

2021 USAC DMA MIDGET SEASON

BACK-TO-BACK: CARLSON CAPTURES 2ND STRAIGHT USAC DMA TITLE

Seth Carlson did it for the first time in 2020. For an encore performance in 2021, he did one even better.

The Stafford, Conn. native raced to his second consecutive USAC Dirt Midget Association (DMA) driving championship during the 2021 season on the strength of three victories, all of which came at the series' home track of Bear Ridge Speedway in Bradford, Vt.

Fellow Connecticut racer, Justin Phillips of West Suffield, Conn., scored three times during the season, notching two at Bear Ridge and the only to be held outside of Vermont, at Albany-Saratoga Speedway in Malta, New York, all of which were his first three career DMA wins.

Two-time series champ Joe Krawiec (Granby, Conn.) won twice while 2019 champ Will Hull (Plainfield, Vt.) won once, and Justin Sheridan (Suffield, Conn.) captured the first of his career.

Five drivers started all 10 feature events during the season: Carlson, Krawiec, Phillips, Sheridan, and Brandon Piastka (West Suffield, Conn.). Carlson led all drivers with eight top-fives while only Krawiec and Sheridan went 10-for-10 by finishing in the top-10 in all 10 features.

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HULL STARS IN USAC DMA OPENER AT BEAR RIDGE

By: John DaDalt

Bradford, Vermont (May 8, 2021).....For the second straight year Will Hull of East Montpelier, VT drove the Skip Matczak #3 to victory on opening night at Bear Ridge Speedway in the USAC-DMA midgets. The 2019 series champion mastered a dry track surface taking the lead on lap eight and leading the rest of the way.

Mike Chaffee jumped into the lead at the start of the feature and held the point until lap seven when Will Hull motored by. Hull started outside fourth row but used the outside lane to work his way through the field. Once in the lead he was never seriously challenged.

Chaffee continued on in second until lap ten when he had to drop out with engine problems. While Hull was cruising along in the lead, Joe Krawiec, Justin Sheridan, Seth Carlson and Brandon Piastka were racing for the 3rd-6th positions. Carlson eventually broke free first and was challenging Chaffee for second place when Chaffee dropped out. Piastka won the battle of the Ray Miller Racing team but neither he nor Carlson could catch Hull.

A restart with four laps to go gave the field another shot at the lead but there was no stopping Hull. Carlson and Piastka dueled for a couple of laps before Carlson edged ahead. Hull took the checkers 0.82 seconds ahead of Carlson. Ray Miller Racing teammates Brandon Piastka, Joe Krawiec and Justin Sheridan rounded out the top five.

Manny Dias recovered from an early spin to finish sixth and Dan Lang was the top finishing rookie with a seventh-place finish.

For Hull, it was a great way to begin the season. Anticipating a rough track from the recent rain the area received, Hull was a "little off" in finishing fourth in the second heat. After a few adjustments were made on the car, Hull had the correct set up for the track as he quickly drove from eighth starting spot to the point in eight laps.

With many cars set up for the bottom, Hull made the outer groove of the racetrack work to his advantage. "I kind of go where others are not, I move around to find speed. I can't ride behind and wait, it's not my style" commented Hull after the race.

Defending champion Carlson also found the track a little drier than he anticipated. "There were two grooves early in the race but after five or six laps they were both used up. Will got to the front first and that was what you had to do tonight." Carlson and the Matczak crew brought out a new Spike chassis for opening night and were pleased with the results. "The new car worked great. Everyone worked extremely hard over the off season, and it showed" added Carlson.

Piastka was also happy with a strong opening night race. A member of Ray Miller's team, Piastka is now driving the car Dean Christensen drove to a series championship in 2017. "The car felt pretty good, but we have a couple of issues we need to work out. The race was exciting though and coming from the back to finishing third was a great way to start the year."

Former series regular Josh Sunn's return to midget racing was short-lived as the driveshaft broke in hot laps ending the night for Sunn.

The two heat races were won by Mike Chaffee and Joe Krawiec.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: May 8, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Mike Chaffee (#18c Miller), 2. Manny Dias (#42 Dias), 3. Tim West (#5 Matczak), 4. Wayne Koehler (#91 Koehler), 5. Dan Lang (#02K Kugler), 6. Kelly Ferrell (#2K Ferrell), 7. Adrian Tetreault (#52x Tetreault). NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Joe Krawiec (#1B Miller), 2. Justin Sheridan (#17 Miller), 3. Seth Carlson (#4 Matczak), 4. Will Hull (#3 Matczak), 5. Brandon Piastka (#7 Miller), 6. Justin Phillips (#16 Miller). NT

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Will Hull, 2. Seth Carlson, 3. Brandon Piastka, 4. Joe Krawiec, 5. Justin Sheridan, 6. Manny Dias, 7. Dan Lang, 8. Tim West, 9. Wayne Koehler, 10. Kelly Ferrell, 11. Justin Phillips, 12. Mike Chaffee, 13. Adrian Tetreault. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-7 Mike Chaffee, Laps 8-25 Will Hull.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION POINTS: 1-Will Hull-75, 2-Seth Carlson-73, 3-Joe Krawiec-69, 4-Brandon Piastka-68, 5-Justin Sheridan-65, 6-Manny Dias-62, 7-Dan Lang-56, 8-Kelly Ferrell-46, 9-Justin Phillips-44, 10-Adrian Tetreault-39.

NEXT USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE: May 22, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

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KRAWIEC ENDS DROUGHT WITH DMA WIN AT BEAR RIDGE

By: John DaDalt

Bradford, Vermont.....Joe Krawiec ended a year-long stranglehold on victory lane by the Seals-It team by leading the final 23 laps of the USAC-DMA midget feature at Bear Ridge Speedway Saturday night.

It took just under six and a half minutes for the two-time series champion Krawiec to stake his claim on victory lane. He had a comfortable lead as the laps wound down but had to hold off a fast-closing Seth Carlson over the last couple of laps. Carlson got under Krawiec's rear tires on the last lap in turn four, but Krawiec got a good bite off the corner to take the win by 0.2 seconds over Carlson.

Wayne Koehler jumped into the lead at the start to lead the first two laps before Krawiec got by to lead lap three. Brandon Piastka followed Krawiec past Koehler into second where Piastka stayed until lap nine when an apparent electrical issue sidelined him for the night. As Krawiec maintained a steady lead over Piastka the action was heating up behind them.

