

1988 USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR REVIEW

Steve Butler of Kokomo, Indiana became the first driver in USAC history to win three straight National Sprint Car championships as he grabbed the 1988 series crown, scoring three wins along the way in the Stoops Express Chevy.

The only driver to win both with and without a wing, Butler was also the only driver to win on both dirt and paved surfaces.

After an eight year hiatus, the series returned to the paved ovals in 1988 with rousing success. Three of the paved races aired live on ESPN from Indianapolis Raceway Park and Butler won the last of these – the tradition-rich Tony Hulman Classic. That victory made Butler only the second repeat winner of the race in 18 years, but the first to win it in back-to-back years. He won it on dirt at the Terre Haute Action Track in 1987.

In a special Switzer Cherry Candy pavement point standings, Butler edged the talented Bob Frey by only one point for that championship too.

The advent of the wings continued to produce new feature winners with Sammy Swindell, Brad Doty, Danny Lasoski, and Joe Gaerte scoring their first USAC triumphs.

Greg Staab quietly took the runner-up spot in the final standings, beating out Jack Hewitt by only five points. Greg's night in the spotlight finally came, though, when he nabbed a 30-lapper on ESPN at IRP. in July.

Hewitt was the winningest driver in the series, scoring four victories, but wound up third in the final points.

Butler trailed Hewitt through mid-July, then used his pavement prowess to move to the front and stayed there the rest of the year.

In addition to retaining the Tony Hulman Classic tradition by moving it to Indianapolis Raceway Park, the series saw the renewal of the famed Joe James-Pat O'Connor Memorial at the refurbished Salem Speedway. Bob Frey was the winner there.

True Value Master Mechanic Tools offered tremendous support for the series with their sponsorship of the last chance races. Participants were appreciative of their involvement, which helped create an even more competitive atmosphere.

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: March 27, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – Don Branson-Jud Larson Memorial

QUALIFYING: 1. Jac Haudenschild, 18, Kepler-17.473; 2. Jack Hewitt, 63, Hampshire-17.673; 3. Andy Hillenburg, 69, Dynamics-17.679; 4. Rich Vogler, 2, Vance-17.693; 5. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-17.703; 6. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-17.746; 7. Tray House, 23, Murphy-17.880; 8. Jim Moughan, 5m, Merrill-17.950; 9. Terry Shepherd, 40, Arnold-18.120; 10. Larry Hillerud, 51, Hillerud-18.181; 11. Andy Stapp, 4, Stapp-18.200; 12. Todd Kane, 78, Kane-18.224; 13. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-18.362; 14. Joe Roush, 44R, Marks-18.384; 15. Tom Bigelow, 3, Leyba-18.386; 16. Ray Morgan, 7m, Morgan-18.420; 17. Roy Caruthers, 21, Capels-18.683; 18. Jeff Gordon, 6w, Winterbotham-18.696; 19. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 56x, Hayhurst-18.790; 20. Larry Rice, 2J, Douglass-18.884; 21. Alan Brown, 34, Baker-18.916; 22. Dave Peperak, 77, Ram-19.116; 23. Ken Rice, 44A, Rice-19.286; 24. Tony Reed, 31R, Reed-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Tray House, 2. Jac Haudenschild, 3. Larry Hillerud, 4. Ray Morgan, 5. Rich Vogler, 6. Dave Peperak, 7. Greg Staab, 8. Gary Hayhurst Jr. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Andy Stapp, 2. Jack Hewitt, 3. Tony Elliott, 4. Larry Rice, 5. Jim Moughan, 6. Ken Rice, 7. Roy Caruthers, 8. Tony Reed. NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Jeff Gordon, 3. Andy Hillenburg, 4. Todd Kane, 5. Tom Bigelow, 6. Terry Shepherd, 7. Alan Brown. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Terry Shepherd, 3. Jim Moughan, 4. Tom Bigelow, 5. Joe Roush, 6. Roy Caruthers, 7. Dave Peperak, 8. Ken Rice, 9. Alan Brown. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Jac Haudenschild, 2. Jack Hewitt, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Tray House, 5. Andy Stapp, 6. Terry Shepherd, 7. Andy Hillenburg, 8. Todd Kane, 9. Jim Moughan, 10. Larry Rice, 11. Larry Hillerud, 12. Tom Bigelow, 13. Joe Roush, 14. Roy Caruthers, 15. Dave Peperak, 16. Steve Butler, 17. Ken Rice, 18. Tony Elliott, 19. Ray Morgan, 20. Jeff Gordon. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-6 Tony Elliott, Laps 7-30 Jac Haudenschild.

**Gary Hayhurst Jr. flipped on lap 5 of the first heat.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Jac Haudenschild-39, 2-Jack Hewitt-32, 3-Tray House-22, 4-Rich Vogler-21, 5-Andy Stapp-20, 6-Andy Hillenburg-18, 7-Terry Shepherd-15, 8-Todd Kane-14, 9-Jim Moughan, Larry Rice & Larry Hillerud-12.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: April 23, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: April 23, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio

QUALIFYING: 1. Tray House, 23, Murphy-16.648; 2. Rich Vogler, 2, Vance-16.679; 3. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-16.722; 4. Terry Shepherd, 40, Arnold-16.774; 5. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-16.829; 6. Andy Hillenburg, 69, Dynamics-16.994; 7. Jack Hewitt, 63, Hampshire-17.095; 8. Joe Gaerte, 3G, Gaerte-17.167; 9. Rick Hood, 1N, Nance-17.196; 10. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-17.239; 11. Dave Darland, 36D, Darland-17.240; 12. Jeff Gordon, 6w, Winterbotham-17.267; 13. Larry Rice, 2J, Douglass-17.323; 14. Bill Tyler, 25, Batista-17.366; 15. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-17.393; 16. Mike Mann, 37m, Mann-17.471; 17. Kevin Thomas, 3, Leyba-17.492; 18. Blake Hollingsworth, 93, Hollingsworth-17.504; 19. Dave Peperak, 77, Ram-17.518; 20. Rick Ungar, 7w, Wimmer-17.551; 21. Roy Caruthers, 21, Capels-17.554; 22. Ray Morgan, 7m, Morgan-17.655; 23. Terry Pletch, 29, Pletch-17.664; 24. Benny Rapp, 14, Rapp-17.699; 25. Mike Blake, 81, Blake-18.099; 26. Ken Rice, 44R, Rice-18.367; 27. Tony Reed, 31R, Reed-19.182; 28. Mike Helm, 28H, Helm-24.659; 29. Andy Stapp, 4, Stapp-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Tray House, 2. Roy Caruthers, 3. Bill Tyler, 4. Tony Elliott, 5. Rick Hood, 6. Kevin Thomas, 7. Mike Blake. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Andy Hillenburg, 3. Ray Morgan, 4. Greg Staab, 5. Ken Rice, 6. Blake Hollingsworth, 7. Jerry Nemire. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Larry Rice, 4. Terry Pletch, 5. Dave Darland, 6. Dave Peperak, 7. Tony Reed. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rick Ungar, 2. Benny Rapp, 3. Jeff Gordon, 4. Joe Gaerte, 5. Mike Helm, 6. Mike Mann, 7. Terry Shepherd. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Rick Hood, 2. Terry Shepherd, 3. Dave Darland, 4. Kevin Thomas, 5. Jerry Nemire, 6. Mike Mann, 7. Blake Hollingsworth, 8. Mike Helm, 9. Mike Blake, 10. Ken Rice, 11. Tony Reed, 12. Dave Peperak. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Rich Vogler, 3. Joe Gaerte, 4. Rick Ungar, 5. Rick Hood, 6. Greg Staab, 7. Steve Butler, 8. Andy Hillenburg, 9. Jeff Gordon, 10. Kevin Thomas, 11. Roy Caruthers, 12. Terry Pletch, 13. Ray Morgan, 14. Dave Darland, 15. Bill Tyler, 16. Terry Shepherd, 17. Benny Rapp, 18. Larry Rice, 19. Tony Elliott, 20. Tray House. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-6 Steve Butler, Laps 7-29 Rich Vogler, Lap 30 Jack Hewitt.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Jack Hewitt-66, 2-Rich Vogler-54, 3-Jac Haudenschild-39, 4-Andy Hillenburg-34, 5-Tray House-33, 6-Steve Butler-28, 7-Rick Ungar & Joe Gaerte-22, 9-Andy Stapp & Terry Shepherd-20.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: May 7, 1988 – Paragon Speedway – Paragon, Indiana – Winged Event

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: May 7, 1988 – Paragon Speedway – Paragon, Indiana – Winged Event

QUALIFYING: 1. Dave Blaney, 48, Nott-14.039; 2. Tray House, 23, Murphy-14.379; 3. Brad Doty, 7R, Runyon-14.424; 4. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-14.469; 5. Danny Smith, 57x, Nash-14.812; 6. Terry Shepherd, 40, Arnold-14.895; 7. Terry Pletch, 29, Pletch-14.985; 8. Jack Hewitt, 63, Hampshire-14.991; 9. Kenny Jacobs, 56, Gohr-15.071; 10. Dave Feese, 12, Clavey-15.099; 11. Tim Gee, 88, Gee-15.108; 12. Chuck Amati, 66, Tate-15.112; 13. Ron Standridge, 10, Standridge-15.186; 14. Jim Moughan, 5m, Merrill-15.193; 15. Kelly Kinser, 4K, Kinser-15.213; 16. Jeff Gordon, 6, Winterbotham-15.286; 17. Bobby Adkins, 40G, Goodin-15.298; 18. Todd Shields, 56s, Shields-15.347; 19. Kevin Thomas, 3, Leyba-15.360; 20. Andy Hillenburg, 69, Dynamics-15.373; 21. Dave Peperak, 77, Ram-15.469; 22. Mike Ward, 61x, Blankenship-15.499; 23. Mickey Smith, 14, McDaniel, 24. Danny Pittman, 01L, Campbell-15.545; 25. Jeff Deckard, 9, Deckard-15.659; 26. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 56x, Hayhurst-15.740; 27. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-15.807; 28. Al Thomas, 72, Thomas-16.042; 29. Dink Glidden, 2T, Silver Eagle-16.195; 30. Jack Ziegler, 76, G & W-16.240; 31. Tony Reed, 31R, Reed-16.727; 32. Mike Mann, 37, Mann-16.934; 33. J.C. Sulawske, 51, Sulawske-17.365.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Dave Blaney, 2. Danny Smith, 3. Ron Standridge, 4. Bobby Adkins, 5. Jeff Deckard, 6. Kenny Jacobs, 7. Dave Peperak, 8. Dink Glidden. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Mike Ward, 2. Jack Ziegler, 3. Tray House, 4. Jim Moughan, 5. Todd Shields, 6. Dave Feese, 7. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 8. Terry Shepherd. NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Brad Doty, 2. Kelly Kinser, 3. Kevin Thomas, 4. Mickey Smith, 5. Terry Pletch, 6. Tony Reed, 7. Tim Gee, 8. Mark Alderson. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Andy Hillenburg, 3. Danny Pittman, 4. Steve Butler, 5. Jeff Gordon, 6. Chuck Amati, 7. Al Thomas, 8. J.C. Sulawske. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Kenny Jacobs, 2. Terry Pletch, 3. Jeff Deckard, 4. Terry Shepherd, 5. Jeff Gordon, 6. Chuck Amati, 7. Dink Glidden, 8. Mark Alderson, 9. Al Thomas, 10. Dave Peperak, 11. Dave Feese, 12. Tony Reed, 13. J.C. Sulawske. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Brad Doty, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Danny Smith, 4. Dave Blaney, 5. Mike Ward, 6. Jack Hewitt, 7. Kenny

