

1983 USAC NATIONAL MIDGET SEASON REVIEW

VOGLER "STREICHS" AGAIN FOR THIRD TITLE

By: Richie Murray

Rich Vogler and Jim Streicher teamed together to capture the 1983 USAC National Midget championship on the strength of winning four feature events and finishing with a whopping 141-point margin over runner-up Tom Bigelow.

Vogler's five successes included a third Hut 100 win at the Terre Haute (Ind.) Action Track as well as a pair of victories at Kokomo (Ind.) Speedway, and scores at Marshfield, Wisconsin's Yellow River Speedway and Fulton (N.Y.) Speedway.

The crown was Vogler's third with the series, but it was the first entrant title for car owner Streicher, whose five-year experience of fielding first-class equipment finally paid off with the championship for his Landmark Hotel & Casino team with a car constructed by Mike Saligoe and powered by a Volkswagen engine.

Jim's son Mike was extremely helpful in the team's success and took his first shot at driving chores in 1983 as a series Rookie. However, it was John Andretti, the 10th place finisher in the series, who captured the Bob Stroud Rookie of the Year award, while fourth-ranking Kenneth Nichols was voted the Most Improved Driver in the series. Longtime Fort Wayne and Kokomo promoter Bill Lipkey received the Jim Blunk Award for his contributions to USAC Midget racing.

Once again, Mel Kenyon was named the series' Most Popular Driver although he didn't win a single feature for the first time since 1961, ending 21 consecutive years with at least one USAC National Midget victory. His runner-up result in September at Godfrey (Ill.) Speedway marked the 300th feature podium finish of his USAC National Midget career.

The season opened with a pair of first-time winners at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum in Fort Wayne, Ind. where Todd Forbes and Mike Fedorcak pulled surprise victories. Forbes' performances earned him the Indoor Championship.

Defending champion Kevin Olson was forced to the sidelines in March with three cracked vertebrae following a crash in a non-USAC sanctioned event at the Seattle Kingdome in Washington. Arriving at Hales Corners (Wis.) Speedway in June with no plans to race, he tossed off his neck brace and accepted a ride in a second Wilke Racers car for the night, then promptly beat Vogler to the line in a 40-lap thriller for his long-awaited first career USAC National Midget feature victory.

Olson closed out the campaign with a major victory at Ascot Park in Gardena, Calif., snagging the November 100-lap feature after leader Ron Shuman fell out with 14 laps to go while pursuing his fifth-straight Turkey Night Grand Prix win.

The Eastern swing, co-sanctioned by USAC, ARDC and NEMA, in June produced young Nick Fornoro Jr.'s initial USAC National Midget feature win, coming at Five Mile Point Speedway in Binghamton, N.Y. Ken Schrader, in a strong bid to win the crown, captured a pair of major events, among them were the Night Before the 500 at Indianapolis Raceway Park and the Don Branson-Jud Larson Memorial at Rossburg, Ohio's Eldora Speedway.

Johnny Parsons was the winner of the 4-Crown Nationals feature at Eldora in September and Mack McClellan topped USAC's long-awaited return to Fairbury (Ill.) American Legion Speedway for the first time since 1970, 13 seasons ago.

Speaking of long absences, perhaps the most surprising victory of the campaign was posted by 52-year-old Arnie Knepper in the 25-miler at the Illinois State Fairgrounds mile. Arnie was running second on the final lap when leader Larry Rice suffered a flat tire in the final turn. The victory was Knepper's first in the series since 1970, setting an all-time record of 13 years, 2 months and 8 days between wins. Furthermore, the Joe Martinez-owned car he was driving was the ex-Dick Kincaid/Ed Lark entry used by Mike McGreevy to win the USAC Midget title nearly two decades earlier in 1965-1966.

Jim Hines and Tommy White were also first time USAC winners, the 46-year-old Hines scoring at Santa Fe Speedway in Hinsdale, Ill. and White, a USAC Western States Midget standout, winning at Ascot Park in October.

The racing world was stunned in May when 30-year-old Dana Carter suffered a fatal heart attack just hours after finishing second in a USAC Regional Midget feature at the Indianapolis (Ind.) Speedrome. Carter, runner-up in the 1975 USAC National Midget standings, had won his sixth and final career USAC National Midget feature in January.

It isn't common for a racecar to flip before getting to the track, but it happened to Jerry Russell en route to Belle-Clair.

The trailer unhitched and went 400 yards before falling into a ditch, digging in and flipping. The rig was recovered and hauled to the track. The engine fired, and New Zealand's Stuart Smith drove it to an 18th place finish in his USAC debut.

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: January 2, 1983 – Allen County War Memorial Coliseum – Fort Wayne, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Kevin Olson, 1, Carey-8.236; 2. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-8.288; 3. Todd Forbes, 69, Forbes-8.289; 4. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-8.304; 5. Rich Vogler, 28, Streicher-8.475; 6. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-8.387; 7. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-8.412; 8. Dana Carter, 54, Helmling-8.455; 9. Steve Lotshaw, 2, Lotshaw-8.458; 10. Jim Gates, 99wc, Tezak-8.503; 11. Jim Hettinger, 38, Wever-8.582; 12. Billy Engelhart, 7A, Fitchburg-8.623; 13. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-8.648; 14. Les Scott, 10, Scott-8.650; 15. Ken Hopkins, 15, Bennett-8.659; 16. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-8.731; 17. Ted Hines, 12, Hines-8.759; 18. K.V. Weiland, 84, Weiland-8.765; 19. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-8.772; 20. Rich Corson, 15A, Corson-8.819; 21. Mike Fedorcak, 54wc, Rencurrel-8.889; 22. Dean Billings, 66, King-8.968; 23. Lonnie Caruthers, 78, Caruthers-9.011; 24. Tom Hayworth, 61EC, Hayworth-9.014; 25. Bob Bennett, 44, Brozovich-9.081; 26. Bruce Field, 2EC, Kaelin-9.092; 27. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-9.168; 28. Troy Riley, 57EC, Riley-9.174; 29. Warren Mockler, 7, Mockler-9.299; 30. Chris Maxson, 5, Carey-9.497; 31. Tom Corcoran, 34EC, Windstrup-9.556; 32. Chuck Kryder Jr., 50EC, Kryder-9.768; 33. Jon Backlund, 18, Cornell-9.824; 34. Bob O'Lena, 24wc, O'Lena-9.847; 35. Fred Hight, 51EC, Hight-10.014; 36. Terry Taylor, 56EC, Taylor-10.002; 37. Ronnie McLean, 22wc, McLean-12.098; 38. Dick Pole, 8, Cornell-NT; 39. Dennis Devea, 12EC, Devea-NT; 40. Russ Gamester, 46, Gamester-NT; 41. Barry Reed, 53EC, Allen-NT.

NON-QUALIFIERS RACE: (15 laps) 1. Hayworth, 2. Mockler, 3. Backlund, 4. Kryder Jr., 5. Riley, 6. Bennett, 7. Field, 8. O'Lena, 9. Taylor, 10. Hight, 11. McLean, 12. Corcoran. NT

FIRST HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Fedorcak, 2. Lotshaw, 3. Vogler, 4. Nichols, 5. Olson, 6. T. Hines. 2:04.09

SECOND HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Jeff Nuckles, 2. Scott, 3. Billings, 4. Gates, 5. Jerry Nuckles, 6. Weiland. 2:11.74

THIRD HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Hayworth, 2. S. Cannon, 3. Brown, 4. Hettinger, 5. Hopkins, 6. Forbes. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (15 laps) 1. J. Hines, 2. D. Carter, 3. Bigelow, 4. Corson, 5. Engelhart, 6. Bennett. NT

SEMI: (20 laps) 1. Hettinger, 2. Engelhart, 3. S. Cannon, 4. Scott, 5. J. Hines, 6. Hopkins, 7. Fedorcak, 8. T. Hines, 9. Hayworth, 10. Nichols, 11. Weiland, 12. Corson, 13. Billings. NT

FEATURE: (75 laps) 1. Todd Forbes, 2. Jerry Nuckles, 3. Steve Lotshaw, 4. Dana Carter, 5. Alan Brown, 6. Jeff Nuckles, 7. Billy Engelhart, 8. Jim Gates, 9. Kevin Olson, 10. Tom Bigelow, 11. Rich Vogler, 12. Jim Hettinger. NT

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: January 16, 1983 – Allen County War Memorial Coliseum – Fort Wayne, Indiana – Little Hoosier Hundred

QUALIFYING: 1. Rich Vogler, 28, Streicher-8.017; 2. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-8.083; 3. Kevin Olson, 1, Carey-8.114; 4. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-8.131; 5. Todd Forbes, 69, Forbes-8.134; 6. Tom Corcoran, 34EC, Windstrup-8.135; 7. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-8.161; 8. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-8.174; 9. Ken Schrader, 10EC, Gojmeric-8.184; 10. Mike Fedorcak, 54wc, Rencurrel-8.200; 11. Ken Hopkins, 15, Bennett-8.210; 12. Dana Carter, 54, Helmling-8.210; 13. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-8.216; 14. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-8.233; 15. Steve Lotshaw, 2, Lotshaw-8.234; 16. Bruce Field, 2EC, Kaelin-8.252; 17. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-8.259; 18. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-8.267; 19. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-8.348; 20. Warren-Mockler, 7, Mockler-8.362; 21. Les Scott, 10, Scott-8.364; 22. Bob Bennett, 44, Brozovich-8.376; 23. K.V. Weiland, 84, Weiland-8.380; 24. Jon Backlund, 18, Cornell-8.416; 25. Barry Reed, 16EC, Reed-8.445; 26. Jim Hettinger, 38, Wever-8.451; 27. Troy Riley, 57EC, Riley-8.460; 28. Jon Backlund, 8, Cornell-8.489; 29. Ronnie McLean, 22wc, McLean-8.504; 30. Russ Gamester, 46, Gamester-8.531; 31. Rich Corson, 15A, Corson-8.562; 32. Gary Lesh, 57, Nuckles-8.649; 33. Ted Hines, 12, Hines-8.758; 34. Chris Maxson, 5, Maxson-8.797; 35. Chuck Kryder Jr., 50EC, Kryder-8.808; 36. Dean Billings, 66A, King-8.848; 37. Terry Taylor, 56EC, Taylor-8.964; 38. Bob O'Lena, 24wc, O'Lena-9.185; 39. Lonnie Rush, 83, Wachholz-9.284; 40. Les Scott, 1x, Scott-NT.