Justin Phillips, Manny Dias, Carlson, Will Hull and Josh Sunn were all dicing, searching for the fastest way to the front. Carlson got by both Piastka and Dias on the tenth lap to takeover second. Five laps later Phillips also went around Dias for third. Dias finished fourth for his second top five of the young season.

Sunn and Hull had a spirited battle for position throughout the race with Sunn taking fifth place and Hull sixth.

It was a bittersweet victory for Krawiec whose father passed away last October.

"I've raced my entire 27-year career with my father and even when he wasn't able to make it to the track last year, we'd spend my entire three-hour ride home on the phone talking about the race. Being the first year without him has been tough but I really need to thank the whole Ray Miller race team for all their help, their support and most of all the laughs and good times."

In speaking about the race events, Krawiec added, "The night was a bit up and down. I struggled a bit with the setup and was too aggressive in the heat race and ended up spinning Tim West, for which I again want to apologize. Luckily, I have some amazing teammates and we bounced some ideas off each other, made a few adjustments to the car and with great track prep done by Bear Ridge Speedway it all came together for us in the end."

Carlson worked his way from a fourth row starting spot to take second. Carlson ran down Krawiec in the later stages of the race but ran out of laps. "The new chassis is working great, but we need to work out a few issues with the engine on our week off" stated Carlson. "We'll be back stronger next time."

The sixth starting Phillips feels the team turned the corner on engine woes that have plagued them for the past year.

"My focus had been on trying to get the car to run for the majority of the last year, so it felt good to just get in and race. Great finish for us as well. Congrats to Joe on his win and awesome for Ray Miller Racing. I would also like to give a huge thanks to Seth Carlson for helping us get the car going this week and the whole Ray Miller team for helping us push through our issues. I couldn't ask for a better team. Looking forward to try to make improvements and hopefully capture a win soon."

Josh Sunn and Justin Sheridan won the two heat races.

The USAC-DMA midgets have a week off before returning to Bear Ridge Speedway on June 5 and 12 followed by their first appearance of the season at Albany-Saratoga Speedway on Friday June 18.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: May 22, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Josh Sunn (#76 Mancini), 2. Joe Krawiec (#1B Miller), 3. Jeff Horn (#A1 Mossman), 4. Wayne Koehler (#91 Koehler), 5. Tim West (#5 Matczak), 6. Kelly Ferrell (#2K Ferrell). NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Justin Sheridan (#17 Miller), 2. Seth Carlson (#4 Matczak), 3. Will Hull (#3 Matczak), 4. Brandon Piastka (#7 Miller), 5. Justin Phillips (#16 Miller), 6. Manny Dias (#42 Dias). NT

ALSO AT THE TRACK: Dan Lang (#02K Kugler) & Mike Chaffee (#18c Miller)

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Joe Krawiec, 2. Seth Carlson, 3. Justin Phillips, 4. Manny Dias, 5. Josh Sunn, 6. Will Hull, 7. Jeff Horn, 8. Justin Sheridan, 9. Wayne Koehler, 10. Brandon Piastka, 11. Kelly Ferrell. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-2 Wayne Koehler, Laps 3-25 Joe Krawiec.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION POINTS: 1-Seth Carlson-147, 2-Joe Krawiec-146, 3-Will Hull-136, 4-Manny Dias-126, 5-Justin Sheridan-122, 6-Brandon Piastka-114, 7-Justin Phillips-112, 8-Tim West-105, 9-Kelly Ferrell-88, 10-Josh Sunn-66.

NEXT USAC DMA MIDGET RACE: June 5, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

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JUST IN TIME, PHILLIPS SCORES FIRST USAC DMA VICTORY

By: John DaDalt

Bradford, Vermont (June 5, 2021).....Justin Phillips of West Suffield, CT put it all together for a dominating win in the USAC-DMA midget race at Bear Ridge Speedway Saturday night. Phillips took advantage of an outside pole starting position to take the lead at the start and led all 25 laps for his first feature win with the series. Since 2019 Phillips had finished in second place seven times before pulling off the elusive victory.

While Phillips was sailing along in the lead the action was heating up behind him. Tim West spun and flipped in turn three on lap four. West was not injured, but the accident put him out for the night. Josh Sunn was aggressive early coming from tenth to fifth by lap two. On the restart after West's incident, Sunn got by both Justin Sheridan and Manny Dias to take third. Five laps later he took second from Brandon Piastka but with the race going green the rest of the way, there was no catching Phillips who took the checkers by three seconds over Sunn.

With Phillips and Sunn leading the way, the rest of the field battled it out on a rough track. Piastka, Dias, Sheridan and Will Hull were all trading places early in the race while Seth Carlson and Joe Krawiec had to balance patience and aggression as they looked for a way to the front. When all was said and done, nobody was going to catch the high-flying Phillips.

The win was special for Phillips as it marked his first career USAC-DMA midget victory. "Overall, a great night for us. To finally get our first win is definitely special. Everyone at Ray Miller Racing has worked their tails off to get this car to victory lane and I'm so glad I could finally get it there. The track definitely played into our favor being rough and having a front row starting spot. I knew we'd be fast and if I could stay smooth, we'd have a good shot of staying out front. I did have some lap traffic to deal with but overall, a pretty clean race up front."

After a four-year hiatus from midget racing Sunn is getting used to racing a midget again. "It was a good run; I'm getting a lot more comfortable in the car and starting to drive it like I used to and I'm learning that type of driving again."

For Carlson it was another podium, eleven in a row dating back to the first race of 2020. He started eighth but had to work his way through heavy traffic early in the feature. "Once we got out of traffic, we were really quick."

That was confirmed by the lap times, his 14.100 time on lap twenty of the feature was the fastest lap of all competitors. "The track was rough, and I really needed to use the whole track to run the groove I wanted to run, which was tough to do in heavy traffic." Carlson and the Seals-It team spent the last two weeks rebuilding the engine to straighten out a few bugs.

"Seems like we have solved the reliability issue with the motor, I think this was our 11th podium in a row, so it really shows how hard these guys on the Seals-It team work to keep the car competitive week in and week out."

