



Berry Enjoys Back-to-Back Late Model Victories



(Newton, NC - - May 3, 2014) It was another beautiful night for short track racing at America's Most Famous Short Track Saturday night, when the NASCAR Whelen All-American Series drivers took to the track for an excitement filled event of short-track racing. Josh Berry (No. 88) picked up his second Bojangles' Late Model victory in a row, as Dexter Canipe Jr. (No. 5) claimed the win in the Gold King Limited Late Model event, while Kevin Townsend (No. 10) went to Victory Lane in the Street Stock race. Other feature winners included Spencer Boyd (No. 09) in the Super Trucks and Bob Park (No. 74) in the Bench-Built Sportsmen Racing Classics.

Shane Lee (No. 00) started the 50-lap main event for the Bojangles' Late Models from the pole position, but received pressure from the No. 75 of Landon Huffman during the early laps and relinquished the top spot within the first five laps. L. Huffman would then be overtaken by the No.7 of Ashley Huffman. Multiple lead changes took place throughout the first half of the race, until the No. 88 of Josh Berry settled into the top spot on lap 22, leaving the remainder of the field to battle for position. As the race progressed, the No. 9 of William Byron moved into the second position and the No. 12 of Austin McDaniel worked his way from the back of the pack into the top five. Berry survived multiple caution periods on his way to Victory Lane, leaving Byron, McDaniel, the No. 7 of Ashley Huffman and the No. 8 of Chandler LeVan to finish second through fifth, respectively.

Seasoned Hickory Motor Speedway driver, Dexter Canipe Jr. (No. 5), earned the pole position for the Gold King Limited Late Model race and went on to lead all 35 laps of the event, leaving the rest of the competition to battle for position behind him. The No. 51 of Jeremy Pelfrey stayed close to the back of Canipe Jr. in the second position for the race, leaving an exciting battle for third. The no. 50 of Ross Dalton had taken over the position on lap five, but slowly slipped back in the field as the No. 1 of Trent Barnes settled into third with just over 15 laps to go. The No. 1 of Taylor Stricklin and the No. 18 of Casey

Pierce followed behind Barnes with less than 10 laps remaining and settled into position where they would all finish the race.

The No. 10 of Kevin Townsend brought the Street Stock field to the green flag for the start of the 30-lap race and went on to pace the field for the caution-free event. The No. 64 of Marshall Sutton would challenge Townsend for the position during the first few laps, but Townsend pulled away as the competition would string out single file. Sutton, the No. 03 of Kevin Eby, No 16 of Jonathon Smith and the No. 2 of Larry Mosher made up the top five

The No. 15 of Landon Huffman brought the Super Truck field to the green flag for their 35-lap event and remained out front until lap 11 when the No. 09 of Spencer Boyd moved out front. Huffman settled into second, and began to receive pressure from the No. 9 of Lee Queen, who took over the position before the first caution of the night waved on lap 20 when the No. 7 of Whitney Lail came to a stop in turn four. Boyd went on to pick up the checkered flag and was followed to the line by Queen, the No. 77 of Tal Davidson, Huffman and the No. 91 of Keith Norville.

Don Fenn (No.2) paced the field for the first 24 laps of the Bench-Built Sportsmen Racing Classics 25-lap feature before going for a spin in turn two on the final lap. The No. 74 of Bob Park worked his way into the second position prior to lap 20, after starting fourth, and began to pressure Fenn for the lead. The two made contact heading out of turn one on the final lap, which resulted in a spin for Fenn and Park to Vicotry Lane. The No. 8 of Robert Hapeman, No. 98 of Todd Bradburry, No. 48 of Larry Benz and the No. 16 of Bill Webb rounded out the top five.

The NASCAR Whelen All-American Series returns next Saturday, May 10 for 84 Lumber Night at the Races featuring round four of the Paramount KIA "Big-10 Racing Challenge". The night will feature 100-laps for the Bojangles' Late Models, and appearances by the Gold King Limited Late Models, Street Stocks, WrenchRags Renegades and 4-Cylinders. Grandstands will open at 5 p.m. ET, with qualifying immediately following. An On-Track Autograph Session will begin at 6 p.m. with feature racing action beginning at 7 p.m. Tickets are only \$11 for adults, \$9 for seniors and teens with kids 12 and under FREE. For more information about upcoming events and Hickory Motor Speedway visit, www.hickorymotorspeedway.com or like us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/hickoryspeedwayfans) and follow us on Twitter (www.twitter.com/hickoryspeedway).