Jacobs, 8. Jim Moughan, 9. Bobby Adkins, 10. Terry Pletch, 11. Ron Standridge, 12. Mickey Smith, 13. Danny Pittman, 14. Tray House, 15. Kevin Thomas, 16. Andy Hillenburg, 17. Jeff Deckard, 18. Terry Shepherd, 19. Kelly Kinser, 20. Jack Ziegler. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-2 Terry Shepherd, Laps 3-15 Steve Butler, Laps 16-30 Brad Doty.

**Dave Feese & Jeff Gordon flipped during the semi.

NEW USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Jack Hewitt-85, 2-Steve Butler & Rich Vogler-54, 4-Tray House-46, 5-Andy Hillenburg-42, 6-Jac Haudenschild-39, 7-Terry Shepherd-23, 8-Joe Gaerte-22, 9-Andy Stapp-20, 10-Jeff Gordon-18.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: May 14, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – Pole Night Sprints

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: May 14, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – Pole Night Sprints

QUALIFYING: 1. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-16.286; 2. Terry Shepherd, 40, Arnold-16.338; 3. Tray House, 23, Murphy-16.352; 4. Andy Hillenburg, 69, Dynamics-16.518; 5. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-16.530; 6. Kevin Thomas, 3, Leyba-16.545; 7. Jack Hewitt, 63, Hampshire-16.628; 8. Dave Darland, 36D, Darland-16.815; 9. Mike Mann, 37, Mann-16.817; 10. Andy Stapp, 4, Stapp-16.854; 11. Greg Staab, 44, Staab-16.976; 12. Bill Tyler, 25, Batista-17.018; 13. Van Gurley, 3B, Gurley-17.045; 14. Steve Imel, 95, Imel-17.159; 15. Tim Bookmiller, 42, Bookmiller-17.227; 16. Ken Rice, 44R, Rice-17.242; 17. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-17.292; 18. Leon Gentry, 61, Gentry-17.374; 19. Blake Hollingsworth, 93, Hollingsworth-18.038; 20. Mike Blake, 81, Blake-18.170; 21. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Jack Hewitt, 3. Van Gurley, 4. Andy Stapp, 5. Andy Hillenburg, 6. Greg Staab, 7. Blake Hollingsworth. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Tony Elliott, 2. Greg Staab, 3. Jerry Nemire, 4. Terry Shepherd, 5. Dave Darland, 6. Steve Imel, 7. Mike Blake. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bill Tyler, 2. Tim Bookmiller, 3. Tray House, 4. Kevin Thomas, 5. Mike Mann, 6. Leon Gentry. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Dave Darland, 2. Mike Mann, 3. Ken Rice, 4. Leon Gentry, 5. Blake Hollingsworth, 6. Mike Blake, 7. Steve Imel, 8. Andy Hillenburg. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Andy Stapp, 4. Tray House, 5. Terry Shepherd, 6. Tony Elliott, 7. Mike Mann, 8. Greg Staab, 9. Bill Tyler, 10. Kevin Thomas, 11. Mark Alderson, 12. Mike Blake, 13. Van Gurley, 14. Ken Rice, 15. Leon Gentry, 16. Tim Bookmiller, 17. Dave Darland, 18. Jerry Nemire, 19. Blake Hollingsworth, 20. Steve Imel, 21. Andy Hillenburg. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Lap 1 Kevin Thomas, Laps 2-30 Jack Hewitt.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Jack Hewitt-118, 2-Steve Butler-89, 3-Tray House-68, 4-Rich Vogler-54, 5-Terry Shepherd-44, 6-Andy Hillenburg-43, 7-Andy Stapp-42, 8-Jac Haudenschild-39, 9-Greg Staab-32, 10-Tony Elliott-27.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: June 4, 1988 – Lawrenceburg Speedway – Lawrenceburg, Indiana

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: June 4, 1988 – Lawrenceburg Speedway – Lawrenceburg, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-12.430; 2. Terry Shepherd, 40, Arnold-12.440; 3. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-12.533; 4. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-12.574; 5. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-12.585; 6. Andy Hillenburg, 69, Dynamics-12.587; 7. Tray House, 23, Murphy-12.718; 8. Ken Rice, 44R, Rice-12.739; 9. Leon Thickstun, 77x, Law-12.739; 10. Kevin Thomas, 3, Leyba-12.811; 11. Willie Rice, 59, Rice-12.924; 12. Denny Martini, 7, Rapco-12.945; 13. Andy Stapp, 4, Stapp-12.955; 14. Jack Hewitt, 63, Hampshire-13.017; 15. Mike Mann, 37, Mann-13.027; 16. Kim West, 1s, Skinner-13.181; 17. Dave Peperak, 77, Ram-13.253; 18. Rick Ungar, 39, Klein-13.438; 19. Steve Imel, 95, Imel-13.470; 20. Danny Pittman, 01L, Pittman-13.950.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Kim West, 2. Kevin Thomas, 3. Steve Butler, 4. Andy Stapp, 5. Tray House, 6. Steve Imel, 7. Tony Elliott. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Willie Rice, 3. Mark Alderson, 4. Terry Shepherd, 5. Dave Peperak, 6. Ken Rice, 7. Danny Pittman. NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Greg Staab, 2. Mike Mann, 3. Rick Ungar, 4. Andy Hillenburg, 5. Denny Martini, 6. Leon Thickstun. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Tray House, 2. Leon Thickstun, 3. Tony Elliott, 4. Dave Peperak, 5. Denny Martini, 6. Danny Pittman, 7. Ken Rice, 8. Steve Imel. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Tony Elliott, 4. Leon Thickstun, 5. Terry Shepherd, 6. Mark Alderson, 7. Greg Staab, 8. Rick Ungar, 9. Mike Mann, 10. Danny Pittman, 11. Kim West, 12. Denny Martini, 13. Andy Hillenburg, 14. Dave Peperak, 15. Ken Rice, 16. Andy Stapp, 17. Kevin Thomas, 18. Willie Rice, 19. Tray House, 20. Steve Imel. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-12 Mark Alderson, Lap 13 Andy Hillenburg, Laps 14-15 Mark Alderson, Laps 16-17 Steve Butler, Laps 18-30 Jack Hewitt.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Jack Hewitt-152, 2-Steve Butler-122, 3-Tray House-70, 4-Terry Shepherd-65, 5-Rich Vogler-54, 6-Andy Hillenburg & Greg Staab-52, 8-Andy Stapp & Tony Elliott-48, 10-Jac Haudenschild-39.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: June 10, 1988 – Jackson Speedway – Jackson, Minnesota – Winged Event

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: June 10, 1988 – Jackson Speedway – Jackson, Minnesota – Winged Event

QUALIFYING: 1. John Sernett, 14s, Krull-17.666; 2. Jeff Tuttle, 10T, Tuttle-17.841; 3. Marlon Jones, 9J, Lusk-17.959; 4. Kenny Jacobs, 56, Gohr-17.960; 5. Randy Smith, 20, Durst-17.960; 6. Terry McCarl, 7x, McCarl-18.096; 7. Danny Lasoski, 49, Rogers-18.145; 8. Jerry Richert Jr., 81, Johnson-18.152; 9. Ray Lipsey, 45, Lipsey-18.156; 10. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-18.317; 11. Rick Ungar, 39, Klein-18.329; 12. Tony Armstrong, 10m, McAlpine-18.360; 13. Jamie Moyle, 20H, Trostle-18.365; 14. T.J. Giddings, 5, Kohls-18.541; 15. Gary DeWall, 16, DeWall-18.586; 16. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-18.590; 17. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-18.594; 18. Larry Hillerud, 51, Hillerud-18.596; 19. Tray House, 23, Murphy-18.678, 20. Tim Monson, 1w, Monson-18.692; 21. Bobby Houseman, 18, Houseman-18.715; 22. Rod Henderson, 83, Henderson-18.753; 23. Gordy Vogelaar, 99, Vogelaar-18.753; 24. Jim Grafton, 47, Grafton-18.761; 25. Rich Bubak, 9B, Mile-Hi-18.790; 26. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-18.878; 27. John Barger, 66, Baumann-18.966; 28. Glenn Berkner, 77x, Eckert-19.166; 29. Bob Hop, 88, Gillund-19.354; 30. Gary Zitterich, 87, Smith-19.438; 31. Brian Keck, 51K, Keck-19.541; 32. Bob Weuve, 19, Weuve-19.562; 33. Danny Young, 3y,

Young-19.634; 34. Joe Kouba, 55, Kouba-19.669; 35. Jim Kouba, 2K, Kouba-19.800; 36. Randy Rosenboom, 14x, Rosenboom-19.862; 37. Denny Parker, 53, Parker-20.054; 38. Glenn Stewart, 70, Stewart-21.350.

