

1975 USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR REVIEW

Larry Dickson returned in 1975 after a 'leave of absence' from the USAC Sprint car division to drive a car owned by Ernie Ensign. The return paid off in a record third USAC National Sprint Car Championship for the man labeled as the Buckeye Flyer.

Dickson scored five feature victories enroute to the crown, boosting his career-leading total to 40, and earned nearly \$25,000 during the season. He and the Torsion Bar Sprinter edged Rollie Beale and the Lowell Kilman Sprinter by 88 points.

Larry previously won the Sprint title in 1968 and 1970 and thus becomes the first three-time National Champion in the division's history.

The "Thunder and Lightning" division again lived up to its competitive billing as a total of 15 different drivers scored victories in the 34-race series. Rollie Beale scored six wins, but a broken finger suffered on his job as a railroad boxcar repairman caused him to sit out four of the first five races of the season, hampering his efforts at winning the title.

One of the more important developments of the 1975 Sprint season was the late-season competitive surge of the roadster-type cars driven by rookies Jeff Bloom and Marvin Carman. Carman captured both ends of the twin 50-lap program at Winchester, Ind. in October and finished the season in 13th place in the points. The drive earned Carman the "Rookie of the Year" distinction.

Carman and Bloom were extremely competitive in the closing pavement races of 1975 and the 1976 season could see the advent of more of the roadsters on the paved tracks.

Another interesting development of the 1975 season was the reuniting of the once-feared Gary Bettenhausen-Willie Davis team for the Aug. 3 race at Terre Haute, Ind. Gary and Willie ended up in victory lane after the 40-lapper, their first combined victory in some time and for a while the "Larry and Gary" show (Dickson and Bettenhausen) of the late 60s and early 70s saw a revival.

Defending USAC sprint Car Champion Pancho Carter finished fourth in the 1975 standings and scored two of the more important victories of the year when he won the Tony Hulman Classic at Terre Haute, Ind. in May and the Pat O'Connor-Joe James Memorial at Salem, Ind. in September.

The most serious injury of the season came in the Oldtimers Week race at Winchester, Ind. when George Snider suffered two broken arms as a result of his crash in the Walter Knepper car. Snider was the Sprint division point leader at the time and became the first USAC Sprinter ever to sail over the wall at Winchester as he left the track in turn two. Snider was forced to sit out the rest of the season in order to prepare for a 1976 return.

In Snider's absence, Tom Bigelow took over the driving chores of the Knepper machine and piloted it to victory in the car's next outing at the Minnesota State Fair in St. Paul and to two other victories including the season finale at Birmingham, Ala., earning fifth place in the final points for himself and third for car owner Knepper.

The Birmingham race was the first for the USAC Sprinters at the Alabama State Fairgrounds since 1959 and the excitement stirred by the good racing there led to speculation that a series of races might be held in the South in 1976.

Billy Cassella, whose only victory of the season came at Rossburg, Ohio in July, finished third in the final points and had a mathematical shot at leaders Dickson and Beale going into the final races.

Dickson's joy after winning the 1975 title was apparent and he stated that it was particularly gratifying that he was able to do it after skeptics had claimed that he was 'over the hill,' referring to his performances of the two previous seasons. It was also fitting that the winningest sprint car driver of all time become champion of the division.

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: March 23, 1975 – Reading Fairgrounds – Reading, Pennsylvania

QUALIFYING: 1. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-23.100; 2. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-23.390; 3. Johnny Parsons, 18, Kershner-23.410; 4. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-23.470; 5. Bruce Walkup, 4, Leyba-23.470; 6. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-23.580; 7. Gordy Lee, 98, Noble-23.590; 8. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-23.630; 9. Chuck Gurney, 36, Wergland-23.830; 10. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-23.840; 11. Thad Doshier, 48, Longhorn-23.840; 12. Dana Carter, 24, Davis-23.920; 13. Greg Leffler, 19, Linsmeyer-24.040; 14. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-24.050; 15. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-24.140; 16. Bill Puterbaugh, 73, Elkins-24.260; 17. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-24.270; 18. Gary Bettenhausen, 55, Knepper-24.520; 19. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-24.540; 20. Larry Cannon, 37, Campbell-24.760; 21. Tom Rose, 56, Gohr-24.760; 22. Ed Murphy, 42, Ziegler-24.770; 23. Fred Linder, 68, Vitte-24.840; 24. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-24.850; 25. Sheldon Kinser, 20, King-24.900; 26. Gary Ponzini, 85, Ponzini-24.970; 27. Mel Cornett, 88, George-25.270; 28. George Snider, 3, Siebert-25.330; 29. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-25.430.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Fred Linder, 3. Joe Saldana, 4. Lee Osborne, 5. Greg Leffler, 6. Rich Leavell, 7. Gordy Lee, 8. Bill Puterbaugh. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Larry Cannon, 3. Sammy Sessions, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Thad Doshier, 6. Bruce Walkup, 7. Dave Gable, 8. Mike Schiesel. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Sheldon Kinser, 2. Jackie Howerton, 3. Billy Cassella, 4. Chuck Gurney, 5. Gary Bettenhausen, 6. Johnny Parsons, 7. Dana Carter. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Thad Doshier, 2. Bruce Walkup, 3. Mike Schiesel, 4. Rich Leavell, 5. George Snider, 6. Ed Murphy, 7. Dave Gable, 8. Gary Ponzini, 9. Gordy Lee, 10. Greg Leffler, 11. Mel Cornett. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Joe Saldana, 3. George Snider, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Larry Cannon, 7. Thad Doshier, 8. Lee Osborne, 9. Sheldon Kinser, 10. Bruce Walkup, 11. Gary Ponzini, 12. Mike Schiesel, 13. Dave Gable, 14. Fred Linder, 15. Rich Leavell, 16. Tom Bigelow, 17. Ed Murphy, 18. Pancho Carter, 19. Jackie Howerton, 20. Chuck Gurney. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: April 5, 1975 – Reading Fairgrounds – Reading, Pennsylvania

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Fred Linder (#68 Vitte), 2. Joe Saldana (#16 Amerling), 3. Lee Osborne (#81 Stauffer), 4. Bill Puterbaugh (#73 Elkins), 5. Larry Cannon (#37 Campbell), 6. John Lucas (#62 Powell), 7. Gary Bettenhausen (#55 Knepper). 3:17.22

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bruce Walkup (#4 Leyba), 2. George Snider (#3 Siebert), 3. Greg Leffler (#19 Linsmeyer), 4. Thad Doshier (#48 Longhorn), 5. Gary Ponzini (#85 Ponzini), 6. Sammy Sessions (#9 Leffler), 7. Bob Frey (#33 Jones). 3:19.50

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter (#1 Conger-Stapp), 2. Rich Leavell (#61 Welch), 3. Sheldon Kinser (#20 King), 4. Rich Vogler (#88 George), 5. Gordy Lee (#98 Aviators), 6. Ronnie Burke (#26 Burke), 7. Dana Carter (#24 Davis). 3:19.76

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Johnny Parsons (#18 Kershner), 2. Tom Bigelow (#2 Weaver), 3. Billy Cassella (#29 Seymour), 4. Dave Gable (#72 Polak), 5. Mike Schiesel (#45 English), 6. Larry Dickson (#80 Ensign). 3:17.61

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Larry Cannon, 3. Sammy Sessions, 4. Chuck Gurney (#55), 5. Gary Ponzini, 6. Gordy Lee, 7. Dana Carter, 8. Mike Schiesel, 9. Bob Frey, 10. John Lucas, 11. Ronnie Burke. NT

ALSO AT THE TRACK: Dave Peperak (#77 Peperak) & (#36 Wergland).

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Fred Linder, 2. Joe Saldana, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Sheldon Kinser, 6. Rich Leavell, 7. Lee Osborne, 8. George Snider, 9. Greg Leffler, 10. Sammy Sessions, 11. Tom Bigelow, 12. Dave Gable, 13. Chuck Gurney (#55), 14. Rich Vogler, 15. Gary Ponzini, 16. Bill Puterbaugh, 17. Billy Cassella, 18. Larry Dickson, 19. Larry Cannon, 20. Thad Doshier. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: April 13, 1975 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio

QUALIFYING: 1. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-18.200; 2. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-18.320; 3. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-18.480; 4. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-18.510; 5. Sheldon Kinser, 20, King-18.630; 6. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-18.700; 7. George Snider, 3, Siebert-18.700; 8. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-18.750; 9. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-18.840; 10. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-18.860; 11. Bill Puterbaugh, 73, Elkins-18.870; 12. Thad Doshier, 48, Longhorn-18.890; 13. Bruce Walkup, 4, Leyba-18.900; 14. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-18.920; 15. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-18.930; 16. Gary Ponzini, 14, Smith-18.960; 17. Johnny Parsons, 18, Kershner-18.970; 18. Gary Bettenhausen, 55, Knepper-19.010; 19. Greg Leffler, 19, Linsmeyer-19.070; 20. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-19.110; 21. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-19.380; 22. Jerry Poland, 54, Fortney-19.580; 23. Dana Carter, 24, Davis-19.60; 24. Steve Cannon, 35, Granby-19.690; 25. Bob Frey, 33, Jones-19.780; 26. Rocky Fisher, 53, Hazen-19.860; 27. John Lucas, 62, Powell-20.230; 28. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-20.340; 29. Marvin Carman, 64, Varney-20.370; 30. Chuck Mosley, 28, Watson-20.400; 31. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-20.480; 32. Bill Davis, 60, Balistreri-20.540; 33. Mike Schiesel, 46, English-20.740; 34. Tom Rose, 56, Gohr-20.790; 35. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-21.050; 36. Fred Linder, 68, Vitte-NT; 37. Larry Cannon, 59, Hoffman-NT; 38. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Billy Engelhart, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. Bruce Walkup, 4. Rollie Beale, 5. Bob Frey, 6. Tom Bigelow, 7. Johnny Parsons. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Billy Cassella, 2. Joe Saldana, 3. Jackie Howerton, 4. Lee Osborne, 5. Rocky Fisher, 6. Gary Bettenhausen, 7. Jerry Poland. 2:35.28

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Dana Carter, 2. Pancho Carter, 3. Bill Puterbaugh, 4. Greg Leffler, 5. George Snider, 6. Dave Gable, 7. John Lucas. 2:36.67

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Steve Cannon, 2. Sammy Sessions, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. Gary Ponzini, 5. Rich Leavell, 6. Thad Doshier, 7. Ronnie Burke. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. George Snider, 3. Thad Doshier, 4. Dave Gable, 5. Johnny Parsons, 6. Gary Bettenhausen, 7. Rich Leavell, 8. Bob Frey, 9. Jerry Poland, 10. Marvin Carman, 11. Ronnie Burke, 12. Rocky Fisher. 3:10.54

