



## **NATHAN BALLARD VISITS VICTORY LANE TWICE AT HAWKEYE DOWNS**

### ***CALEB ADRIAN EARNS THIRD LATE MODEL WIN***

**(Cedar Rapids, IA 07/11/015)—Nathan Ballard scored feature wins in both Barron Motor Supply Hobby Stocks and Mountain Dew Sportsmen at Hawkeye Downs Speedway Friday night during Croell Redi-Mix Night brought to you by Electronics Engineering.**

**Dallas Chandler kicked off the night taking home the victory hardware in Miller Time Hornets and earning his third win of the season. The victory didn't come easy however as Chandler had to make a tire change during a lap three caution and start at the tail of the field.**

**Todd Ness led until lap eight when Derek Parrott grabbed the point but Chandler quickly worked through the field and ran away with the race as the final laps ticked off. Parrott finished second and Ness was third.**

**As has been the case much of the year, Nathan Ballard needed just a couple laps to go from last to first in the Barron Motor Supply Hobby Stock feature. His run to the checkers was interrupted for a couple cautions but each time he pulled away on route to his seventh win of the season. Kevin Franks posted an impressive run, finishing second in a car normally piloted by Gerald Hall. Jason Sherman posted a third place run to keep pace with point leader Nathan Ballard.**

**The Dublin City Pub INEX Legends feature saw Kevin Korsmo take his second win of the season after the frontrunners Cole O'Brien and Brody Willett tangled with just a couple remaining. Both drivers made the initial contact bringing out the caution and sending them to the rear. Three earlier spins kept the field tightly bunched throughout the race.**

**Austin Slabaugh earned his best run of the season finishing second while Danny Lehmkuhl was third.**

In other Hy-Vee Racing Series action, Greg Hentrich led the early laps in Mountain Dew Sportsmen before surrendering the lead to point leader Dave McCalla on lap thirteen. Two laps later, McCalla dipped a little too low in turn two, hooked his tire on the apron and had to gather control of the car allowing Nathan Ballard to scoot by into the lead.

Ballard outran McCalla for the remainder of the race to earn his second win of the season in Sportsmen as well as his second feature win of the night. McCalla held on to second and Greg Hentrich was third.

Finally, in Carpetland USA Late Models presented by Performance Concepts, Caleb Adrian took no prisoners at the drop of the green flag and left the field quickly behind as earned his third win of the season. Adrian started in the second row and blasted by Tim Plummer and Brian Gibson to gain the lead and was never threatened during the 25-lap feature. The best battle on the track was for second as Gibson and Plummer swapped the position back and forth. Gibson prevailed for the second slot with Plummer holding third. John Spaw took fourth in a car normally driven by Brad Osborn.

Racing resumes next Friday night with Caseys General Stores. Hawkeye Downs Wall of Fame Night.

#### **BARRON MOTOR SUPPLY HOBBY STOCKS**

HEAT - 1. Nathan Ballard 2. Kevin Franks 3. Braxton Franks 4. Matt Hudspeth 5. Scott Siems 6. Matt Lacoursiere 7. Jasen Freeman 8. Jason Sherman

FEATURE (20 laps) 1. (29) Nathan Ballard, Marengo; 2. (14) Kevin Franks, Cedar Rapids; 3. (54) Jason Sherman, Marengo; 4. Braxton Franks, Cedar Rapids; 5. (3) Matt Hudspeth, Granger; 6. (2) Matt Lacoursiere, Cedar Rapids; 7. (41) Jasen Freeman, Cedar Rapids; 8. (1) Acott Siems, Cedar Rapids

#### **DUBLIN CITY PUB INEX LEGENDS**

HEAT 1- 1. Cole O'Brien 2. Brody Willett 3. Austin Slabaugh 4. Mark Ironside 5. Gary Dyer 6. Joan Feller

HEAT 2.- 1. Dennis Diercks 2. Kevin Korsmo 3. Danny Lehmkuhl 4. Sammy Smith 5. Trent Jochimsen 6. Stacy Olson

FEATURE (25 laps) 1. (5) Kevin Korsmo, Atkins; 2. (16) Austin Slabaugh, Kalona; 3. (37) Danny Lehmkuhl, Cedar Rapids; 4. (10) Mark Ironside, Swisher; 5. (71) Trent Jochimsen, Cedar Rapids; 6. (12) Sammy Smith, Des Moines; 7. (66) Gary Dyer, Bluegrass; 8. (99) Dennis Diercks, Eldridge; 9. (25) Cole

O'Brien, Cedar Rapids; 10. (13) Stacy Olson, Cedar Rapids; 11. (1) Joan Feller, Marion; 12. (00) Brody Willett, Alburnett

### MOUNTAIN DEW SPORTSMEN

HEAT - 1. Dave McCalla 2. Nathan Ballard 3. Greg Hentrich 4. Dave Ballstaedt 5. Jeremy Clement 6. Jim Hanson 7. John Johnston 8. CJ Van Horn 9. Tom Burke

FEATURE (20 laps) 1. (29) Nathan Ballard, Marengo; 2. (3) Dave McCalla, Cedar Rapids; 3. (35) Greg Hentrich, Hiawatha; 4. (88) Jim Hanson, Cedar Rapids; 5. (54) CJ Van Horn, Marion; 6. (7) John Johnston, Victor; 7. (36) Jeremy Clement, Cedar Rapids; 8. (9) Dave Ballstaedt, Marion; DNS- (5) Tom Burke, Nevada

### MILLER TIME HORNETS

HEAT 1. -1. Dallas Chandler 2. Derek Parrott 3. Kurt Bohnsack 4. Lucas Foster 5. Troy Scott

HEAT 2. 1. Todd Ness 2. Brenda Meek 3. Drew Nickell 4. Brad Schmidt 5. Rob Aimers DNS- Dustin McGee

FEATURE (15 laps) 1. (3) Dallas Chandler, Cedar Rapids; 2. (01) Derek Parrott, Marion; 3. (16) Todd Ness, Cedar Rapids; 4. (4) Kurt Bohnsack, Ely; 5. (87) Drew Nickell, Cedar Rapids; 6. (86) Lucas Foster, Cedar Rapids; 7. (47) Brenda Meek, Ely; 8. (B7) Brad Schmidt, Cedar Rapids; 9. (1A) Rob Aimers, Cedar Rapids; 10. (44) Troy Scott, Cedar Rapids; 11. (27) Dustin McGee, Cedar Rapids

### CARPETLAND USA LATE MODELS presented by PERFORMANCE CONCEPTS

HEAT- 1. Caleb Adrian 2. Brian Gibson 3. Johnny Spaw 4. Tim Plummer 5. Brody Willett 6. Chad Siems 7. Logan Mitchell 8. Scott Siems DNS- Griffin McGrath

FEATURE (25 laps) 1. (29) Caleb Adrian, Walcott; 2. (17) Brian Gibson, Walford; 3. (74) Tim Plummer, Norway; 4. (72) Johnny Spaw, Cedar Rapids; 5. (00) Brody Willett, Alburnett; 6. Logan Mitchell, Palmyra, MO; 7. (76) Chad Siems, Shellsburg; DNS- (43) Scott Siems, Cedar Rapids; DNS- (64) Griffin McGrath, Cedar Rapids