NON-QUALIFIERS RACE: (15 laps) 1. Reed, 2. Billings, 3. Lesh, 4. Hettinger, 5. T. Hines, 6. Taylor, 7. Kryder, 8. McLean, 9. Weiland, 10. Riley, 11. Backlund (#8), 12. Gamester, 13. Corson. NT

FIRST HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Forbes, 2. Vogler, 3. Brown, 4. Scott, 5. Andretti, 6. Schrader. NT

SECOND HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Bigelow, 2. Bennett, 3. Fedorcak, 4. Groff, 5. Baue. 2:04.15

THIRD HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Lotshaw, 2. S. Cannon, 3. Hopkins, 4. Olson, 5. J. Hines, 6. Weiland. 2:06.15

FOURTH HEAT: (15 laps) 1. D. Carter, 2. Nichols, 3. Jerry Nuckles, 4. Reed, 5. Mockler, 6. Field. NT

SEMI: (20 laps) 1. D. Carter, 2. Hopkins, 3. Lotshaw, 4. Brown, 5. Andretti, 6. Field, 7. Reed, 8. Mockler, 9. Groff, 10. Bennett, 11. Scott, 12. Baue, 13. S. Cannon. NT

FEATURE: (100 laps) 1. Mike Fedorcak, 2. Kenneth Nichols, 3. Jim Hines, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Ken Schrader, 6. Todd Forbes, 7. Tom Corcoran, 8. Dana Carter, 9. Jerry Nuckles, 10. Ken Hopkins, 11. Rich Vogler, 12. Kevin Olson. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-100 Fedorcak.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Bigelow-40, 2-Jerry Nuckles-37, 3-D.Carter-34, 4-Olson & Vogler & Fedorcak-29, 7-Lotshaw-25, 8-Nichols-24, 9-Jeff Nuckles & J.Hines-23.

**Todd Forbes won the Fort Wayne indoor championship but does not appear in the USAC standings since he competed on a Class II license.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: January 23, 1983 – Hara Arena – Dayton, Ohio – Pabst 100

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: January 23, 1983 – Hara Arena – Dayton, Ohio – Pabst 100

QUALIFYING: 1. Rich Vogler, 28, Streicher-7.472; 2. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-7.688; 3. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-7.706; 4. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-7.720; 5. Warren Mockler, 7, Mockler-7.795; 6. Kevin Olson, 1, Carey-7.844; 7. Mike Fedorcak, 54wc, Rencurrel-7.864; 8. Dana Carter, 54, Helmling-7.924; 9. Tom Corcoran, 34EC, Windstrup-8.008; 10. Ken Hopkins, 15, Bennett-8.057; 11. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-8.058; 12. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-8.083; 13. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-8.104; 14. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-8.114; 15. Lonnie Rush, 83, Rush-8.230; 16. Ronnie McLean, 22wc, McLean-8.257; 17. Tom Hayworth, 61EC, Hayworth-8.351; 18. Chuck Kryder Jr., 50EC, Kryder-8.423; 19. Ted Hines, 12, Hines-8.490; 20. Dean Billings, 66A, King-8.581; 21. Rick Ferkel, 8, Cornell-8.601; 22. Troy Riley, 57EC, Riley-8.692; 23. Barry Reed, 16EC, Reed-8.800; 24. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-8.899; 25. Todd Forbes, 69, Forbes-8.900; 26. Russ Gamester, 46, Gamester-9.247; 27. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-9.256.

NON-QUALIFIERS RACE: (15 laps) 1. Reed, 2. Brown, 3. Groff, 4. Forbes, 5. Gamester. NT

FIRST HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Vogler, 2. Nichols, 3. Mockler, 4. Hayworth, 5. Corcoran, 6. Ferkel. NT

SECOND HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Olson, 2. Hopkins, 3. Andretti, 4. Kryder Jr., 5. S. Cannon, 6. Riley. NT

THIRD HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Reed, 2. Rush, 3. T. Hines, 4. J. Hines, 5. Jerry Nuckles, 6. Fedorcak. 2:00.66

FOURTH HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Billings, 2. Bigelow, 3. Brown, 4. Mclean, 5. Jeff Nuckles, 6. D. Carter. NT

SEMI: (20 laps) 1. J. Hines, 2. Bigelow, 3. Billings, 4. Kryder Jr., 5. Brown, 6. Rush, 7. McLean, 8. Hayworth, 9. T. Hines, 10. Reed, 11. Nichols, 12. S. Cannon, 13. Ferkel, NT

FEATURE: (100 laps) 1. Dana Carter, 2. Tom Bigelow, 3. Kevin Olson, 4. Jerry Nuckles, 5. Warren Mockler, 6. Jim Hines, 7. John Andretti, 8. Tom Corcoran, 9. Jeff Nuckles, 10. Rich Vogler, 11. Mike Fedorcak, 12. Ken Hopkins. NT

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: March 5, 1983 – Prairie Capital Convention Center – Springfield, Illinois – Pepsi Cola/Center 100

QUALIFYING: 1. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-7.855; 2. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-7.870; 3. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-7.894; 4. Lonnie Rush, 83, Rush-7.991; 5. Ronnie McLean, 22wc, McLean-8.091; 6. Kevin Olson, 1, Carey-8.125; 7. Ted Hines, 12, Hines-8.137; 8. Dean Billings, 66A, King-8.159; 9. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-8.167; 10. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-8.183; 11. Troy Riley, 57EC, Riley-8.234; 12. Jim Gates, 99, Tezak-8.239; 13. Bill Hudson, 44A, Hudson-8.287; 14. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-8.352; 15. Bobby Allen, 53, Allen-8.425; 16. Warren Mockler, 7, Mockler-8.463; 17. Ron McFaddin, 29, Hartman-8.488; 18. Roger Branson, 96, Rousey-8.542; 19. Mike Fedorcak, 38, Wever-8.573; 20. Duke DeRosa, 34, Motz-8.622; 21. Rich Corson, 15A, Corson-8.803; 22. Ken Schrader, 10EC, Gojmeric-8.854; 23. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-8.927; 24. Dana Carter, 54, Helmling-8.949; 25. Bob O'Lena, 24wc, O'Lena-8.975; 26. Tom Corcoran, 34EC, Windstrup-9.022; 27. J.R. Armstrong, 8, Cornell-9.035; 28. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-9.391; 29. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-9.529; 30. Scott Hatton, 15EC, Hatton-9.784; 31. Danny Pens, 44, Brozovich-9.978; 32. Dave Camfield, 27, Harris-10.468; 33. Marty Davis, 82, Turner-NT.

NON-QUALIFIERS RACE: (15 laps) 1. D. Carter, 2. Andretti, 3. Hatton, 4. Armstrong, 5. S. Cannon, 6. Groff, 7. O'Lena, 8. Pens, 9. Corcoran, 10. Camfield. NT

FIRST HEAT: (15 laps) 1. McLean, 2. Nichols, 3. Bigelow, 4. Corson, 5. Hudson, 6. McFaddin. NT

SECOND HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Olson, 2. Jerry Nuckles, 3. Brown, 4. Branson, 5. Jeff Nuckles, 6. Schrader. 2:02.51

THIRD HEAT: (15 laps) 1. Allen, 2. T. Hines, 3. Fedorcak, 4. J. Hines, 5. Jeff Nuckles, 6. Groff. 1:55.09

FOURTH HEAT: (15 laps) 1. D. Carter, 2. Mockler, 3. Rush, 4. Gates, 5. Billings, 6. DeRosa. 1:54.52

SEMI: (20 laps) 1. Riley, 2. Hudson, 3. Mockler, 4. Brown, 5. D. Carter, 6. Gates, 7. Branson, 8. Schrader, 9. Fedorcak, 10. McFaddin, 11. Corson, 12. Allen, NT

FEATURE: (100 laps) 1. Jerry Nuckles, 2. Tom Bigelow, 3. Kenneth Nichols, 4. Kevin Olson, 5. Jeff Nuckles, 6. Jim Hines, 7. Ronnie McLean, 8. Ted Hines, 9. Bill Hudson, 10. Lonnie Rush, 11. Dean Billings, 12. Troy Riley. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-100 Jerry Nuckles.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Bigelow-87, 2-Jerry Nuckles-86, 3-Olson-75, 4-D. Carter-62, 5-Jeff Nuckles-58, 6-Nichols-56, 7-Jim Hines-55, 8-Vogler-49, 9-Fedorcak-38, 10-Lotshaw-25.

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: May 28, 1983 – Indianapolis Raceway Park – Clermont, Indiana – Night Before the 500

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Steve Lotshaw (#2 Lotshaw), 2. Rich Vogler (#4 Streicher), 3. Kenneth Nichols (#0 Nichols), 4. Dean Billings (#66 Billings), 5. Jim Hettinger (#54wc Rencurrel), 6. Richard Hope (#23 Hope), 7. Sam Isenhower (#6 Sandy), 8. Dave Keith (#40A Keith), 9. Bob Williams (#22 Patterson), 10. Troy Riley (#57EC Riley), 11. Jerry Nuckles (#59 Neidlinger). 4:00.09

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. John Andretti (#43 Armstrong), 2. Brad Hulings (#1A Wilke), 3. Alan Brown (#56 Brown), 4. Guy Cicconi (#61x Malvern), 5. Ken Hopkins (#15 Bennett), 6. Roy Caruthers (#5c Crucean), 7. Bill Thelaner (#66x King), 8. Tom D'Eath (#47 D'Eath), 9. Bob O'Lena (#24wc O'Lena), 10. Dick Billings (#15K Billings), 11. Billy Engelhart (#7x Fiscus). 4:03.65

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Ken Schrader (#55 Hamilton), 2. Warren Mockler (#7s Mockler), 3. John Jenkins (#81 Rieder), 4. Bob Jesser (#30 Jesser), 5. Jeff Palms (#85 Palms), 6. Mike Groff (#5wc Groff), 7. Barry Reed (#16EC Reed), 8. John Batts Jr. (#41 Hunter), 9. Danny Williams Jr. (#5w Williams), 10. Lonnie Caruthers (#78 Caruthers). 4:02.55

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Nick Fornoro Jr. (#21EC Scrivani), 2. Jeff Nuckles (#57 Nuckles), 3. Bob Cicconi (#59EC Cicconi), 4. Tom Bigelow (#16 Sandy), 5. Lonnie Rush (#83 Rush), 6. Stan Fox (#9 Lewis), 7. Mel Kenyon (#54 Helmling), 8. Rusty Rasmussen (#38 Rasmussen), 9. J.R. Miller (#43x Miller), 10. Ben Gustafson (#64 C.R.). 3:59.77

SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Kenyon, 2. Gustafson, 3. Isenhower, 4. Fox, 5. Groff, 6. Engelhart, 7. Dick Billings, 8. Rasmussen, 9. Caruthers, 10. Miller, 11. Keith, 12. Reed, 13. Bob Williams, 14. O'Lena, 15. D'Eath, 16. Danny Williams Jr., 17. Thelaner, 18. Batts Jr., 19. Riley, 20. Jerry Nuckles. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Ken Schrader, 2. John Andretti, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Bob Cicconi, 5. Jeff Nuckles, 6. Nick Fornoro Jr., 7. Warren Mockler, 8. Jim Hettinger, 9. Steve Lotshaw, 10. Ben Gustafson, 11. Kenneth Nichols, 12. John Jenkins, 13. Stan Fox, 14. Sam Isenhower, 15. Dean Billings, 16. Ken Hopkins, 17. Alan Brown, 18. Mel Kenyon, 19. Bob Jesser, 20. Jeff Palms, 21. Brad Hulings, 22. Jerry Nuckles (#83), 23. Guy Cicconi, 24. Tom Bigelow. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-21 Fornoro Jr., Laps 22-30 Schrader.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Bigelow-89, 2-Jerry Nuckles-86, 3-Jeff Nuckles-79, 4-Kevin Olson-75, 5-Vogler-74, 6-Nichols-66, 7-Dana Carter-62, 8-Jim Hines-55, 9-Schrader-49, 10-Andretti-48.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: June 4, 1983 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – Don Branson-Jud Larson Memorial