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Joe Saldana, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Rollie Beale, 6. George Snider, 7. Bill Puterbaugh, 8. Jackie Howerton, 9. Sammy Sessions, 10. Thad Doshier, 11. Gary Ponzini, 12. Dave Gable, 13. Billy Engelhart, 14. Greg Leffler, 15. Dana Carter, 16. Lee Osborne, 17. Billy Cassella, 18. Larry Dickson, 19. Steve Cannon, 20. Sheldon Kinser. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: April 20, 1975 – Winchester Speedway – Winchester, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-16.160; 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 55, Knepper-16.320; 3. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-16.520; 4. Jerry Poland, 54, Fortney-16.580; 5. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-16.600; 6. Bruce Walkup, 4, Leyba-16.830; 7. Greg Leffler, 19, Linsmeyer-16.850; 8. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-16.880; 9. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-16.900; 10. Gary Ponzini, 14, Smith-17.040; 11. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-17.130; 12. George Snider, 3, Siebert-17.130; 13. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-17.210; 14. Bob Frey, 33, Jones-17.230; 15. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-17.350; 16. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-17.430; 17. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-17.440; 18. Dana Carter, 24, Davis-17.480; 19. Steve Chassey, 18, Kershner-17.480; 20. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-17.510; 21. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-17.540; 22. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-17.610; 23. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-17.660; 24. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-17.70; 25. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-17.710; 26. Chuck Gurney, 36, Wergland-17.720; 27. Rocky Fisher, 53, Hazen-17.740; 28. Sheldon Kinser, 20, King-17.780; 29. John Logan, 47, Roberts-17.940; 30. Thad Doshier, 48, Longhorn-18.230; 31. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-18.530; 32. Chuck Mosley, 28, Watson-18.780; 33. John Lucas, 62, Powell-18.800; 34. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-19.380; 35. Bob Evans, 27, Britton-19.610.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Billy Engelhart, 2. Tom Bigelow, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. Sammy Sessions, 5. Billy Cassella, 6. Gordy Lee, 7. Karl Busson. 2:13.29

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bruce Walkup, 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 3. Bob Frey, 4. Dave Gable, 5. Gary Ponzini, 6. Chuck Gurney, 7. Dana Carter. 2:16.06

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Joe Saldana, 3. Steve Chassey, 4. Sonny Ates, 5. Greg Leffler, 6. Rocky Fisher, 7. Ronnie Burke. 2:17.26

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Sheldon Kinser, 2. Jerry Poland, 3. Lee Osborne, 4. Bob Richards, 5. Rich Vogler, 6. George Snider, 7. Rich Leavell. 2:18.99

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Billy Cassella, 2. Greg Leffler, 3. George Snider, 4. Dana Carter, 5. Gary Ponzini, 6. Gordy Lee, 7. Karl Busson, 8. John Logan, 9. Chuck Gurney, 10. Rocky Fisher, 11. Rich Vogler, 12. Ronnie Burke. 2:49.97

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Gary Bettenhausen, 6. Greg Leffler, 7. Billy Engelhart, 8. Sammy Sessions, 9. George Snider, 10. Sheldon Kinser, 11. Dana Carter, 12. Lee Osborne, 13. Bob Frey, 14. Tom Bigelow, 15. Sonny Ates, 16. Bob Richards, 17. Steve Chassey, 18. Dave Gable, 19. Joe Saldana, 20. Jerry Poland. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: April 27, 1975 – Salem Speedway – Salem, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-17.290; 2. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-17.430; 3. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-17.480; 4. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-17.700; 5. George Snider, 55, Knepper-17.710; 6. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-17.760; 7. Marvin Carman, 92, Leffler-17.800; 8. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-17.820; 9. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-17.840; 10. Sheldon Kinser, 20, King-13.840; 11. Tommy Astone, 36, Wergland-17.870; 12. Bob Frey, 33, Jones-17.900; 13. Bruce Walkup, 4, Leyba-17.900; 14. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-17.920; 15. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-17.930; 16. Dana Carter, 24, Davis-17.940; 17. Greg Leffler, 19, Linsmeyer-18.000; 18. Gordy Lee, 98, Avlators-18.000; 19. Steve Chassey, 18, Kershner-18.030; 20. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-18.040; 21. Lee Osborne, 81, Osborne-18.100; 22. Rocky Fisher, 53, Hazen-18.310; 23. Lee Kunzman, 1,

Conger/Stapp-18.330; 24. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-18.360; 25. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-18.570; 26. Cy Fairchild, 14, Smith-18.580; 27. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-18.590; 28. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-18.660; 29. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-18.750; 30. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-19.010; 31. Thad Doshier, 48, Longhorn-19.230; 32. John Lucas, 62, Powell-19.770; 33. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-19.780.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Lee Osborne, 2. Sonny Ates, 3. Bruce Walkup, 4. Larry Dickson, 5. Rich Leavell, 6. Greg Leffler, 7. George Snider. 2:25.39

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rocky Fisher, 2. Ronnie Burke, 3. Cy Fairchild, 4. Sheldon Kinser, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Gordy Lee, 7. Tom Bigelow. 2:28.24

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Billy Engelhart, 2. Lee Kunzman, 3. Gary Irvin, 4. Karl Busson, 5. Steve Chassey, 6. Marvin Carman, 7. Tommy Astone. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Chuck Gurney, 2. Dana Carter, 3. Joe Saldana, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Bob Frey, 6. Bob Richards, 7. Mike Schiesel. 2:24.30

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. George Snider, 3. Rich Leavell, 4. Bob Frey, 5. Tommy Astone, 6. Greg Leffler, 7. Gordy Lee, 8. Steve Chassey, 9. Mike Schiesel, 10. Bob Richards, 11. Tom Bigelow, 12. Marvin Carman. 2:59.62

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Larry Dickson, 3. Billy Engelhart, 4. Joe Saldana, 5. Sheldon Kinser, 6. Chuck Gurney, 7. Bruce Walkup, 8. Billy Cassella, 9. George Snider, 10. Bob Frey, 11. Karl Busson, 12. Ronnie Burke, 13. Sonny Ates, 14. Dana Carter, 15. Lee Osborne, 16. Rich Leavell, 17. Rocky Fisher, 18. Gary Irvin, 19. Tom Bigelow (#14), 20. Lee Kunzman. 12:04.17

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PANCHO WINS TONY HULMAN CLASSIC

Pancho Carter's victory in the May 4 Tony Hulman Classic at Indiana's Terre Haute Action Track boosted him into the 1975 USAC Sprint Car point lead.

The defending Sprint champion led all but the first two laps of the 40-lap feature which was rained out on Saturday, May 3, and run on Sunday, May 4. The rain out canceled live television coverage over ABC-TV, but ABC stayed over for Sunday and taped the race for showing at a later time.

Pancho outqualified a record field of 51 cars on Friday at the Action Track, then won the opening eight-lap heat on Sunday.

He passed defending Hulman Classic winner Gary Bettenhausen on the third lap of the feature and was never again headed.

Bettenhausen, who posted the third-fastest time in qualifying, drove a brilliant race and had the second spot nailed until the final laps. He was trapped behind George Snider on the final lap and spun, finishing 15th.

The 1974 Sprint division Rookie of the Year, Lee Osborne, placed second with Snider taking third.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: May 2-4, 1975 – Terre Haute Action Track – Terre Haute, Indiana – Tony Hulman Classic

QUALIFYING: (held on May 2) 1. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-23.750; 2. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-23.780; 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 15, Richards-23.820; 4. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-23.850; 5. Bruce Walkup, 4, Leyba-23.870; 6. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-23.910; 7. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-24.060; 8. Steve Cannon, 99, Powell-24.070; 9. Sheldon Kinser, 20, King-24.110; 10. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-24.160; 11. Larry Cannon, 59, Hoffman-24.170; 12. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-24.190; 13. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-24.260; 14. George Snider, 55, Knepper-24.280; 15. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-24.310; 16. Thad Doshier, 48, Longhorn-24.320; 17. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-24.40; 18. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-24.430; 19. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-24.460; 20. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-24.470; 21. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-24.60; 22. Larry Rice, 37, Campbell-24.690; 23. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-24.780; 24. Tommy Astone, 36, Wergland-24.80; 25. Dana Carter, 24, Davis-24.860; 26. Chuck Booth, 21, Booth-24.90; 27. Jim McElreath, 34, Siebert-24.910; 28. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-24.930; 29. Bill Puterbaugh, 73, Elkins-24.960; 30. Johnny Parsons, 41, Forberg-24.960; 31. Jackie Howerton, 95, Roesch-24.980; 32. Bob Frey, 33, Jones-25.040; 33. Bob Evans, 27, Britton-25.060; 34. Ronnie Burke, 14, Smith-25.070; 35. Gary Ponzini, 85, Ponzini-25.080; 36. Steve Cannon, 35, Granby-25.160; 37. Greg Leffler, 19, Linsmeyer-25.230; 38. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-25.350; 39. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-25.480; 40. Rocky Fisher, 53, Hazen-25.610; 41. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-25.750; 42. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-25.830; 43. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-26.090; 44. Chuck Mosley, 28, Watson-26.10; 45. Marvin Carman, 92, Leffler-26.10; 46. Jerry Poland, 54, Fortney-26.70; 47. Jackie Burke, 26, Burke-26.810; 48. Fred Linder, 68, Vitte-26.810; 49. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-27.240; 50. Tom Rose, 56, Gohr-27.390; 51. John Lucas, 62, Powell-27.67.

NON-QUALIFIERS RACE: (12 laps, held on May 2) 1. Bill Puterbaugh, 2. Gary Ponzini, 3. Jackie Howerton, 4. Bob Frey, 5. Ronnie Burke, 6. Karl Busson, 7. Johnny Parsons, 8. Gary Irvin, 9. Greg Leffler, 10. Bob Evans. NT

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Billy Engelhart, 3. Sonny Ates, 4. Sheldon Kinser, 5. Bruce Walkup, 6. Jimmy Caruthers, 7. Dana Carter. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Lee Osborne, 3. George Snider, 4. Chuck Booth, 5. Larry Dickson, 6. Larry Rice, 7. Rollie Beale. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Jim McElreath, 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 4. Joe Saldana, 5. Larry Cannon, 6. Dave Gable, 7. Rich Vogler. 3:20.39

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Thad Doshier, 2. Gordy Lee, 3. Tommy Astone, 4. Chuck Gurney, 5. Billy Cassella, 6. Steve Cannon, 7. Jerry Miller. 3:25.81

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Bruce Walkup, 2. Steve Cannon, 3. Larry Cannon, 4. Jimmy Caruthers, 5. Larry Dickson, 6. Billy Cassella, 7. Dave Gable, 8. Jerry Miller, 9. Dana Carter, 10. Larry Rice, 11. Rollie Beale, 12. Rich Vogler. 4:22.66

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Lee Osborne, 3. George Snider, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Sheldon Kinser, 6. Jimmy Caruthers, 7. Thad Doshier, 8. Steve Cannon, 9. Tommy Astone, 10. Sonny Ates, 11. Bruce Walkup, 12. Larry Cannon, 13. Chuck Booth, 14. Chuck Gurney, 15. Gary Bettenhausen, 16. Joe Saldana, 17. Sammy Sessions, 18. Billy Engelhart, 19. Gordy Lee, 20. Jim McElreath. 15:52.96

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: May 10, 1975 – Indianapolis Raceway Park – Clermont, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. George Snider, 55, Knepper-22.530; 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 6, Roesch-22.540; 3. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-22.640; 4. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-22.640; 5. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-22.760; 6. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-22.760; 7. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-22.810; 8. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-22.810; 9. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-22.850; 10. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-22.850; 11. Bruce Walkup, 4, Leyba-22.880; 12. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-22.910; 13. Joe Saldana,

16, Amerling-22.930; 14. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-22.940; 15. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-23.030; 16. Greg Leffler, 19, Linsmeyer-23.070; 17. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-23.080; 18. Steve Chassey, 28, Watson-23.080; 19. Tommy Astone, 36, Wergland-23.120; 20. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-23.170; 21. Chuck Booth, 21, Booth-23.220; 22. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-23.290; 23. Jackie Howerton, 14, Smith-23.360; 24. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-23.390; 25. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-23.410; 26. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-23.420; 27. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-23.460; 28. Dana Carter, 24, Davis-23.50; 29. Steve Cannon, 99, Powell-23.780; 30. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-23.790; 31. Marvin Carman, 92, Leffler-23.890; 32. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-23.90; 33. Thad Doshier, 48, Longhorn-23.990; 34. John Lucas, 62, Powell-24.150; 35. Andy Brown, 20, King-24.240; 36. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-24.240; 37. Jerry Weeks, 10, King-24.290; 38. John Logan, 47, Roberts-24.410; 39. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-24.780; 40. Gary Ponzini, 73, Elkins-NT; 41. Jerry Poland, 54, Fortney-NT; 42. Tom Rose, 56, Gohr-NT.