Krawiec spent the first 17 laps of the race in the back half of the top ten before beginning a charge to the front that netted fourth place in the end. Krawiec took sixth from Sheridan on lap 18, passed Dias for fifth on lap 20 and Hull for fourth on lap 23. After the race Krawiec commented on the night.

"It was a huge change from our normal dry slick track that had us guessing on what changes to make, but in the end, I think we did all right. Congratulations to Justin Phillips with his first feature win. They spent an entire year struggling with

their new computer, yet knowing they had a fast car and driver if they could keep it running. They had some pretty low times, but they never gave up, and I'm sure all the hard work is going to pay off with many more wins!"

Hull worked his way up to third at one point but fell back to fifth at the finish.

Dias brought his #42 home sixth. Sheridan, Jeff Horn, Piastka and Kelly Ferrell rounded out the top ten.

Krawiec won the first heat over Horn and Ferrell while Phillips aced the second heat.

The USAC-DMA midgets are right back at it on Saturday June 12 at Bear Ridge Speedway.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: June 5, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Joe Krawiec (#1B Miller), 2. Jeff Horn (#A1 Mossman), 3. Kelly Ferrell (#2K Ferrell), 4. Wayne Koehler (#91 Koehler), 5. Tim West (#5 Matczak), 6. Adrian Tetreault (#52x Tetreault). NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Justin Phillips (#16 Miller), 2. Seth Carlson (#4 Matczak), 3. Will Hull (#3 Matczak), 4. Justin Sheridan (#17 Miller), 5. Josh Sunn (#76 Mancini), 6. Brandon Piastka (#7 Miller), 7. Manny Dias (#42 Dias), 8. Mike Chaffee (#18c Miller). NT

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Justin Phillips, 2. Josh Sunn, 3. Seth Carlson, 4. Joe Krawiec, 5. Will Hull, 6. Manny Dias, 7. Justin Sheridan, 8. Jeff Horn, 9. Brandon Piastka, 10. Kelly Ferrell, 11. Wayne Koehler, 12. Adrian Tetreault, 13. Mike Chaffee, 14. Tim West. NT

**Tim West flipped on lap 4 of the feature.

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-25 Justin Phillips.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION POINTS: 1-Seth Carlson-218, 2-Joe Krawiec-215, 3-Will Hull-200, 4-Justin Phillips-190, 5-Manny Dias-183, 6-Justin Sheridan-179, 7-Brandon Piastka-163, 8-Tim West-144, 9-Josh Sunn-137, 10-Kelly Ferrell-137.

NEXT USAC DMA MIDGET RACE: June 12, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

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CARLSON BRINGS IT ON HOME TO USAC DMA VICTORY AT BEAR RIDGE

By: John DaDalt

Bradford, Vermont (June 12, 2021).....Seth Carlson (Stafford, CT) capitalized on lapped traffic to pass Will Hull with two laps remaining and take down the feature win in the USAC-DMA midget race at Bear Ridge Speedway Saturday night.

It was the first victory of the 2021 season for the defending series champion and extended his string of top three finishes to twelve straight.

Mike Chaffee and Kelly Ferrell brought the field to the green flag with Chaffee taking command to lead lap one. The seventh starting Hull loves to ride the high groove and when the cars in front of him went to the bottom in the early laps, Hull took to the top and rode the momentum into the lead on lap two. Hull commented on the move after the race: "I just got lucky as the guys in front of me left the lane open. I had prepped the tires to get a few good laps out of the gate to try to pass as quickly as I could knowing the bottom wasn't good."

While Hull was riding along in the lead, teammate Carlson was also charging through the pack, taking over second from Chaffee on lap six. At that point Hull had a 1.4 second lead. Carlson was able to slowly cut into the lead but as the track began to slow it looked like Hull would hold on for the win. Then came the race changing moment.

With two laps to go the leaders approached a lapped car going into turn one. Hull chose the bottom and so did the lapped car. Carlson took advantage of the open high groove to take the lead. Hull tried to chase him down but with only two laps to go Carlson maintained the point for the victory.

Once the dust settled, Carlson spoke of the good fortune. "I think being in second place with a few laps to go was just the right spot to be tonight. Will and I were both running the top groove, a few times I went to the bottom to make a pass but just couldn't keep enough momentum to get by. When we hit lapped traffic, I would see what lane he would pick and just gamble and take the opposite. And with two to go it paid off."

His disappointed teammate took it in stride. "Yeah, it is racing. Frustrating but it is what it is."

Josh Sunn inherited third place from Chaffee on lap 16 but by that time the leaders were out of sight. "I'm getting more comfortable in the car every week. I kept getting boxed in with nowhere to go (but) after I got going, I feel like I was as fast as the leaders" stated Sunn after the race.

Ray Miller Racing teammates Brandon Piastka and Justin Sheridan both picked up their second top five finishes of the season with a fourth and fifth place, respectively. Manny Dias was shuffled back to eighth in the opening laps but gained back two spots in the end to finish sixth over Joe Krawiec. Last week's winner Justin Phillips was eighth.

Wayne Koehler and Ferrell rounded out the top ten. Chaffee's strong run and hopes for a podium finish ended on lap 16 when he dropped out while running in third place.

Mike Chaffee and Will Hull won the two heat races.

The USAC-DMA midgets will make their first of two visits to Albany-Saratoga Speedway, Malta, NY on Friday June 18.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: June 12, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Mike Chaffee (#18c Miller), 2. Brandon Piastka (#7 Miller), 3. Justin Sheridan (#17 Miller), 4. Wayne Koehler (#91 Koehler), 5. Kelly Ferrell (#2K Ferrell), 6. Adrian Tetreault (#52x Tetreault).

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Will Hull (#3 Matczak), 2. Seth Carlson (#4 Matczak), 3. Justin Phillips (#16 Miller), 4. Joe Krawiec (#1B Miller), 5. Josh Sunn (#76 Mancini), 6. Manny Dias (#42 Dias). NT

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Seth Carlson, 2. Will Hull, 3. Josh Sunn, 4. Brandon Piastka, 5. Justin Sheridan, 6. Manny Dias, 7. Joe Krawiec, 8. Justin Phillips, 9. Wayne Koehler, 10. Kelly Ferrell, 11. Adrian Tetreault, 12. Mike Chaffee. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Lap 1 Mike Chaffee, Laps 2-23 Will Hull, Laps 24-25 Seth Carlson.

