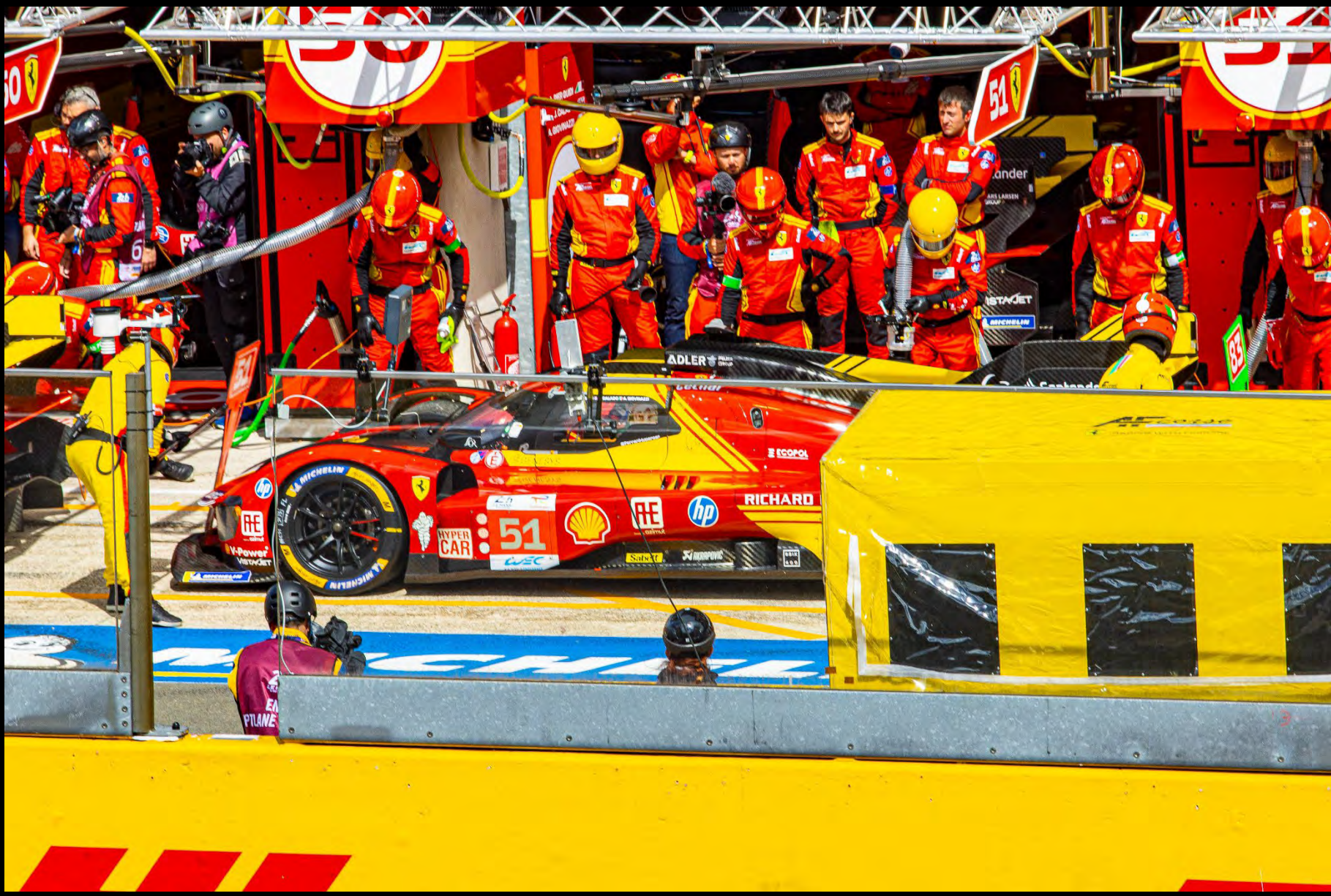


THE PIT STOPS START





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BIG SCREEN



LE SON POP-ROCK

REPLAY **YELLOW FLAG**

24 HOURS OF LE MANS - RACE

OVERALL LEADERS


1st 16 2nd 50 3rd 13


LMP2


1 st	9	PROTON
2 nd	65	PANIS RACING
3 rd	22	UNITED
4 th	37	COOL RACING
5 th	28	IDEC SPORT
6 th	33	DKR ENGINEERING
7 th	10	VECTOR SPORT
8 th	24	NIELSEN RACING
9 th	34	INTER EUROPOL
10 th	30	DUQUEINE TEAM
11 th	14	AO BY TF
12 th	183	AF CORSE
13 th	23	UNITED
14 th	45	CROWDSTRIKE
15 th	25	APR
16 th	47	COOL RACING