NON-QUALIFIERS RACE: (5 laps) 1. Joe Kouba, 2. Randy Rosenboom, 3. Denny Parker, 4. Danny Young, 5. Jim Kouba, 6. Glenn Stewart. NT

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Jim Grafton, 2. Tim Monson, 3. Jamie Moyle, 4. Ray Lipsey, 5. John Sernett, 6. Tony Elliott, 7. Glenn Berkner, 8. Randy Smith. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Rich Bubak, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Bob Hop, 4. Jeff Tuttle, 5. T.J. Giddings, 6. Dean Jacobs, 7. Terry McCarl, 8. Bobby Houseman. NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Marlon Jones, 2. Greg Staab, 3. Larry Hillerud, 4. Danny Lasoski, 5. Rick Ungar, 6. Brian Keck, 7. Gary Zitterich, 8. Rod Henderson. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. John Barger, 2. Tray House, 3. Jerry Richert Jr., 4. Bob Weuve, 5. Gordy Vogelaar, 6. Tony Armstrong, 7. Gary DeWall, 8. Kenny Jacobs. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Kenny Jacobs, 2. Terry McCarl, 3. Rick Ungar, 4. Dean Jacobs, 5. Tony Elliott, 6. Rod Henderson, 7. Brian Keck, 8. Gordy Vogelaar, 9. Glenn Berkner, 10. Gary Zitterich, 11. Joe Kouba, 12. Randy Rosenboom, 13. Bobby Houseman, 14. Tony Armstrong, 15. John Sernett, 16. T.J. Giddings, 17. DeWall, 18. Randy Smith. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Danny Lasoski, 2. Jerry Richert Jr., 3. Marlon Jones, 4. Steve Butler, 5. Rick Ungar, 6. Terry McCarl, 7. Tim Monson, 8. Rich Bubak, 9. Jeff Tuttle, 10. Ray Lipsey, 11. Jim Grafton, 12. John Barger, 13. Tray House, 14. Dean Jacobs, 15. Bob Weuve, 16. Jamie Moyle, 17. Greg Staab, 18. Larry Hillerud, 19. Kenny Jacobs, 20. Bob Hop. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-30 Danny Lasoski.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: June 11, 1988 – Knoxville Raceway – Knoxville, Iowa

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: June 11, 1988 – Knoxville Raceway – Knoxville, Iowa

QUALIFYING: 1. Sammy Swindell, 1s, Annett-16.575; 2. Tony Armstrong, 10m, McAlpine-17.028; 3. Ray Lipsey, 45, Lipsey-17.055; 4. Jeff Tuttle, 10T, Tuttle-17.066; 5. Danny Lasoski, 49, Olsen-17.105; 6. Randy Smith, 20, Durst-17.150; 7. Lee Brewer Jr., 1ST, Brewer-17.191; 8. Rick Ungar, 39, Klein-17.212; 9. Tommy Scott, 74s, Scott-17.222; 10. Tray House, 23, Murphy-17.252; 11. Kenny Jacobs, 56, Gohr-17.330; 12. Jerry Richert Jr., 81, Johnson-17.371; 13. Jerry Beeck Jr., 27, Beeck-17.377; 14. Marlon Jones, 9J, Lusk-17.464; 15. Bruce Moore, 2x, Moore-17.475; 16. Danny Thoman, 2v, Vanderwoude-17.505; 17. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-17.506; 18. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-17.536; 19. Terry McCarl, 7x, McCarl-17.559; 20. Devlin Polkinghorn, 1R, Polkinghorn-17.564; 21. Tod Bishop, 86, Bishop-17.591; 22. Mike Peters, 28, Peters-17.611; 23. Jamie Moyle, 20H, Trostle-17.659; 24. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-17.700; 25. Kenny McCarl, 8x, McCarl-17.722; 26. Tim Monson, 1w, Monson-17.722; 27. Mark Shaffer, 21, Shaffer-17.732; 28. Rich Bubak, 9B, Mile-Hi-17.784; 29. Bob White, 39x, White-17.794; 30. Wayne Redmond, 61, Redmond-17.870; 31. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-17.866; 32. Bill Vielhauer, 12x, Vielhauer-17.870; 33. Glenn Berkner, 77x, Eckert-17.876; 34. Jim Grafton, 47, Grafton-17.944; 35. Terry Thorson, 1J, Thorson-17.955; 36. Danny Young, 3Y, Young-17.991; 37. T.J. Giddings, 5, Kohls-17.997; 38. Joe Kouba, 55, Kouba-18.051; 39. Bob Weuve, 19, Weuve-18.062; 40. Bob Hop, 88, Gillund-18.098; 41. Rick Ryan, 1x, Ryan-18.176; 42. Rick Haas, 9z,

Haas-19.260; 43. Don Droud Jr., 9T, Droud-18.277; 44. Galen Martin, 2, Martin-18.353; 45. Jim Kouba, 2K, Kouba-18.473; 46. Tom Whiting, 96, Whiting-18.910; 47. Jerry Janssen, 4, Janssen-NT; 48. Bob Johnson, 15, Johnson-NT.

NON-QUALIFIERS RACE: (10 laps) 1. Jim Grafton, 2. Glenn Berkner, 3. Danny Young, 4. Bob Hop, 5. T.J. Giddings, 6. Bob Weuve, 7. Joe Kouba, 8. Galen Martin, 9. Don Droud Jr., 10. Jim Kouba, 11. Tom Whiting, 12. Rick Ryan, 13. Jerry Janssen. 3:05.70

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Danny Lasoski, 2. Sammy Swindell, 3. Bob White, 4. Tod Bishop, 5. Tommy Scott, 6. Dean Jacobs, 7. Kenny McCarl, 8. Jerry Beeck Jr. 3:03.10

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Tim Monson, 2. Mike Peters, 3. Tray House, 4. Steve Butler, 5. Randy Smith, 6. Tony Armstrong, 7. Marlon Jones, 8. Wayne Redmond. 3:03.80

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Mark Shaffer, 2. Terry McCarl, 3. Jamie Moyle, 4. Kenny Jacobs, 5. Ray Lipsey, 6. Lee Brewer Jr., 7. Greg Staab, 8. Bruce Moore. 3:04.80

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Rich Bubak, 2. Jerry Richert Jr., 3. Danny Thoman, 4. Rick Ungar, 5. Jeff Tuttle, 6. Bill Vielhauer, 7. Tony Elliott, 8. Devlin Polkinghorn. 3:06.20

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Randy Smith, 2. Ray Lipsey, 3. Jeff Tuttle, 4. Lee Brewer Jr., 5. Tony Armstrong, 6. Jim Grafton, 7. Tony Elliott, 8. Dean Jacobs, 9. Bob Weuve, 10. Danny Young, 11. Bob Hop, 12. Kenny McCarl, 13. Bruce Moore, 14. Jerry Beeck Jr., 15. Greg Staab, 16. Marlon Jones, 17. Bill Vielhauer, 18. Glenn Berkner. 3:45.90

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Sammy Swindell, 2. Randy Smith, 3. Jeff Tuttle, 4. Lee Brewer Jr., 5. Steve Butler, 6. Jerry Richert Jr., 7. Jamie Moyle, 8. Mike Peters, 9. Rich Bubak, 10. Danny Thoman, 11. Rick Ungar, 12. Kenny Jacobs, 13. Bob White, 14. Tod Bishop, 15. Mark Shaffer, 16. Tray House, 17. Tim Monson, 18. Danny Lasoski, 19. Ray Lipsey, 20. Terry McCarl. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-7 Randy Smith, Laps 8-25 Sammy Swindell.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-160, 2-Jack Hewitt-152, 3-Tray House-88, 4-Terry Shepherd-65, 5-Greg Staab-59, 6-Rich Vogler-54, 7-Andy Hillenburg-52, 8-Andy Stapp & Tony Elliott-48, 10-Jac Haudenschild-39.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: June 18, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – Salute to J.W. Hunt

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: June 18, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – Salute to J.W. Hunt

QUALIFYING: 1. Rich Vogler, 2v, Vance-16.630; 2. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-16.661; 3. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-16.664; 4. Tray House, 23, Murphy-16.732; 5. Kevin Huntley, 69, Dynamics-16.785; 6. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-16.822; 7. Jack Hewitt, 63, Hampshire-16.887; 8. Andy Stapp, 4, Stapp-16.903; 9. Andy Hillenburg, 99, Davis-17.016; 10. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-17.077; 11. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-17.121; 12. Ron Mullen, 4x, Mullen-17.429; 13. Leon Thickstun, 77x, Law-17.568; 14. Robbie Stanley, 44R, Stanley-17.585; 15. Dave Peperak, 77, Ram-17.611; 16. Steve Imel, 95, Frampton-17.676; 17. Jeff Walker, 39, Walker-17.681; 18. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-17.841; 19. Cary House, 9, House-17.991; 20. Mike Blake, 81, Blake-18.144; 21. Jeff Holt, 16x, Holt-18.453.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Mark Alderson, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Leon Thickstun, 5. Tray House, 6. Steve Imel, 7. Cary House. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Kevin Huntley, 3. Andy Stapp, 4. Robbie Stanley, 5. Dean Jacobs, 6. Mike Blake, 7. Jeff Walker. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jerry Nemire, 2. Ron Mullen, 3. Greg Staab, 4. Tony Elliott, 5. Andy Hillenburg, 6. Jeff Holt, 7. Dave Peperak. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Tray House, 2. Andy Hillenburg, 3. Dean Jacobs, 4. Steve Imel, 5. Mike Blake, 6. Cary House, 7. Jeff Holt, 8. Dave Peperak. NT

FEATURE: (25 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Kevin Huntley, 3. Tray House, 4. Greg Staab, 5. Jerry Nemire, 6. Rich Vogler, 7. Steve Butler, 8. Mark Alderson, 9. Dean Jacobs, 10. Robbie Stanley, 11. Andy Hillenburg, 12. Leon Thickstun, 13. Ron Mullen, 14. Mike Blake, 15. Steve Imel, 16. Andy Stapp, 17. Tony Elliott, 18. Jeff Holt, 19. Cary House, 20. Dave Peperak. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-18 Kevin Huntley, Laps 19-30 Jack Hewitt.