DASH: (4 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Tom Bigelow, 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 4. George Snider. 1:31.62

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Chuck Booth, 3. Joe Saldana, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Billy Engelhart, 6. Mike Schiesel, 7. George Snider. 3:04.41

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Steve Chassey, 3. Jimmy Caruthers, 4. Gary Irvin, 5. Gordy Lee, 6. Dave Gable, 7. Gary Bettenhausen. 3:05.35

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jackie Howerton, 2. Ronnie Burke, 3. Bruce Walkup, 4. Tommy Astone, 5. Lee Osborne, 6. Sammy Sessions, 7. Karl Busson. 3:04.60

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bob Richards, 2. Larry Dickson, 3. Dana Carter, 4. Chuck Gurney, 5. Greg Leffler, 6. Sonny Ates, 7. Tom Bigelow. 3:04.61

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Lee Osborne, 3. Tom Bigelow, 4. George Snider, 5. Billy Engelhart, 6. Greg Leffler, 7. Karl Busson, 8. Gordy Lee, 9. Rich Leavell, 10. Steve Cannon, 11. Marvin Carman, 12. Mike Schiesel. 3:46.49

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Lee Osborne, 2. Chuck Gurney, 3. Billy Cassella, 4. George Snider, 5. Tom Bigelow, 6. Joe Saldana, 7. Bruce Walkup, 8. Tommy Astone, 9. Steve Chassey, 10. Dana Carter, 11. Bob Richards, 12. Ronnie Burke, 13. Pancho Carter, 14. Sammy Sessions, 15. Gary Irvin, 16. Jimmy Caruthers, 17. Chuck Booth, 18. Jackie Howerton, 19. Larry Dickson, 20. Rollie Beale. 16:30.53

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: May 18, 1975 – Millstream Motor Speedway – Findlay, Ohio

QUALIFYING: 1. George Snider, 55, Knepper-21.140; 2. Fred Linder, 68, Vitte-21.160; 3. Thad Doshier, 48, Longhorn-21.310; 4. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-21.360; 5. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-21.390; 6. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-21.510; 7. Rocky Fisher, 30, Trost-21.600; 8. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-21.660; 9. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-21.670; 10. Gary Ponzini, 19, Linsmeyer-21.750; 11. John Lucas, 62, Powell-21.750; 12. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-21.850; 13. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-21.900; 14. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-21.900; 15. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-21.930; 16. Dana Carter, 24, Davis-22.010; 17. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-22.020; 18. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-22.030; 19. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-22.070; 20. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-22.130; 21. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-22.140; 22. Bill Koepfer, 2, Weaver-22.170; 23. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-22.180; 24. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-22.240; 25. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-22.560; 26. Tommy Astone, 36, Wergland-22.570; 27. Bob Frey, 33, Jones-22.660; 28. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-22.670; 29. Bruce Walkup, 4, Leyba-22.730; 30. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-22.770; 31. Steve Chassey, 28, Watson-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. Dave Gable, 3. Sammy Sessions, 4. George Snider, 5. Gordy Lee, 6. Dave Peperak, 7. Chuck Gurney. 2:47.52

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Tommy Astone, 2. Fred Linder, 3. Jackie Howerton, 4. Bill Koepfer, 5. Larry Dickson, 6. Gary Ponzini, 7. Sonny Ates. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Karl Busson, 3. Thad Doshier, 4. Bob Frey, 5. Rocky Fisher, 6. John Lucas, 7. Rich Vogler. 2:47.15

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Billy Engelhart, 2. Pancho Carter, 3. Mike Schiesel, 4. Dana Carter, 5. Lee Osborne, 6. Rich Leavell, 7. Billy Cassella. 2:49.59

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Gary Ponzini, 3. Billy Cassella, 4. Lee Osborne, 5. Chuck Gurney, 6. Rich Vogler, 7. Rich Leavell, 8. John Lucas, 9. Bruce Walkup, 10. Dave Peperak, 11. Gordy Lee, 12. Rocky Fisher. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Pancho Carter, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. George Snider, 5. Lee Osborne, 6. Sammy Sessions, 7. Billy Cassella, 8. Jackie Howerton, 9. Billy Engelhart, 10. Joe Saldana, 11. Bill Koepfer, 12. Tommy Astone, 13. Dana Carter, 14. Karl Busson, 15. Dave Gable, 16. Mike Schiesel, 17. Bob Frey, 18. Thad Doshier, 19. Gary Ponzini, 20. Fred Linder. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: May 23, 1975 – Indiana State Fairgrounds – Indianapolis, Indiana – Twin 50s

QUALIFYING: 1. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-34.600; 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 15, Richards-34.750; 3. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-34.790; 4. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-34.850; 5. Thad Doshier, 48, Longhorn-34.880; 6. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-34.880; 7. George Snider, 55, Knepper-34.920; 8. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-34.970; 9. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-34.970; 10. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-34.980; 11. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-35.000; 12. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-35.030; 13. Bruce Walkup, 4, Leyba-35.060; 14. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-35.120; 15. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-35.160; 16. Steve Cannon, 99, Burton-35.230; 17. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-35.240; 18. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-25.250; 19. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-35.270; 20. Larry Cannon, 59, Hoffman-35.290; 21. Bob Evans, 27, Britton-35.390; 22. John Lucas, 62, Powell-35.460; 23. Dana Carter, 24, Davis-35.50; 24. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-35.640; 25. Greg Leffler, 92, Leffler-35.680; 26. Jerry Poland, 54, Fortney-35.740; 27. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-35.930; 28. Gary Ponzini, 19, Linsmeyer-35.960; 29. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-36.000; 30. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-36.00; 31. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-36.040; 32. Tommy Astone, 36, Wergland-36.220; 33. Fred Linder, 68, Vitte-36.450; 34. Steve Chassey, 28, Watson-36.510; 35. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-36.620; 36. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-36.750; 37. Bill Koepfer, 2, Weaver-36.90; 38. Rocky Fisher, 30, Trost-37.790; 39. Tom Rose, 56, Gohr-37.890; 40. John Hubbard, 14, Smith-38.950; 41. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-NT; 42. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-NT; 43. Duke DePonzi, 87, DePonzi-NT.

SEMI: (15 laps) 1. John Lucas, 2. Tommy Astone, 3. Gary Ponzini, 4. Greg Leffler, 5. Tom Bigelow (#2), 6. Rich Leavell, 7. Fred Linder, 8. Jerry Miller, 9. Mike Schiesel, 10. Dave Peperak, 11. Bob Evans, 12. Sonny Ates, 13. Aaron Capps, 14. Gordy Lee, 15. Rocky Fisher, 16. Tom Rose, 17. John Hubbard, 18. Dana Carter, 19. Jerry Poland, 20. Steve Chassey. NT

FIRST FEATURE: (50 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. Rollie Beale, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Gary Bettenhausen, 5. George Snider, 6. Tommy Astone, 7. Sammy Sessions, 8. Larry Dickson, 9. Steve Cannon, 10. Ronnie Burke, 11. Chuck Gurney, 12. Rich Leavell, 13. Thad Doshier, 14. Lee Osborne, 15. John Lucas, 16. Greg Leffler, 17. Billy Cassella, 18. Jackie Howerton, 19. Karl Busson, 20. Fred Linder, 21. Gary Irvin, 22. Billy Engelhart, 23. Jerry Miller, 24. Rich Vogler, 25. Tom Bigelow, 26. Gary Ponzini, 27. Bruce Walkup, 28. Larry Cannon. NT

SECOND FEATURE: (50 laps) 1. George Snider, 2. Rollie Beale, 3. Joe Saldana, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Tommy Astone, 6. Ronnie Burke, 7. Larry Dickson, 8. Lee Osborne, 9. Karl Busson, 10. Bob Evans, 11. Rich Vogler, 12. Steve Cannon, 13. Gary Irvin, 14. John Lucas, 15. Fred Linder, 16. Jerry Miller, 17. Dave Peperak, 18. Rich Leavell, 19. Chuck Gurney, 20. Tom Bigelow, 21. Gary Bettenhausen, 22. Sammy Sessions, 23. Pancho Carter, 24. Gary Ponzini, 25. Mike Schiesel, 26. Greg Leffler, 27. Jackie Howerton, 28. Thad Doshier. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: June 1, 1975 – Terre Haute Action Track – Terre Haute, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Bruce Walkup, 14, Smith-24.232; 2. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-24.613; 3. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-24.784; 4. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-25.059; 5. Thad Doshier, 48, Longhorn-25.064; 6. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-25.147; 7. Gary Ponzini, 19, Linsmeyer-25.176; 8. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-25.219; 9. Sheldon Kinser, 20, King-25.222; 10. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-25.243; 11. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-25.261; 12. George Snider, 55, Knepper-25.368; 13. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-25.410; 14. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-25.469; 15. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-25.494; 16. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-25.575; 17. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-25.626; 18. Dana Carter, 24, Davis-25.735; 19. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-25.840; 20. Steve Chassey, 54, Fortney-25.902; 21. Tommy Astone, 36, Wergland-25.984; 22. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-26.089; 23. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-26.092; 24. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-26.094; 25. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-26.332; 26. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-26.395; 27. Jerry Nemire, 33, Jones-26.417; 28. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-26.616; 29. Rocky Fisher, 30, Trost-26.673; 30. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-26.714; 31. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-26.732; 32. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-26.735; 33. Tom Rose, 56, Gohr-26.945; 34. Chet Johnson, 35, Granby-27.154; 35. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-27.211; 36. Aaron Capps, 40, Tisdell-27.266; 37. Jack Powell, 99, Burton-27.295; 38. John Lucas, 62, Powell-27.927.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 3. Sheldon Kinser, 4. Tommy Astone, 5. Karl Busson, 6. Bruce Walkup, 7. Thad Doshier. 3:28.61