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QUALIFYING: 1. Stan Fox, 9, Lewis-18.223; 2. Ken Schrader, 55, Hamilton-18.267; 3. Joe Saldana, 43, Armstrong-18.431; 4. Bob Jesser, 30, Jesser-18.449; 5. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-18.477; 6. Steve Lotshaw, 2, Lotshaw-18.512; 7. Mel Kenyon, 54, Helmling-18.530; 8. Bob Cicconi, 59EC, Cicconi-18.624; 9. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-18.667; 10. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-18.864; 11. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-18.979; 12. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-18.994; 13. Bill Hudson, 44A, Hudson-19.317; 14. Warren Mockler, 7s, Saligoe-19.342; 15. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-19.380; 16. Dean Billings, 66, King-19.537; 17. Ron Mullen, 44EC, Mullen-19.705; 18. Troy Riley, 57EC, Riley-19.981; 19. Roy Caruthers, 5c, Crucean-20.143; 20. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-20.413; 21. Rick Laughlin, 42, Laughlin-20.731; 22. Bob O'Lena, 24EC, O'Lena-20.950; 23. Rick Kruse, 41, Kruse-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Vogler, 2. Fox, 3. Bigelow, 4. Mullen, 5. Hudson, 6. Laughlin. 2:29.67

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Schrader, 2. Mockler, 3. Isenhower, 4. Riley, 5. O'Lena, 6. Lotshaw. 2:31.70

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Kenyon, 2. Saldana, 3. Jerry Nuckles, 4. Nichols, 5. Caruthers. 2:30.66

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jeff Nuckles, 2. B. Cicconi, 3. Billings, 4. Jesser. 2:29.35

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Lotshaw, 2. Hudson, 3. Caruthers, 4. Laughlin, 5. O'Lena. 3:13.19

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Ken Schrader, 2. Mel Kenyon, 3. Bob Cicconi, 4. Bob Jesser, 5. Tom Bigelow, 6. Steve Lotshaw, 7. Sam Isenhower, 8. Kenneth Nichols, 9. Dean Billings, 10. Warren Mockler, 11. Bill Hudson, 12. Jerry Nuckles, 13. Rick Laughlin, 14. Joe Saldana, 15. Rich Vogler, 16. Ron Mullen, 17. Troy Riley, 18. Stan Fox, 19. Jeff Nuckles, 20. Roy Caruthers. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-6 Saldana, Laps 7-21 Vogler, Lap 22 Saldana, Laps 23-30 Schrader.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Bigelow-109, 2-Jerry Nuckles-95, 3-Schrader-88, 4-Jeff Nuckles & Vogler-84, 6-Nichols-79, 7-Olson-75, 8-Dana Carter-62, 9-Lotshaw-57, 10-Jim Hines-55.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: June 8, 1983 – Kokomo Speedway – Kokomo, Indiana

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QUALIFYING: 1. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-16.653; 2. Johnny Parsons, 69, Lockard-16.836; 3. Bob Jesser, 30, Jesser-16.839; 4. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-16.917; 5. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-16.944; 6. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-16.955; 7. J.R. Miller, 43x, Miller-16.957; 8. Warren Mockler, 7s, Saligoe-16.991; 9. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-17.047; 10. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-17.079; 11. Larry Rice, 9, Pool-17.081; 12. Mel Kenyon, 54, Helmling-17.105, 13. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-17.109; 14. Billy Engelhart, 7x, Fitchburg-17.154; 15. Jim Jones, 45, Jones-17.169; 16. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-17.229; 17. K.V.

Weiland, 84, Weiland-17.306; 18. Mack McClellan, 18, McClellan-17.328; 19. Roy Caruthers, 5c, Crucean-17.439; 20. Alan Brown, 20, Schnelle-17.440; 21. Bill Hudson, 44A, Hudson-17.473; 22. Dave Keith, 40A, Keith-17.489; 23. Richard Hope, 23, Hope-17.569; 24. Bobby Allen, 53EC, Allen-17.716; 25. John Batts Jr., 41, Hunter-17.795; 26. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-17.872; 27. Danny Williams Jr., 5w, Williams-18.027; 28. Rick Laughlin, 42, Laughlin-18.224; 29. Troy Riley, 57EC, Riley-18.286; 30. Bob O'Lena, 24EC, O'Lena-18.666; 31. Ted Hines, 12, Hines-19.652; 32. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Vogler, 2. Nichols, 3. Jerry Nuckles, 4. Groff, 5. Batts, 6. Weiland, 7. Hudson. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Andretti, 2. McClellan, 3. Engelhart, 4. Parsons, 5. Isenhower, 6. Keith, 7. Baue. 2:56.41

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Hope, 2. Miller, 3. Jesser, 4. Rice, 5. Caruthers, 6. Jones, 7. Williams. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Kenyon, 2. Mockler, 3. Bigelow, 4. Brown, 5. Allen, 6. Laughlin, 7. Jeff Nuckles. NT

SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Isenhower, 2. Caruthers, 3. Jones, 4. Laughlin, 5. Williams, 6. Nuckles, 7. Hudson, 8. Batts Jr., 9. Keith, 10. Weiland, 11. Baue, 12. Allen. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Sam Isenhower, 3. Mel Kenyon, 4. Billy Engelhart, 5. Larry Rice, 6. Jerry Nuckles, 7. Bob Jesser, 8. Mike Groff, 9. Roy Caruthers, 10. Kenneth Nichols, 11. John Andretti, 12. Rick Laughlin, 13. Mack McClellan, 14. Warren Mockler, 15. Tom Bigelow, 16. Johnny Parsons, 17. J.R. Miller, 18. Richard Hope, 19. Jim Jones, 20. Alan Brown. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Lap 1 Miller, Laps 2-40 Vogler.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-120, 2-Bigelow-114, 3-Jerry Nuckles-112, 4-Nichols-90, 5-Schrader-88, 6-Jeff Nuckles-87, 7-Olson-75, 8-D. Carter-62, 9-Andretti-60, 10-Lotshaw & Mockler-57.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: June 10, 1983 – Hales Corners Speedway – Hales Corners, Wisconsin

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: June 10, 1983 – Hales Corners Speedway – Hales Corners, Wisconsin

QUALIFYING: 1. Bob Jesser, 30, Jesser-17.491; 2. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-17.498; 3. Kevin Olson, 1x, Wilke-17.508; 4. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-17.517; 5. J.R. Miller, 43wc, Miller-17.562; 6. Stan Fox, 9, Lewis-17.580; 7. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-17.587; 8. Richard Hope, 23, Hope-17.590; 9. Dave Wunrow, 43EC, Wunrow-17.591; 10. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-17.595, 11. Ken Schrader, 1A, Gojmeric-17.634; 12. Joe Corrigan, 65, Corrigan-17.665; 13. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-17.700; 14. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-17.725; 15. Mel Kenyon, 61, 3-K-17.742; 16. Dave Ray, 33, Ray-17.754; 17. Kevin Koch, 41w, Koch-17.772; 18. Dan Boorse, 3w, Kutner-17.780; 19. Don Tyler, 18wc, Tyler-17.788; 20. Jim Jones, 45, Jones-17.849; 21. Greg Nelson, 32, Nelson-17.900; 22. Billy Engelhart, 7EC, Fitchburg-17.926; 23. Dan Fredenberg, 1w, Wilke-17.941; 24. Charlie Ford, 48p, Ford-17.949; 25. Butch Dahlke, 6w, Dahlke-17.968; 26. Larry Hillerud, 51wc, Hillerud-18.033; 27. Tom Teaters, 70, Teaters-18.091; 28. C.L. Smith, 17wc, Wernick-18.188; 29. Butch Turnquist, 82, Turner-18.189; 30. Al Fredenberg, 14w, Schenk-18.197; 31. Eddie Loomis, 49 Loomis-18.225; 32. Dick Billings, 15K, Billings-18.314; 33. Craig Kasper, 77, Kasprovich-18.459; 34. Rick Keller, 77w, Kater-18.603; 35. Jim Lothe, 23w, Lothe-18.631; 36. Brad Weber, 96w, Weber-18.692; 37. Al Cole, 44w, Cole-18.728; 38. Chuck Dann, 7w, Dretzka-18.851; 39. Pat Sholtis, 54w, Sholtis-18.917; 40. Dean Billings, 56w, Komppa-19.007; 41. Jeff Lockwood, 75w, Lockwood-19.045; 42. Tim Pangborn, 71, Lundgreen-NT; 43. Jim Coughlin, 79, Coughlin-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Groff, 2. Nelson, 3. Miller, 4. Jesser, 5. Dahlke, 6. Koch, 7. Wunrow, 8. Turnquist. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Engelhart, 2. Boorse, 3. Andretti, 4. Hillerud, 5. A. Fredenberg, 6. Fox, 7. Nichols, 8. Bigelow. NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. D. Fredenberg, 2. Schrader, 3. Olson, 4. Loomis, 5. Kenyon, 6. Isenhower, 7. Tyler, 8. Teaters. 3:04.28

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Vogler, 2. Jones, 3. Corrigan, 4. Ray, 5. Ford, 6. Dick Billin, 7. Hope, 8. Smith. 3:02.18

NON-QUALIFIERS RACE: (12 laps) 1. Lothe, 2. Dean Billings, 3. Weber, 4. Kasper, 5. Dann, 6. Keller, 7. Lockwood, 8. Cole, 9. Sholtis, 10. Coughlin. NT

SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Fox, 2. Ford, 3. Bigelow, 4. Isenhower, 5. Nichols, 6. Kenyon, 7. Tyler, 8. Wunrow, 9. Lothe, 10. Dean Billings, 11. Teaters, 12. Dick Billings, 13. Weber, 14. A. Fredenberg, 15. Kasper, 16. Hope, 17. Dahlke, 18. Turnquist, 19. Koch, 20. Smith. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Kevin Olson, 2. Rich Vogler, 3. John Andretti, 4. Mike Groff, 5. Ken Schrader, 6. Dave Ray, 7. Billy Engelhart, 8. Sam Isenhower, 9. Dan Boorse, 10. Charlie Ford, 11. Joe Corrigan, 12. Greg Nelson, 13. J.R. Miller, 14. Dan Fredenberg, 15. Larry Hillerud, 16. Tom Bigelow, 17. Jim Jones, 18. Eddie Loomis, 19. Bob Jesser, 20. Stan Fox. 12:55.00

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Lap 1 Fox, Laps 2-11 Isenhower, Laps 12-40 Olson.

**Richard Hope escaped injury when he flipped wildly on the 5th lap of the semi.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: June 12, 1983 – Yellow River Speedway – Marshfield, Wisconsin

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: June 12, 1983 – Yellow River Speedway – Marshfield, Wisconsin

QUALIFYING: 1. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-20.983; 2. Stan Fox, 9, Lewis-21.163; 3. J.R. Miller, 43wc, Miller-21.285; 4. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-21.322; 5. Ted Tracey, 5NZ, Tracey-21.394; 6. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-21.394; 7. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-21.444; 8. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-21.741; 9. K.V. Weiland, 84, Weiland-22.032; 10. Dick Billings 66EC King-22.090; 11. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-22.300; 12. Dean Billings, 66A, King-22.377; 13. Chuck Snyder, 17, Theis-23.868; 14. Jim Kouba, 6m, Kouba-24.703; 15. Richard Hope 23 Hope-NT.

