



## **Eric Gauvreau wins the Modified feature at Edelweiss Speedway!**

Cantley, PQ – Friday June 11, 2010 – Martin Bélanger – Edelweiss Speedway presented another exciting race program with a 30-lap modified feature race counting for the Fondations BRL Series along with a 25-lap finale for Semi-Pro which will be the second race in the Toiture Marcel Raymond Series and 12 laps for the Mini-Stock classes. The Chartrand Yamaha 4-wheeler series will also see some action. A special Photo and Autograph Session with the drivers will be held during intermission time on La Pépinière du Golf Night.

In the 30-lap Modified feature, Denis Gauvreau led the first 8 laps with Pierre Dagenais and Luke Whitteker in the top 3 when the yellow came out for Pat Cashman. Gauvreau kept the lead with Dagenais close to him. Dagenais was now racing side by side with Gauvreau for the lead when he got caught up with a slower car and this caused the yellow at the halfway point. Gauvreau was back in the lead with Laurent Ladouceur now second with Eric Gauvreau in third. Eric Gauvreau was pretty strong and was now in second spot with only 10 laps to go. The Gauvreau brothers were now racing side by side for the lead. Eric used the inside lane to pass his brother in turn 2 to take the lead with 26 laps in the book. Ladouceur passed Denis on the last lap to take second. Eric led the final laps to capture his first win of the season in front of Ladouceur and Denis Gauvreau in third.

A strong field of 19 cars took the green flag in the 25-lap Semi-Pro feature race as Charles Galipeau led the first lap when John Benard passed him on the second lap as the caution came out. Benard retained the lead with Stéphane Carrière now in second and Nico Leblanc in third. Leblanc was really strong and took the lead on lap 6 as Benard was holding his ground in second. Leblanc was now in heavy traffic with 10 laps to go. Bruno Boivin stopped in the backstretch and yellow came out on lap 17. Leblanc had a good jump over the field and led two more laps when the yellow came out for John Benard. Leblanc still in the lead with Carrière and Alex Gagnon now racing in third with 20 laps in the books, caution came back out with 3 laps to go and brought the field together. Leblanc in front with Gagnon in second as Leblanc led the final laps to capture his third feature of the year.

Jean-Marc Larose continued his domination in the Mini-Stock category with a third win in a row, he had good competition with Gabriel Mercier and Alexandre Pilon who made an appearance. Larose won the feature over Mercier and David Seguin.

If there is a program that you cannot miss at Edelweiss in 2010, it is this one! The Empire Super Sprints will be in town for their first of two visits next Friday, June 18; these cars can go up to 115-120mph around the 3/8mile Edelweiss track. Along with the ESS, the Mod-Lite class will have their most important event of the year with the Winternational Qualifier for a spot at the East Bay, Florida event, drivers from Montreal and Toronto area will be making the haul down. Dean Pronovost, promoter of the event, is expecting more than 30 cars. The Semi-Pro and Mini-Stock will also be on the racing card as the Modifieds will take a night off. It is a great time to take a walk around the pit area and see the cars as the pit will be at full capacity during this night. For more information on the upcoming events, please visit the website at [www.autodromeedelweiss.com](http://www.autodromeedelweiss.com)

**Modified Feature Results (30 laps)**

Eric Gauvreau, Laurent Ladouceur, Denis Gauvreau, Pierre Dagenais, Luke Whitteker, John Mulder, Ryan Foley, Stéphane Lafrance, Chris King, Pat Cashman

**Semi-Pro Feature Results (25 laps)**

Nico Leblanc, Alex Gagnon, Stéphane Carrière, Mark Trudeau, Bruno Boivin, Alain Proulx, John Benard, Jason Lamothe, Sébastien Bigras, Guy Régimbald, Kevin Gaudreau, Jonathan Galipeau, Charles Galipeau, Richard Brady, Benoit Dubois, Junior Delormier, Martin Gagnon, André Mainville, Michel Asselin (DNS)

**Mini-Stock Feature Results (12 laps)**

Jean-Marc Larose, Gabriel Mercier, David Seguin, Alexandre Pilon, Benoit Laroche, Christian Mainville

**Total Race Supply Halfway Bonus Winner Modified:** Denis Gauvreau

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

**Mr.Gas Halfway Bonus Winner Mini-Stock:** Jean-Marc Larose

**Kenyon Race Parts Hard Luck Award Winner:** Pat Cashman