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Sonny Ates, 3. Tom Bigelow, 4. Rich Vogler, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Jerry Nemire, 7. Dana Carter. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Lee Osborne, 2. Chuck Gurney, 3. Gary Ponzini, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Mike Schiesel, 6. Gordy Lee, 7. Billy Engelhart. 3:31.12

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. George Snider, 2. Jimmy Caruthers, 3. Ronnie Burke, 4. Larry Dickson, 5. Rich Leavell, 6. Steve Chassey, 7. Rocky Fisher. 3:28.41

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Thad Doshier, 2. Sammy Sessions, 3. Rich Leavell, 4. Steve Chassey, 5. Mike Schiesel, 6. Karl Busson, 7. Jerry Nemire, 8. Jerry Miller, 9. Rocky Fisher, 10. Dave Gable, 11. Dave Peperak, 12. Gordy Lee. 4:26.72

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. Tom Bigelow, 3. Jimmy Caruthers, 4. George Snider, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Larry Dickson, 7. Gary Bettenhausen, 8. Sonny Ates, 9. Gary Ponzini, 10. Thad Doshier, 11. Billy Cassella, 12. Rich Leavell, 13. Sheldon Kinser, 14. Pancho Carter, 15. Rich Vogler, 16. Lee Osborne, 17. Chuck Gurney, 18. Steve Chassey, 19. Ronnie Burke, 20. Tommy Astone. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: June 7, 1975 – Illiana Motor Speedway – Schererville, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-20.389; 2. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-20.389; 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-20.459; 4. George Snider, 55, Knepper-20.599; 5. Rollie Beale, 7, Kllman-20.686; 6. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-20.717; 7. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-20.727; 8. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-20.733; 9. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-20.755; 10. Chuck Booth, 21, Booth-20.789; 11. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-20.808; 12. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-20.849; 13. Duke Cook, 33, Jones-20.894; 14. Larry Dickson, 80, Enaign-20.903; 15. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-20.934; 16. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-20.936; 17. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-21.011; 18. Gary Ponzini, 19, Linsmeyer-21.044; 19. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-21.066; 20. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-21.102; 21. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-21.106; 22. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-21.149; 23. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-21.175; 24. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-21.186; 25. Marvin Carman, 82, Stone-21.214; 26. Rocky Fisher, 30, Trost-21.373; 27. Rich Vogler, 60, Balisteri-21.381; 28. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-21.386; 29. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-21.430; 30. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-21.449; 31. Tom Rose, 56, Gohr-22.127; 32. John Lucas, 62, Powell-22.96; 33. Jackie Howerton, 14, Smith-22.41; 34. Jerry Weeks, 10, King-22.548; 35. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-22.743; 36. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-24.003; 37. Sheldon Kinser, 20, King-NT

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Marvin Carman, 2. Joe Saldana, 3. Rollie Beale, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Duke Cook, 6. Billy Cassella, 7. Bob Richards. 2:50.76

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Karl Busson, 3. Chuck Gurney, 4. Gary Ponzini, 5. Chuck Booth, 6. Rocky Fisher, 7. Ronnie Burke. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jimmy Caruthers, 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Lee Osborne, 5. Gary Irvin, 6. Aaron Capps, 7. Dave Gable. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Jerry Miller, 3. Gordy Lee, 4. George Snider, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Pancho Carter, 7. Billy Engelhart. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Bob Richards, 3. Chuck Booth, 4. Sammy Sessions, 5. Gary Irvin, 6. Duke Cook, 7. Billy Cassella, 8. Aaron Capps, 9. Rich Leavell, 10. Rocky Fisher, 11. Sonny Ates, 12. Tom Rose. 3:26.50

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Gary Bettenhausen, 2. George Snider, 3. Rollie Beale, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Larry Dickson, 6. Chuck Gurney, 7. Joe Saldana, 8. Chuck Booth, 9. Gordy Lee, 10. Gary Ponzini, 11. Sammy Sessions, 12. Bob Richards, 13. Tom Bigelow, 14. Pancho Carter, 15. Jimmy Caruthers, 16. Jerry Miller, 17. Karl Busson, 18. Marvin Carman, 19. Rich Vogler, 20. Lee Osborne, NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: June 21, 1975 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio

QUALIFYING: 1. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-18.448; 2. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-18.671; 3. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-18.687; 4. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-18.692; 5. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-18.771; 6. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-18.797; 7. George Snider, 55, Knepper-18.850; 8. Steve Cannon, 2, Weaver-18.907; 9. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-18.951; 10. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-18.959; 11. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-18.968; 12. Larry Rice, 18, Kershner-19.050; 13. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-19.060; 14. Jerry Nemire, 27, Britton-19.062; 15. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-19.092; 16. Charlie Masters, 33, Jones-19.118; 17. Tommy Astone, 36, Wergland-19.232; 18. Thad Doshier, 14, Smith-19.266; 19. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-19.282; 20. Jerry Poland, 4, Leyba-19.285; 21. Gary Ponzini, 19, Linsmeyer-19.318; 22. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-19.326; 23. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-19.401; 24. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-19.402; 25. John Lucas, 62, Powell-19.462; 26. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-19.653; 27. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-19.757; 28. Steve Chassey, 30, Trost-19.788; 29. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-

19.898; 30. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-20.267; 31. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-20.388; 32. Lee Brayton, 49, Blowers-20.423; 33. Marvin Carman, 82, Stone-20.560; 34. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-20.858.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Bruce Walkup, 3. Chuck Gurney, 4. John Lucas, 5. Tommy Astone, 6. Sonny Ates, 7. Gary Ponzini. 2:38.18

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Jerry Nemire, 3. Joe Saldana, 4. Billy Engelhart, 5. Lee Osborne, 6. Jerry Miller, 7. Thad Doshier. 2:34.27

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Rich Leavell, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Greg Leffler, 5. George Snider, 6. Jackie Howerton, 7. Larry Dickson. 2:33.03

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Karl Busson, 2. Charlie Masters, 3. Steve Cannon, 4. Larry Rice, 5. Steve Chassey, 6. Jerry Poland, 7. Billy Cassella. 2:34.99

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Lee Osborne, 4. Sonny Ates, 5. George Snider, 6. Jackie Howerton, 7. Tommy Astone, 8. Jerry Poland, 9. Jerry Miller, 10. Steve Chassey, 11. Thad Doshier, 12. Gary Ponzini. 3:06.39

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Chuck Gurney, 5. Larry Rice, 6. Steve Cannon, 7. George Snider, 8. Sammy Sessions, 9. Lee Osborne, 10. Karl Busson, 11. Charlie Masters, 12. Greg Leffler, 13. Rich Vogler, 14. Rich Leavell, 15. John Lucas, 16. Joe Saldana, 17. Jerry Nemire, 18. Bruce Walkup, 19. Larry Dickson, 20. Billy Engelhart.
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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: June 22, 1975 – Winchester Speedway – Winchester, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Pancho Carter, 1, CONGER/STAPP-16.473; 2. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-16.526; 3. George Snider, 55, Knepper-16.602; 4. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-16.632; 5. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-16.705; 6. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-16.707; 7. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-16.763; 8. Marvin Carman, 82, Stone-16.846; 9. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-16.848; 10. Charlie Masters, 33, Jones-16.896; 11. Larry Dickson, 4, Leyba-16.908; 12. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-16.946; 13. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-16.983; 14. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-16.987; 15. Bruce Walkup, 2, Weaver-17.037; 16. Billy Engelhart, 51, Koehler-17.113; 17. Jackie Howerton, 14, Smith-17.135; 18. Jerry Poland, 54, Fortney-17.150; 19. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-17.156; 20. Larry Rice, 18, Kershner-17.180; 21. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-17.229; 22. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-17.276; 23. Chuck Booth, 21, Booth-17.282; 24. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-17.304; 25. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-17.315; 26. Tommy Astone, 36, Wergland-17.329; 27. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-17.391; 28. Gary Ponzini, 19, Linsmeyer-17.504; 29. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-17.529; 30. Steve Chassey, 30, Trost-17.594; 31. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-17.622; 32. John Lucas, 62, Powell-17.651; 33. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-17.919; 34. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-18.124; 35. Jerry Nemire, 27, Britton-18.155.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Gary Irvin, 2. Karl Busson, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Jerry Miller, 5. Joe Saldana, 6. Greg Leffler, 7. Jackie Howerton. 2:18.80

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Bob Richards, 3. Chuck Gurney, 4. Tommy Astone, 5. Charlie Masters, 6. Jerry Poland, 7. Jeff Bloom. 7:16.29

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bruce Walkup, 2. Chuck Booth, 3. Dave Gable, 4. Larry Dickson, 5. Sonny Ates, 6. George Snider, 7. Lee Osborne. 2:14.06

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Billy Engelhart, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Sammy Sessions, 4. Gary Ponzini, 5. Ronnie Burke, 6. Marvin Carman, 7. Larry Rice. 1:17.78

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. George Snider, 3. Lee Osborne, 4. Greg Leffler, 5. Marvin Carman, 6. Jeff Bloom, 7. Larry Rice, 8. Ronnie Burke, 9. Rich Leavell, 10. Jerry Poland, 11. Charlie Masters, 12. Sonny Ates. 2:50.53

FEATURE: (38 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Pancho Carter, 3. Billy Cassella, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Billy Engelhart, 6. Larry Dickson, 7. Joe Saldana, 8. Chuck Gurney, 9. Chuck Booth, 10. Karl Busson, 11. Sammy Sessions, 12. Lee Osborne, 13. Gary Ponzini, 14. Tommy Astone, 15. Bob Richards, 16. Gary Irvin, 17. Greg Leffler, 18. George Snider, 19. Jerry Miller, 20. Dave Gable. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: June 28, 1975 – Indianapolis Raceway Park – Clermont, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Tommy Astone, 2, Weaver-22.610; 2. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-22.690; 3. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-22.748; 4. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-22.753; 5. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-22.768; 6. Larry Rice, 18, Kershner-22.774; 7. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-22.790; 8. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-22.791; 9. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-22.959; 10. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-22.975; 11. Mel Kenyon, 55, Knepper-23.085; 12. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-23.086; 13. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-23.087; 14. Bill Koepfer, 4, Leyba-23.118; 15. Billy Engelhart, 36, Wergland-23.239; 16. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-23.273; 17. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-23.286; 18. Dana Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-23.291; 19. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-23.235; 20. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-23.338; 21. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-23.365; 22. Charlie Masters, 33, Jones-23.371; 23. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-23.428; 24. Chuck Booth, 21, Booth-23.491; 25. John Lucas, 62, Powell-23.511; 26. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-23.528; 27. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-23.529; 28. Jerry Poland, 51, Koehler-23.707; 29. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-23.743; 30. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-23.747; 31. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-23.803; 32. Mervin Carman, 82, Stone-24.015; 33. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-24.118; 34. Larry Ninneman, 78, Pogorzelski-25.378; 35. Jerry Poland, 54, Fortney-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. Rollie Beale, 3. Gary Irvin, 4. Lee Osborne, 5. Tommy Astone, 6. John Lucas, 7. Rich Vogler. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Dana Carter, 2. Charlie Masters, 3. Larry Rice, 4. Greg Leffler, 5. Bill Koepfer, 6. Sammy Sessions, 7. Jerry Miller. 3:05.40