TROPHY DASH: (4 laps) 1. Vogler, 2. Fox, 3. Groff, 4. Miller. NT

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Vogler, 2. Bigelow, 3. Groff, 4. Dick Billings, 5. Snyder. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Andretti, 2. Fox, 3. Tracey, 4. Nichols, 5. Kouba. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Isenhower, 2. Miller, 3. Dean Billings, 4. Weiland. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Tracey, 2. Bigelow, 3. Nichols, 4. Dean Billings, 5. Snyder, 6. Dick Billings, 7. Groff, 8. Weiland, 9. Kouba. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Mike Groff, 3. Tom Bigelow, 4. John Andretti, 5. Kenneth Nichols, 6. Sam Isenhower, 7. J.R. Miller, 8. Dean Billings, 9. Ted Tracey, 10. Chuck Snyder, 11. Stan Fox, 12. Dick Billings. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS. Laps 1-14 Tracey, Laps 15-40 Vogler.

**Richard Hope escaped injury when he flipped during warmups and Jim Kouba also was unhurt in a flip at the start of the semi.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-189, 2-Bigelow-142, 3-Nichols-115, 4-Jerry Nuckles-114, 5-Schrader-106, 6-Andretti & Olson-105, 8-Jeff Nuckles-87 9-Isenhower-76, 10-Groff-62.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: June 24, 1983 – Albany-Saratoga Speedway – Malta, New York

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: June 24, 1983 – Albany-Saratoga Speedway – Malta, New York

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Gene Gennetten (#3EC Gennetten), 2. Rich Vogler (#4 Streicher), 3. Ken Schrader (#1A Gojmeric), 4. P.J. Roberts (#60 McIlroy), 5. Mike Groff (#5wc Groff), 6. Sam Isenhower (#6 Sandy), 7. Drew Fornoro (#45N Angelillo), 8. Kevin Scully (#6s Scully), 9. John Jenkins (#81 Rieder), 10. Bob Pick (#5x Pick). NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow (#16 Sandy), 2. Doug Craig (#31 Craig), 3. Bob Cicconi (#59EC Cicconi), 4. Stan Fox (#9 Lewis), 5. Kenneth Nichols (#0 Nichols), 6. Frank Fiore (#88 Fiore), 7. Lee Smith (#27N Smith), 8. George Sifo (#63 Sifo), 9. Ross Triol (#41N Triol), 10. John Heydenreich (#80 Bollinger). NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Nick Fornoro Jr. (#1x Scrivani), 2. J.R. Miller (#43wc Miller), 3. Jim Fearick (#29 Percival), 4. Paul Stoehr (#2N Czynewski), 5. Denny Yakam (#88N Casey), 6. Frank Yantorno (#51N Yantorno), 7. Bill Roynon (#9x Roynon), 8. Guy Cicconi (#61x Cicconi), 9. Joe Oller (#20 Brinks), 10. John Buzzard (#14 Buzzard). NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Jenkins, 2. Triol, 3. Buzzard, 4. Heydenreich, 5. Sifo, 6. Oller, 7. Pick, 8. Scully, 9. G. Cicconi. NT

ALSO AT THE TRACK: (#2EC Kaelin) & (#45A Angelillo).

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Gene Gennetten, 2. Nick Fornoro Jr., 3. Ken Schrader, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Rich Vogler, 6. John Jenkins, 7. Stan Fox, 8. P.J. Roberts, 9. John Heydenreich, 10. Doug Craig, 11. Kenneth Nichols, 12. Bob Cicconi, 13. John Buzzard, 14. Paul Stoehr, 15. Ross Triol, 16. Denny Yakam, 17. Frank Fiore Jr., 18. J.R. Miller, 19. Drew Fornoro, 20. Lee Smith, 21. Sam Isenhower, 22. Frank Yantorno, 23. Mike Groff, 24. Bill Roynon. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-15 Gennetten, Laps 16-19 Schrader, Laps 20-30 Gennetten.

**J.R. Miller escaped injury when he flipped on the 46th lap of the feature.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-207, 2-Bigelow-163, 3-Schrader-127, 4-Nichols-12 5-Jerry Nuckles-114, 6-Olson & Andretti-105, 8-Jeff Nuckles-87, 9-Isenhower-77, 10-Groff-62.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: June 25, 1983 – Fulton Speedway – Fulton, New York

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: June 25, 1983 – Fulton Speedway – Fulton, New York

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Ken Schrader (#1A Gojmeric), 2. Bob Cicconi (#59EC Cicconi), 3. Nick Fornoro Jr. (#1x Scrivani), 4. Ross Triol (#41N Triol), 5. Tom Bigelow (#16 Sandy), 6. Paul Stoehr (#2N Czynewski), 7. Denny Yakam (#88N Casey), 8. Kevin Scully (#6s Scully), 9. Stan Bielusiak (#19n Bielusiak). 3:02.67

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Rich Vogler (#4 Streicher), 2. Stan Fox (#9 Lewis), 3. Kenneth Nichols (#0 Nichols), 4. John Jenkins (#81 Rieder), 5. Guy Cicconi (#61x Cicconi), 6. Richard Hope (#23EC Hope), 7. Frank Fiore Jr. (#88 Fiore), 8. Bob Pick (#5x Pick), 9. Bill Roynon (#9x Roynon), 10. Frank Yantorno (#51N Yantorno). 3:03.91

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Gene Gennetten (#3EC Gennetten), 2. John Heydenreich (#80 Bollinger), 3. Jim Fearick (#29 Percival), 4. P.J. Roberts (#60 McIlroy), 5. Mike Groff (#5wc Groff), 6. John Buzzard (#14 Buzzard), 7. Billy Hughes (#22 Hughes), 8. Sam Isenhower (#6 Sandy). 3:07.19

ALSO AT THE TRACK: Lew Blair (#33x Blair).

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Gene Gennetten, 3. Ken Schrader, 4. Stan Fox, 5. P.J. Roberts, 6. Doug Craig, 7. Kenneth Nichols, 8. Paul Stoehr, 9. Sam Isenhower/Tom Bigelow (#6), 10. Billy Hughes, 11. John Buzzard, 12. Ross Triol, 13. Frank Fiore Jr., 14. Frank Yantorno, 15. Nick Fornoro Jr., 16. John Heydenreich, 17. Richard Hope, 18. Denny Yakam, 19. Bob Pick, 20. Guy Cicconi, 21. Kevin Scully, 22. John Jenkins, 23. Bob Cicconi, 24. Bill Roynon, 25. Jim Fearick, 26. Tom Bigelow (#16), 27. Mike Groff, 28. Stan Bielusiak. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-30 Vogler.

**Tom Bigelow was involved in a 9-car tangle at the start of the feature in #16. He replaced Sam Isenhower in #6 for the restart.

NEW USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-235, 2-Bigelow-164, 3-Schrader-150, 4-Nichols-136, 5-Jerry Nuckles-114, 6-Olson & Andretti-105, 8-Jeff Nuckles-87, 9-Isenhower-77, 10-Fox-70.

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: June 29, 1983 – Five Mile Point Speedway – Binghamton, New York

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Nick Fornoro Jr. (#1N Scrivani), 2. John Jenkins (#81 Rieder), 3. Doug Craig (#31 Craig), 4. P.J. Roberts (#60 McIlroy), 5. Denny Yakam (#88N Casey), 6. Jim Fearick (#29 Percival), 7. Terry Smith (#2A Smith), 8. Lee Smith (#27N Smith), 9. Harry Benjamin (#10N Benjamin), 10. Kevin Scully (#6s Scully). NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Rich Vogler (#4 Streicher), 2. Richard Hope (#23EC Hope), 3. Bob Cicconi (#2EC Kaelin), 4. Mike Groff (#5wc Groff), 5. Paul Stoehr (#2N Czyzewski), 6. Ross Triol (#41N Triol), 7. Frank Yantorno (#51N Yantorno), 8. Stan Bielusiak (#19N Bielusiak), 9. William Evans (#41x Evans). 2:07.29

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. John Heydenreich (#80 Bollinger), 2. Ken Schrader (#1A Gojmeric), 3. Kenneth Nichols (#0 Nichols), 4. Tom Bigelow (#16 Sandy), 5. Drew Fornoro (#45N Angelillo), 6. Sam Isenhower (#6 Sandy), 7. Bill Roynon (#9x Roynon), 8. Frank Fiore Jr. (#88 Fiore), 9. George Light (#16x Light), 10. John Buzzard (#14 Buzzard), 11. Bob Pick (#5x Pick). 2:10.30

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Nick Fornoro Jr., 2. John Heydenreich, 3. Bob Cicconi, 4. Drew Fornoro, 5. Tom Bigelow, 6. John Buzzard, 7. P.J. Roberts, 8. Bill Roynon, 9. Paul Stoehr, 10. Denny Yakam, 11. Rich Vogler, 12. Frank Yantorno, 13. Ross Triol/Kenneth Nichols, 14. Ken Schrader, 15. Sam Isenhower, 16. Richard Hope, 17. Mike Groff, 18. Doug Craig, 19. Terry Smith, 20. Stan Bielusiak, 21. John Jenkins, 22. Kenneth Nichols, 23. Frank Fiore Jr., 24. Bill Evans, 25. Jim Fearick. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-2 Fornoro Jr., Laps 3-12 Vogler, Laps 13-30 Fornoro Jr.

