Speedway - Ruml completes Monarchs squad



Ricky Wells, contacted by Monarchs' newcomer. Picture by Jack Cupido

American Max Ruml will make his debut in British speedway with Edinburgh Monarchs.

Max has ridden in the USA World Cup squad and was runner-up in last year's USA National Championship behind Billy Janniro.

The rider has his plans well advanced for machinery and the 20-year-old said: "I'm super-excited. It's been a goal since I was a little kid. I can't wait to get over there.

"Now it's about changing the environment and getting the experience to get to the next level. I believe I'm ready to take that next step."

The ambitious racer has been talking to Monarchs' Ricky Wells about what to expect.

He revealed: "I think highly of Ricky, I've looked up to him since I was a little kid and it makes it a bit easier to adjust to have a friend on the team who will understand what it is like for me.

"He came over to UK at a very young age I believe. I'm superexcited to be able to race alongside him.