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Billy Engelhart, 3. Aaron Capps, 4. Mel Kenyon, 5. Chuck Gurney, 6. Dave Gable, 7. Karl Busson. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bruce Walkup, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Jeff Bloom, 4. Chuck Booth, 5. Gordy Lee, 6. Ronnie Burke, 7. Jerry Poland. 3:06.11

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Tommy Astone, 2. Sammy Sessions, 3. Chuck Gurney, 4. Ronnie Burke, 5. Gordy Lee, 6. Bill Koepfer, 7. Rich Leavell, 8. Sonny Ates, 9. Marvin Carman, 10. Jerry Miller, 11. Rich Vogler, 12. Dave Gable. 3:48.60

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Larry Rice, 3. Tommy Astone, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Chuck Gurney, 7. Mel Kenyon, 8. Jeff Bloom, 9. Gary Irvin, 10. Larry Dickson, 11. Billy Engelhart, 12. Ronnie Burke, 13. Dana Carter, 14. Bruce Walkup, 15. Greg Leffler, 16. Charlie Masters, 17. Joe Saldana, 18. Chuck Booth, 19. Gordy Lee, 20. Aaron Capps. 15:37.39

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 6, 1975 – Reading Fairgrounds – Reading, Pennsylvania

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. George Snider (#4 Leyba), 2. Lee Osborne (#81 Stauffer), 3. Rollie Beale (#7 Kilman), 4. Larry Dickson (#80 Ensign), 5. Jimmy Caruthers (#18 Kershner), 6. Rich Leavell (#61 Welch), 7. Billy Engelhart (#36 Wergland), 8. Tommy Astone (#33 Jones), 9. Pancho Carter (#1 Conger-Stapp), 10. Sheldon Kinser (#56 Gohr). 3:16.64

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Joe Saldana (#16 Amerling), 2. Greg Leffler (#69 Davis), 3. Chuck Gurney (#3 Siebert), 4. Billy Cassella (#29 Seymour), 5. Bruce Walkup (#48 Longhorn), 6. Tom Bigelow (#2 Weaver), 7. Sammy Sessions (#9 Leffler), 8. Jackie Howerton (#41 Forberg), 9. Dave Peperak (#77 Peperak), 10. Dave Gable (#72 Polak). NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Billy Engelhart, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Sammy Sessions, 5. Rich Leavell, 6. Sheldon Kinser (#37 Campbell). NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Lee Osborne, 2. George Snider, 3. Bruce Walkup, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Billy Cassella, 6. Jimmy Caruthers, 7. Sammy Sessions, 8. Rich Leavell, 9. Larry Dickson, 10. Greg Leffler, 11. Dave Gable, 12. Joe Saldana, 13. Rollie Beale, 14. Tommy Astone, 15. Jackie Howerton, 16. Billy Engelhart, 17. Sheldon Kinser, 18. Chuck Gurney, 19. Pancho Carter, 20. Dave Peperak. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 12, 1975 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio

QUALIFYING: 1. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-17.567; 2. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-17.953; 3. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-18.020; 4. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-18.090; 5. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-18.194; 6. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-18.196; 7. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-18.268; 8. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-18.270; 9. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-18.312; 10. Billy Engelhart, 36, Wergland-18.358; 11. Joe Saldana, 16, Amerling-18.367; 12. George Snider, 55, Knepper-18.409; 13. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-18.486; 14. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-18.490; 15. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-18.506; 16. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-18.539; 17. Steve Chassey, 25, Easton-18.551; 18. Jerry Nemire, 27, Britton-18.671; 19. Karl Busson, 30, Trost-18.707; 20. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-18.745; 21. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-18.770; 22. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-18.860; 23. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-18.863; 24. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-18.906; 25. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-19.098; 26. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-19.315; 27. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-19.909.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Rich Leavell, 3. Jackie Howerton, 4. Steve Chassey, 5. Lee Osborne, 6. Dave Gable, 7. Pancho Carter. 2:33.28

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Billy Cassella, 2. Jimmy Caruthers, 3. Jerry Nemire, 4. Mike Schiesel, 5. Bruce Walkup, 6. Billy Engelhart, 7. Tom Bigelow. 2:29.08

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jerry Miller, 2. Rich Vogler, 3. Karl Busson, 4. Rollie Beale, 5. Gary Bettenhausen, 6. Dave Peperak, 7. Joe Saldana. 2:32.05

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Sheldon Kinser, 2. Greg Leffler, 3. George Snider, 4. Ronnie Burke, 5. Chuck Gurney, 6. Sammy Sessions. 2:26.54

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Lee Osborne, 2. Bruce Walkup, 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 4. Chuck Gurney, 5. Billy Engelhart, 6. Tom Bigelow, 7. Pancho Carter, 8. Dave Gable, 9. Dave Peperak, 10. Sammy Sessions. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Billy Cassella, 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 3. Rollie Beale, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Larry Dickson, 6. George Snider, 7. Chuck Gurney, 8. Lee Osborne, 9. Greg Leffler, 10. Rich Vogler, 11. Steve Chassey, 12. Karl Busson, 13. Jerry Miller, 14. Mike Schiesel, 15. Ronnie Burke, 16. Jackie Howerton, 17. Sheldon Kinser, 18. Jerry Nemire, 19. Rich Leavell, 20. Jimmy Caruthers. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 19, 1975 – Toledo Speedway – Toledo, Ohio

QUALIFYING: 1. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-16.294; 2. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-16.332; 3. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-16.339; 4. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-16.341; 5. Billy Engelhart, 36, Wergland-16.401; 6. George Snider, 55, Knepper-16.416; 7. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-16.446; 8. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-16.530; 9. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-16.545; 10. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-16.564; 11. Charlie Masters, 33, Jones-16.602; 12. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-16.603; 13. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-16.650; 14. Joe Saldana, 2, Weaver-16.668; 15. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-16.670; 16. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-16.670; 17. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-16.742; 18. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-16.754; 19. Ken Nichols, 51, Koehler-16.801; 20. Tom Bigelow, 32, Weaver-16.823; 21. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-16.823; 22. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-16.858; 23. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-16.875; 24. Chuck Gurney, 3, Siebert-16.888; 25. Jerry Nemire, 82, Stone-16.925; 26. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-16.960; 27. Karl Busson, 30, Trost-17.015; 28. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-17.026; 29. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-17.084; 30. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-17.090; 31. Andy Brown, 91, Brown-17.392; 32. Larry Ninneman, 78, Pogorzelski-17.445; 33. Jerry Weeks, 20, King-17.448; 34. Darl Harrison, 70, Smith-17.517.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jeff Bloom, 2. Rollie Beale, 3. Jerry Nemire, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Sonny Ates, 6. Billy Engelhart, 7. Rich Leavell. 2:14.14

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Sammy Sessions, 5. Joe Saldana, 6. George Snider, 7. Bob Richards. 2:11.65

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Karl Busson, 3. Jimmy Caruthers, 4. Gary Irvin, 5. Charlie Masters, 6. Greg Leffler, 7. Ken Nichols. 2:15.35

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Chuck Gurney, 2. Bill Puterbaugh, 3. Billy Cassella, 4. Gary Bettenhausen, 5. Gordy Lee, 6. Lee Osborne, 7. Tom Bigelow. 2:12.95

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Billy Engelhart, 2. George Snider, 3. Lee Osborne, 4. Charlie Masters, 5. Bob Richards, 6. Joe Saldana, 7. Greg Leffler, 8. Ken Nichols, 9. Tom Bigelow, 10. Rich Leavell, 11. Gordy Lee, 12. Sonny Ates. 2:46.61

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Jeff Bloom, 3. George Snider, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Rollie Beale, 6. Billy Engelhart, 7. Jimmy Caruthers, 8. Charlie Masters, 9. Sheldon Kinser, 10. Sammy Sessions, 11. Bruce Walkup, 12. Bill Puterbaugh, 13. Gary Irvin, 14. Chuck Gurney, 15. Karl Busson, 16. Pancho Carter, 17. Lee Osborne, 18. Jerry Nemire, 19. Gary Bettenhausen, 20. Rich Vogler. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 27, 1975 – Winchester Speedway – Winchester, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-16.180; 2. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-16.210; 3. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-16.315; 4. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-16.396; 5. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-16.515; 6. Jerry Poland, 54, Fortney-16.524; 7. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-16.529; 8. Billy Engelhart, 36, Wergland-16.539; 9. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-16.557; 10. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-16.594; 11. Marvin Carman, 71, Dowker-16.602; 12. George Snider, 55, Knepper-16.645; 13. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-16.668; 14. Charlie Masters, 33, Jones-16.689; 15. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-16.727; 16. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-16.741; 17. Steve Chassey, 51, Koehler-16.751; 18. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-16.792; 19. Sheldon Kinser, 20, King-16.820; 20. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-16.859; 21. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-16.887; 22. Chuck Booth, 21, Booth-16.887; 23. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-16.932; 24. Tommy Astone, 24, Davis-16.972; 25. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-17.081; 26. Karl Busson, 30, Trost-17.216; 27. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-17.234; 28. Darl Harrison, 14, Smith-17.333; 29. Jerry Weeks, 56, Gohr-17.473; 30. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-17.475; 31. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-17.615; 32. Steve Cannon, 76, Babb-17.906; 33. Andy Brown, 91, Brown-18.079; 34. Darl Harrison, 70, Stites-18.413; 35. Gordy Lee, 98, Aviators-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bruce Walkup, 2. Joe Saldana, 3. Jeff Bloom, 4. Rich Leavell, 5. Steve Chassey, 6. Bill Puterbaugh, 7. Billy Cassella. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Chuck Booth, 2. Larry Dickson, 3. Jerry Poland, 4. Charlie Masters, 5. Greg Leffler, 6. Karl Busson, 7. Bob Richards. 2:16.83

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Tom Bigelow, 3. Sonny Ates, 4. Sheldon Kinser, 5. Mike Schiesel, 6. Lee Osborne, 7. Marvin Carman. 2:15.78

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Tommy Astone, 3. Billy Engelhart, 4. Rich Vogler, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Darl Harrison, 7. George Snider. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Greg Leffler, 3. Bill Puterbaugh, 4. Marvin Carman, 5. Lee Osborne, 6. Bob Richards, 7. Billy Cassella (#51), 8. Gary Irvin, 9. Mike Schiesel, 10. Jerry Weeks, 11. Karl Busson, 12. Dave Gable. 2:48.05