**Lee Smith flipped during the first heat race and Terry Smith flipped on the 16th lap the feature but neither driver was injured.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-246, 2-Bigelow-180, 3-Schrader-157, 4-Nichols-138, 5-Jerry Nuckles-114, 6-Olson & Andretti-105, 8-Jeff Nuckles-87, 9-Isenhower-81, 10-Fox-70.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: July 13, 1983 – Kokomo Speedway – Kokomo, Indiana

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS. July 13, 1983 – Kokomo Speedway – Kokomo, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-17.00; 2. Kevin Olson, 1w, Wilke-17.03; 3. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-17.08; 4. Mel Kenyon, 54, Helmling-17.15; 5. Maurice Cowling, 71NZ, Cowling-17.17; 6. Ted Tracey, 5NZ, Tracey-17.28; 7. Charlie Ford, 48p, Ford-17.28; 8. Mack McClellan, 18EC, McClellan-17.33; 9. Warren Mockler, 7s, Mockler-17.33; 13. J.R. Miller, 43wc, Miller-17.35; 11. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-17.37; 12. Kevin Doty, 50, Doty-17.37; 13. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-17.41; 14. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-17.48; 15. John Batts Jr., 41, Hunter-17.57; 16. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-17.64; 17. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-17.65; 18. Johnny Green, 52, Green-17.65; 19. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-17.65; 20. Russ Gamester, 34EC, Windstrup-17.68; 21. Tom Hayworth, 61, Hayworth-17.72; 22. Steve Cannon, 48, Heertoth-17.83, 23. Kevin Potter, 58, Potter-17.87; 24. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-17.89; 25. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-17.94; 26. Bob O'Lena, 24EC, O'Lena-17.96; 27. Roy Caruthers, 5c, Crucean-18.010; 28. Joe Roush, 3x, Roush-18.02; 29. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-18.08; 30. Ken Hopkins, 15, Bennett-18.230; 31. Danny Williams Jr., 5w, Williams-18.92; 32. Terry Starks, 12x, Starks-19.87, 33. Ted Hines, 12, Hines-NT; 34. Richard Hope, 23, Hope-NT; 35. Bob Jesser, 30, Jesser-NT; 36. Bill Hudson, 44A, Jones-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Vogler, 2. Bigelow, 3. Baue, 4. Mockler, 5. Cowling, 6. Hayworth, 7. Andretti. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Olson, 2. Nichols, 3. S. Cannon, 4. Tracey. 5. Green, 6. O'Lena, 7. Miller. NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Jerry Nuckles, 2. Jeff Nuckles, 3. Ford, 4. Isenhower, 5. Batts Jr., 6. R. Caruthers, 7. K. Potter. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Doty, 2. Kenyon, 3. Groff, 4. McClellan, 5. Brown, 6. Roush, 7. Gamester. NT

SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Miller, 2. Brown, 3. Gamester, 4. R. Caruthers, 5. Hayworth, 6. Cowling, 7. J. Hines, 8. Williams, 9. Roush, 10. O'Lena, 11. Batts Jr., 12. K. Potter. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Jeff Nuckles, 3. Kevin Olson, 4. Charlie Ford, 5. Steve Cannon, 6. Tom Bigelow, 7. Kenneth Nichols, 8. Sam Isenhower, 9. Warren Mockler, 10. Alan Brown, 11. Jerry Nuckles, 12. Mack McClellan, 13. Russ Gamester, 14. Mel Kenyon, 15. Mike Groff, 16. Bill Baue, 17. Kevin Doty, 18. Roy Caruthers, 19. J.R. Miller, 20. Tom Hayworth. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-40 Vogler.

**Bob Jesser flipped in turn 4 during qualifying. Roy Caruthers flipped in turn 4 on lap 2 of the feature. Mike Groff & Bill Baue both flipped in a tangle in turn 3 on lap 4 of the feature but there were no injuries.

NEW USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-282, 2-Bigelow-196, 3-Schrader-157, 4-Nichols-157, 5-Olson-134, 6-Jerry Nuckles-125, 7-Jeff Nuckles-115, 8-Andretti-105, 9-Isenhower-92, 10-Cicconi-79.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: July 29, 1983 – Fairbury American Legion Speedway – Fairbury, Illinois

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: July 29, 1983 – Fairbury American Legion Speedway – Fairbury, Illinois

RAINED OUT - Rescheduled for Friday, August 5.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: July 31, 1983 – Santa Fe Speedway – Hinsdale, Illinois

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: July 31, 1983 – Santa Fe Speedway – Hinsdale, Illinois

QUALIFYING: 1. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-14.785; 2. J.R. Miller, 43x, Miller-15.065; 3. Jerry Russell, 19, Kunz-15.090; 4. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-15.152; 5. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-15.172; 6. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-15.177; 7. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-15.207; 8. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-15.228; 9. Kurt Mayhew, 21, Mayhew-15.234; 10. Kevin Doty, 50, Doty-15.235; 11. Kevin Olson, 1w, Wilke-15.247; 12. Roy Caruthers, 5c, Crucean-15.277; 13. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-15.299; 14. Ken Hopkins, 15, Bennett-15.311; 15. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-15.339; 16. Barry Reed, 53, Allen-15.345; 17. Dick Pole, 25EC, Downing-15.374; 18. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-15.385; 19. Jerry Weeks, 67, Schneider-15.402; 20. Kevin Potter, 58, Potter-15.404; 21. K.V. Weiland, 84, Weiland-15.420; 22. Don Tyler, 18wc, Tyler-15.427; 23. Warren Mockler, 7s, Saligoe-15.450; 24. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-15.451; 25. Bob O'Lena, 24EC, O'Lena-15.514; 26. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-15.536; 27. Ted Hines, 12, Hines-15.552; 28. Mel Kenyon, 54, Helmling-16.024; 29. Rich Corson, 15EC, Corson-16.025; 30. Chris Maxson, 5, Maxson-16.060.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Brown, 2. Jeff Nuckles, 3. J. Hines, 4. Mayhew, 5. O'Lena, 6. Weiland, 7. Pole. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Nichols, 2. D. Tyler, 3. Groff, 4. Vogler, 5. Hopkins, 6. K. Doty, 7. J.R. Miller. NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Mockler, 2. Olson, 3. Jerry Nuckles, 4. Bigelow, 5. Russell, 6. T. Hines, 7. Corson. 2:37.70

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. S. Cannon, 2. Kenyon, 3. Isenhower, 4. R. Caruthers, 5. K. Potter, 6. Andretti, 7. Reed. 2:38.54

SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Andretti, 2. J.R. Miller, 3. Russell, 4. K. Doty, 5. K. Potter, 6. Corson, 7. O'Lena, 8. Reed, 9. Hopkins, 10. Pole, 11. Weiland, 12. T. Hines. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Jim Hines, 2. Jeff Nuckles, 3. Sam Isenhower, 4. Kenneth Nichols, 5. Roy Caruthers, 6. Tom Bigelow, 7. Kevin Doty, 8. Kevin Olson, 9. Rich Vogler, 10. Mike Groff, 11. J.R. Miller, 12. Kurt Mayhew, 13. John Andretti, 14. Don Tyler, 15. Mel Kenyon, 16. Alan Brown, 17. Warren Mockler, 18. Jerry Russell, 19. Jerry Nuckles, 20. Steve Cannon. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-9 Groff, Laps 10-32 Russell, Laps 33-40 J. Hines.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-292, 2-Bigelow-210, 3-Nichols-173, 4-Schrader-157, 5-Olson & Jeff Nuckles-147, 7-Jerry Nuckles-127, 8-Andretti-114, 9-Isenhower-113, 10-J. Hines-83.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: August 5, 1983 – Fairbury American Legion Speedway – Fairbury, Illinois

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: August 5, 1983 – Fairbury American Legion Speedway – Fairbury, Illinois

QUALIFYING: 1. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-14.254; 2. Dave Ray, 33, Ray-14.266; 3. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-14.339; 4. Terry Wente, 33x, Mueller-14.426; 5. Mack McClellan, 18EC, McClellan-14.630; 6. Bill Baue, 19, Kunz-14.680; 7. Warren Mockler, 75, Saligoe-14.691; 8. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-14.730; 9. Bob Jesser, 30, Jesser-14.738; 10. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-14.772; 11. K.V. Weiland, 84, Weiland-14.864; 12. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-14.979; 13. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-

15.141; 14. Todd Holderfield, 74, Holderfield-15.205; 15. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-15.475; 16. Terry Starks, 12, Starks-16.826; 17. Troy Riley, 57EC, Riley-17.902; 18. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-NT; 19. Don Tyler, 67, Schneider-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Mockler, 2. Nichols, 3. Bigelow, 4. Jerry Nuckles, 5. T. Wente, 6. Riley. 2:23.90

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. McClellan, 2. Weiland, 3. S. Cannon, 4. Ray, 5. J. Hines. 2:26.02

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Brown, 2. Baue, 3. Jesser, 4. Isenhower, 5. Starks. 2:27.50

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Jerry Nuckles, 2. T. Wente, 3. Isenhower, 4. J. Hines, 5. Starks, 6. Riley, 7. Ray. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Mack McClellan, 2. Steve Cannon, 3. Jerry Nuckles, 4. Warren Mockler, 5. Terry Wente, 6. Bob Jesser, 7. Sam Isenhower, 8. Kenneth Nichols, 9. Alan Brown, 10. Jim Hines, 11. Bill Baue, 12. K.V. Weiland, 13. Tom Bigelow, 14. Terry Starks, 15. Troy Riley, 16. Dave Ray. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-40 McClellan.

**Sam Isenhower escaped injury when he flipped during the semi-feature. He returned to compete in the feature event.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-292, 2-Bigelow-217, 3-Nichols-186, 4-Schrader-157, 5-Jerry Nuckles-155, 6-Olson & Jeff Nuckles-147, 8-Isenhower-129, 9-Andretti-114, 10-Mockler-93.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: August 19, 1983 – Springfield Speedway – Springfield, Illinois

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: August 19, 1983 – Springfield Speedway – Springfield, Illinois

QUALIFYING: 1. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-12.661; 2. Rich Vogler, 4, Steicher-12.731; 3. Gene Gennetten, 3EC, Gennetten-12.785; 4. Kevin Olson, 1w, Wilke-12.794; 5. Bob Jesser, 30, Jesser-12.808; 6. Ted Tracey, 5NZ, Tracey-12.845; 7. Ken Schrader, 1A, Gojmeric-12.845; 8. Mack McClellan, 18EC, McClellan-12.851; 9. Mel Kenyon, 54, Helmling-12.874; 10. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-12.906; 11. Paul Clark, 91, Lahm-12.933; 12. Warren Mockler, 75, Saligoe-12.946; 13. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-12.949; 14. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-12.950; 15. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-12.952; 16. Johnny Parsons, 19, Kunz-12.962; 17. Steve Knepper, 55JR, Knepper-12.986; 18. Kevin Doty, 50, Doty-12.992; 19. Duke DeRosa, 34, Motz-13.005; 20. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-13.104; 21. Ron Hughes Jr., 45, Hughes-13.142; 22. Bryan Holderfield, 73, Holderfield-13.160; 23. J.R. Miller, 43wc, Miller-13.179; 24. Richard Hope, 23EC, Hope-13.234; 25. Dick Pole, 25EC, Downing-13.298; 26. David Potter, 58, Potter-13.311; 27. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-13.332; 28. Kevin Rousey, 96, Rousey-13.365; 29. Barry Reed, 16EC, Reed-13.374; 30. Bill Hudson, 44A, Hudson-13.431; 31. Scott Weyant, 99x, Weyant-13.472; 32. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-13.473; 33. Scott Hatton, 15x, Hatton-13.495; 34. Sam Isenhower, 53EC, Allen-13.539; 35. Todd Holderfield, 74, Holderfield-13.557; 36. Wes Hardin, 18x, Hardin-13.635; 37. Dave DeFraties, 27, Harris-13.831; 38. Troy Riley, 57EC, Riley-14.663; 39. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-NT; 40. Danny Frye Jr., 20EC, Schroeder-NT; 41. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Kenyon, 2. Pole, 3. Hughes, 4. Andretti, 5. Jesser, 6. Nichols, 7. S. Knepper. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. S. Cannon, 2. Doty, 3. Jeff Nuckles, 4. Vogler, 5. Tracey, 6. D. Potter. 2:12.42

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Schrader, 2. Brown, 3. Bigelow, 4. Gennetten, 5. Clark, 6. Miller, 7. DeRosa. 2:13.98

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Parsons, 2. Hope, 3. Jerry Nuckles, 4. Olson, 5. Mockler, 8. McClellan, 7, Rousey. 2:12.94

SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Nichols, 2. McClellan, 2\$. Knepper, 4. B. Holderfield, 5. Mockler, B. D. Potter, 7. Hudson, 8. Reed, 9. Jesser, 10, Tracey, 11. Miller, 12. Rousey. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Ken Schrader, 2. Gene Gennetten, 3. Mack McClellan, 4. Kevin Olson, 5. Tom Bigelow, 6. Mel Kenyon, 7. Rich Vogler, 8. John Andretti, 9. Steve Cannon, 10. Alan Brown, 11. Ron Hughes Jr., 12. Johnny Parsons, 13. Kenneth Nichols, 14. Richard Hope, 15. Dick Pole, 16. Steve Knepper, 17. Kevin Doty, 18. Bryan Holderfield, 19. Jerry Nuckles, 20. Jeff Nuckles. NT

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: August 21, 1983 – Illinois State Fairgrounds – Springfield, Illinois

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Dan Drinan (#33A Drinan), 2. Mel Kenyon (#54 Helmling), 3. Ken Schrader (#55 Hamilton), 4. Rich Vogler (#4 Streicher), 5. Danny Frye Jr. (#20EC Schroeder), 6. Warren Mockler (#7s Saligoe), 7. Jeff Nuckles (#57 Nuckles), 8. Gary Hayes (#94 Wilson), 9. Mike Edwards (#67A Edwards), 10. Richard Hope (#23EC Hype), 11. Kenneth Nichols (#0 Nichols), 12. Art Knepper (#2x Knepper), 13. Jerry Nuckles (#59 Neidlinger), 14. Scott Weyant (#99s Weyant), 15. J.R. Miller (#43wc Miller), 16. Billy Yeros (#3D Yeros), 17. Johnny Green (#52 Green). NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Steve Lotshaw (#2 Lotshaw), 2. Arnie Knepper (#31 Martinez), 3. John Andretti (#43 Armstrong), 4. Larry Rice (#9EC Pool), 5. Jerry Russell (#19 Kunz), 6. Jim Hines (#11 Hines), 7. Bruce Field (#V4 Spencer), 8. Bryan Holderfield (#73 Holderfield), 9. Manny Rockhold (#71 Rockhold), 10. Mike Gregg (#83 Sohm), 11. Kevin Olson (#1w Wilke), 12. Bill Hudson (#44A Hudson), 13. Dave Keith (#40 Keith), 14. Alan Brown (#56 Brown), 15. Tom Bigelow (#16 Sandy), 16. Wes Hardin (#18x Hardin). NT

ALSO AT THE TRACK: Duke Cook (#66A King), Johnny Parsons (#69 Lockard) & Kevin Rousey (#96 Rousey).

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Arnie Knepper, 2. Steve Lotshaw, 3. Larry Rice, 4. Ken Schrader, 5. John Andretti, 6. Gary Hayes, 7. Mel Kenyon, 8. Dan Drinan, 9. Danny Frye Jr., 10. Warren Mockler, 11. Jerry Russell, 12. Jeff Nuckles, 13. Mike Edwards, 14. Jim Hines, 15. Bill Hudson, 16. Alan Brown, 17. Dave Keith, 18. Kevin Rousey, 19. Rich Vogler, 20. Kenneth Nichols, 21. Bryan Holderfield, 22. Bruce Field, 23. Kevin Olson, 24. Art Knepper, 25. Jerry Nuckles, 26. Tom Bigelow, 27. Manny Rockhold, 28. Mike Gregg. NT

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: August 26, 1983 – Godfrey Speedway – Godfrey, Illinois

QUALIFYING: 1. Gene Gennetten, 9K, Smith-13.173; 2. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-13.234; 3. Kevin Doty, 50, Doty-13.285; 4. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-13.364; 5. Mike Wentz, 25, Wentz-13.391; 6. Warren Mockler, 7s, Saligoe-13.443; 7. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-13.450; 8. Randy Roberts, 5D, Conklin-13.461; 9. Jerry Russell, 19, Kunz-13.470; 10. Mel Kenyon, 54, Helmling-13.506; 11. Terry Wentz, 33x, Mueller-13.516; 12. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-13.523; 13. Steve Knepper, 55JR, Knepper-13.588; 14. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-13.595; 15. Ken Schrader, 1A, Gojmeric-13.654; 16. Bob Jesser, 30, Jesser-13.725; 17. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-13.743; 18. Danny Frye Jr., 20EC, Schroeder-13.845; 19. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-13.931; 20. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-14.006; 21. Arnie Knepper, 31, Martinez-14.024; 22. Ron Roberts, 23, Finley-14.121; 23. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-14.176; 24. Steve Foster, 81, Foster-14.467; 25. Kevin Rousey, 96, Rousey-14.607; 26. Gary Byers, 9A, Range-14.744; 27. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-NT; 28. #83 Sohm-NT.

TROPHY DASH: (6 laps) 1. Gennetten, 2. Mockler, 3. M. Wente, 4. Doty, 5. Jeff Nuckles, 6. Vogler. 1:20.61

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. S. Knepper, 2. Bigelow, 3 M. Wente, 4. Arnie Knepper, 5. Russell, 6. Rousey, 7. Gennetten. 2:18.50

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Frye Jr, 2. Kenyon, 3. Nichols, 4. Vogler, 5. Mockler, 6. Ron Roberts, 7. Byers. 2:17.54

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. T. Wente, 2. Doty, 3. Brown, 4. Schrader, 5. S. Cannon, 6. Isenhower. 2:17.79

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Andretti, 2. Jeff Nuckles, 3. Randy Roberts, 4. Jesser, 5. J. Hines, 6. Foster. 2:16.20

SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Gennetten, 2. Mockler, 3. S. Cannon, 4. Russell, 5. J. Hines, 6. Ron Roberts, 7. Byers, 8. Rousey, 9. Foster, 10. Isenhower. 2:40.78

FEATURE: (75 laps) 1. Ken Schrader, 2. Jerry Russell, 3. Mike Wente, 4. Steve Cannon, 5. Danny Frye Jr., 6. Gary Byers, 7. Steve Knepper, 8. Bob Jesser, 9. Sam Isenhower, 10. Alan Brown, 11. Jeff Nuckles, 12. Kenneth Nichols, 13. Warren Mockler, 14. Kevin Doty, 15. Jim Hines, 16. Randy Roberts, 17. Mel Kenyon, 18. Gene Gennetten, 19. Rich Vogler, 20. Tom Bigelow, 21. Kevin Rousey, 22. John Andretti, 23. Ron Roberts, 24. Steve Foster, 25. Arnie Knepper, 26. Terry Wente. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-3 Mockler, Lap 4 M. Wente, Lap 5 Mockler, Laps 6-8 Doty, Laps 9-26 Vogler, Laps 27-75 Schrader.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-320, 2-Bigelow-240, 3-Schrader-234, 4-Nichols-211, 5-Olson & Jeff Nuckles-171, 7-Jerry Nuckles-160, 8-Andretti-151, 9-Isenhower-139, 10-Mockler-111.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE: September 3, 1983 – Belle-Clair Speedway – Belleville, Illinois – 2nd Annual UCP/VFW 100

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: September 3, 1983 – Belle Clair Speedway – Belleville, Illinois – 2nd Annual UCP/VFW 100

QUALIFYING: 1. Ken Schrader, 1A, Gojmeric-11.707; 2. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-11.708; 3. Gene Gennetten, 9K, Smith-11.891; 4. Steve Knepper, 55JR, Knepper-12.030; 5. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-12.115; 6. Mel Kenyon, 54, Helmling-12.150; 7. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-12.167; 8. Jerry Russell, 19, Kunz-12.242; 9. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-12.274; 10. Kevin Doty, 50, Doty-12.292; 11. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-12.463; 12. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-12.500; 13. Danny Frye Jr., 20EC, Schroeder-12.514; 14. Arnie Knepper, 31, Martinez-12.644; 15. Kevin Rousey, 96, Rousey-12.722; 16. Gary Byers, 9A, Range-13.206; 17. Jon Backlund, 83, Sohm-13.232; 18. Ron McFaddin, 29, Hartman-13.308; 19. Bob Willig Jr., 53, Willig-13.442; 20. Mike Edwards, 67A, Edwards-13.481; 21. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-NT; 22. Stuart Smith, 27, Harris-NT.

TROPHY DASH: (6 laps) 1. Gennetten, 2. S. Cannon, 3. Vogler, 4. Kenyon, 5. S. Knepper, 6. Schrader. NT

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Bigelow, 2. Schrader, 3. Frye Jr., 4. S. Cannon, 5. Smith, 6. Backlund. 2:02.82

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Vogler, 2. Doty, 3. A. Knepper, 4. McFaddin. 1:58.75

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Gennetten, 2. Rousey, 3. Isenhower, 4. Brown, 5. Willig Jr. 1:59.25

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Nichols, 2. Russell, 3. S. Knepper, 4. Byers, 5. Edwards. NT

SEMI: (6 laps) 1. Kenyon, 2. Willig Jr., 3. Edwards, 4. Backlund, 5. Smith. 1:13.17

FEATURE: (100 laps) 1. Ken Schrader, 2. Kenneth Nichols, 3. Tom Bigelow, 4. Mel Kenyon, 5. Kevin Doty, 6. Sam Isenhower, 7. Gary Byers, 8. Arnie Knepper, 9. Rich Vogler, 10. Jon Backlund, 11. Mike Edwards, 12. Kevin Rousey, 13. Jerry Russell, 14. Steve Cannon, 15. Gene Gennetten, 16. Alan Brown, 17. Bob Willig, 18. Stuart Smith, 19. Ron McFaddin, 20. Steve Knepper, 21. Danny Frye Jr. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Lap 1 Kenyon, Laps 2-3 S. Knepper, Laps 4-44 Gennetten, Laps 45-60 Vogler, Laps 61-100 Schrader.

**Gene Gennetten escaped injury when he flipped during warmups.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-339, 2-Schrader-270, 3-Bigelow-263, 4-Nichols-236, 5-Olson & Jeff Nuckles-171, 7-Jerry Nuckles-160, 8-Isenhower-154, 9-Andretti-152, 10-Kenyon-130.