NEXT USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE: June 18, 2021 – Albany-Saratoga Speedway – Malta, New York

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PHILLIPS DOES IT AGAIN WITH DMA AT ALBANY-SARATOGA

By: John DaDalt

Malta, New York (June 18, 2021).....Two weeks after nailing down his first feature win with the USAC-DMA midgets, Justin Phillips (West Suffield, CT) was back in victory lane after scoring the win at the fast Albany-Saratoga Speedway on Friday night.

Phillips utilized the low groove to work his way into the lead. "The race was a lot of fun. We started seventh and just slowly picked them off around the bottom. I love this track and our car was hooked up. I tried to stay patient but be ready to make a move. The 76 (Josh Sunn) slipped up off the bottom with a few laps to go and I was there to capitalize. A huge thank you to the Bear Ridge Speedway crew for coming out to help us run a good clean show for Albany-Saratoga Speedway."

Sunn led most of the feature and looked to be heading for his first win of the season but was overtaken by Phillips on lap 20. "I thought I had my first win but got the brakes hot so I couldn't run the bottom at the end of the feature" stated Sunn after the race.

Will Hull ended the race in third. Justin Sheridan was fourth while 2018 series champion Jason Goff finished fifth.

Point leader Seth Carlson's string of 14 straight top three finishes ended with a flat tire.

Will Hull and Brandon Piastka won the two heat races.

The USAC-DMA midgets next race will be at their home track, Bear Ridge Speedway in Bradford, VT on Saturday July 3.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: June 18, 2021 – Albany-Saratoga Speedway – Malta, New York

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Will Hull (#3 Matczak), 2. Seth Carlson (#4 Matczak), 3. Justin Phillips (#16 Miller), 4. Jason Goff (#19 Goff), 5. Josh Sunn (#76 Mancini), 6. Joe Krawiec (#1B Miller), 7. Derrick McGrew Jr. (#6 McGrew). NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Brandon Piastka (#7 Miller), 2. Manny Dias (#42 Dias), 3. Justin Sheridan (#17 Miller), 4. Tim Iulg (#2K Kugler), 5. Wayne Koehler (#91 Koehler), 6. Floyd Billington (#44 Billington), 7. Adrian Tetreault (#52x Tetreault). 2:21.579

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Justin Phillips, 2. Josh Sunn, 3. Will Hull, 4. Justin Sheridan, 5. Jason Goff, 6. Manny Dias, 7. Joe Krawiec, 8. Floyd Billington, 9. Wayne Koehler, 10. Adrian Tetreault, 11. Tim Iulg, 12. Seth Carlson, 13. Derrick McGrew Jr., 14. Brandon Piastka. 7:33.731

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-3 Brandon Piastka, Lap 4 Justin Sheridan, Laps 5-20 Josh Sunn, Laps 21-25 Justin Phillips.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION POINTS: 1-Will Hull-347, 2-Seth Carlson-341, 3-Joe Krawiec-327, 4-Justin Phillips-320, 5-Justin Sheridan-310, 6-Manny Dias-303, 7-Josh Sunn-276, 8-Brandon Piastka-274, 9-Wayne Koehler-246, 10-Kelly Ferrell-184.

NEXT USAC DMA MIDGET RACE: July 3, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

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SHERIDAN BREAKS THROUGH FOR FIRST USAC DMA VICTORY

By: John DaDalt

Bradford, Vermont (July 31, 2021).....Justin Sheridan (West Suffield, CT) passed teammate Brandon Piastka after a mid-race caution to take the lead and score his first feature win with the USAC-DMA midgets at Bear Ridge Speedway on Saturday night.

Sheridan made the winning move off turn four on lap twelve. Sixth starting Seth Carlson also got by Piastka but was unable to chase down Sheridan. Piastka held on to finish third.

"I was definitely the recipient of a good starting spot and early on it was clear that the bottom line was going to be the preferred groove" commented Sheridan after the race. "I was able to settle into second behind Brandon and just tried to hit my marks consistently. After the caution I had the opportunity to get by him in turn four and knew that was my best chance to get by. After passing Brandon I just tried to stay calm and not miss the racing line. My car felt like it was on rails, and it was pretty much smooth sailing to the checkers."

Sheridan was an appreciative winner after the race ended. "This is my third year running the series, so I was excited to get that first win. I'm very fortunate to race for Ray Miller and Zettie Shookus. They treat our whole team like family and it's just a great group of people to be around. I'm also glad my father James is willing to show up at the shop and track every week to help out. He's super supportive and is a big reason I'm able to race with the series. I also need to thank Johnny, Justin, Brandon and Joe, those guys are always helping me in the shop with setup and have a ton of experience that they're able to share. Overall, I'm just excited to have a place and a series to race with. After getting rained out at our last two events this was a great way to kick off the second half of the season!"

Carlson's string of twelve podium finishes in a row ended at the last USAC-DMA race at Albany-Saratoga Speedway but found his way back to the top with a second-place finish. "Tough track conditions made for a race that requires patience and precision. We worked our way to second but ran out of time to challenge Justin. Congratulations to him on a well-deserved win."

Plagued with mechanical gremlins most of the season, a third-place finish was just the antidote needed by Piastka. "We finally had a good night after fighting mechanical problems most of the season, but we seem to have figured it out. The car was fast in winning the heat race and was also good in the feature leading for a while but couldn't hold off Justin who was really hooked up. Congratulations to him."