**Tony Elliott flipped on lap 18 of the feature. Andy Stapp flipped on the lap 18 restart.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Jack Hewitt-186, 2-Steve Butler-180, 3-Tray House-107, 4-Greg Staab-79, 5-Rich Vogler-77, 6-Terry Shepherd-65, 7-Andy Hillenburg-62, 8-Andy Stapp & Tony Elliott-55, 10-Mark Alderson-43.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: July 7, 1988 – Indianapolis Raceway Park – Clermont, Indiana – Hardee's Racing Series

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 7, 1988 – Indianapolis Raceway Park – Clermont, Indiana – Hardee's Racing Series

QUALIFYING: 1. Rich Vogler, 2, Vance-22.156; 2. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-22.287; 3. Andy Hillenburg, 69, Dynamics-22.291; 4. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-22.563; 5. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-22.646; 6. Bob Frey, 20, Niebel-22.762; 7. Jim Childers, 66, Nowling-22.781; 8. Mack McClellan, 73, Yahn-22.820; 9. Bill Tyler, 25, Batista-22.839; 10. Billy Vukovich III, 21, Capels-22.971; 11. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-23.114; 12. Leon Thickstun, 7, Atkinson-23.116; 13. Jeff Bloom, 7s, Roberts-23.148; 14. David Harrison, 44H, Harrison-23.267; 15. Tray House, 23, Murphy-23.316; 16. Jerry Landon, 8x, Becker-23.367; 17. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-23.384; 18. Andy Stapp, 4s, Stapp-23.421; 19. Gene Lee Gibson, 3, Leyba-23.496; 20. Benny Rapp, 14, Rapp-23.515; 21. Tim Champlin, 8, Becker-23.699; 22. Jim Moulis, 30m, Moulis-24.019; 23. Mike Blake, 81, Blake-24.157; 24. Bill Allen, 5, McGee-24.381; 25. Dave Peperak, 77, Ram-24.504; 26. Blake Hollingsworth, 93, Hollingsworth-24.692; 27. Bob Seelman, 74, Seelman-24.846; 28. Roger Bible, 8B, Payne-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Jeff Bloom, 3. Mark Alderson, 4. Jerry Nemire, 5. Bill Tyler, 6. Tim Champlin, 7. Dave Peperak. 3:01.28

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Billy Vukovich III, 3. Jim Moulis, 4. Bob Frey, 5. David Harrison, 6. Andy Stapp, 7. Blake Hollingsworth. 3:03.16

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Andy Hillenburg, 2. Jim Childers, 3. Gene Lee Gibson, 4. Tray House, 5. Greg Staab, 6. Mike Blake, 7. Bob Seelman. 3:05.48

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Leon Thickstun, 2. Tony Elliott, 3. Benny Rapp, 4. Mack McClellan, 5. Jerry Landon, 6. Roger Bible, 7. Bill Allen. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Greg Staab, 2. David Harrison, 3. Andy Stapp, 4. Blake Hollingsworth, 5. Jerry Landon, 6. Dave Peperak, 7. Bob Seelman, 8. Mike Blake, 9. Bill Allen, 10. Roger Bible, 11. Bill Tyler. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Bob Frey, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Billy Vukovich III, 4. Gene Lee Gibson, 5. Tony Elliott, 6. Mack McClellan, 7. David Harrison, 8. Andy Hillenburg, 9. Tray House, 10. Jerry Nemire, 11. Mark Alderson, 12. Jeff Bloom, 13. Benny Rapp, 14. Rich Vogler, 15. Jim Moulis, 16. Greg Staab, 17. Andy Stapp, 18. Blake Hollingsworth, 19. Jim Childers, 20. Leon Thickstun. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-30 Bob Frey.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-213, 2-Jack Hewitt-186, 3-Tray House-120, 4-Rich Vogler-94, 5-Greg Staab-84, 6-Andy Hillenburg-81, 7-Tony Elliott-74, 8-Terry Shepherd-65, 9-Andy Stapp-59, 10-Mark Alderson-55.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: July 16, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – Stoops Freightliner Shootout

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 16, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – Stoops Freightliner Shootout

QUALIFYING: 1. Brad Doty, 40s, Stanton-14.779; 2. Joey Allen, 7c, Chupp-14.806; 3. Kelly Kinser, 4K, Kinser-14.860; 4. Jimmy Sills, 29, Weikert-14.956; 5. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-15.249; 6. Andy Stapp, 4s, Stapp-15.468; 7. Bobby Adkins, 40A, Goodin-15.483; 8. Kevin Huntley, 23s, Shoff-15.493; 9. Jac Haudenschild, 2T, Lee-15.521; 10. Tray House, 23, Murphy-15.560; 11. Jack Hewitt, 63, Hampshire-15.620; 12. Rick Hood, 1n, Campbell-15.641; 13. Andy Hillenburg, 69, Dynamics-15.657; 14. Rod George, 4, Stockdale-15.670; 15. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-15.696; 16. Rocky Hodges, 3, Petite-15.731; 17. Jeff Gordon, 6, Winterbotham-15.769; 18. Kenny Jacobs, 56, Gohr-15.934; 19. Joe Gaerte, 7TW, Wimmer-15.950; 20. Robbie Stanley, 44R, Stanley-15.972; 21. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-16.145; 22. Ken Rice, 44R, Rice-16.205; 23. Johnny Beaber, 14, Daugherty-15.374; 24. Billy Corbin, 19, Reynolds-16.417; 25. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-16.422; 26. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-16.644; 27. Dave Peperak, 77, Ram-16.784; 28. Bobby Teeple, 8, Teeple-16.785; 29. Terry Shepherd, 7K, Kasey-16.802; 30. Roger Unverferth, 11, Unverferth-18.578; 31. Sammy Keen, 11K, Keen-NT; 32. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Brad Doty, 2. Jeff Gordon, 3. Jac Haudenschild, 4. Greg Staab, 5. Andy Hillenburg, 6. Steve Butler, 7. Tony Elliott, 8. Terry Shepherd. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Kenny Jacobs, 2. Joey Allen, 3. Andy Stapp, 4. Mark Alderson, 5. Tray House, 6. Rod George, 7. Ken Rice, 8. Roger Unverferth. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Johnny Beaber, 2. Dean Jacobs, 3. Kelly Kinser, 4. Joe Gaerte, 5. Bobby Adkins, 6. Jack Hewitt, 7. Sammy Keen, 8. Dave Peperak. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rocky Hodges, 2. Rick Hood, 3. Billy Corbin, 4. Robbie Stanley, 5. Jimmy Sills, 6. Kevin Huntley, 7. Bobby Teeple. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Jimmy Sills, 3. Kevin Huntley, 4. Jack Hewitt, 5. Rod George, 6. Tray House, 7. Roger Unverferth, 8. Andy Hillenburg, 9. Tony Elliott, 10. Bobby Adkins, 11. Bobby Teeple, 12. Sammy Keen, 13. Ken Rice, 14. Dave Peperak, 15. Jerry Nemire. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Kelly Kinser, 3. Brad Doty, 4. Rocky Hodges, 5. Jac Haudenschild, 6. Kevin Huntley, 7. Joe Gaerte, 8. Kenny Jacobs, 9. Jeff Gordon, 10. Greg Staab, 11. Robbie Stanley, 12. Andy Stapp, 13. Dean Jacobs, 14. Mark Alderson, 15. Joey Allen, 16. Rick Hood, 17. Billy Corbin, 18. Johnny Beaber, 19. Jimmy Sills, 20. Jack Hewitt. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-30 Steve Butler.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: Millstream Motor Speedway – Findlay, Ohio – Stoops Freightliner Shootout – Winged Event

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 17, 1988 – Millstream Motor Speedway – Findlay, Ohio – Stoops Freightliner Shootout – Winged Event

QUALIFYING: 1. Kenny Jacobs, 56, Gohr-15.506; 2. Andy Hillenburg, 69, Dynamics-15.762; 3. Brad Doty, 40s, Stanton-15.833; 4. Jim Wohlfeil, 3w, Wohlfeil-15.948; 5. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-15.961; 6. Robbie Stanley, 44R, Stanley-15.976; 7. Jack Hewitt, 63, Hampshire-16.016; 8. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-16.038; 9. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-16.079; 10. Tray House, 23, Murphy-16.145; 11. Johnny Beaber, 14, Daugherty-16.211; 12. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-16.255; 13. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-16.324; 14. Jeff Gordon, 6, Winterbotham-16.357; 15. Al Hager, 5, Brindley-16.382; 16. Billy Corbin, 19, Reynolds-16.416; 17. Bobby Teeple, 8, Teeple-16.469; 18. Steve Morehead, 42, Morehead-16.589; 19. Mark Christman, 34, Christman-16.636; 20. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-16.996; 21. Tom Basinger, 3, Basinger-17.111; 22. Todd Cramer, 30, Cramer-18.295; 23. Roger Unverferth, 11, Unverferth-18.747.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Kenny Jacobs, 2. Jerry Nemire, 3. Jack Hewitt, 4. Tray House, 5. Billy Corbin, 6. Jim Wohlfeil, 7. Todd Cramer, 8. Mark Christman. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Johnny Beaber, 2. Tony Elliott, 3. Dean Jacobs, 4. Andy Hillenburg, 5. Mark Alderson, 6. Roger Unverferth, 7. Bobby Teeple, 8. Jeff Gordon. NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Steve Morehead, 2. Brad Doty, 3. Robbie Stanley, 4. Steve Butler, 5. Greg Staab, 6. Al Hager, 7. Tom Basinger. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Bobby Teeple, 2. Greg Staab, 3. Jim Wohlfeil, 4. Mark Alderson, 5. Billy Corbin, 6. Todd Cramer, 7. Tom Basinger, 8. Roger Unverferth, 9. Jeff Gordon. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Brad Doty, 2. Robbie Stanley, 3. Kenny Jacobs, 4. Johnny Beaber, 5. Steve Butler, 6. Jim Wohlfeil, 7. Jack Hewitt, 8. Steve Morehead, 9. Dean Jacobs, 10. Tray House, 11. Bobby Teeple, 12. Billy Corbin, 13. Greg Staab, 14. Jerry Nemire, 15. Tony Elliott, 16. Andy Hillenburg, 17. Todd Cramer, 18. Mark Alderson, 19. Tom Basinger, 20. Jeff Gordon. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-15 Robbie Stanley, Laps 16-30 Brad Doty.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-260, 2-Jack Hewitt-203, 3-Tray House-132, 4-Greg Staab-104, 5-Rich Vogler-94, 6-Andy Hillenburg-91, 7-Tony Elliott-83, 8-Kenny Jacobs-72, 9-Andy Stapp-70, 10-Mark Alderson-66.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: July 24, 1988 – Salem Speedway – Salem, Indiana – Joe James-Pat O'Connor Memorial