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Jeff Bloom, 3. Tom Bigelow, 4. Larry Dickson, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Pancho Carter, 7. Joe Saldana, 8. Bill Puterbaugh, 9. Jerry Poland, 10. Greg Leffler, 11. Charlie Masters, 12. Rich Vogler, 13. Billy Cassella (#25), 14. Rich Leavell, 15. Bruce Walkup, 16. Chuck Booth, 17. Sheldon Kinser, 18. Tommy Astone, 19. Billy Engelhart, 20. Marvin Carman. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: August 3, 1975 – Terre Haute Action Track – Terre Haute, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-23.466; 2. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-23.742; 3. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-23.877; 4. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-24.006; 5. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-24.011; 6. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-24.158; 7. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-24.180; 8. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-24.187; 9. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-24.259; 10. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-24.405; 11. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-24.501; 12. Steve Cannon, 76, Babb-24.519; 13. Gary Bettenhausen, 24, Davis-24.659; 14. Larry Rice, 38, Hodson-24.686; 15. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-24.694; 16. Jerry Weeks, 20, King-24.696; 17. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-24.731; 18. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-24.800; 19. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-24.849; 20. Jack Powell, 99, Powell-24.878; 21. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-25.021; 22. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-25.106; 23. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-25.172; 24. Chuck Gurney, 26, Easton-25.232; 25. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-25.277; 26. Andy Brown, 91, Brown-25.490; 27. John Lucas, 30, Trost-26.569; 28. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-NT; 29. Jerry Miller, 79, Watson-NT, 30. Duke Cook, 14, Smith-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bruce Walkup, 2. Larry Dickson, 3. Sheldon Kinser, 4. Greg Leffler, 5. Gary Bettenhausen, 6. Jackie Howerton, 7. Dave Peperak. 3:20.76

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bill Puterbaugh, 2. Rich Vogler, 3. Mike Schiesel, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Lee Osborne, 6. Andy Brown, 7. Larry Rice. 3:23.27

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Dave Gable, 4. Sammy Sessions, 5. Ronnie Burke, 6. Jimmy Caruthers, 7. John Lucas. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. Chuck Gurney, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Steve Cannon, 5. Jerry Weeks, 6. Jack Powell. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Lee Osborne, 2. Jimmy Caruthers, 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 4. Larry Rice, 5. Jackie Howerton, 6. Jack Powell, 7. Jerry Weeks, 8. Dave Peperak, 9. Andy Brown, 10. Ronnie Burke, 11. John Lucas. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Gary Bettenhausen, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. Tom Bigelow, 4. Lee Osborne, 5. Jimmy Caruthers, 6. Chuck Gurney, 7. Rollie Beale, 8. Larry Dickson, 9. Steve Cannon, 10. Bill Puterbaugh, 11. Bruce Walkup, 12. Mike Schiesel, 13. Sammy Sessions, 14. Greg Leffler, 15. Joe Saldana, 16. Dave Gable, 17. Rich Vogler, 18. Larry Rice, 19. Billy Cassella, 20. Pancho Carter. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: August 9, 1975 – Illiana Motor Speedway – Schererville, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-20.593; 2. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-20.605; 3. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-20.630; 4. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-20.685; 5. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-20.748; 6. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-20.752; 7. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-20.753; 8. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-20.756; 9. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-20.760; 10. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-20.779; 11. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-20.781; 12. Andy Brown, 91, Brown-20.792; 13. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-20.830; 14. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-20.899; 15. Steve Chassey, 31, Heck-20.908; 16. Rich Vogler, 60, Balistreri-20.954; 17. Chuck Gurney, 25, Easton-20.964; 18. Steve Cannon, 76, Babb-20.996; 19. Darl Harrison, 70, Stites-20.998; 20. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-21.043; 21. Karl Busson, 30, Trost-21.045; 22. Marvin Carman, 71, Dowker-21.051; 23. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-21.131; 24. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-21.147; 25. Ken Nichols, 51, Koehler-21.215; 26. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-21.239; 27. Larry Rice, 14, Smith-21.243; 28. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-21.245; 29. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-21.321; 30. Jerry Nemire, 27, Britton-21.329; 31. Jerry Weeks, 20, King-21.387; 32. Larry Ninneman, 78, Pogorzelski-21.408; 33. Johnny Parsons, 33, Jones-21.425; 34. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-21.571; 35. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-21.790; 36. Bill Burks, 39, Harris-21.791; 37. #79, Watson-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Karl Busson, 2. Chuck Gurney, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. Greg Leffler, 5. Ken Nichols, 6. Lee Osborne, 7. Sammy Sessions. 2:49.02

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Marvin Carman, 2. Aaron Capps, 3. Joe Saldana, 4. Rollie Beale, 5. Sheldon Kinser, 6. Steve Cannon, 7. Tom Bigelow. 2:45.74

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Steve Chassey, 3. Jeff Bloom, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Darl Harrison, 6. Larry Rice, 7. Jimmy Caruthers. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rich Leavell, 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 3. Andy Brown, 4. Mike Schiesel, 5. Bill Puterbaugh, 6. Billy Cassella, 7. Rich Vogler. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. Sammy Sessions, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Jimmy Caruthers, 6. Steve Cannon, 7. Bill Puterbaugh, 8. Darl Harrison, 9. Ken Nichols, 10. Lee Osborne, 11. Bob Richards, 12. Larry Rice. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Sheldon Kinser, 2. Sammy Sessions, 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 4. Jeff Bloom, 5. Tom Bigelow, 6. Larry Dickson, 7. Rollie Beale, 8. Billy Cassella, 9. Bruce Walkup, 10. Greg Leffler, 11. Andy Brown, 12. Joe Saldana, 13. Pancho Carter, 14. Karl Busson, 15. Mike Schiesel, 16. Aaron Capps, 17. Chuck Gurney, 18. Steve Chassey, 19. Marvin Carman, 20. Rich Leavell. 23:07.50

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: August 10, 1975 – Millstream Motor Speedway – Findlay, Ohio

QUALIFYING: 1. Tom Bigelow, 2, Weaver-18.896; 2. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-18.898; 3. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-18.968; 4. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-19.094; 5. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-19.152; 6. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-19.177; 7. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-19.214; 8. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-19.385; 9. Chuck Gurney, 25, Easton-19.433; 10. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-19.474; 11. Rich Vogler, 14, Smith-19.545; 12. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-19.563; 13. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-19.564; 14. Darl Harrison, 70, Stites-19.581; 15. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-19.636; 16. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-19.680; 17. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-19.701; 18. Jerry Weeks, 20, King-19.709; 19. Karl Busson, 30, Trost-19.838; 20. Jerry Nemire, 76, Babb-19.874; 21. Jerry Nemire, 27, Britton-19.919; 22. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-20.054; 23. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-20.059; 24. Ronnie Burke, 26, Burke-20.098; 25. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-20.300; 26. Bill Koepfer, 82, Stone-20.361; 27. Bill Burks, 39, Harris-20.525; 28. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-20.617.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. Chuck Gurney, 3. Jackie Howerton, 4. Jerry Nemire, 5. Tom Bigelow, 6. Jimmy Caruthers, 7. Sammy Sessions. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Darl Harrison, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. Bruce Walkup, 4. Mike Schiesel, 5. Jerry Weeks, 6. Bill Puterbaugh, 7. Bill Koepfer. 2:41.06

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Larry Dickson, 3. Aaron Capps, 4. Rich Vogler, 5. Karl Busson, 6. Greg Leffler, 7. Bill Burks. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Dave Peperak, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Ronnie Burke, 5. Steve Cannon, 6. Dave Gable, 7. Lee Osborne. 2:42.72

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Tom Bigelow, 3. Bill Puterbaugh, 4. Greg Leffler, 5. Lee Osborne, 6. Jimmy Caruthers, 7. Jerry Weeks, 8. Steve Cannon, 9. Bill Koepfer, 10. Bill Burks, 11. Karl Busson, 12. Dave Gable. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. Rollie Beale, 5. Bill Puterbaugh, 6. Rich Vogler, 7. Dave Peperak, 8. Chuck Gurney, 9. Pancho Carter, 10. Billy Cassella, 11. Darl Harrison, 12. Jerry Nemire, 13. Greg Leffler, 14. Joe Saldana, 15. Mike Schiesel, 16. Jackie Howerton, 17. Bruce Walkup, 18. Aaron Capps, 19. Ronnie Burke, 20. Tom Bigelow. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: August 17, 1975 – New Bremen Speedway – New Bremen, Ohio – Twin 40s

QUALIFYING: 1. Marvin Carman, 71, Dowker-17.161; 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-17.474; 3. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-17.504; 4. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-17.561; 5. Larry Rice, 18, Kershner-17.597; 6. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-17.603; 7. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-17.610; 8. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-17.663; 9. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-17.716; 10. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-17.719; 11. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-17.729; 12. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-17.732; 13. Joe Saldana, 40, Gehring-17.749; 14. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-17.759; 15. Ron Rea, 30, Trost-17.766; 16. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-17.767; 17. Tommy Astone, 2, Weaver-17.882; 18. Jerry Nemire, 27, Britton-17.885; 19. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-17.919; 20. Chuck Gurney, 1, Conger/Stapp-17.925; 21. Rich Vogler, 14, Smith-17.981; 22. Ken Nichols, 51, Koehler-18.012; 23. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-18.013; 24. Darl Harrison, 70, Stites-18.056; 25. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-18.106; 26. Steve Cannon, 76, Babb-18.127; 27. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-18.143; 28. Jerry Weeks, 20, King-18.291; 29. Larry Ninneman, 78, Pogorzelski-18.366; 30. Sonny Ates, 25, Easton-18.372; 31. Dana Carter, 60, Balistreri-18.506; 32. Gary Gray, 83, Gray-19.093; 33. Bill Burks, 39, Harris-19.882; 34. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Ken Nichols, 2. Marvin Carman, 3. Larry Rice, 4. Jerry Nemire, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Steve Cannon, 7. Billy Cassella. 2:24.25

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Gary Irvin, 2. Rollie Beale (#4), 3. Larry Dickson, 4. Mike Schiesel, 5. Bob Richards, 6. Ron Rea, 7. Greg Leffler. 2:23.76

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Chuck Gurney, 2. Jeff Bloom, 3. Darl Harrison, 4. Karl Busson, 5. Sheldon Kinser, 6. Jerry Weeks, 7. Billy Cassella (#6). 2:22.01

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Lee Osborne, 2. Tommy Astone, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Rich Leavell, 6. Joe Saldana, 7. Larry Ninneman. 2:25.24

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Billy Cassella, 2. Sammy Sessions, 3. Greg Leffler, 4. Sheldon Kinser, 5. Ron Rea, 6. Joe Saldana, 7. Bob Richards, 8. Steve Cannon, 9. Sonny Ates, 10. Jerry Weeks, 11. Larry Ninneman, 12. Rich Leavell. 3:01.33

FIRST FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Bruce Walkup, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Lee Osborne, 4. Larry Dickson, 5. Gary Bettenhausen, 6. Sheldon Kinser, 7. Sonny Ates, 8. Ken Nichols, 9. Sammy Sessions, 10. Tommy Astone, 11. Jeff Bloom, 12. Larry Rice, 13. Bob Richards, 14. Chuck Gurney, 15. Rich Leavell, 16. Dana Carter, 17. Rollie Beale, 18. Joe Saldana, 19. Greg Leffler, 20. Darl Harrison. NT

SECOND FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Lee Osborne, 3. Larry Rice, 4. Marvin Carman, 5. Bruce Walkup, 6. Billy Cassella, 7. Jeff Bloom, 8. Karl Busson, 9. Sammy Sessions, 10. Chuck Gurney, 11. Gary Irvin, 12. Sheldon Kinser, 13. Greg Leffler, 14. Tommy Astone, 15. Ron Rea, 16. Darl Harrison, 17. Jerry Nemire, 18. Rich Vogler, 19. Ken Nichols, 20. Rollie Beale. 14:43.35

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: August 30, 1975 – Minnesota State Fairgrounds – Saint Paul, Minnesota – Twin 40s

QUALIFYING: 1. Marvin Carman, 71, Dowker-19.377; 2. Tom Bigelow, 55, Knepper-19.389; 3. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-19.527; 4. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-19.576; 5. Johnny Parsons, 33, Jones-19.596; 6. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-19.627; 7. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-19.664; 8. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-19.688; 9. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-19.696; 10. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-19.700; 11. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-19.709; 12. Billy Vukovich, 4, Leyba-19.718; 13. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-19.722; 14. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-19.728; 15. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-19.737; 16. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-19.738; 17. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-19.755; 18. Steve Chassey, 31, Heck-19.771; 19. Billy Engelhart, 20, King-

19.860; 20. Darl Harrison, 2, Weaver-19.917; 21. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-19.935; 22. Lee Kunzman, 97, Linne-19.942; 23. Chuck Gurney, 25, Easton-20.005; 24. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-20.017; 25. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-20.147; 26. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-20.181; 27. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-20.402; 28. Larry Ninneman, 78, Pogorzelski-20.409; 29. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-20.634; 30. Ron Rea, 60, Balistreri-20.805.

