



Ladouceur, Whitteker, Dubois, Robinson, Mercier & Racette, winners at Edelweiss Speedway!

Cantley, PQ – Friday, July 16, 2010 – Martin Bélanger – A busy racing schedule on La Pépinière du Golf Night at Edelweiss Speedway with the Modified category doing double duty with the completion of the June 25th 30-lap feature race along with the regular night of racing counting towards the Fondations BRL Series. The Semi-Pro will have 25-lap feature also included in the Toitures Marcel Raymond Series. The Mod-Lite and Mini-Stock will also be in action with a special Wet-Track Enduro race at the end of the evening.

The June 25th Modified feature race started back with 10 laps completed, Luke Whitteker took back the lead followed by Stéphane Lafrance and Laurent Ladouceur, Lafrance got close to Whitteker at the halfway point. Lafrance loses ground in the backstretch and Ladouceur was able to pass him and loses his second place to Ladouceur. A good battle between Eric Gauvreau and Bobby Herrington for fourth place as Ladouceur was now on the backbumper of the leader. Whitteker went too high in the fourth corner; Ladouceur and Lafrance are able to pass him with 6 laps to go. Laurent Ladouceur leads the final laps to win his first feature of the season in front of Lafrance, Whitteker, Herrington and Eric Gauvreau.

Denis Gauvreau took the lead in the 30-lap modified feature followed by Luke Whitteker and Stéphane Lafrance. Whitteker was on the backbumper of Gauvreau while a good battle for third between Lafrance, Laurent Ladouceur and Eric Gauvreau was happening. Whitteker was now racing side by side with the leader with 10 laps in the books. Whitteker used the inside lane to pass Gauvreau for the lead on lap 12. While Whitteker was racing alone in first, Lafrance passed Denis Gauvreau for second with 13 laps to go. The first caution came out on lap 25 for Pat Cashman who had a flat tire, this brought the field together. On the green, Whitteker had a great start with Ladouceur taking second and Lafrance in third. Caution came back out for Denis Gauvreau who had a flat tire, with 3 laps to go. Whitteker stayed first with Lafrance in second and Ladouceur in third, a good battle between both cars as Ladouceur gained back the second on the last lap. Whitteker won his second feature of the season.

The 25-laps Semi-Pro Feature race saw Benoit Dubois in the initial lead with John Benard and Stéphane Carrière following him closely. Mark Trudeau was now in contention for third spot with 7 laps completed. Dubois built himself a comfortable lead with Trudeau now in second spot at the feature reached the halfway point when caution

came out for Alex Gagnon. Dubois kept the lead over Alain Proulx now second and Trudeau. Nico Leblanc, who started way back, was now in the top 3; Leblanc was challenging Trudeau for second when 2 cars got together in turn 3 and caution came out on lap 18. Dubois stayed first with Leblanc running strong in second as the caution came out with 6 laps to go. Dubois, still the leader with Leblanc and Trudeau not far behind him as the caution came back out on lap 20. Dubois still in first with Leblanc and now Sébastien Bigras in third position, Leblanc was charging hard on the leader but Dubois was able to resist and won his first feature of the season over Leblanc and Bigras completed the podium.

Dave Bell took the early lead in the 15-lap Mod-Lite Feature; Dean Pronovost took the second spot followed by Richard Renaud. A good battle took place for the lead as Renaud took the top spot on lap 4 followed by Dean Pronovost. Clara Ericksen brought the caution on lap 7. Renaud stayed first with Pronovost and now Mathieu Robinson in the mix. Robinson took second over Pronovost with 6 laps to go. Robinson took the lead with only 3 laps to be completed but Renaud charged back. A great finish as the leaders ran side by side for the last two laps and Robinson led the final lap to win his first feature of the season over Renaud and Sylvain Laframboise rounded out the top 3.

In the Mini-Stock feature, Gabriel Mercier finally won his first feature of the season in front Jean-Marc Larose and David Gélinas. Pascal Racette was the winner in the 15-lap Enduro Feature race.

Another special program next week with the Ontario DIRT Late Model making their annual visit at Edelweiss, these spectacular cars will offer a great show to the fans with 2 and 3-wide racing around the track. With big block engines under the hood, they will reach great speeds around the 3/8 mile track. Defending series champion, Greg Oakes will look to win his second feature race at Edelweiss. The Semi-Pro, Mod-Lite and Mini-Stock will also be in action with the Modified having a night off to permit several drivers to make the haul down to Granby and Drummond for the Canadian Super Challenge, an event that will visit Edelweiss on Friday, August 27.

Be there for the spectacular Ontario DIRT Late Models!

Modified Feature Results June 25th (30 laps)

Laurent Ladouceur, Stéphane Lafrance, Luke Whitteker, Bobby Herrington, Eric Gauvreau, Denis Gauvreau, Patrick Cashman, Chris King, Danny Bilodeau, John Mulder, Ryan Foley (DQ), Pierre Dagenais (DQ)

Modified Feature Results July 16th (30 laps)

Luke Whitteker, Laurent Ladouceur, Stéphane Lafrance, Bobby Herrington, Eric Gauvreau, Ryan Foley, Pat Cashman, Denis Gauvreau, Chris King (DNS)

Semi-Pro Feature Results (25 laps)

Benoit Dubois, Nico Leblanc, Sébastien Bigras, Mark Trudeau, Steve Gagné, Bruno Boivin, Nicolas Gauvreau, Charles Galipeau, Alain Proulx, Stéphane Carrière, Guy

Regimbald, John Benard, Jason Lamothe, André Mainville, Alex Gagnon(Black Flag), Jonathan Galipeau(DNS), Beau Miller(DNS)

Mod-Lite Feature Results (12 laps)

Mathieu Robinson, Richard Renaud, Sylvain Laframboise, Dave Bell, Clara Ericksen, Dean Pronovost, Chloe Erickson

Mini-Stock Feature Results (12 laps)

Gabriel Mercier, Jean-Marc Larose, David Gélinas, Luc Bisson

Total Race Supply Halfway Bonus Winner Modified: Luke Whitteker

Quickie Stores Halfway Bonus Winner Semi-Pro: Benoit Dubois

Petro Marché Tassé 307 Halfway Bonus Winner Mod-Lite: Richard Renaud

Mr.Gas Halfway Bonus Winner Mini-Stock: Gabriel Mercier

Kenyon Race Parts Hard Luck Award Winner: André Mainville