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 24, 1988 – Salem Speedway – Salem, Indiana – Joe James-Pat O’Connor Memorial

QUALIFYING: 1. Bob Frey, 20, Niebel-16.433; 2. Rich Vogler, 65, Miller-16.550; 3. Jim Childers, 66, Nowling-16.662; 4. Jeff Bloom, 7s, Roberts-16.711; 5. Andy Hillenburg, 69, Dynamics-16.846; 6. Tim Champlin, 8, Becker-16.899; 7. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-16.968; 8. Gene Lee Gibson, 3, Leyba-17.103; 9. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-17.113; 10. Leon Thickstun, 7, Atkinson-17.180; 11. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-17.240; 12. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-17.442; 13. Brent Whited, 38, Hodson-17.468; 14. Jerry Landon, 8x, Becker-17.489; 15. Blake Hollingsworth, 93, Hollingsworth-17.584; 16. Bruce Field, 88, Venena-17.760; 17. Mike Blake, 81, Blake-17.942; 18. Roger Bible, 8B, Payne-17.980; 19. Jim Whiteside, 67, Whiteside-18.306; 20. Manny Rockhold, 71, Rockhold-18.729; 21. Tray House, 23, Murphy-19.054; 22. Benny Rapp, 14R, Rapp-19.136; 23. Stephen Smith, 12, Smith-19.954; 24. Bill Allen, 5, McGee-20.113; 25. Mack McClellan, 73, Yahn-NT; 26. Bob Seelman, 74, Seelman-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Mark Alderson, 2. Bob Frey, 3. Mike Blake, 4. Tray House, 5. Brent Whited, 6. Andy Hillenburg. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Leon Thickstun, 3. Tim Champlin, 4. Benny Rapp, 5. Jerry Landon, 6. Roger Bible. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Greg Staab, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Blake Hollingsworth, 4. Jim Whiteside, 5. Jim Childers, 6. Stephen Smith. NT

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bruce Field, 2. Jerry Nemire, 3. Gene Lee Gibson, 4. Jeff Bloom, 5. Manny Rockhold, 6. Bill Allen. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (8 laps) 1. Andy Hillenburg, 2. Jerry Landon, 3. Manny Rockhold, 4. Brent Whited, 5. Roger Bible. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Bob Frey, 2. Rich Vogler, 3. Steve Butler, 4. Gene Lee Gibson, 5. Jeff Bloom, 6. Bruce Field, 7. Jerry Nemire, 8. Tim Champlin, 9. Jerry Landon, 10. Mike Blake, 11. Brent Whited, 12. Greg Staab, 13. Blake Hollingsworth, 14. Jim Whiteside, 15. Andy Hillenburg, 16. Manny Rockhold, 17. Tray House, 18. Mark Alderson, 19. Leon Thickstun, 20. Benny Rapp. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Lap 1 Steve Butler, Laps 2-30 Bob Frey.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-284, 2-Jack Hewitt-203, 3-Tray House-137, 4-Rich Vogler-127, 5-Greg Staab-117, 6-Andy Hillenburg-97, 7-Tony Elliott-83, 8-Mark Alderson-73, 9-Kenny Jacobs-72, 10-Andy Stapp & Bob Frey-70.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: July 28, 1988 – Indianapolis Raceway Park – Clermont, Indiana – Hardee’s Racing Series

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 28, 1988 – Indianapolis Raceway Park – Clermont, Indiana – Hardee’s Racing Series

QUALIFYING: 1. Gene Lee Gibson, 3, Leyba-21.900; 2. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-21.941; 3. Bob Frey, 20, Niebel-22.080; 4. Jeff Bloom, 7s, Roberts-22.360; 5. Kevin Huntley, 69, Dynamics-22.380; 6. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-22.461; 7. Billy Vukovich III, 21, Capels-22.558; 8. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-22.668; 9. Leon Thickstun, 7, Atkinson-22.726; 10. Rich Vogler, 2, Vance-22.819; 11. Charlie Fisher, 48, Nott-23.024; 12. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-23.026; 13. Jim Moulis, 30m, Moulis-23.057; 14. Bruce Field, 88, Venena-23.092; 15. Jim Childers, 66, Nowling-23.145; 16. Bill Tyler, 25, Batista-23.160; 17. Bob Cicconi, 59, Cicconi-23.169; 18. Mack McClellan, 73, Yahn-23.203; 19. David Harrison, 44H, Harrison-23.226; 20. Tray House, 23, Murphy-23.282; 21. Frank Weiss, 72, Victor-23.378; 22. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-23.481; 23. Mike Blake, 81, Blake-23.527; 24. Benny Rapp, 14R, Rapp-23.535; 25. Jim Whiteside, 67, Whiteside-23.563; 26. Paul Stender, 16T, Stender-23.797; 27. Blake Hollingsworth, 93, Hollingsworth-23.825; 28. Tim Champlin, 8, Becker-23.826; 29. Larry Fritz, 8v, Fritz-24.030; 30. George Wilkins, 71, Benson-24.258; 31. Roger Bible, 8B, Payne-24.590; 32. Brent Whited, 38, Hodson-24.596; 33. Rick Becker, 56B, Becker-25.234; 34. Bob Seelman, 74, Seelman-NT; 35. Bruce Robey, 65, Miller-NT. (Times for Gibson & Butler not applicable for track record purposes due to clock irregularity.)

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Kevin Huntley, 2. Gene Lee Gibson, 3. Jim Whiteside, 4. Jim Moulis, 5. Bob Cicconi, 6. Leon Thickstun, 7. Rick Becker, 8. Frank Weiss, 9. Larry Fritz. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Greg Staab, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Bruce Field, 4. Tony Elliott, 5. Paul Stender, 6. Rich Vogler, 7. Mack McClellan, 8. Bob Seelman, 9. George Wilkins. 3:04.79

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jim Childers, 2. David Harrison, 3. Bob Frey, 4. Billy Vukovich III, 5. Mike Blake, 6. Charlie Fisher, 7. Roger Bible, 8. Blake Hollingsworth. 3:05.72

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Tray House, 2. Mark Alderson, 3. Tim Champlin, 4. Bill Tyler, 5. Jeff Bloom, 6. Brent Whited, 7. Jerry Nemire, 8. Benny Rapp. 3:05.69

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Jeff Bloom, 2. Leon Thickstun, 3. Jerry Nemire, 4. Rich Vogler, 5. Charlie Fisher, 6. Bob Cicconi, 7. Mack McClellan, 8. Bob Seelman, 9. Paul Stender, 10. George Wilkins, 11. Rick Becker, 12. Benny Rapp, 13. Brent Whited, 14. Blake Hollingsworth, 15. Larry Fritz, 16. Roger Bible, 17. Mike Blake. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Greg Staab, 2. Kevin Huntley, 3. Steve Butler, 4. Jeff Bloom, 5. Billy Vukovich III, 6. Rich Vogler, 7. Gene Lee Gibson, 8. Jim Childers, 9. Jerry Nemire, 10. Tim Champlin, 11. Leon Thickstun, 12. Bill Tyler, 13. Mark Alderson, 14. David Harrison, 15. Jim Whiteside, 16. Tray House, 17. Bob Frey, 18. Bruce Field, 19. Tony Elliott, 20. Jim Moulis. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-5 Kevin Huntley, Laps 6-19 Steve Butler, Laps 20-26 Kevin Huntley, Laps 27-30 Greg Staab.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: July 30, 1988 – Winchester Speedway – Winchester, Indiana

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 30, 1988 – Winchester Speedway – Winchester, Indiana

QUALIFYING: 1. Rich Vogler, 2, Vance-15.502; 2. Bob Frey, 20, Niebel-15.743; 3. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-15.754; 4. Bob Cicconi, 59, Cicconi-16.109; 5. Jeff Bloom, 7s, Roberts-16.290; 6. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-16.644; 7. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-16.745; 8. Jim Childers, 66, Nowling-16.905; 9. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-17.081; 10. Bob Seelman, 74, Seelman-17.196; 11. Bill Allen, 5, McGee-17.222; 12. Paul Huntington, 73, Yahn-17.230; 13. Blake Hollingsworth, 93, Hollingsworth-17.236; 14. Tim Champlin, 8, Becker-17.582; 15. Jim Whiteside, 67, Whiteside-17.693; 16. Gene Lee Gibson, 3, Leyba-17.832; 17. Benny Rapp, 14R, Rapp-17.862; 18. Tray House, 23, Murphy-18.106; 19. Brent Whited, 38, Hodson-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Mark Alderson, 3. Jeff Bloom, 4. Jim Childers, 5. Gene Lee Gibson, 6. Tim Champlin, 7. Paul Huntington, 8. Steve Butler, 9. Tray House. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bob Frey, 2. Greg Staab, 3. Bob Cicconi, 4. Jerry Nemire, 5. Jim Whiteside, 6. Blake Hollingsworth, 7. Bill Allen, 8. Benny Rapp. 2:16.62

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Bob Seelman, 3. Tim Champlin, 4. Blake Hollingsworth, 5. Tray House, 6. Benny Rapp, 7. Paul Huntington, 8. Bill Allen. 2:47.13

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Mark Alderson, 3. Bob Frey, 4. Steve Butler, 5. Brent Whited, 6. Jim Childers, 7. Greg Staab, 8. Jerry Nemire, 9. Tim Champlin, 10. Bill Allen, 11. Benny Rapp, 12. Jim Whiteside, 13. Bob Seelman, 14. Tray House, 15. Blake Hollingsworth, 16. Jeff Bloom, 17. Bob Cicconi, 18. Gene Lee Gibson, 19. Paul Huntington. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-3 Greg Staab, Lap 4 Mark Alderson, Laps 5-30 Rich Vogler.