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: September 11, 1983 – Terre Haute Action Track – Terre Haute, Indiana – 31st Hut Hundred

QUALIFYING: 1. Johnny Parsons, 71wc, Weeks-23.667; 2. Kevin Olson, 1w, Wilke-23.668; 3. Stan Fox, 9, Lewis-23.714; 4. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-23.819; 5. Steve Lotshaw, 2, Lotshaw-23.911; 6. Steve Knepper, 55JR, Knepper-24.007; 7. Mel Kenyon, 54, Helmling-24.054; 8. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-24.062; 9. Warren Mockler, 7s, Saligoe-24.240; 10. Larry Rice, 9EC, Pool-24.257; 11. Terry Wente, 33x, Mueller-24.268; 12. Jeff Heywood, 84wc, White-24.313; 13. Jerry Russell, 19, Kunz-24.319; 14. Bob Jesser, 30, Jesser-24.356; 15. Ken Schrader, 55, Hamilton-24.391; 16. Nick Gojmeric, 1A, Gojmeric-24.401; 17. Bryan Holderfield, 73, Holderfield-24.442; 18. Bob Cicconi, 59EC, Cicconi-24.475; 19. Larry Martin, 67, Schneider-24.495; 20. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-24.549; 21. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-24.565; 22. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-24.571; 23. Larry Hillerud, 51wc, Hillerud-24.578; 24. Joe Corrigan, 65, Corrigan-24.592; 25. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-24.683; 26. Ted Tracey, 5NZ, Tracey-24.724; 27. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-24.737; 28. Mack McClellan, 18EC, McClellan-24.803; 29. Dick Pole, 25EC, Downing-24.869; 30. Russ Gamester, 46, Gamester-25.024; 31. Bill Hudson, 44A, Hudson-25.065; 32. Todd Holderfield, 74, Holderfield-25.205; 33. Pat Sholtis, 54x, Sholtis-25.211; 34. Duke DeRosa, 34, Motz-25.223; 35. Ron Roberts, 23, Finley-25.264; 36. Roy Caruthers, 5c, Crucean-25.273; 37. Manny Rockhold, 71, Johnson-25.362; 38. John Jenkins, 81, Rieder-25.366; 39. John Batts Jr., 41, Hunter-25.366; 40. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-25.398; 41. Dan Drinan, 33A, Drinan-25.519; 42. Bob Bennett, 8, Cornell-25.546; 43. Danny Milburn, 15, Bennett-25.630; 44. Terry Holderfield, 11x, Holderfield-25.646; 45. Ron Mullen, 44x, Mullen-25.727; 46. Bob O'Lena, 24EC, O'Lena-25.812; 47. Kevin Potter, 58, Potter-25.827; 48. Kevin Doty, 50, Doty-25.874; 49. Gary Byers, 9A, Range-25.960; 50. Barry Reed, 16EC, Reed-26.028; 51. Mike Edwards, 67A, Edwards-26.031; 52. Gene Gennetten, 3wc, Gennetten-26.065; 53. Nick Kruse, 41x, Kruse-26.114; 54. Kurt Mayhew, 21x, Mayhew-26.133; 55. Rick Laughlin, 42, Laughlin-26.189; 56. Steve Spencer, V4, Spencer-26.266; 57. Ric Burdine, 48x, Burdine-26.488; 58. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-26.871; 59. Danny Williams Jr., 5w, Williams-27.279; 60. Bruce Field, 83, Sohm-27.864; 61. Dan Boorse, 7x, Fitchburg-NT; 62. Danny Frye Jr., 20EC, Schroeder-NT; 63. Johnny Green, 52, Green-NT; 64. Guy Cicconi, 61x, Cicconi-NT; 65. Kevin Rousey, 96, Rousey-NT; 66. Mark Alderson, 9x, Alderson-NT; 67. Joe Roush, 99x, Roush-NT; 68. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-NT.

SEMI: (10 Laps) 1. Sholtis, 2. Hudson, 3. R. Caruthers, 4. Milburn, 5. Batts Jr., 6. T. Holderfield, 7. Drinan, 8. Rockhold, 9. Jenkins, 10. Roberts, 11. DeRosa, 12. Andretti. NT

FEATURE: (100 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Stan Fox, 3. Larry Rice, 4. Steve Lotshaw, 5. Ted Tracey, 6. Jeff Heywood, 7. Steve Cannon, 8. Nick Gojmeric, 9. Mel Kenyon, 10. Warren Mockler, 11. Steve Knepper, 12. Pat Sholtis, 13. Russ Gamester, 14. Larry Hillerud, 15. Jerry Russell, 16. Sam Isenhower, 17. Joe Corrigan, 18. Kenneth Nichols, 19. Kevin Olson, 20. Bob Cicconi,

21. Larry Martin, 22. Jeff Nuckles, 23. Terry Wente, 24. Roy Caruthers, 25. Tom Bigelow, 26. Bill Hudson, 27. Bryan Holderfield, 28. Mack McClellan, 29. Jerry Nuckles, 30. Ken Schrader, 31. Bob Jesser, 32. Dick Pole, 33. Johnny Parsons. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-2 Parsons, Laps 3-8 Olson, Laps 9-38 Vogler, Laps 39-52 Jeff Nuckles, Laps 53-100 Vogler.

**Guy Cicconi suffered a sprained thumb in his flip over the fence in turn 4 during warmups.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-372, 2-Bigelow-275, 3-Schrader-272, 4-Nichols-238, 5-Olson-179, 6-Jeff Nuckles-173, 7-Jerry Nuckles-162, 8-Isenhower-158, 9-Andretti-152, 10-Kynyon-141.

NEXT USAC MIDGET SPECIAL EVENT RACE: September 17, 1983 – Indianapolis Speedrome – Indianapolis, Indiana – Regency Indy Midget 500

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USAC MIDGET SPECIAL EVENT RACE RESULTS: September 17, 1983 – Indianapolis Speedrome – Indianapolis, Indiana – Regency Indy Midget 500

QUALIFYING: 1. Bob Cicconi, 74, Lowe-12.384; 2. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-12.397; 3. Jim Wartenberg, 69, Braga-12.402; 4. Jim Hines, 11, Hines-12.430; 5. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-12.469; 6. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Tarpco-12.479; 7. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-12.488; 8. Mack McClellan, 7s, Saligoe-12.512; 9. David Potter, 58, Potter-12.541; 10. Bobby Allen, 53, Allen-12.554; 11. Tom Hayworth, 61, Hayworth-12.563; 12. Mel Kenyon, 54, Helmling-12.588; 13. Barry Reed, 16EC, Reed-12.598; 14. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-12.606; 15. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-12.609; 16. Warren Mockler, 7, Mockler-12.630; 17. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-12.640; 18. Ronnie McLean, 22wc, McLean-12.666; 19. Ted Hines, 89, Waggoner-12.686; 20. Tom Corcoran, 48, Wartenberg-12.698; 21. John Warren, 14, Warren-12.751; 22. Rick Laughlin, 42, Laughlin-12.769; 23. Roy Caruthers, 5c, Crucean-12.777; 24. Tracy Potter, 22, Patterson-12.785; 25. Mike Schuyler, 56x, Schuyler-12.787; 26. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-12.824; 27. Eric Moore, 79, Moore-12.867; 28. John Batts Jr., 41, Hunter-12.934; 29. Bob Wilkins, 5x, Wilkins-12.938; 30. Bob O'Lena, 24, O'Lena-12.945; 31. Bob Bennett, 38, Wever-12.836; 32. Russ Gamester, 46, Gamester-12.896; 33. Billy Humphreys, 72, Humphreys-12.944; 34. Steve Lotshaw, 2, Lotshaw-NT (Time of 12.827 withdrawn); 35. Fred Hight, 51, Hight-12.963; 36. Bill Hudson, 44, Hudson-12.974; 37. Dick Billings, 21, Billings-13.183; 38. Frank Reiss, 72x, Reiss-13.631.

FEATURE: (500 laps), 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Warren Mockler, 3. Bob Cicconi, 4. David Potter/Kevin Potter, 5. Bob Bennett, 6. Mike Schuyler, 7. Jim Wartenberg, 8. Jim Hines, 9. Bob O'Lena, 10. Ronnie McLean, 11. Kenneth Nichols, 12. John Warren, 13. Bob Wilkins/Mike Fedorcak, 14. Roy Caruthers, 15. Mack McClellan, 16. Tom Hayworth, 17. John Batts Jr., 18. Bobby Allen, 19. Eric Moore, 20. Ted Hines, 21. Tom Corcoran, 22. John Andretti, 23. Tom Bigelow, 24. Rick Laughlin, 25. Sam Isenhower, 26. Tracy Potter, 27. Jerry Nuckles, 28. Bill Baue, 29. Russ Gamester, 30. Barry Reed, 31. Mel Kenyon, 32. Jeff Nuckles, 33. Billy Humphreys. 2:09:03.791

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-15 Vogler, Laps 16-17 Cicconi, Lap 18 Vogler, Laps 19-35 Cicconi, Laps 36-296 Vogler, Laps 297-298 Mockler, Laps 299-310 Cicconi, Laps 311-500 Vogler.

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: September 24-25, 1983 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – 4-Crown Nationals

QUALIFYING: 1. Jerry Nuckles, 59, Neidlinger-19.443; 2. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-19.561; 3. Ken Schrader, 55, Hamilton-19.572; 4. Johnny Parsons, 71wc, Weeks-19.648; 5. Larry Rice, 9EC, Pool-19.667; 6. Steve Knepper, 55JR, Knepper-19.720; 7. Stan Fox, 9, Lewis-19.764; 8. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-19.888; 9. Mel Kenyon, 7x, Cahill-20.023; 10. Kevin Potter, 58, Potter-20.026; 11. John Heydenreich, 80x, Bollinger-20.152; 12. Mack McClellan, 7s, Saligoe-20.209; 13. Steve Cannon, 48, Heerboth-20.223; 14. Warren Mockler, 7, Mockler-20.240; 15. Mark Alderson, 9A, Alderson-20.274; 16. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-20.298; 17. Bob Cicconi, 59EC, Cicconi-20.316; 18. Bill Hudson, 44A, Hudson-20.375; 19. Jeff Nuckles, 57, Nuckles-20.383; 20. John Batts Jr., 41, Hunter-20.397; 21. Paul Clark, 91x, Lahm-20.404; 22. Roy Caruthers, 5c, Crucean-20.414; 23. Dick Pole, 25EC, Downing-20.414; 24. John Andretti, 43, Armstrong-20.507; 25. Bob Bennett, 8, Cornell-20.650; 26. Alan Brown, 56, Brown-20.712; 27. Danny Milburn, 15, Bennett-20.715; 28. Bill Baue, 36, Baue-20.778; 29. Bob Jesser, 30, Jesser-20.892; 30. Ric Burdine, 48x, Burdine-21.154; 31. Ted Hines, 11, Hines-21.202; 32. Bob O'Lena, 24EC, O'Lena-22.301; 33. Lonnie Rush, 83, Rush-NT; 34. Larry Hillerud, 51wc, Hillerud-NT; 35. Johnny Green, 52, Green-NT; 36. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Kenyon, 2. Pole, 3. Jeff Nuckles, 4. Cicconi, 5. Fox, 6. Clark, 7. Jesser, 8. S. Cannon, 9. T. Hines, 10. Alderson, 11. Bennett, 12. Heydenreich, 13. Milburn. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Bigelow, 2. Andretti, 3. McClellan, 4. Nichols, 5. Brown, 6. Isenhower, 7. Mockler, 8. Batts Jr., 9. R. Caruthers, 10. K. Potter, 11. O'Lena, 12. Hudson, 13. Burdine, 14. Baue. NT

FEATURE: (20 laps - held on Sept. 25) 1. Johnny Parsons, 2. Rich Vogler, 3. Mel Kenyon, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Larry Rice, 6. Ken Schrader, 7. Steve Knepper, 8. Jerry Nuckles, 9. Steve Cannon, 10. Stan Fox, 11. Jeff Nuckles, 12. Paul Clark, 13. Sam Isenhower, 14. Kenneth Nichols, 15. Warren Mockler, 16. Alan Brown, 17. John Andretti, 18. Mack McClellan, 19. Bob Cicconi, 20. John Batts Jr., 21. Dick Pole, 22. Roy Caruthers. 15:01.08

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-4 Rice, Laps 5-13 Vogler, Laps 14-20 Parsons.