The USAC-DMA midget are right back in action next Saturday August 7 at Bear Ridge Speedway in Bradford, VT.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: July 31, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Brandon Piastka (#7 Miller), 2. Joe Krawiec (#1B Miller), 3. Justin Sheridan (#17 Miller), 4. Justin Phillips (#16 Miller), 5. Seth Carlson (#4 Matczak), 6. Josh Sunn (#76 Mancini) 7. Manny Dias (#42 Dias), 8. Will Hull (#3 Matczak). NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Mike Chaffee (18c Miller), 2. Jeff Horn (#A1 Mossman), 3. Mike Netishen (#55 Netishen), 4. Tom Chaffee (#51 Chaffee), 5. Wayne Stearns (#35 Stearns), 6. Dylan Campbell (#85 Campbell), 7. Tyler Stark (#75 Stark). NT

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Justin Sheridan, 2. Seth Carlson, 3. Brandon Piastka, 4. Joe Krawiec, 5. Josh Sunn, 6. Justin Phillips, 7. Dylan Campbell, 8. Manny Dias, 9. Jeff Horn, 10. Wayne Stearns, 11. Tom Chaffee, 12. Tyler Stark, 13. Mike Chaffee, 14. Will Hull. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: 1-11 Brandon Piastka, laps 12-25 Justin Sheridan.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION POINTS: 1-Seth Carlson-412, 2-Joe Krawiec-395, 3-Justin Sheridan-386, 4-Will Hull-383, 5-Justin Phillips-380, 6-Manny Dias-354, 7-Brandon Piastka-346, 8-Josh Sunn-337, 9-Wayne Koehler-246, 10-Kelly Ferrell-184.

NEXT USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE: August 7, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

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KRAWIEC BEATS THE RAIN TO WIN AT BEAR RIDGE

By: John DaDalt

Bradford, Vermont (August 7, 2021).....With a storm coming and lightning in the distance, Joe Krawiec (E. Granby, CT) took the lead on lap nine leading the rest of the way to win the USAC-DMA midget feature at Bear Ridge Speedway on Saturday night.

It was Krawiec's second win of the season with the club and continued the strong year of Ray Miller Racing as Krawiec and teammates Justin Phillips and Justin Sheridan have won five of the seven races to date.

Manny Dias took the lead at the start from the pole position and held the top spot through the first eight laps of the feature. Krawiec started fifth but took advantage of the low groove to move into second on lap two. A few drivers attempted to come off the bottom of the track with some success early in the race. Seth Carlson moved up from eighth to fifth by lap four.

Will Hull and Josh Sunn also tried a more mid-track groove, but neither was able to make it work for them. On lap five, Dylan Campbell and Tom Chaffee got together in turn three with Chaffee ending up on the losing end flipping over once before coming to a stop. Chaffee climbed out of the car and walked away uninjured.

After the re-start, Krawiec set his sights on Dias. Dias gave an opening coming off turn two on lap nine and that was all Krawiec needed as he put the Ray Miller Racing #1B into the lead. At this point Justin Phillips had taken third from Brandon Piastka. Sunn lost several positions early but around the mid-point of the race he began a charge to the front getting past Hull, Piastka and Phillips to challenge Dias for second.

In a noble but ultimately futile effort Sunn made repeated attempts to pass Dias for second late in the race but couldn't get the car to stick. Sunn eventually lost a couple of positions and finished sixth.

Dias kept it close all the way but didn't have the speed to get by Krawiec who won by 0.650 seconds. Phillips re-took third place from Sunn on lap 19. Brandon Piastka was fourth, Hull fifth and Sunn sixth. The top ten was rounded out by Justin Sheridan, Carlson, Daniel Piastka and Jeff Horn.

The win enabled Krawiec to take over first place in the USAC-DMA midget point standings over Seth Carlson. Krawiec described the winning pass after the race.

"It's always challenging when the track narrows up like that, but I was lucky to have an inside starting position and knew patience would be the key. Manny was fast out of the gate and I didn't have anything for him in the early laps but a few laps after the restart he made a mistake or was just searching for a faster line and lost just enough speed that I was able to catch him and make the pass. In his defense it's always tough being the leader not knowing where everyone else is running and what's the fastest line. With as fast as he was in the beginning, I'm confident he'll (Dias) be in the winner's circle before you know it. As always a big thank you to Ray Miller and the whole team."

Dias has been a steady competitor all year and was rewarded with a top three finish. "I was happy to finally get a podium" said Dias after the race ended. "The car was good, but you couldn't make a mistake with a one groove racetrack. I just left the door open some and Joe got in there." Dias's speed was underlined by setting the fastest lap of the night with a 15.031 second lap on the sixth circuit.

Third place finisher Phillips was happy to get a good finish. "Some of the adjustments we made seemed to help the balance of our car. It was tough to make any ground up on the bottom and you had to protect your position. We were able to move forward on the start and re-start. Big congratulations to Joe on his second win of the season. On to Albany-Saratoga next week, I'm always excited to run there."

Krawiec now has a slim six-point lead over Carlson with four races remaining in 2021. With Phillips, Hull, Sheridan and Dias all within striking distance of the leaders the point race will be going down to the wire.

Manny Dias and Brandon Piastka won the two heat races. The USAC-DMA midgets make their second visit of the season to Albany-Saratoga Speedway in Malta, NY next Friday night August 13.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: August 7, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Manny Dias (#42 Dias), 2. Wayne Stearns (#35 Stearns), 3. Tom Chaffee (#51 Chaffee), 4. Jeff Horn (#A1 Mossman), 5. Dylan Campbell (#85 Campbell), 6. Daniel Piastka (#7x Miller). NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Brandon Piastka (#7 Miller), 2. Joe Krawiec (#1B Miller), 3. Josh Sunn (#76 Mancini), 4. Seth Carlson (#4 Matczak), 5. Justin Phillips (#16 Miller), 6. Justin Sheridan (#17 Miller), 7. Will Hull (#3 Matczak). NT

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Joe Krawiec, 2. Manny Dias, 3. Justin Phillips, 4. Brandon Piastka, 5. Will Hull, 6. Josh Sunn, 7. Justin Sheridan, 8. Seth Carlson, 9. Daniel Piastka, 10. Jeff Horn, 11. Dylan Campbell, 12. Tom Chaffee. NT

****Tom Chaffee flipped on lap 5 of the feature.**

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-8 Manny Dias, Laps 9-25 Joe Krawiec.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION POINTS: 1-Joe Krawiec-472, 2-Seth Carlson-466, 3-Justin Phillips-448, 4-Will Hull-443, 5-Justin Sheridan-441, 6-Manny Dias-429, 7-Brandon Piastka-415, 8-Josh Sunn-398, 9-Wayne Koehler-246, 10-Jeff Horn-215.