USAC SWITZER CHERRY CANDY PAVEMENT SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Bob Frey-107, 2-Rich Vogler-105, 3-Steve Butler-103, 4-Greg Staab-69, 5-Gene Lee Gibson-66, 6-Mark Alderson-60, 7-Jerry Nemire-55, 8-Jim Childers-40, 9-Tray House-34, 10-Kevin Huntley-29.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: July 31, 1988 – Tri-State Speedway – Haubstadt, Indiana – Winged Event

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: July 31, 1988 – Tri-State Speedway – Haubstadt, Indiana – Winged Event

QUALIFYING: 1. Joe Gaerte, 7TW, Wimmer-13.221; 2. Kenny Jacobs, 56, Gohr-13.462; 3. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-13.504; 4. Jack Hewitt, 23s, Shoff-13.516; 5. Robbie Stanley, 44R, Stanley-13.549; 6. Mickey Smith, 14s, Smith-13.603; 7. Dave Feese, 12, Clavey-13.706; 8. Jerry Hamby, 2H, Hamby-13.734; 9. Leon Gentry, 61, Gentry-13.753; 10. Jack Ziegler, 76, Glass-13.773; 11. Andy Stapp, 4, Stapp-13.820; 12. Kevin Briscoe, 5x, Briscoe-13.822; 13. Chuck Amati, 66, Tate-13.823; 14. Andy Hillenburg, 5m, Merrill-13.863; 15. Scott McDaniel, 14m, McDaniel-13.872; 16. Mike Ward, 61x, Blankenship-13.877; 17. Kevin Huntley, 69, Dynamics-13.930; 18. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-13.962; 19. Mark Cummins, 3c, Cummins-14.002; 20. Tom Tepe, 41, Tepe-14.121; 21. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 56x, Hayhurst-14.161; 22. Rich Vogler, 84, Weiland-14.164; 23. Brad Rehlmeier, 13R, Rehlmeier-14.227; 24. Wayne Slader, 84s, Slader-14.239; 25. Jeff Pritchard, 7J, Pritchard-14.301; 26. Bob Bowen, 35, Bowen-14.335; 27. Alan Brown, 34, Baker-14.430; 28. Kenny Gentry, 18, Gentry-14.503; 29. Jason Smith, 28, ML-14.596; 30. Eric Davis, 96, Davis-14.661; 31. J.C. Sulawske-14.954.

**REMAINDER OF PROGRAM RAINED OUT & RESCHEDULED FOR AUGUST 7.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-332, 2-Jack Hewitt-203, 3-Rich Vogler-182, 4-Greg Staab-168, 5-Tray House-153, 6-Mark Alderson-114, 7-Bob Frey-107, 8-Andy Hillenburg-97, 9-Jerry Nemire-90, 10-Tony Elliott-86.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: August 6, 1988 – Richmond Raceway – Richmond, Kentucky – Winged Event

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: August 6, 1988 – Richmond Raceway – Richmond, Kentucky – Winged Event

QUALIFYING: 1. Kenny Jacobs, 56, Gohr-13.638; 2. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-13.793; 3. Mike Ward, 61x, Blankenship-13.887; 4. Kevin Huntley, 69, Dynamics-13.907; 5. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-14.008; 6. Robbie Stanley, 44R, Stanley-14.018; 7. Kevin Briscoe, 5x, Briscoe-14.055; 8. Mike Bowling, 98, Bowling-14.218; 9. Eric Davis, 96, Davis-14.305; 10. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-14.348; 11. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 56x, Hayhurst-14.457; 12. Danny Pittman, 01L, Pittman/Campbell-14.586; 13. Andy Stapp, 4x, Stapp-14.718; 14. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-14.725; 15. Wayne Slader, 84, Slader-14.746; 16. Leon Gentry, 61, Gentry-14.796; 17. Tray House, 23, Murphy-NT; 18. Tim Champlin, 8, Becker-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Kenny Jacobs, 2. Kevin Briscoe, 3. Greg Staab, 4. Kevin Huntley, 5. Leon Gentry, 6. Andy Stapp. 2:24.13

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 3. Dean Jacobs, 4. Mark Alderson, 5. Mike Bowling, 6. Tim Champlin. 2:27.12

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Mike Ward, 2. Robbie Stanley, 3. Danny Pittman, 4. Wayne Slader, 5. Eric Davis. 2:25.45

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Kevin Huntley, 2. Andy Stapp, 3. Eric Davis, 4. Mike Bowling, 5. Leon Gentry, 6. Wayne Slader, 7. Tray House, 8. Mark Alderson, 9. Tim Champlin. 3:02.01

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Mike Ward, 2. Kenny Jacobs, 3. Steve Butler, 4. Dean Jacobs, 5. Kevin Briscoe, 6. Eric Davis, 7. Robbie Stanley, 8. Wayne Slader, 9. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 10. Greg Staab, 11. Leon Gentry, 12. Mark Alderson, 13. Andy Stapp, 14. Danny Pittman, 15. Tray House, 16. Kevin Huntley, 17. Mike Bowling, 18. Tim Champlin. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-9 Kenny Jacobs, Laps 10-30 Mike Ward.

**Tray House flipped during practice. Mike Bowling flipped during the feature.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: August 7, 1988 – Tri-State Speedway – Haubstadt, Indiana – Winged Event

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: August 7, 1988 – Tri-State Speedway – Haubstadt, Indiana – Winged Event

QUALIFYING: 1. Kelly Kinser, 4K, Kinser-13.408; 2. Kevin Huntley, 69, Dynamics-13.488; 3. Mike Ward, 61x, Blankenship-13.507; 4. Kevin Thomas, 8R, Thomas-13.624; 5. Robbie Stanley, 44R, Stanley-13.682; 6. Kenny Jacobs, 56, Gohr-13.721; 7. Bob Bowen, 35, Bowen-13.766; 8. Kevin Briscoe, 5x, Briscoe-13.766; 9. Tom Tepe, 41, Tepe-13.774; 10. Donnie Beechler, 21x, Pollock-13.787; 11. Andy Stapp, 4, Stapp-13.797; 12. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-13.838; 13. Mickey Smith, 14s, Smith-13.871; 14. Tim Gee, 88, Gee-13.889; 15. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-13.895; 16. Mark Cummins, 3c, Cummins-13.907; 17. Eric Davis, 96, Davis-13.915; 18. Randy Kinser, 1x, Todd-13.925; 19. Randy Bateman, 38, Bateman-13.935; 20. Jerry Hamby, 2H, Hamby-13.966; 21. Jeff Pritchard, 7J, Pritchard-14.005; 22. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-14.076; 23. Leon Gentry, 61, Gentry-14.077; 24. Wayne Slader, 84s, Slader-14.126; 25. Scott McDaniel, 14m, McDaniel-14.149; 26. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 56x, Hayhurst-14.237; 27. Brad Rehlmeier, 13R, Rehlmeier-14.261; 28. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-14.295; 29. Alan Brown, 34, Brown-14.341; 30. Kenny Gentry, 18, Gentry-14.656; 31. J.C. Sulawske, 51, Sulawske-14.713; 32. Jason Smith, 28, Smith-15.053; 33. Bryan Ruble, 96B, Ruble-15.367; 34. Danny Pittman, 01L, Pittman/Campbell-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Scott McDaniel, 2. Kelly Kinser, 3. Alan Brown, 4. Mickey Smith, 5. Tom Tepe, 6. Eric Davis, 7. Jeff Pritchard, 8. Robbie Stanley. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 2. Greg Staab, 3. Donnie Beechler, 4. Tim Gee, 5. Kenny Jacobs, 6. Randy Kinser, 7. Kevin Huntley, 8. Kenny Gentry. 2:14.67

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Mike Ward, 2. Randy Bateman, 3. Leon Gentry, 4. Dean Jacobs, 5. Andy Stapp, 6. Brad Rehlmeier, 7. Bob Bowen, 8. J.C. Sulawske. 2:16.13

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Mark Alderson, 3. Kyle Cummins, 4. Kevin Briscoe, 5. Wayne Slader, 6. Jerry Hamby, 7. Jason Smith, 8. Kevin Thomas. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Kenny Jacobs, 2. Kevin Huntley, 3. Robbie Stanley, 4. Andy Stapp, 5. Tom Tepe, 6. Kevin Thomas, 7. Randy Kinser, 8. Eric Davis, 9. Jerry Hamby, 10. Wayne Slader, 11. Bob Bowen, 12. Brad Rehlmeier, 13. Kenny Gentry, 14. Jeff Pritchard, 15. Bryan Ruble, 16. J.C. Sulawske, 17. Jason Smith. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Kenny Jacobs, 2. Mike Ward, 3. Robbie Stanley, 4. Dean Jacobs, 5. Kevin Briscoe, 6. Tim Gee, 7. Greg Staab, 8. Randy Bateman, 9. Leon Gentry, 10. Scott McDaniel, 11. Mark Alderson, 12. Alan Brown, 13. Andy Stapp, 14. Mickey Smith, 15. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 16. Kelly Kinser, 17. Kevin Huntley, 18. Mark Cummins, 19. Steve Butler, 20. Donnie Beechler. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-30 Kenny Jacobs.