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24 HOURS OF LE MANS - RACE


HYPERCAR


1st  50 FERRARI AFCORSE


2nd  6 PORSCHE PENSKE


3rd  3 CADILLAC RACING


4th  8 TOYOTA GR


5th  51 FERRARI AFCORSE


6th  35 ALPINE


7th  83 AF CORSE


8th  36 ALPINE


9th  5 PORSCHE PENSKE


10th  38 HERTZ TEAM JOTA


11th  311 WHELEN CADILLAC


12th  4 PORSCHE PENSKE


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14th  63 LAMBORGHINI IL

15th  12 HERTZ TEAM JOTA

16th  94 PEUGEOT TE

17th  93 PEUGEOT TE

18th  7 TOYOTA GR





THROUGH THE TUNNEL





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TETRE ROUGE & START OF MULSANNE





TETRE ROUGE – MATT CAMPBELL





THE FOOD





NIGHT PIT STOPS





CONCERTS & OTHER DISTRACTIONS



We left after 11pm and the heavens opened ... over 4 hours of safety car through the night





SUNDAY MORNING – SHUTTERED GARAGES





GENDARMES





BRENDON HARTLEY GETS TURNED AROUND



REPLAY

HYPERCAR - INTERVAL

1 st	50	N. NIELSEN	
2 nd	51	A. PIER GUIDI	
3 rd	7	J. LOPEZ	
4 th	2	A. LYNN	
5 th	6	B. HARTLEY	
6 th	6	L. VANTHOOR	
7 th	12	C. ILOTT	
8 th	38	O. RASMUSSEN	
9 th	5	M. CAMPBELL	
10 th	63	D. KVIAT	+1 LAP
11 th	94	S. VANDOORNE	+59.709
12 th	93	J-E. VERGNE	+19.599
13 th	19	A. CALDARELLI	+12.040
14 th	11	C. BENNETT	+5 LAPS
15 th	311	F. DRUGOVICH	+23 LAPS
16 th	99	H. TINCKNELL	PIT
17 th	20	S. VAN DER LINDE	PIT
18 th	83	R. SHWARTZMAN	RETIRED
19 th		S. DIXON	RETIRED
20 th		F. NASR	RETIRED

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24h

LE MANS

19

HYPERCAR

LMGT3

85

LE MANS



IT RAINS





PORSCHE CURVES





PORSCHE CURVES





FERRARI WINS





FERRARI WINS, EVERY FINISHER APPLAUDED





9 CARS ON LEAD LAP AT FINISH



- Ferrari won by getting 14 laps rather than 12 out of its tank of fuel and thus saving a pit stop
 - There was less than 3% remaining at the finish
- Aussie Matt Campbell finished 6th



Pos	Class	No.	Team	Drivers	Chassis	Tyre	Laps	Time/Reason
					Engine			
1	Hypercar	50	Ferrari AF Corse	Antonio Fuoco Miguel Molina Nicklas Nielsen	Ferrari 499P	M	311	24:01:55.856†
					Ferrari F163 3.0 L Turbo V6			
2	Hypercar	7	Toyota Gazoo Racing	Kamui Kobayashi José María López Nyck de Vries	Toyota GR010 Hybrid	M	311	+14.221
					Toyota 3.5 L Turbo V6			
3	Hypercar	51	Ferrari AF Corse	James Calado Antonio Giovinazzi Alessandro Pier Guidi	Ferrari 499P	M	311	+36.730
					Ferrari F163 3.0 L Turbo V6			
4	Hypercar	6	Porsche Penske Motorsport	Kévin Estre André Lotterer Laurens Vanthoor	Porsche 963	M	311	+37.897
					Porsche 9RD 4.6 L Turbo V8			
5	Hypercar	8	Toyota Gazoo Racing	Sébastien Buemi Brendon Hartley Ryo Hirakawa	Toyota GR010 Hybrid	M	311	+1:02.824
					Toyota 3.5 L Turbo V6			
6	Hypercar	5	Porsche Penske Motorsport	Matt Campbell Michael Christensen Frédéric Makowiecki	Porsche 963	M	311	+1:45.654
					Porsche 9RD 4.6 L Turbo V8			
7	Hypercar	2	Cadillac Racing	Earl Bamber Alex Lynn Álex Palou	Cadillac V-Series.R	M	311	+2:34.468
					Cadillac LMC55R 5.5 L V8			
8	Hypercar	12	Hertz Team Jota	Callum Hogg Norman Nato Will Stevens	Porsche 963	M	311	+3:02.691
					Porsche 9RD 4.6 L Turbo V8			
9	Hypercar	38	Hertz Team Jota	Jenson Button Phil Hanson Oliver Rasmussen	Porsche 963	M	311	+3:36.756
					Porsche 9RD 4.6 L Turbo V8			