SEMI: (20 laps) 1. Lee Osborne, 2. Billy Engelhart, 3. Darl Harrison, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Larry Rice, 6. Mike Schiesel, 7. Chuck Gurney, 8. Steve Chassey, 9. Karl Busson, 10. Aaron Capps, 11. Rich Leavell, 12. Gary Irvin, 13. Larry Ninneman, 14. Lee Kunzman, 15. Ron Rea. 8:51.00

FIRST FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Johnny Parsons, 3. Jeff Bloom, 4. Marvin Carman, 5. Joe Saldana, 6. Bruce Walkup, 7. Greg Leffler, 8. Pancho Carter, 9. Jimmy Caruthers, 10. Sheldon Kinser, 11. Bill Puterbaugh, 12. Lee Osborne, 13. Larry Dickson, 14. Billy Cassella, 15. Sammy Sessions, 16. Darl Harrison, 17. Billy Vukovich, 18. Bob Richards, 19. Rollie Beale, 20. Billy Engelhart. 15:11.30

SECOND FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. Marvin Carman, 3. Billy Vukovich, 4. Johnny Parsons, 5. Jeff Bloom, 6. Bill Puterbaugh, 7. Larry Dickson, 8. Bob Richards, 9. Rollie Beale, 10. Tom Bigelow, 11. Darl Harrison, 12. Billy Cassella, 13. Sheldon Kinser, 14. Sammy Sessions, 15. Greg Leffler, 16. Billy Engelhart, 17. Jimmy Caruthers, 18. Bruce Walkup, 19. Pancho Carter, 20. Lee Osborne. 21:20.50

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: September 1, 1975 – Illiana Motor Speedway – Schererville, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Tom Bigelow, 55, Knepper-20.186; 2. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-20.406; 3. Steve Cannon, 76, Babb-20.423; 4. Darl Harrison, 2, Weaver-20.485; 5. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-20.491; 6. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-20.526; 7. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-20.552; 8. Marvin Carman, 71, Dowker-20.556; 9. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-20.558; 10. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-20.580; 11. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-20.609; 12. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-20.615; 13. Johnny Parsons, 33, Jones-20.654; 14. Chuck Gurney, 25, Easton-20.683; 15. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-20.712; 16. Jerry Poland, 30, Trost-20.742; 17. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Hammond-20.767; 18. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-20.828; 19. Pancho Carter, 1 Conger/Stapp-20.833; 20. Larry Rice, 98, Aviators-20.852; 21. Tom Sneva, 47, Roberts-20.907; 22. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-20.918; 23. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-20.990; 24. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-21.223; 25. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-21.292; 26. Larry Ninneman, 78, Pogorzelski-20.301; 27. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-20.511; 28. Gary Gray, 83, Gray-22.151; 29. Jimmy Caruthers, 18, Kershner-NT; 30. Mike Maguire, 65, Duncan-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Gary Irvin, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. Bruce Walkup, 4. Johnny Parsons, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Tom Bigelow, 7. Tom Sneva. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Aaron Capps, 2. Bill Puterbaugh, 3. Larry Ninneman, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Bob Richards, 6. Chuck Gurney, 7. Greg Leffler. 2:46.50

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. Rich Leavell, 5. Steve Cannon, 6. Joe Saldana, 7. Mike Schiesel. 2:41.79

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Marvin Carman, 2. Larry Rice, 3. Darl Harrison, 4. Karl Busson, 5. Rollie Beale, 6. Jerry Poland, 7. Gary Gray. 2:46.99

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Steve Cannon, 3. Bob Richards, 4. Greg Leffler, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Joe Saldana, 7. Chuck Gurney, 8. Rollie Beale, 9. Tom Sneva, 10. Jerry Poland, 11. Mike Schiesel, 12. Gary Gray. 3:25.11

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Greg Leffler, 2. Tom Bigelow, 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Pancho Carter, 6. Johnny Parsons, 7. Sheldon Kinser, 8. Larry Rice, 9. Rich Leavell, 10. Bill Puterbaugh, 11. Billy Cassella, 12. Steve Cannon, 13. Aaron Capps, 14. Larry Ninneman, 15. Larry Dickson, 16. Gary Irvin, 17. Darl Harrison, 18. Marvin Carman, 19. Bob Richards, 20. Karl Busson. 19:50.96

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: September 21, 1975 – Terre Haute Action Track – Terre Haute, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-22.730; 2. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-22.910; 3. James McElreath-23.051; 4. Dana Carter, 44, Conger/Stapp-23.313; 5. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-23.328; 6. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-23.347; 7. Tom Bigelow, 55, Knepper-23.424; 8. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-23.490; 9. Darl Harrison, 2, Weaver-23.510; 10. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-23.620; 11. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-23.622; 12. Chuck Gurney, 25, Easton-23.732; 13. Billy Engelhart, 18, Kershner-23.791; 14. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-23.802; 15. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-23.879; 16. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-23.899; 17. Larry Rice, 98, Aviators-23.903; 18. Rich Vogler, 14, Smith-23.995; 19. Karl Busson, 30, Trost-24.012; 20. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-24.084; 21. Jerry Miller, 24, Davis-24.085; 22. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-24.096; 23. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-24.099; 24. Lee Osborne, 81, Stauffer-24.200; 25. Mark Alderson, 60, Balistreri-24.225; 26. Jerry Weeks, 20, King-24.250; 27. Larry Ninneman, 78, Pogorzelski-24.499; 28. Ron Rea, 79, Watson-24.555; 29. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-24.840; 30. Steve Cannon, 76, Babb-24.990; 31. Steve Shultz, 46, Ruth-25.393; 32. Bill Burks, 39, Harris-25.435; 33. Gary Gray, 83, Gray-25.513; 34. Jack Powell, 99, Powell-25.664; 35. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-25.825; 36. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jerry Miller, 2. Pancho Carter, 3. Darl Harrison, 4. Mark Alderson, 5. Bruce Walkup, 6. Larry Rice, 7. Billy Engelhart. 3:15.30

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bill Puterbaugh, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. Aaron Capps, 4. Joe Saldana, 5. Gary Bettenhausen, 6. Jerry Weeks, 7. Rich Vogler. 3:15.79

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. James McElreath, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. Karl Busson, 5. Mike Schiesel, 6. Greg Leffler, 7. Larry Ninneman. 3:19.11

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Billy Cassella, 2. Rollie Beale, 3. Sammy Sessions, 4. Lee Osborne, 5. Ron Rea, 6. Chuck Gurney, 7. Dana Carter. 3:18.40

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Gary Bettenhausen, 2. Larry Ninneman, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Jerry Weeks, 5. Ron Rea, 6. Dana Carter, 7. Larry Rice, 8. Greg Leffler, 9. Mike Schiesel, 10. Bruce Walkup, 11. Chuck Gurney, 12. Steve Cannon. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Gary Bettenhausen, 3. Rollie Beale, 4. Sheldon Kinser, 5. Darl Harrison, 6. Billy Cassella, 7. James McElreath, 8. Jerry Miller, 9. Larry Dickson, 10. Bill Puterbaugh, 11. Sammy Sessions, 12. Larry Ninneman, 13. Jerry Weeks, 14. Karl Busson, 15. Mark Alderson, 16. Rich Vogler, 17. Lee Osborne, 18. Aaron Capps, 19. Joe Saldana, 20. Pancho Carter. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: September 28, 1975 – Salem Speedway – Salem, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-17.092; 2. Tom Bigelow, 55, Knepper-17.228; 3. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-17.277; 4. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-17.332; 5. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-17.344; 6. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-17.400; 7. Marvin Carman, 71, Dowker-17.465; 8. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-17.490; 9. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-17.525; 10. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-17.677; 11. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-17.659; 12. Billy Engelhart, 18, Kershner-17.743; 13. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-17.759; 14. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-17.767; 15. Larry Rice, 98, Aviators-17.890; 16. Chuck Gurney, 25, Easton-18.070; 17. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-18.080; 18. Mark Alderson, 60, Balistreri-18.181; 19. Darl Harrison, 2, Weaver-18.198; 20. Jerry Miller, 24, Davis-18.201; 21. Steve Cannon, 76, Babb-18.259; 22. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-18.335; 23. Larry Cannon, 59, Hoffman-18.344; 24. James McElreath, 23, McElreath-18.357; 25. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-18.397; 26. Jerry Weeks, 20, King-18.641; 27. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-18.733; 28. John Lucas, 62, Powell-18.803; 29. Gary Irvin, 38, Hodson-18.830; 30. Gary Gray, 83, Gray-20.480; 31. Rich Vogler, 14, Smith-NT; 32. Karl Busson, 30, Trost-NT; 33. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-NT; 34. Ron Rea, 79, Watson-NT (time of 18.119 disallowed).