**Danny Pittman flipped during practice. Robbie Stanley flipped during the first heat. Kevin Huntley flipped during the feature.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-363, 2-Jack Hewitt-203, 3-Greg Staab-198, 4-Rich Vogler-182, 5-Tray House-159, 6-Kenny Jacobs-141, 7-Mark Alderson-137, 8-Bob Frey-107, 9-Andy Hillenburg-97, 10-Jerry Nemire-90.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: August 18, 1988 – Indianapolis Raceway Park – Clermont, Indiana – Hardee's Racing Series – 18th Tony Hulman Classic

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: August 18, 1988 – Indianapolis Raceway Park – Clermont, Indiana – Hardee's Racing Series – 18th Tony Hulman Classic

QUALIFYING: 1. Bob Frey, 20, Niebel-21.882; 2. Jack Hewitt, 23s, Shoff-22.224; 3. Kevin Huntley, 69, Dynamics-22.333; 4. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-22.401; 5. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-22.405; 6. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-22.458; 7. Tray House, 23, Murphy-22.528; 8. Rich Vogler, 2, Vance-22.585; 9. Leon Thickstun, 7, Atkinson-22.609; 10. Gene Lee Gibson, 3, Leyba-22.831; 11. Mack McClellan, 73, Yahn-22.925; 12. Jim Childers, 66, Nowling-22.944; 13. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen-22.957; 14. Bob Cicconi, 59, Cicconi-23.015; 15. Larry Rice, 65, Miller-23.019; 16. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-23.040; 17. Rick Hood, 1n, Campbell-23.133; 18. Charlie Fisher, 48, Nott-23.192; 19. Blake Hollingsworth, 93, Hollingsworth-23.264; 20. Jeff Bloom, 7s, Roberts-23.292; 21. Mike Blake, 81, Blake-23.550; 22. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-23.558; 23. Paul Stender, 16T, Stender-23.566; 24. Larry Fritz, 8v, Fritz-23.827; 25. Bob Seelman, 74, Seelman-23.978; 26. Jim Whiteside, 67, Whiteside-24.134; 27. Tim Champlin, 8, Becker-24.306; 28. Roger Bible, 8B, Payne-24.403; 29. Frank Weiss, 72, Victor-24.592; 30. Bill Allen, 5, McGee-25.335; 31. Stephen Smith, 12, Smith-25.522; 32. Randy Schuller, 79, Schuller-35.216; 33. Brent Whited, 38, Hodson-NT.

FIRST HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Bob Frey, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Mike Blake, 4. Tony Elliott, 5. Rick Hood, 6. Bob Seelman, 7. Leon Thickstun. NT

SECOND HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Mark Alderson, 3. Gene Lee Gibson, 4. Bob Cicconi, 5. Charlie Fisher, 6. Dean Jacobs, 7. Frank Weiss. NT

THIRD HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Kevin Huntley, 2. Tray House, 3. Larry Rice, 4. Paul Stender, 5. Mack McClellan, 6. Tim Champlin, 7. Blake Hollingsworth, 8. Bill Allen. 3:06.54

FOURTH HEAT: (8 laps) 1. Rich Vogler, 2. Jim Childers, 3. Jeff Bloom, 4. Greg Staab, 5. Jerry Nemire, 6. Roger Bible, 7. Larry Fritz, 8. Stephen Smith. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (10 laps) 1. Jerry Nemire, 2. Charlie Fisher, 3. Mack McClellan, 4. Rick Hood, 5. Blake Hollingsworth, 6. Bob Seelman, 7. Dean Jacobs, 8. Bill Allen, 9. Frank Weiss, 10. Tim Champlin. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Mark Alderson, 3. Kevin Huntley, 4. Bob Frey, 5. Greg Staab, 6. Jack Hewitt, 7. Jim Childers, 8. Tray House, 9. Rick Hood, 10. Larry Rice, 11. Jerry Nemire, 12. Charlie Fisher, 13. Paul Stender, 14. Gene Lee Gibson, 15. Rich Vogler, 16. Mack McClellan, 17. Mike Blake, 18. Jeff Bloom, 19. Tony Elliott, 20. Blake Hollingsworth. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-30 Steve Butler.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-396, 2-Jack Hewitt-226, 3-Greg Staab-215, 4-Rich Vogler-192, 5-Tray House-175, 6-Mark Alderson-165, 7-Kenny Jacobs-141, 8-Bob Frey-135, 9-Kevin Huntley-113, 10-Jerry Nemire-100.

USAC SWITZER CHERRY CANDY PAVEMENT SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-136, 2-Bob Frey-135, 3-Rich Vogler-115, 4-Mark Alderson-88, 5-Greg Staab-86, 6-Kevin Huntley-81, 7-Gene Lee Gibson-75, 8-Jerry Nemire-65, 9-Jim Childers-57, 10-Tray House-50.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: September 3, 1988 – Tri-City Speedway – Granite City, Illinois – Winged Event

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: September 3, 1988 – Tri-City Speedway – Granite City, Illinois – Winged Event

QUALIFYING: 1. Randy Smith, 20, Durst-18.402; 2. Rick Hood, 56, Gohr-18.635; 3. Rich Vogler, 84, Weiland-18.668; 4. Danny Lasoski, 49, Rogers-18.687; 5. Robbie Stanley, 44R, Stanley-18.867; 6. Kelly Kinser, 4K, Kinser-18.871; 7. Jerry Russell, 1x, Sloan-18.879; 8. Andy Stapp, 4x, Stapp-19.031; 9. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-19.049; 10. Terry Shepherd, 4c, Kasey- 19.149; 11. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-19.189; 12. Jerry Richert Jr., 81, Johnson-19.208; 13. Tray House, 23, Murphy-19.275; 14. Andy Hillenburg, 5m, Merrill-19.290; 15. Dave Feese, 12, Clavey-19.300; 16. Tommy Scott, 74s, Scott-19.381; 17. Ron Standridge, 10, Standridge-19.454; 18. Donnie Beechler, 21x, Pollock-19.464; 19. Eric Gordon, 75, Gordon-19.475; 20. Kevin Briscoe, 5x, Briscoe-19.511; 21. Tony Weyant, 38, Weyant-19.545; 22. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-19.571; 23. Jack Ziegler, 76, Glass-19.625; 24. Brian Tobin, 68, Tobin-19.686; 25. A.R. Gardner, 9, Gardner-20.092; 26. Gay Rolofson, 00, Long-20.110; 27. Bob Weuve, 19, Weuve-20.116; 28. Wayne Slader, 84x, Slader-20.185; 29. Tony Hendrickson, 8, Booth-20.217; 30. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-20.409; 31. Eric Davis, 96, Davis-20.452; 32. Leon Gentry, 61x, Gentry-20.483; 33. Gary Hayhurst Jr., 56x, Hayhurst-20.523; 34. Dave Peperak, 77, Ram-20.750; 35. Tom Bigelow, 83, Sohm-20.760; 36. Manny Rockhold, 3K, Kohler-21.179; 37. Rod Holliday, 62, Holliday-21.234.

NON-QUALIFIERS RACE: (6 laps) 1. Tom Bigelow, 2. Manny Rockhold, 3. Rod Holliday, 4. Dave Peperak, 5. Gary Hayhurst Jr. 2:07.22

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Ron Standridge, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Randy Smith, 4. Robbie Stanley, 5. A.R. Gardner, 6. Tray House, 7. Tony Hendrickson, 8. Tony Weyant. 3:22.49

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Rick Hood, 2. Gay Rolofson, 3. Donnie Beechler, 4. Kelly Kinser, 5. Terry Shepherd, 6. Greg Staab, 7. Mark Alderson, 8. Andy Hillenburg. 3:23.10

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Jerry Russell, 2. Dave Feese, 3. Dean Jacobs, 4. Jack Ziegler, 5. Eric Gordon, 6. Eric Davis, 7. Bob Weuve, 8. Rich Vogler. 3:22.91

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Tommy Scott, 2. Danny Lasoski, 3. Brian Tobin, 4. Wayne Slader, 5. Jerry Richert Jr., 6. Andy Stapp, 7. Kevin Briscoe, 8. Leon Gentry. 3:28.09

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Andy Stapp, 2. Rich Vogler, 3. Jerry Richert Jr., 4. Andy Hillenburg, 5. Tray House, 6. Terry Shepherd, 7. Kevin Briscoe, 8. A.R. Gardner, 9. Mark Alderson, 10. Greg Staab, 11. Bob Weuve, 12. Tom Bigelow, 13. Eric Davis, 14. Tony Hendrickson, 15. Rod Holliday, 16. Manny Rockhold, 17. Leon Gentry, 18. Eric Gordon. 4:16.55

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Kelly Kinser, 2. Jerry Russell, 3. Robbie Stanley, 4. Rich Vogler, 5. Danny Lasoski, 6. Randy Smith, 7. Rick Hood, 8. Steve Butler, 9. Brian Tobin, 10. Andy Stapp, 11. Dave Feese, 12. Tray House, 13. Tommy Scott, 14. Andy Hillenburg, 15. Dean Jacobs, 16. Ron Standridge, 17. Donnie Beechler, 18. Gay Rolofson, 19. Jack Ziegler, 20. Jerry Richert Jr. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-26 Robbie Stanley, Laps 27-28 Jerry Russell, Laps 29-30 Kelly Kinser.

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-412, 2-Jack Hewitt-226, 3-Greg Staab-215, 4-Rich Vogler-212, 5-Tray House-184, 6-Mark Alderson-165, 7-Kenny Jacobs-141, 8-Bob Frey-135, 9-Kevin Huntley-113, 10-Andy Hillenburg-104.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: September 9, 1988 – Paragon Speedway – Paragon, Indiana – Sheldon Kinser Classic – Winged Event

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: September 9, 1988 – Paragon Speedway – Paragon, Indiana – Sheldon Kinser Classic – Winged Event