Hickory Motor Speedway				
Unofficial Race Results for 5/3/2014				
Classic Sportsman Racing - Feature				
Finish	Car No	Driver	Hometown	
1	74	Bob Park	,	
2	8	Robert Hapeman	Midland, NC	
3	98T	Todd Bradburry	,	
4	48	Larry Benz	Harrisburg, NC	
5	16	Bill Webb	Statesville, NC	
6	2	Don Fenn	Lincolnton, NC	
7	71P	Bill Powell	Newton, NC	
8	0	Kirby Allen	Rockwell, NC	DNS
9	83	Tom Fenn	Lincolnton, NC	DNS
10	90	Dennis Hinkle	Hickory, NC	DNS
Late Model - Feature				
Finish	Car No	Driver	Hometown	
1	88B	Josh Berry	Hendersonville, TN	

2	9	William Byron	Charlotte, NC
3	12	Austin McDaniel	Harrisburg, NC
4	7	Ashley Huffman	Connelly Springs, NC
5	8	Chandler LeVan	Statesville, NC
6	00	Shane Lee	Newton, NC
7	75H	Landon Huffman	Claremont, NC
8	25	Matt Piercy	Conover, NC
9	17S	Bob Saville	London, NC
10	67	Jacob Harrell	Belmont, NC
11	03S	Roddey Sterling, Jr.	Charlotte, NC
12	22	Dan Moore	Conover, NC
13	87	Hayden Woods	Piney Flats, TN
14	88D	Doug Barnes	Whiteford, MD
15	5H	Bret Holmes	Munford, AL
16	80	Blake Jones	Sevierville, TN

Limited Late Model - Feature

Finish	Car No	Driver	Hometown
1	5C	Dexter Canipe, Jr.	Conover, NC
2	51	Jeremy Pelfrey	Lenoir, NC
3	1B	Trent Barnes	Whitefield, MD
4	7S	Taylor Stricklin	Mount Ulla, NC
5	51S	Ryan Shattuck	Islamorada, FL
6	18	Casey Pierce	Lenoir, NC
7	5L	Marcus Lambert	Woodbridge, VA
8	50	Ross Dalton	Liberty, NC
9	1	Dylon Wilson	Taylorsville, NC
10	9	Charlie Watson	Lenoir, NC
11	11	Dillon Houser	Hildebran, NC
12	15	Sheflon Clay	Asheville, NC
13	21	Monty Cox	Granite Falls, NC
14	10	Ryan Vasconcellos	Sherrills Ford, NC
15	25	Allen Huffman	Hickory, NC
16	77B	Travis Byrd	Sherrills Ford, NC
17	92	Jason Stanley	Kannapolis, NC

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16	25	Allen Huffman	Hickory, NC
17	1	Dylon Wilson	Taylorsville, NC

Street Stocks - Feature

Finish	Car No	Driver	Hometown
1	10T	Kevin Townsend	Lenoir, NC
2	64	Marshall Sutton	Burnsville, NC
3	03	Kevin Eby	Lenior, NC
4	16S	Jonathon Smith	Hudson, NC
5	2	Larry Mosher	Taylorsville, NC
6	33	Mark Whitten	Gastonia, NC
7	3P	Chase Pollard	Taylorsville, NC
8	21	Kevin Saam	Hudson, NC

9	1	David Snyder	Cleveland, NC
10	47	Tyler McKinney	Hickory, NC
11	69	Trey Buff	Hickory, NC

Super Trucks - Feature			
Finish	Car No	Driver	Hometown
1	09B	Spencer Boyd	Concord, NC
2	9Q	Lee Queen	Catawba, NC
3	77	Tal Davidson	Mooreville, NC
4	15H	Landon Huffman	Claremont, NC
5	91	Keith Norville	Forest City, NC
6	2	Josh Ramsey	Hickory, NC
7	7	Whitney Lail	Hildebran, NC

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