**Bill Hudson and Ric Burdine tangled in turn 4 on lap 9 of the second heat, both flipping. Hudson was treated for a concussion and a swollen left eye at a Greenville, OH hospital.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-404, 2-Bigelow-298, 3-Schrader-293, 4-Nichols-244, 5-Jeff Nuckles & Jerry Nuckles-183, 7-Olson-179, 8-Kenyon-167, 9-Isenhower-165, 10-Andretti-157.

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET RACE RESULTS: October 22, 1983 – Ascot Park – Gardena, California

QUALIFYING: 1. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-20.867; 2. Johnny Parsons, 71wc, Weeks-20.945; 3. Stan Fox, 9, Lewis-20.993; 4. Sleepy Tripp, 67wc, Zarounian-21.050; 5. Danny McKnight, 1wc, Marshall-21.053; 6. Tommy Astone, 2N, Runjovac-21.085; 7. Wally Pankratz, 15wc, Robertson-21.097; 8. Rick Bussell, 1N, Bussell-21.136; 9. Tommy White, 47B, Binter-21.182; 10. Mario Bringetto Jr., 50N, Bringetto-21.234; 11. Bob Ellis, 4wc, Sullivan-21.302; 12. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-21.305; 13. Joe Binter, 53wc, Mullaney-21.319; 14. Steve Connor, 28x, Connor-21.351; 15. Bob Davison, 3x, Goetz-21.353; 16. Bobby Collins, 9ns, Jones-21.372; 17. Mike Gehringer, 8wc, Stutchman-21.389; 18. Hank Butcher, 78wc, Reitz-21.397; 19. Jim Giardina, 57wc, Giardina-21.431; 20. Jim Davison, 59A, Davison-21.511; 21. Dave Stoltz, 16wc, Mayhew-21.513; 22. Mike Botelho, 96, Botelho-21.573; 23. Harlan Willis, 12N, S & W-21.722; 24. Rusty Rasmussen, 38wc, Rasmussen-21.767; 25. Smokey Alleman, 14x, Alleman-21.810; 26. Bobby Olivero, 99wc, Shefchik-21.817; 27. Vic Russum, 7wc, Bowen-21.828; 28. Robby Flock, 14wc, Bogan-21.997; 29. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-22.072; 30. Don Sperry, 6wc, Sperry-22.080; 31. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-22.231; 32. Dan Hillberg, 19wc, Hayes-22.341; 33. Bob Crisp, 10wc, Crisp-22.411; 34. Robert Dolacki,

5x, Dolacki-22.418; 35. Butch Kelley, 31x, Kelley-22.970; 36. Dennis Beat, 28wc, Beat-23.289; 37. Lynn Carter, 31wc, Marcus-24.086; 38. Roy Cook Jr., 80, Wright-27.328; 39. Ken Dunlap, 29wc, Dressen-NT; 40. Bill Barker, 27, Lynch-NT; 41. Billy Cruce, 60wc, Keane-NT.

TROPHY DASH: (4 laps) 1. Fox, 2. Tripp, 3. Parsons, 4. Groff. NT

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. White, 2. Gehringer, 3. McKnight, 4. Binter, 5. Isenhower, 6. Alleman, 7. Stoltz. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Parsons, 2. Astone, 3. Olivero, 4. Butcher, 5. Bringetto, 6. Botelho, 7. Connor, 8. Sperry. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Ellis, 2. Russum, 3. Fox, 4. Pankratz, 5. B. Davison, 6. Bigelow, 7. Willis, 8. Giardina. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Vogler, 2. Bussell, 3. Rasmussen, 4. Hillberg, 5. Collins, 6. Tripp, 7. J. Davison, 8. Flock. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Groff, 2. Bringetto, 3. B. Davison, 4. Giardina, 5. Collins, 6. Willis, 7. Botelho, 8. Bigelow, 9. Isenhower, 10. Dolacki, 11. Sperry, 12. Alleman, 13. Kelly, 14. Connor, 15. Stoltz, 16. Crisp. NT

FEATURE: (50 laps) 1. Tommy White, 2. Stan Fox, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Tommy Astone, 5. Rick Bussell, 6. Mike Groff, 7. Rusty Rasmussen, 8. Jim Giardina, 9. Mike Gehringer, 10. Wally Pankratz, 11. Bob Davison, 12. Vic Russum, 13. Josef Binter, 14. Bob Ellis, 15. Mario Bringetto Jr., 16. Bobby Olivero, 17. Danny McKnight, 18. Hank Butcher, 19. Johnny Parsons, 20. Dan Hillberg. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-39 Astone, Laps 40-50 White.

**Jim Giardina suffered a broken left shoulder blade when he flipped in turn 2 on the 39th lap of the feature. Sleepy Tripp escaped only shaken after he flipped through the billboards outside turn 3 on the 8th lap of the 4th heat race. Jim Davison escaped injury when he flipped after hitting the wall in turn 1 on the restart after Tripp's accident.

USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-430, 2-Bigelow-298, 3-Ken Schrader-293, 4-Kenneth Nichols-244, 5-Jerry & Jeff Nuckles-183, 7-Kevin Olson-179, 8-Mel Kenyon-167, 9-Isenhower-165, 10-John Andretti-157.

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET SERIES RACE RESULTS: November 24, 1983 – Ascot Park – Gardena, California – 43rd Valvoline Turkey Night Grand Prix

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USAC NATIONAL MIDGET SERIES RACE RESULTS: November 25, 1983 – Ascot Park – Gardena, California – 43rd Valvoline Turkey Night Grand Prix

QUALIFYING: 1. Ron Shuman, 71, Howard-20.901; 2. Kevin Olson, 1w, Wilke-21.043; 3. Gene Gennetten, 9K, Smith-21.109; 4. Mike Groff, 5wc, Groff-21.165; 5. Rich Vogler, 4, Streicher-21.263; 6. Bobby Collins, 9NS, Jones-21.349; 7. Bobby Olivero,

99wc, Shefchik-21.402; 8. Victor Mencarini, 8Q, Schwerter-21.409; 9. Brad Noffsinger, 92x, Frazier-21.426; 10. Tommy Astone, 2N, Runjovac-21.441; 11. Bob Davison, 3x, Goetz-21.572; 12. Wally Pankratz, 15wc, Robertson-21.664; 13. Ron Hughes Jr., 45T, Hughes-21.671; 14. Dave Stoltz, 16wc, Mayhew-21.694; 15. Chuck Gurney, 14x, Owen-21.713; 16. Jeff Heywood, 84wc, White-21.732; 17. Hank Butcher, 78wc, Reitz-21.743; 18. Steve Lotshaw, 20EC, Schroeder-21.771; 19. Rusty Rasmussen, 38, Rasmussen-21.787; 20. Stan Fox, 9, Lewis-21.800; 21. Tim Joyce, 24, Joyce-21.805; 22. Rip Williams, 4wc, Sullivan-21.897; 23. Rick Bussell, 1N, Bussell-21.903; 24. Jim Davison, 59A, Davison-21.905; 25. Sleepy Tripp, 1z, Zarounian-21.906; 26. Tommy White, 47B, Binter-21.914; 27. Jac Haudenschild, 93wc, Shefchik-21.941; 28. Smokey Alleman, 14A, Alleman-22.012; 29. Duane Feduska, 32wc, McAlister-22.022; 30. Vic Russum, 7wc, Bowen-22.074; 31. Martin Rosler, 81w, Rosler-22.110; 32. Rick Hood, 71wc, Weeks-22.127; 33. Ken Schrader, 1G, Gojmeric-22.134; 34. Randy Roberts, 5D, Conklin-22.136; 35. Robby Flock, 14wc, Bogan-22.188; 36. Mike Gehringer, 8wc, Stutchman-22.198; 37. Joe Binter, 53wc, Mullaney-22.199; 38. Dan Hillberg, 17wc, Hillberg-22.238; 39. Dave Thurston, 19x, Jackson-22.315; 40. Danny McKnight, 1wc, Marshall-22.349; 41. Mike Gregg, 98x, Hersh-22.410; 42. Butch Kelley, 31x, Kelley-22.437; 43. Sam Isenhower, 6, Sandy-22.533; 44. Harlan Willis, 12N, Willis-22.706; 45. Robert Dolacki, 5x, Dolacki-22.781; 46. Tom Enea, 0wc, Day-22.876; 47. Tom Carlton 18 Carlton-22.992; 48. Dennis Welsh, 12wc, Welsh-23.105; 49. Don Bankson, 43x, Bankson-23.230; 50. Johnny Anderson, 51, Anderson-23.248; 51. Mike Botelho, 96, Botelho-23.345; 52. Don Sperry, 6wc, Sperry-23.383; 53. Eddie Wirth, 97, Linne-23.439; 54. Rick Haugh, 5H, Haugh-23.521; 55. Steve Connor, 28x, Connor-23.532; 56. Lynn Carter, 31, Marcus-24.792; 57. Fred Carter, 37x, Carter-NT; 58. Bill Barker, 27wc, Lynch-NT; 59. Tom Bigelow, 16, Sandy-NT; 60. Lee Leonard, 43wcs, Leonard-NT; 61. Rusty Lomier, 32x, Lomier-NT; 62. Kenneth Nichols, 0, Nichols-NT; 63. Don Burke, 42wc, Greer-NT; 64. Johnny Parsons, 57wc, Giardina-NT; 65. Tim Lynch, 98, Lynch-NT; 66. Dan Drinan, 33AZ, Drinan-NT.

TROPHY DASH: (4 laps) 1. Gennetten, 2. Shuman, 3. Olson, 4. Groff. 1:24.820

SEMI: (15 laps) 1. White, 2. Alleman, 3. Russum, 4. Gehringer, 5. Schrader, 6. Flock, 7. Roberts, 8. Gregg, 9. McKnight, 10. Thurston, 11. Feduska, 12. Rosier, 13. Binter, 14. Haudenschild, 15. Hood, 16. Hillberg. NT

FEATURE: (100 laps) 1. Kevin Olson, 2. Mike Groff, 3. Tommy Astone, 4. Rick Bussell, 5. Hank Butcher, 6. Ron Hughes Jr., 7. Wally Pankratz, 8. Rip Williams, 9. Mike Gehringer, 10. Dave Stoltz, 11. Vic Russum, 12. Bobby Collins, 13. Rich Vogler, 14. Smokey Alleman, 15. Jim Davison, 16. Ron Shuman, 17. Tommy White, 18. Sleepy Tripp, 19. Rusty Rasmussen, 20. Ken Schrader (#20EC), 21. Bob Davison, 22. Stan Fox, 23. Brad Noffsinger, 24. Gene Gennetten, 25. Chuck Gurney, 26. Victor Mencarini, 27. Bobby Olivero, 28. Jeff Heywood. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-86 R. Shuman, Laps 87-100 Olson.

**Ron Shuman was forced out by engine problems after leading the first 86 laps. He was trying to win this race for the 5th consecutive year.

FINAL USAC NATIONAL MIDGET POINTS: 1-Vogler-439, 2-Bigelow-298, 3-Schrader-295, 4-Nichols-244, 5-Olson-215, 6-Jerry & Jeff Nuckles-183, 8-Mel Kenyon-167, 9-Isenhower-165, 10-John Andretti-157.