NEXT USAC DMA MIDGET RACE: August 13, 2021 – Albany-Saratoga Speedway – Malta, New York

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CARLSON CRUISES TO BEAR RIDGE SCORE, TAKES OVER DMA POINT LEAD

By: John DaDalt

Bradford, Vermont (August 28, 2021).....Seth Carlson (Stafford, CT) took advantage of a slip by early leader Brandon Piastka to win the USAC-DMA midget feature at Bear Ridge Speedway on Saturday night. It was Carlson's second win of the season and moved him back into the point lead with two races remaining in the 2021 season.

Manny Dias and Brandon Piastka brought the field around for the green flag with Piastka taking the lead as Dias was shuffled back to third by Will Hull. Hull's night ended on the fourth lap as he rolled to a stop off turn two and did not return to the race.

With Hull out, Carlson moved up to fourth. Piastka led Josh Sunn and Justin Sheridan on the restart, but Carlson made his move getting by both Sunn and Sheridan to take over second. Carlson then began to stalk Piastka and when Piastka slipped coming off turn four, Carlson took advantage to take the lead on lap seven.

Justin Sheridan was also on the move coming from sixth starting spot to grab second from Piastka on lap eight. Sunn pressured Sheridan for second but could not find the necessary grip to get by.

Once in front Carlson steadily built up his lead over the pack staying in the groove and running consistent laps. At the finish, he held a three second lead over Sheridan.

For defending series champion Carlson, patience was definitely a virtue in the feature. "The bottom lane has just been so dominant at Bear Ridge this year, it's just about patience and capitalizing on other people's mistakes. He (Piastka) slipped up and I snuck through on the inside."

Sheridan's second place finish was his fifth top five in 2021. He spoke about his race strategy after the feature.

“On the start and restarts I was getting a good run on the outside for a lap but then had to move to the bottom groove. I knew it was important to get to the front before Seth, but he did a great job and by the time we were 1-2 I couldn’t catch him. I want to thank Ray Miller and Zettie Shookus for letting me race for them and the whole Miller Racing team, they’ve helped me race a bit more consistently this year and hopefully we can stay up front more often.”

Josh Sunn ran a hard race trying different lines and eventually tallied third spot followed by Brandon Piastka. Mike Chaffee picked up four positions from his ninth starting spot to finish fifth. Daniel Piastka held off Miller Racing teammate Joe Krawiec for sixth with Justin Phillips, Manny Dias and Dylan Campbell rounding out the top ten.

Heat winners were Manny Dias and Brandon Piastka. It was Piastka’s fourth straight win in a heat race.

The USAC-DMA midgets are back at Bear Ridge Speedway on Saturday September 11.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: August 28, 2021 – Bradford, Vermont – Bear Ridge Speedway

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Manny Dias (#42 Dias), 2. Mike Chaffee (#18c Miller), 3. Daniel Piastka (#7x Miller), 4. Tom Chaffee (#51 Chaffee), 5. Wayne Koehler (#91 Koehler), 6. Adrian Tetreault (#52 Tetreault), 7. Dylan Campbell (#85 Campbell). NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Brandon Piastka (#7 Miller), 2. Seth Carlson (#4 Matczak), 3. Josh Sunn (#76 Mancini), 4. Justin Sheridan (#17 Miller), 5. Will Hull (#3 Matczak), 6. Justin Phillips (#16 Miller), 7, Joe Krawiec (#1B Miller). NT

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Seth Carlson, 2. Justin Sheridan, 3. Josh Sunn, 4. Brandon Piastka, 5. Mike Chaffee, 6. Daniel Piastka, 7. Joe Krawiec, 8. Justin Phillips, 9. Manny Dias, 10. Dylan Campbell, 11. Wayne Koehler, 12. Adrian Tetreault, 13. Tom Chaffee, 14. Will Hull. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-6 Brandon Piastka, Laps 7-25 Seth Carlson.

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION POINTS: 1-Seth Carlson-573, 2-Joe Krawiec-556, 3-Justin Sheridan-543, 4-Justin Phillips-530, 5-Brandon Piastka-514, 6-Manny Dias-513, 7-Will Hull-512, 8-Josh Sunn-498, 9-Wayne Koehler-291, 10-Adrian Tetreault-242.

NEXT USAC DMA MIDGET RACE: September 11, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

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SONG REMAINS THE SAME FOR CARLSON AT BEAR RIDGE

By: John DaDalt

Bradford, Vermont (September 11, 2021).....Seth Carlson (Stafford, CT) came from a last row starting spot to take the lead with four laps remaining and went on to win Saturday night’s USAC DMA midget feature at Bear Ridge Speedway.

The win was Carlson’s third of the season and solidified the defending champion’s point lead. With one race remaining Carlson only needs to take the green flag to repeat as champion.

Manny Dias jumped into the lead from his outside front row starting spot. Behind Dias, Daniel Piastka, Josh Sunn and Justin Phillips dueled for position as Justin Sheridan, Joe Krawiec and Seth Carlson trailed. Krawiec got into the back of Sheridan on lap four sending Krawiec spinning into the infield off turn two.

On the re-start Dias maintained the lead as Phillips moved into second and Sunn, Piastka and Carlson battled for third through fifth. With Carlson working the outside of Piastka, Sunn got over the inside berm in turn two and upon re-entering

the racetrack collided with Piastka sending Piastka into a flip. Piastka walked away from the incident with the car suffering a broken axle.

Over the next dozen laps it was an intense race for the top spot. Dias holding his line down low looked strong holding off Carlson, who was repeatedly making a run on the outside of Dias as Phillips nosed under Carlson to try to take second. Just when it looked like Dias would be unbeatable, he closed in on a lapped car and as the old racing adage goes, sometimes it's better to be second in lapped traffic. With Dias blocked down low, Carlson sailed by on the outside to take the lead.

With only four laps left and the cars running close lap times, Dias was unable to get back into the lead. Carlson nailed down the win followed by Dias and Phillips.

Back-to-back wins by Carlson have put him in an excellent position to defend the title. He started in the last row and needed both patience and aggression to make the outside groove work to his advantage. Afterwards, Carlson commented on the race. "It was fun racing with Justin and Manny, the track had just enough bite on the outside to get something rolling. It was a close race."

A tough break for Manny Dias who appeared to be on his way to his first win with the USAC-DMA midgets. "We had a good car, just came up short. I closed on the 52 a little quicker than I expected. It was a great job by Seth getting it done. We'll keep digging. On to the next one."