QUALIFYING: 1. Tray House, 23, Murphy-14.038; 2. Kenny Jacobs, 56, Gohr-14.167; 3. Joe Gaerte, 7TW, Wimmer-14.212; 4. Rocky Hodges, 3, Petite-14.232; 5. Kevin Huntley, 69, Dynamics-14.255; 6. Kelly Kinser, 4K, Kinser-14.333; 7. Chuck Amati, 66, Tate-14.345; 8. Rich Vogler, 84, Weiland-14.355; 9. Brian Tobin, 68, Tobin-14.430; 10. Mike Ward, 61x, Blankenship-14.430; 11. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-14.479; 12. Jeff Gordon, 6, Winterbotham-14.481; 13. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-14.532; 14. Tim Gee, 88, Gee-14.559; 15. Todd Shields, 56s, Shields-14.595; 16. Kevin Briscoe, 5x, Briscoe-14.659; 17. Joe Miller, 4, Miller-14.667; 18. Max Dumesny, 5A, Dumesny-14.672; 19. Dave Feese, 12, Clavey-14.674; 20. Mickey Smith, 14s, Smith-14.675; 21. Andy Hillenburg, 5m, Merrill-14.689; 22. Robbie Stanley, 44R, Stanley-14.711; 23. Jerry Russell, 63, Hampshire-14.719; 24. Dean Jacobs, 40, Arnold-14.728; 25. Jack Ziegler, 76, Glass-14.775; 26. Dink Glidden, 2T, Silver Eagle-14.777; 27. Eric Gordon, 75, Gordon-14.916; 28. Jeff Pritchard, 7J, Pritchard-14.987; 29. Jon Sargent, 22, Sargent-15.043; 30. Terry Pletch, 29, Pletch-15.049; 31. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-15.068; 32. Red Stauffer, 21, Luscomb-15.161; 33. Jeff Deckard, 9, Deckard-15.186; 34. Dallas Kinser, 8L, Lambertson-15.235; 35. Pete Abel, 04, Abel-15.248; 36. Bob Bowen, 35, Bowen-15.271; 37. Dave Peperak, 77, Ram-15.297; 38. Mike Blake, 81, Blake-15.394; 39. Jerry Hamby, 2H, Hamby-15.413; 40. Rick Ungar, 14J, McDaniel-15.544; 41. Tony Reed, 31R, Reed-15.909; 42. Dennis Rose, 270, Rose-15.923; 43. Kent Christian, 3x, Baker-16.094; 44. Johnny Johnson, 72J, Johnson-16.335; 45. Greg Axsom, 11, Axsom-16.385; 46. Tom Burch, 42, Burch-16.554.

LAST CHANCE RACE: (10 laps) 1. Jeff Deckard, 2. Dallas Kinser, 3. Bob Bowen, 4. Jerry Hamby, 5. Mike Blake, 6. Rick Ungar, 7. Dennis Rose, 8. Tony Reed, 9. Tom Burch, 10. Greg Axsom, 11. Johnny Johnson, 12. Kent Christian, 13. Dave Peperak. 2:38.58

FIRST HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Jack Ziegler, 2. Joe Miller, 3. Tray House, 4. Andy Hillenburg, 5. Steve Butler, 6. Kevin Huntley, 7. Jon Sargent, 8. Brian Tobin. NT

SECOND HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Dink Glidden, 2. Mike Ward, 3. Kenny Jacobs, 4. Terry Pletch, 5. Kelly Kinser, 6. Tim Gee, 7. Robbie Stanley, 8. Max Dumesny. NT

THIRD HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Greg Staab, 2. Eric Gordon, 3. Chuck Amati, 4. Joe Gaerte, 5. Todd Shields, 6. Dave Feese, 7. Jerry Russell, 8. Mark Alderson. 2:32.00

FOURTH HEAT: (10 laps) 1. Rocky Hodges, 2. Mickey Smith, 3. Rich Vogler, 4. Red Stauffer, 5. Jeff Pritchard, 6. Dean Jacobs, 7. Jeff Gordon, 8. Kevin Briscoe. NT

TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS SEMI: (12 laps) 1. Kevin Huntley, 2. Steve Butler, 3. Robbie Stanley, 4. Jerry Russell, 5. Kevin Briscoe, 6. Mark Alderson, 7. Bob Bowen, 8. Jeff Pritchard, 9. Jon Sargent, 10. Todd Shields, 11. Tim Gee, 12. Jerry Hamby, 13. Brian Tobin, 14. Max Dumesny, 15. Dave Feese, 16. Jeff Deckard, 17. Jeff Gordon, 18. Dallas Kinser. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps) 1. Joe Gaerte, 2. Rocky Hodges, 3. Steve Butler, 4. Kevin Huntley, 5. Mike Ward, 6. Kenny Jacobs, 7. Chuck Amati, 8. Robbie Stanley, 9. Andy Hillenburg, 10. Eric Gordon, 11. Rich Vogler, 12. Joe Miller, 13. Terry Pletch, 14. Greg Staab, 15. Jerry Russell, 16. Tray House, 17. Mickey Smith, 18. Red Stauffer, 19. Jack Ziegler, 20. Dink Glidden. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-13 Kevin Huntley, Laps 14-15 Joe Gaerte, Laps 16-22 Kevin Huntley, Laps 23-24 Steve Butler, Lap 25 Kevin Huntley, Laps 26-30 Joe Gaerte.

****Brian Tobin flipped during the first heat. Kelly Kinser flipped during the second heat. Jack Ziegler flipped during the feature.**

USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-433, 2-Jack Hewitt & Greg Staab-226, 4-Rich Vogler-224, 5-Tray House-197, 6-Mark Alderson-165, 7-Kenny Jacobs-162, 8-Bob Frey-135, 9-Kevin Huntley-131, 10-Andy Hillenburg-117.

NEXT USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE: September 24-25, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – 4-Crown Nationals

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USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR RACE RESULTS: September 24-25, 1988 – Eldora Speedway – Rossburg, Ohio – 4-Crown Nationals

QUALIFYING: 1. Tray House, 23, Murphy-16.189; 2. Steve Butler, 1, Stoops-16.322; 3. Terry Shepherd, 4c, Kasey-16.498; 4. Jerry Russell, 1x, Sloan-16.511; 5. Mark Alderson, 52, Wright-16.515; 6. Rich Vogler, 84, Weiland-16.520; 7. Greg Staab, 44, BUF-16.600; 8. Jack Hewitt, 23s, Shoff-16.635; 9. Mike Helm, 28H, Helm-16.655; 10. Kevin Huntley, 69, Dynamics- 16.665; 11. Rick Hood, 63, Hampshire-16.667; 12. Rodney Duncan, 1n, Campbell-16.730; 13. Tony Elliott, 57, Hazen- 16.821; 14. Rick Ungar, 2v, Vance-16.831; 15. Andy Hillenburg, 5m, Merrill-16.940; 16. Andy Stapp, 4s, Stapp-16.943; 17. Jeff Gordon, 6w, Winterbotham-16.959; 18. Leon Thickstun, 77, Law-16.960; 19. Dave Darland, 5G, Goacher-16.962; 20. Larry Rice, 40, Arnold-16.967; 21. George Snider, 3, Leyba-17.038; 22. Ken Rice, 44R, Rice-17.070; 23. Jerry Nemire, 16, Nemire-17.080; 24. Tim Bookmiller, 42, Bookmiller-17.150; 25. Leon Gentry, 61, Gentry-17.159; 26. Blake Hollingsworth, 93, Hollingsworth-17.165; 27. Steve Imel, 95, Frampton-17.202; 28. Rusty McClure, 00, Bodkins-17.220; 29. Bill Tyler, 25, Batista-17.270; 30. Ray Morgan, 7m, Morgan-17.291; 31. Alan Brown, 5B, Brown-17.374; 32. Dave Macey, 4x, Macey- 17.398; 33. Jeff Walker, 39, Walker-17.412; 34. Joe Melnick, 66, Nowling-17.423; 35. Mike Mann, 37m, Mann-17.434; 36. Dave Feese, 12, Clavey-17.494; 37. Jim Bradford, 62, Bradford-17.954; 38. Russ Gamester, 71, Benson-17.986; 39. Joe Roush, 36, Roush-17.992; 40. Kim West, 1s, Skinner-18.068; 41. Jeff O'Banion, 21, O'Banion-18.102; 42. A.R. Gardner, 9, Gardner-18.127; 43. Rod

Bailey, 09, Bailey-18.591; 44. Troy Courtney, 0, Courtney-18.639; 45. Al Caton, 65, Caton-19.152; 46. Brent Whited, 45, Whited-19.815; 47. Rob Roberts, 7R, Roberts-NT.

FIRST TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS QUALIFYING RACE: (10 laps) 1. Rick Hood, 2. Jeff Gordon, 3. Greg Staab, 4. Tony Elliott, 5. Leon Gentry, 6. Mike Helm, 7. Jerry Nemire, 8. Bill Tyler, 9. George Snider, 10. Steve Imel, 11. Alan Brown, 12. Mike Mann, 13. Jeff O'Banion, 14. Rod Bailey, 15. Al Caton, 16. Dave Darland, 17. Russ Gamester, 18. Jeff Walker, 19. Andy Hillenburg, 20. Kim West. 2:58.02

SECOND TRUE VALUE MASTER MECHANIC TOOLS QUALIFYING RACE: (10 laps) 1. Jack Hewitt, 2. Rodney Duncan, 3. Rick Ungar, 4. Kevin Huntley, 5. Larry Rice, 6. Rusty McClure, 7. Dave Feese, 8. Ken Rice, 9. Blake Hollingsworth, 10. Ray Morgan, 11. Joe Roush, 12. Dave Macey, 13. A.R. Gardner, 14. Tim Bookmiller, 15. Troy Courtney, 16. Jim Bradford, 17. Joe Melnick, 18. Andy Stapp. NT

FEATURE: (30 laps – held Sept. 25) 1. Steve Butler, 2. Jerry Russell, 3. Mark Alderson, 4. Greg Staab, 5. Terry Shepherd, 6. Tray House, 7. Rodney Duncan, 8. Rich Vogler, 9. Tony Elliott, 10. Jack Hewitt, 11. Larry Rice, 12. Jerry Nemire, 13. George Snider, 14. Dave Feese, 15. Bill Tyler, 16. Jeff Gordon, 17. Rusty McClure, 18. Mike Helm, 19. Blake Hollingsworth, 20. Leon Gentry, 21. Rick Ungar, 22. Kevin Huntley, 23. Rick Hood, 24. Ken Rice. NT

FEATURE LAP LEADERS: Laps 1-7 Jerry Russell, Laps 8-30 Steve Butler.

**Andy Hillenburg flipped during qualifying. Kim West flipped during the first qualifying race. Rick Hood & Kevin Huntley flipped at the start of the feature.

FINAL USAC NATIONAL SPRINT CAR POINTS: 1-Steve Butler-467, 2-Greg Staab-244, 3-Jack Hewitt & Rich Vogler-237, 5- Tray House-218, 6-Mark Alderson-186, 7-Kenny Jacobs-162, 8-Bob Frey-155, 9-Kevin Huntley-132, 10-Andy Hillenburg- 117.