



## **Edelweiss collects \$1,825 for the Canadian Cancer Society Fundraiser!**

Cantley, PQ – Friday June 4, 2010 – Martin Bélanger – A special night at Edelweiss Speedway with the 3<sup>rd</sup> edition of the Canadian Cancer Society Fundraiser with a 50-lap Syracuse Qualifier feature race for the modified along with action in the Semi-Pro and Mod-Lite. A total of \$ was collected over the evening, a big thank you to the Edelweiss race fans that are always very generous.

Stéphane Lafrance is currently the man to beat in the modified category in Edelweiss. Starting 6<sup>th</sup> on the grid in the 50-lap Syracuse Qualifier, Lafrance quickly took the top spot from Danny O'Brien on lap 3. Eric Gauvreau was following O'Brien closely in third. Gauvreau was able to pass O'Brien for second on the 11<sup>th</sup> lap. Laurent Ladouceur who started 8<sup>th</sup> was now fourth and was able to take third from O'Brien on the 12<sup>th</sup> lap. O'Brien tries to come back with Pierre Dagenais in the mix in fifth spot. Dagenais pulls off good moves and takes third on lap 17. At halfway point, the top 5 was Lafrance, Gauvreau, Dagenais, O'Brien and Ladouceur. With Lafrance running strong in first, Gauvreau had Dagenais as a dancing partner and Dagenais was able to take second on lap 33. Luke Whitteker was able to crack the top 5 in the last laps. Lafrance led 48 laps to capture his third feature in a row at Edelweiss, Dagenais is second, Gauvreau third, Whitteker and O'Brien complete the top 5.

In the 15-lap Semi-Pro feature, André Mainville takes the early lead with John Benard in second. Nico Leblanc seemed to be the fastest car on the track; starting 7<sup>th</sup> he passed cars and quickly grabbed the lead on the third lap over Benard. Bruno Boivin was also having a solid run and took second on lap 7 with Alex Gagnon running in fourth. Leblanc still the leader with Boivin and Gagnon in battle for second. Gagnon was able to pass Boivin on lap 12. Leblanc leads the final laps for the win over Gagnon and Boivin.

In the 12-lap Mod-Lite Feature, Dean Pronovost grabs the lead on the first lap and never looked back. Pronovost was comfortable in the lead all feature long as Mathieu Robinson finished second followed by Richard Renaud.

A complete race program is on the schedule for next week at Edelweiss with the second series race in the Fondations BRL modified series and also the TMR Semi-Pro series, with a 25-lap feature race. The Mod-Lite will have a night off in preparation of their big race on June 18<sup>th</sup> with the Winternationals Qualifier. La Pépinière du Golf will be the main sponsor.

**Modified Feature Results (50 laps)**

Stéphane Lafrance, Pierre Dagenais, Eric Gauvreau, Luke Whitteker, Danny O'Brien, Laurent Ladouceur, John Mulder, Ron Valade, Chris King, Pat Cashman, Ryan Foley, Denis Gauvreau

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

Nico Leblanc, Alex Gagnon, Bruno Boivin, Guy Regimbald, John Benard, Mark Trudeau, Charles Galipeau, Jason Lamothe, Richard Brady, Kevin Gaudreau, Stéphane Carrière, André Mainville, Alain Proulx (DNS)

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

Dean Pronovost, Mathieu Robinson, Richard Renaud, Sylvain Laframboise, Dave Bell, Luc Kingsbury

**Total Race Supply Halfway Bonus Winner Modified:** Stéphane Lafrance

**Quickie Stores Halfway Bonus Winner Semi-Pro:** Nico Leblanc

**Petro Marché Tassé 307 Halfway Bonus Winner Mod-Lite:** Dean Pronovost

**Kenyon Race Parts Hard Luck Award Winner:** Denis Gauvreau