Coming off a disappointing eighth place finish in the last race, third place finisher Justin Phillips was satisfied with the race. "We had a good run and it felt good to get back on the podium with a car that felt strong. We had a great race with Seth for second, but he ultimately got us. Congratulations to him on the win. Only one race left so I hope we can keep building and close out strong."

Justin Sheridan ran a steady race to finish fourth. Joe Krawiec rebounded from his early spin to come in fifth and keep his hold on second place in points. Josh Sunn ended up sixth and Brandon Piastka seventh.

Jake Trainor from Medway, MA made his debut on a dirt track in the Skip Matczak owned #2 midget. Trainor ran a trouble-free race eventually finishing in the eighth spot.

Jeff Horn, who was recently elected to the New England Antique Racers Hall of Fame, was ninth and late arriving Tyler Stark finished tenth.

The two heat races were won by Josh Sunn and Justin Phillips.

The USAC-DMA midgets will end the 2021 season on Saturday September 25 at Bear Ridge Speedway, Bradford, VT

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: September 11, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Josh Sunn (#76 Mancini), 2. Mike Chaffee (#18c Miller), 3. Daniel Piastka (#7x Miller), 4. Jake Trainor (#2c Matczak), 5. Jeff Horn (#A1 Mossman), 6. Adrian Tetreault (#52x Tetreault). NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Justin Phillips (#16 Miller), 2. Manny Dias (#42 Dias), 3. Seth Carlson (#4 Matczak), 4. Justin Sheridan (#17 Miller), 5. Brandon Piastka (#7 Miller), 6. Joe Krawiec (#1B Miller). NT

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Seth Carlson, 2. Manny Dias, 3. Justin Phillips, 4. Justin Sheridan, 5. Joe Krawiec, 6. Josh Sunn, 7. Brandon Piastka, 8. Jake Trainor, 9. Jeff Horn, 10. Tyler Stark (#75 Stark), 11. Adrian Tetreault, 12. Daniel Piastka. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-21 Manny Dias, Laps 22-25 Seth Carlson

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION POINTS: 1-Seth Carlson-649, 2-Joe Krawiec-617, 3-Justin Sheridan-609, 4-Justin Phillips-602, 5-Manny Dias-587, 6-Brandon Piastka-570, 7-Josh Sunn-561, 8-Will Hull-512, 9-Wayne Koehler-291, 10-Adrian Tetreault-286.

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PHILLIPS WINS DMA FINALE, CARLSON REPEATS AS CHAMPION

By: John DaDalt

Bradford, Vermont (September 25, 2021).....Justin Phillips of West Suffield, Conn. Concluded the season with his third win of the season Saturday night at Bradford, Vermont's Bear Ridge Speedway while the season concluded with Seth Carlson of Stafford, Conn. claiming his second straight USAC DMA Midget championship.

The racing was divided into three segments with points being awarded by finishing position in each segment. The lowest number of points for all three races was the winner of the event.

Justin Sheridan dominated the first segment after leading all ten laps followed by Mike Chaffee and Justin Phillips. Daniel Piastka led the first three laps of the second segment before Seth Carlson took over to lead the remainder of the race.

Mike Chaffee jumped into the lead at the start of the final segment. Chaffee looked like he would be tough to beat, leading the first ten laps before dropping out with mechanical problems. Phillips then took over and held off repeated attempts by teammates Justin Sheridan, Joe Krawiec and Brandon Piastka over the last ten laps as the Ray Miller Racing teammates went toe to toe for the win.

Phillips took down the victory which gave him a total of 10 points for the three segments tying him with Justin Sheridan and Seth Carlson for the overall. With the tiebreaker being the finishing order of the final segment, Phillips was declared the winner and was a grateful winner after the event.

"It was an interesting night for us. I don't think we had the strongest car all night, but things fell our way and we were able to pick up our third win of the season. Congrats to Seth on the well-deserved championship. A huge thank you to Ray and all of Ray Miller Racing. We had a great year and had a lot of fun working together all season. I'd like to dedicate this win to Rich Wood Sr. He recently passed and had a huge impact on me and a lot of my friends in the racing community."

Sheridan's win in the first segment and second place overall continued a strong late season run highlighted by his first win back on July 31.

"I appreciate Ray Miller and Zettie Shookus giving me a chance to race for them. It was a great last race and overall season for all of Miller Racing and I'm glad to be a part of that. Congrats to Seth on the championship and to Justin on his third win of the season. I feel we had a chance at the overall, but I stared at the tail tank of the #16 (Phillips) for about 35 laps between the last two segments and didn't have the speed to get around him. I'm proud of the improvements we made throughout this year and to be able to share a podium with those guys and hope we carry some momentum over to the 2022 season."

Carlson won the second segment and finished third overall. It was his eighth podium in ten races – a solid season that wrapped up a second straight series championship. "The season was good; we had a consistent car week in and week out. I have to thank Seals-It, Skip Matczak, Lloyd, Karl, Tom Paul Carlson and my wife Kendall for all the support this year."

Carlson's car owner Skip Matczak summed up the year when it was all over.

"First, I would like to thank Butch and April Elms for their continued support of the DMA and of course our dedicated members who provided a very competitive race season. The points battle was a tough fight to the end with everyone working hard to gain the championship, but in our case, we proved that there is no I in the word team. Tom Rodzen, Lloyd Burnham, Paul Carlson and Karl Sentivany continued to provide Seth with a strong entry.

Of course, what can one say about the “Bull Dog” Seth Carlson in his spirited charges to the front,” Matczak continued. “When challenged, we watched Seth pull the seat belts extra tight and then put out an exceptional effort, many times rendering a good finish and gaining points against a strong field of real racers. As team owner it was a great feeling to win the USAC Dirt Midget Association championship and both Seth and the team look forward to the Bear Ridge and USAC banquets.”

Expectant father Joe Krawiec will be stepping away as the driver of Ray Miller’s #1B next year. The two-time (2011, 2013) champion of the USAC DMA midgets had an excellent season, winning two races and finishing second in points. Krawiec echoed his teammates sentiments after the race.

“I’ve got to thank Ray and Zettie for giving me this amazing opportunity and my teammates for their help and late-night good times after the races. It was definitely a tough track last night, but it was great to end the night racing side by side with my teammates and see them on the podium.”

