



## **Dagenais, Carrière, Pilon, Bell, Jans and Bérard winners at Edelweiss Speedway**

Cantley, PQ – Friday August 7, 2009 – Martin Bélanger – The Edelweiss Speedway presented the a complete race program in our 4 regular categories along with 4-wheeler races and a demolition derby on this night sponsored by Ray Matte Couvreur.

In the 30-lap modified feature, an accident occurred on the initial green when Eric and Denis Gauvreau got together sending Eric to the pits for the rest of the evening. On the following green, Philippe Landry took the lead with Pierre Dagenais making a bold move to take the lead with Ryan Poole in third, Poole was able to pass Serge Lagacé for second just before the caution came out for Patrick Cashman on the fifth lap. Dagenais took sizeable lead over Poole and got in traffic on lap 17. Denis Gauvreau passed Philippe Landry for fourth spot with less than 10 laps to go. Dagenais led the final laps to win his third feature of the season over Poole, Lagacé, Gauvreau and Denis Larocque completes the top 5. Dagenais had overlapped almost all the field as he was on the backbumper of Gauvreau who finished fourth.

Alex Gagnon took the lead in the 15-lap Semi-Pro feature and led the first lap when Nico Leblanc passed him for the lead using the outside lane. Alex Gagnon lost control of his car and brought the first caution of the race on lap 4. Leblanc got a strong start over Bruno Boivin and Mark Trudeau. Boivin used the inside lane to pass Leblanc for the lead when caution came out on lap 6. Leblanc retook the lead on the restart and went off the track in turn 3 and the red flag came out on lap 7. Boivin and Trudeau who were the leaders went to the pits with flat tires making Guy Régimbald the new leader. Régimbald got the lead with Bruno Boivin making a push starting from the back and went quickly in third. Yan Labelle brought the caution on lap 10. Stéphane Carrière took lead on the restart with Boivin taking second sending Régimbald to third. Jacques Boisclair's engine was on fire and yellow came out on lap 12. Carrière stayed first with Boivin really close in second, Carrière was able to lead the final laps to win his second feature of the season over Boivin and Régimbald completing the top 3. Carrière had a perfect night winning the first heat; Bruno Boivin took the second one.

Dave Bell was the early leader in the 12-lap Mod-Lite category with Dean Pronovost taking second and Richard Renaud third. The first caution came out on lap 10 for Mathieu Robinson. Bell had a good start with Pronovost following him closely. Bell was able to resist and won his second feature of the season over Pronovost and Richard Renaud completed the top 3. Bell had also won the heat race.

In the 4-cylinder category, Gabriel Mercier took the lead and led the feature for the first 8 laps when Alexandre Pilon passed him and led the final laps to win his fifth feature of the season over Mercier and Serge Bédard who completed the top 3. Mercier had won the heat race.

Jonathan Jans and Martin Bérard won the features in the 4-wheeler races. John Chartrand won the demolition derby.

A great show next week with the Ontario DIRT Late Model group making their first visit to the speedway. These cars are very powerful with 800 HP engines and making great speed. We will also collect funds for the Roger Monderie Dream Day Foundation. A complete race program is also on the schedule, as the 4-cylinder class will have a night off.

**Modified Feature Results (30 laps)**

Pierre Dagenais, Ryan Poole, Serge Lagacé, Denis Gauvreau, Denis Larocque, Philippe Landry, Ryan Foley, Skip McKenzie, Patrick Cashman, Éric Gauvreau, Bobby Herrington (DNS)

**Semi-Pro Feature Results (15 laps)**

Stéphane Carrière, Bruno Boivin, Guy Régimbald, Mark Trudeau, Alex Gagnon, Alain Proulx, Richard Brady, Charles Galipeau, Yan Labelle, Jacques Boisclair, Steve Gagné, Nico Leblanc, Sébastien Bazinet, Benoit Dubois, André Mainville, John Bénard (DNS), Jason Lamothe (DNS)

**4-cylinder Feature Results (12 laps)**

Alexandre Pilon, Gabriel Mercier, Serge Bédard, Jean-Marc Larose, Jérôme Prévost, Martin Lagacé, Nicholas Malette (DNS)

**Mod-Lite Feature Results (12 laps)**

Dave Bell, Dean Pronovost, Richard Renaud, Mathieu Robinson, Charles Legendre, Patrick Pronovost, Chloé Erickson, Clara Erickson

**Total Race Supply Halfway Bonus Winner:** Pierre Dagenais

**Petro Marché Tassé 307 Halfway Bonus Winner:** Guy Régimbald

**Quickie Stores Halfway Bonus Winner:** Dave Bell

**Mr.Gas Halfway Bonus Winner:** Gabriel Mercier

**Kenyon Race Parts Hard Luck Award Winner:** Martin Lagacé

**Babe Design Early Bird:** Stéphane Carrière