LMP2 & LM GT3 RESULTS



- 5 cars on the lead lap in LMP2
- The Porsche 911 had a lap on the field in GT3
- Complete results: <https://www.fiawec.com/en/race/result/4865>
- Aussie James Allen in #30 Duqueine LMP2 DNF



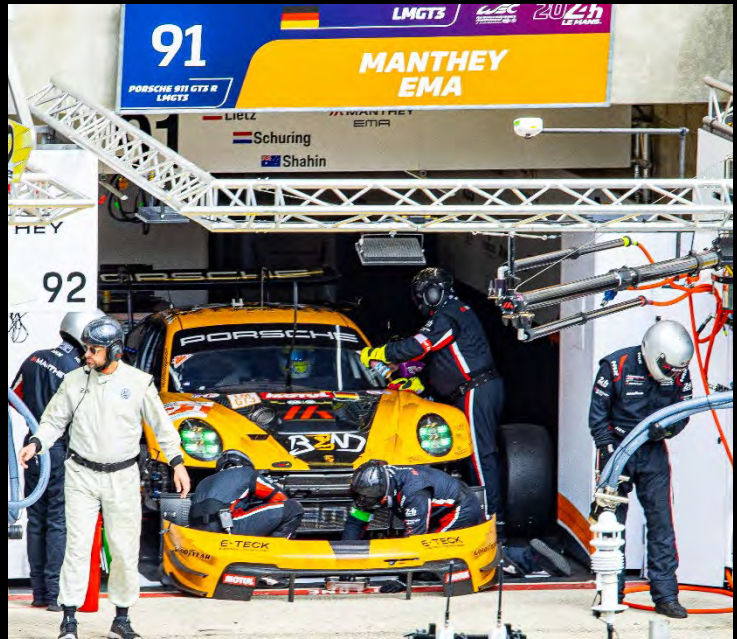
15	LMP2	22	United Autosports	Bijoy Garg Oliver Jarvis Nolan Siegel	Oreca 07		297	+14 laps‡
					Gibson GK428 V8			
16	LMP2	34	Inter Europol Competition	Vladislav Lomko Clément Novalak Jakub Śmiechowski	Oreca 07		297	+14 laps
					Gibson GK428 V8			
17	LMP2	28	IDEC Sport	Reshad de Gerus Paul Lafargue Job van Uitert	Oreca 07		297	+14 laps
					Gibson GK428 V8			
18	LMP2 (Pro-Am)	183	AF Corse	Ben Barnicoat François Perrodo Nicolás Varrone	Oreca 07		297	+14 laps‡
					Gibson GK428 V8			
19	LMP2	10	Vector Sport	Ryan Cullen Patrick Pilet Stéphane Richelmi	Oreca 07		297	+14 laps
					Gibson GK428 V8			
20	LMP2 (Pro-Am)	14	AO by TF	Louis Delétraz P. J. Hyett Alex Quinn	Oreca 07		295	+16 laps
					Gibson GK428 V8			
27	LMGT3	91	Manthey EMA	Richard Lietz Morris Schuring Yasser Shahin	Porsche 911 GT3 R (992)		281	+30 laps‡
					Porsche M97/80 4.2 L Flat-6			
28	LMGT3	31	Team WRT	Augusto Farfus Sean Gelael Darren Leung	BMW M4 GT3		280	+31 laps
					BMW P58 3.0 L Turbo I6			
30	LMGT3	88	Proton Competition	Dennis Olsen Mikkel O. Pedersen Giorgio Roda	Ford Mustang GT3		280	+31 laps
					Ford Coyote 5.4 L V8			
31	LMGT3	44	Proton Competition	John Hartshorne Christopher Mies Ben Tuck	Ford Mustang GT3		280	+31 laps
					Ford Coyote 5.4 L V8			
32	LMGT3	85	Iron Dames	Sarah Bovy Rahel Frey Michelle Gattling	Lamborghini Huracán GT3 Evo 2		279	+32 laps
					Lamborghini DGF 5.2 L V10			



YASSER SHAHIN WINS GT3



- Bend Motorsport owner Yasser Shahin won the LM GT3 Category





IN CONCLUSION



- ACO has done an incredible job to bring together the FIA, IMSA and so many different manufacturers
- We are really seeing the rebirth of modern sports car racing
- Le Mans is an incredible event
 - The cars look and sound terrific
 - The racing is unbelievably close
 - They really know how to put on an event ... right down to the officials in the car parks
 - The mainly French crowd is polite, knowledgeable and very enthusiastic

All my photos: <https://jbraithwaite.smugmug.com/Motorsport/CIRCUITS/LE-MANS/LE-MANS-2024>



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