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Gary Bettenhausen, 2. Rollie Beale, 3. Sammy Sessions, 4. Sheldon Kinser, 5. Rich Leavell, 6. Aaron Capps, 7. Steve Cannon. 2:25.22

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jeff Bloom, 2. Bruce Walkup, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Joe Saldana, 5. Tom Bigelow, 6. Mark Alderson, 7. Jerry Weeks. 2:18.87

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Darl Harrison, 3. Larry Cannon, 4. Marvin Carman, 5. Bill Puterbaugh, 6. Larry Rice, 7. Bob Richards. 2:23.38

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. James McElreath, 2. Chuck Gurney, 3. Greg Leffler, 4. Jerry Miller, 5. Billy Cassella, 6. Billy Engelhart, 7. John Lucas. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Bill Puterbaugh, 4. Larry Rice, 5. Mark Alderson, 6. Aaron Capps, 7. Rich Leavell, 8. Bob Richards, 9. Jerry Weeks, 10. John Lucas, 11. Gary Gray, 12. Steve Cannon. 2:56.57

FEATURE: (50 laps) 1. Pancho Carter, 2. Sammy Sessions, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. Marvin Carman, 5. Rollie Beale, 6. Billy Cassella, 7. Sheldon Kinser, 8. Joe Saldana, 9. Darl Harrison, 10. James McElreath, 11. Chuck Gurney, 12. Larry Cannon, 13. Larry Rice, 14. Greg Leffler, 15. Tom Bigelow, 16. Mark Alderson, 17. Gary Bettenhausen, 18. Jerry Miller, 19. Jeff Bloom, 20. Bruce Walkup. 15:34.60

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: October 5, 1975 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – Twin 50s

QUALIFYING: 1. Tom Bigelow, 55, Knepper-17.712; 2. Billy Engelhart, 18, Kershner-17.884; 3. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-17.891; 4. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-17.971; 5. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-18.051; 6. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-18.111; 7. Sheldon Kinser, 20, King-18.209; 8. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-18.216; 9. Larry Cannon, 59, Hoffman-18.288; 10. James McElreath, 23, McElreath-18.312; 11. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-18.371; 12. Rich Vogler, 14, Smith-18.442; 13. Steve Cannon, 76, Babb-18.479; 14. Aaron Capps, 40, Gehring-18.605; 15. Larry Rice, 98, Aviators-18.645; 16. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-18.670; 17. Greg Leffler, 60, Davis-18.766; 18. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-18.813; 19. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-18.825; 20. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-18.850; 21. Darl Harrison, 2, Weaver-18.871; 22. Ron Rea, 38, Hodson-18.893; 23. John Lucas, 62, Powell-18.996; 24. Jerry Nemire, 27, Britton-19.021; 25. Dave Peperak, 77, Peperak-19.132; 26. Jerry Miller, 24, Davis-19.246; 27. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-19.373; 28. Gary Gray, 83, Gray-19.381; 29. Marvin Carman, 71, Dowker-19.407; 30. Jackie Howerton, 41, Forberg-19.468; 31. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-19.482; 32. Steve Shultz, 46, Ruth-19.597;

33. Chuck Gurney, 25, Easton-NT; 34. Johnny Parsons, 33, Jones-NT; 35. Mark Alderson, 60, Balistreri-NT; 36. Doc Dawson, 16, Amerling-NT; 37. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-NT; 38. Jack Hewitt, 90, Snead-NT; 39. Jerry Weeks, 56, Gohr-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Karl Busson, 2. Steve Cannon, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. Sheldon Kinser, 5. James McElreath, 6. Ron Rea, 7. Dave Peperak. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. John Lucas, 2. Joe Saldana, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Jerry Miller, 5. Greg Leffler, 6. Sammy Sessions, 7. Aaron Capps. 2:36.21

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jerry Nemire, 2. Larry Rice, 3. Larry Cannon, 4. Mike Schiesel, 5. Darl Harrison, 6. Rich Vogler, 7. Gary Bettenhausen. NT

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. James McElreath, 4. Rich Vogler, 5. Greg Leffler, 6. Darl Harrison, 7. Mike Schiesel, 8. Ron Rea, 9. Jerry Miller, 10. Marvin Carman, 11. Gary Gray, 12. Aaron Capps. 3:10.34

FIRST FEATURE: (50 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Bruce Walkup, 4. Sheldon Kinser, 5. Larry Dickson, 6. Larry Cannon, 7. Joe Saldana, 8. Tom Bigelow, 9. James McElreath, 10. Larry Rice, 11. Rich Vogler, 12. Greg Leffler, 13. Karl Busson, 14. John Lucas, 15. Jerry Nemire, 16. Bill Puterbaugh, 17. Billy Engelhart, 18. Sammy Sessions, 19. Pancho Carter, 20. Steve Cannon. 17:28.71

SECOND FEATURE: (50 laps) 1. Larry Dickson, 2. Bruce Walkup, 3. Billy Cassella, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Pancho Carter, 6. James McElreath, 7. Karl Busson, 8. Greg Leffler, 9. Larry Cannon, 10. Jerry Nemire, 11. John Lucas, 12. Sammy Sessions, 13. Billy Engelhart, 14. Sheldon Kinser, 15. Rich Vogler, 16. Larry Rice, 17. Steve Cannon, 18. Joe Saldana, 19. Rollie Beale, 20. Bill Puterbaugh. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: October 12, 1975 – Winchester Speedway – Winchester, Indiana – Twin 50s

QUALIFYING: 1. Marvin Carman, 71, Dowker-16.036; 2. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-16.148; 3. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-16.252; 4. Tom Bigelow, 55, Knepper-16.291; 5. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-16.300; 6. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-16.343; 7. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-16.377; 8. Jerry Poland, 54, Fortney-16.385; 9. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-16.456; 10. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-16.510; 11. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-16.517; 12. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-16.531; 13. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-16.588; 14. Billy Engelhart, 18, Kershner-16.652; 15. Rich Vogler, 14, Smith-16.710; 16. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-16.718; 17. Larry Rice, 98, Aviators-16.731; 18. Karl Busson, 11, Cedoz-16.784; 19. Ron Eden, 28, Watson-16.828; 20. Ron Rea, 38, Hodson-16.912; 21. Larry Cannon, 59, Hoffman-16.929; 22. Mark Alderson, 60, Balistreri-16.939; 23. Gary Bettenhausen, 4, Leyba-16.970; 24. Rich Leavell, 61, Welch-16.990; 25. Jerry Miller, 24, Davis-16.994; 26. Mike Schiesel, 45, English-17.070; 27. James McElreath, 23, McElreath-17.231; 28. Steve Cannon, 76, Babb-17.270; 29. Bob Richards, 15, Richards-17.428; 30. John Lucas, 62, Poweil-17.444; 31. Chuck Gurney, 25, Easton-17.453; 32. Jerry Nemire, 27, Britton-17.478; 33. Steve Shultz, 46, Ruth-17.671; 34. Gary Gray, 83, Gray-18.433; 35. Dave Gable, 72, Polak-18.438; 36. Jack Hewitt, 30, Trost-18.627; 37. Gary Irvin, 79, Watson-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Joe Saldana, 2. Jeff Bloom, 3. Mark Alderson, 4. Billy Cassella, 5. Greg Leffler, 6. Ron Eden, 7. Jerry Miller. 2:14.58

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Larry Rice, 2. Jerry Poland, 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 4. Rollie Beale, 5. Ron Rea, 6. Billy Engelhart, 7. Mike Schiesel. 2:15.37

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Larry Cannon, 2. James McElreath, 3. Sheldon Kinser, 4. Karl Busson, 5. Bill Puterbaugh, 6. Rich Leavell, 7. Rich Vogler. 2:18.19

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Greg Leffler, 2. Bill Puterbaugh, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Rollie Beale, 5. Billy Engelhart, 6. Karl Busson, 7. Ron Eden, 8. Ron Rea, 9. Rich Leavell, 10. Jerry Miller, 11. Mike Schiesel, 12. Billy Cassella. NT

FIRST FEATURE: (50 laps) 1. Marvin Carman, 2. Jeff Bloom, 3. Pancho Carter, 4. Larry Dickson, 5. Tom Bigelow, 6. Rollie Beale, 7. Bill Puterbaugh, 8. Jerry Poland, 9. Larry Rice, 10. Sammy Sessions, 11. Greg Leffler, 12. Billy Cassella (#18), 13. Gary Bettenhausen, 14. Sheldon Kinser, 15. Rich Vogler, 16. Bruce Walkup, 17. Joe Saldana, 18. Larry Cannon, 19. James McElreath, 20. Mark Alderson. 13:58.70

SECOND FEATURE: (50 laps) 1. Marvin Carman, 2. Pancho Carter, 3. Rollie Beale, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Larry Dickson, 6. Billy Cassella (#18), 7. Bruce Walkup, 8. Rich Vogler, 9. Joe Saldana, 10. Jerry Poland, 11. Larry Rice, 12. Karl Busson, 13. James McElreath, 14. Bill Puterbaugh, 15. Sammy Sessions, 16. Larry Cannon, 17. Greg Leffler, 18. Gary Bettenhausen, 19. Sheldon Kinser, 20. Jeff Bloom. NT

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: November 2, 1975 – Birmingham International Raceway – Birmingham, Alabama

QUALIFYING: 1. Marvin Carman, 71, Dowker-19.896; 2. Tom Bigelow, 55, Knepper-19.955; 3. Pancho Carter, 1, Conger/Stapp-20.013; 4. Jeff Bloom, 47, Roberts-20.067; 5. Sheldon Kinser, 56, Gohr-20.116; 6. Larry Rice, 98, Aviators-20.178; 7. Sammy Sessions, 9, Leffler-20.184; 8. Larry Dickson, 80, Ensign-20.214; 9. Billy Cassella, 29, Seymour-20.333; 10. Bruce Walkup, 48, Longhorn-20.336; 11. Gary Bettenhausen, 45, English-20.337; 12. James McElreath, 23, McElreath-20.367; 13. Johnny Parsons, 33, Jones-20.377; 14. Greg Leffler, 69, Davis-20.398; 15. Bill Puterbaugh, 19, Linsmeyer-20.464; 16. Jerry Weeks, 20, King-20.617; 17. Joe Saldana, 3, Siebert-20.637; 18. Frank Riddle, 89, Campbell-20.660; 19. Steve Chassey, 25, Easton-20.700; 20. Rollie Beale, 7, Kilman-20.779; 21. Steve Shultz, 46, Ruth-20.801; 22. Jerry Miller, 24, Davis-20.835; 23. Jim McElreath, 34, Siebert-20.885; 24. Ron Eden, 28, Watson-20.892; 25. John Lucas, 62, Powell-21.040; 26. Lee Kunzman, 97, Linne-21.114; 27. Tim Pangborn, 60, Balistreri-21.337.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Marvin Carman, 2. Billy Cassella, 3. Johnny Parsons, 4. Joe Saldana, 5. Sheldon Kinser, 6. John Lucas, 7. Steve Shultz. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Larry Rice, 2. Tom Bigelow, 3. Greg Leffler, 4. Bruce Walkup, 5. Frank Riddle, 6. Jerry Miller, 7. Lee Kunzman. 2:45.62

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Gary Bettenhausen, 2. Pancho Carter, 3. Jim McElreath, 4. Bill Puterbaugh, 5. Sammy Sessions, 6. Steve Chassey, 7. Tim Pangborn. 2:44.86

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rollie Beale, 2. Jeff Bloom, 3. Larry Dickson, 4. James McElreath, 5. Ron Eden, 6. Jerry Weeks. 2:43.89

SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Sammy Sessions, 2. Sheldon Kinser, 3. Frank Riddle, 4. Steve Shultz, 5. Steve Chassey. 6. Jerry Miller, 7. John Lucas, 8. Tim Pangborn, 9. Lee Kunzman, 10. Jerry Weeks, 11. Ron Eden. NT

FEATURE: (40 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Larry Rice, 3. Gary Bettenhausen, 4. Sheldon Kinser, 5. Bruce Walkup, 6. Sammy Sessions, 7. Billy Cassella, 8. Joe Saldana, 9. Johnny Parsons, 10. Larry Dickson, 11. Rollie Beale, 12. Bill Puterbaugh, 13.

Marvin Carman, 14. Frank Riddle, 15. Jim McElreath, 16. Jeff Bloom, 17. Steve Shultz, 18. Greg Leffler, 19. James McElreath, 20. Pancho Carter. 16:55.30