The USAC DMA midgets would like to thank Butch and April May Elms and the staff at Bear Ridge and Albany-Saratoga Speedways for their support in making the 2021 season a successful one. And a thanks to all the competitors who raced with the series this year.”

USAC DIRT MIDGET ASSOCIATION RACE RESULTS: September 25, 2021 – Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, Vermont

QUALIFYING: 1. Seth Carlson, 4, Matczak-14.505; 2. Justin Sheridan, 17, Miller-14.507; 3. Mike Chaffee, 18c, Miller-14.671; 4. Daniel Piastka, 7x, Miller-14.671; 5. Brandon Piastka, 7, Miller-14.683; 6. Josh Sunn, 76m, Mancini-14.683; 7. Justin Phillips, 16, Miller-14.753; 8. Derrick O’Hearn, 4x, Matczak-14.793; 9. Jeff Horn, A1, Mossman-14.803; 10. Joe Krawiec, 1B, Miller-14.868; 11. Manny Dias, 42, Dias-14.968; 12. Joe Chick, 5c, Chick-15.452; 12. Manny Dias, 2c, Matczak-16.196.

FIRST SEGMENT: (10 laps) 1. Justin Sheridan, 2. Mike Chaffee, 3. Justin Phillips, 4. Seth Carlson, 5. Joe Krawiec, 6. Josh Sunn, 7. Brandon Piastka, 8. Jeff Horn, 9. Daniel Piastka, 10. Joe Chick, 11. Derrick O’Hearn. NT

SECOND SEGMENT: (15 laps) 1. Seth Carlson, 2. Daniel Piastka, 3. Brandon Piastka, 4. Joe Krawiec, 5. Josh Sunn, 6. Justin Phillips, 7. Justin Sheridan, 8. Mike Chaffee, 9. Jeff Horn, 10. Derrick O’Hearn, 11. Joe Chick. NT

THIRD SEGMENT: (20 laps) 1. Justin Phillips, 2. Justin Sheridan, 3. Joe Krawiec, 4. Brandon Piastka, 5. Seth Carlson, 6. Josh Sunn, 7. Daniel Piastka, 8. Jeff Horn, 9. Derrick O’Hearn, 10. Mike Chaffee, 11. Joe Chick. NT

OVERALL FINISH: 1. Justin Phillips, 2. Justin Sheridan, 3. Seth Carlson, 4. Joe Krawiec, 5. Brandon Piastka, 6. Josh Sunn, 7. Daniel Piastka, 8. Mike Chaffee, 9. Jeff Horn, 10. Derrick O’Hearn, 11. Joe Chick. NT

FIRST SEGMENT LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-10 Justin Sheridan.

SECOND SEGMENT LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-3 Daniel Piastka, Laps 4-15 Seth Carlson.

THIRD SEGMENT LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-10 Mike Chaffee, Laps 11-20 Justin Phillips.

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2021 USAC DMA DRIVER POINT STANDINGS:

POS.	PTS.	DRIVER, HOMETOWN
1	726	Seth Carlson, Stafford, Conn.
2	688	Joe Krawiec, Granby, Conn.

3	685	Justin Sheridan, Suffield, Conn.
4	673	Justin Phillips, West Suffield, Conn.
5	658	Manny Dias, Danielson, Conn.
6	643	Brandon Piastka, West Suffield, Conn.
7	633	Josh Sunn, Plainville, Conn.
8	512	Will Hull, Plainfield, Vt.
9	336	Jeff Horn, Ashland, Mass.
10	291	Wayne Koehler, Jewett, N.Y.
11	286	Adrian Tetreault (R), Rumney, N.H.
12	184	Kelly Ferrell (R), Bradford, Vt.
13	145	Dylan Campbell, Southborough, Mass.
14	144	Tim West, Vernon, Conn.
15	66	Dan Lang (R), Alton Bay, N.H.
16	64	Wayne Stearns, Bradford, Vt.

(R) = Series Rookie

2021 USAC DMA FEATURE WINNERS:

May 8: Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, VT

WINNER: Will Hull

May 22: Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, VT

WINNER: Joe Krawiec

Jun 5: Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, VT

WINNER: Justin Phillips

Jun 12: Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, VT

WINNER: Seth Carlson

Jun 18: Albany-Saratoga Speedway – Malta, NY

WINNER: Justin Phillips

Jul 31: Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, VT

WINNER: Justin Sheridan

Aug 7: Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, VT

WINNER: Joe Krawiec

Aug 28: Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, VT

WINNER: Seth Carlson

Sep 11: Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, VT

WINNER: Seth Carlson

Sep 25: Bear Ridge Speedway – Bradford, VT

WINNER: Justin Phillips

2021 USAC DMA FEATURE WINS:

3-Seth Carlson & Justin Phillips

2-Joe Krawiec

1-Will Hull & Justin Sheridan

2021 USAC DMA TOP-5 FEATURE FINISHES:

8-Seth Carlson

7-Joe Krawiec & Justin Sheridan

6-Justin Phillips, Brandon Piastka & Josh Sunn

5-Will Hull

3-Manny Dias

1-Mike Chaffee & Jason Goff

2021 USAC DMA TOP-10 FEATURE FINISHES:

10-Joe Krawiec & Justin Sheridan

9-Seth Carlson, Manny Dias, Justin Phillips, Brandon Piastka & Josh Sunn

6-Jeff Horn & Will Hull

4-Wayne Koehler

3-Kelly Ferrell & Daniel Piastka

2-Dylan Campbell & Mike Chaffee

1-Floyd Billington, Jason Goff, Dan Lang, Derrick O'Hearn, Tyler Stark, Wayne Stearns, Adrian Tetreault, Jake Trainor & Tim West

2021 USAC DMA TOP-10 FEATURE STARTS:

10-Seth Carlson, Joe Krawiec, Justin Phillips, Brandon Piastka & Justin Sheridan

9-Manny Dias & Josh Sunn

8-Will Hull

6-Mike Chaffee, Jeff Horn, Wayne Koehler & Adrian Tetreault

4-Kelly Ferrell & Daniel Piastka

3-Dylan Campbell & Tom Chaffee

2-Tyler Stark & Tim West

1-Floyd Billington, Joe Chick, Jason Goff, Tim Iulig, Dan Lang, Derrick McGrew Jr., Derrick O'Hearn, Wayne Stearns & Jake Trainor