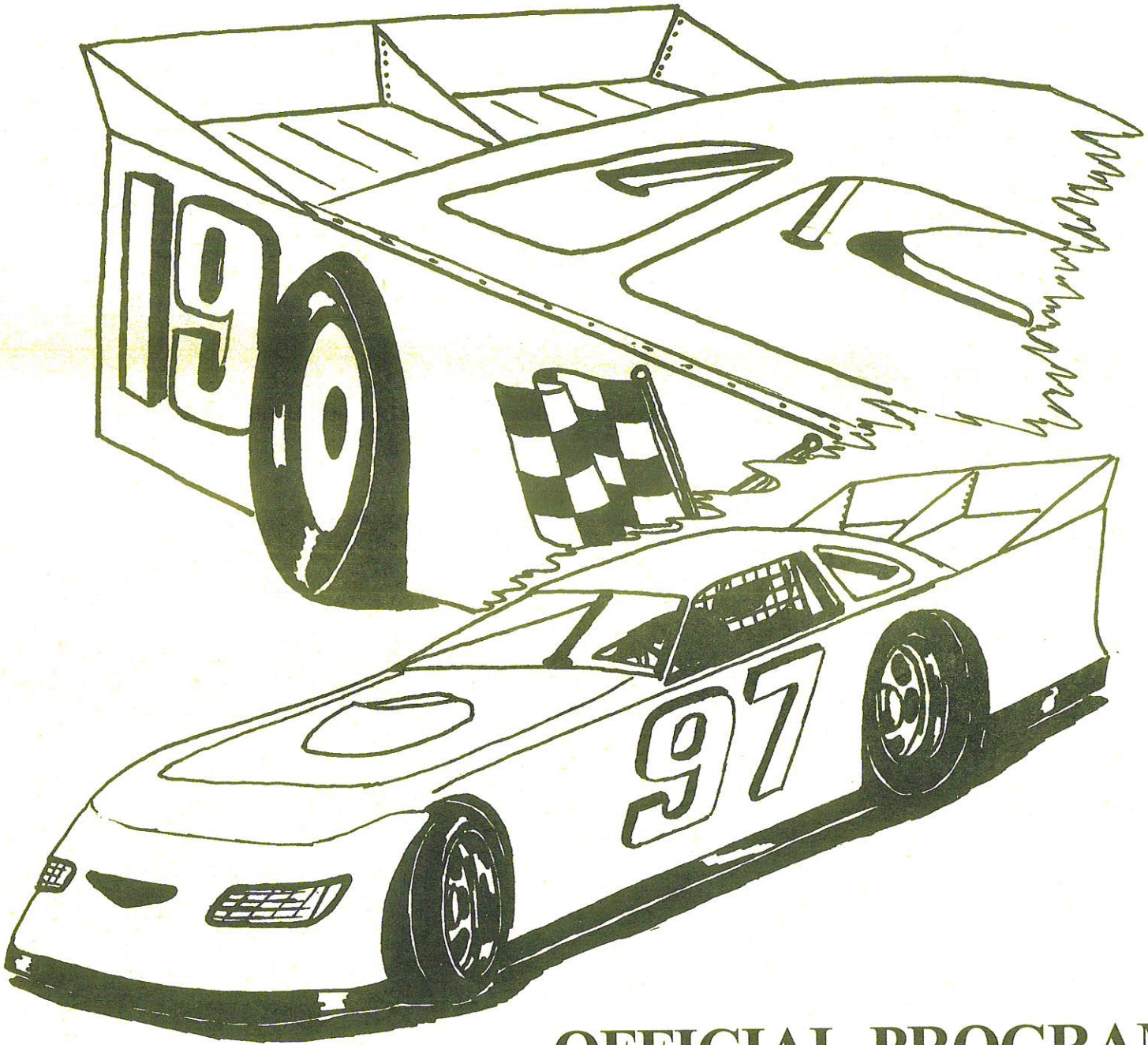


# **RIVIERA**

Rt. 4 Norfolk, NE 68701 Phone (402) 371-3936

# **RACEWAY**



**OFFICIAL PROGRAM**

50<sup>c</sup>







# Riviera Raceway

*In its 33rd year of bringing stock car racing to you!*

## The Whys of *Riviera Raceway* by *Bob Haase*

**Why it was built:**

I wanted to own my own business and Norfolk always had more race drivers and stock cars than any other towns with tracks.

**Why the name:**

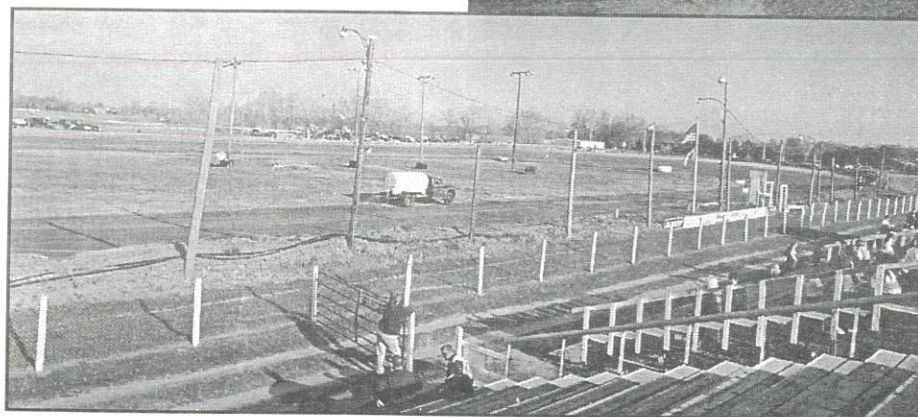
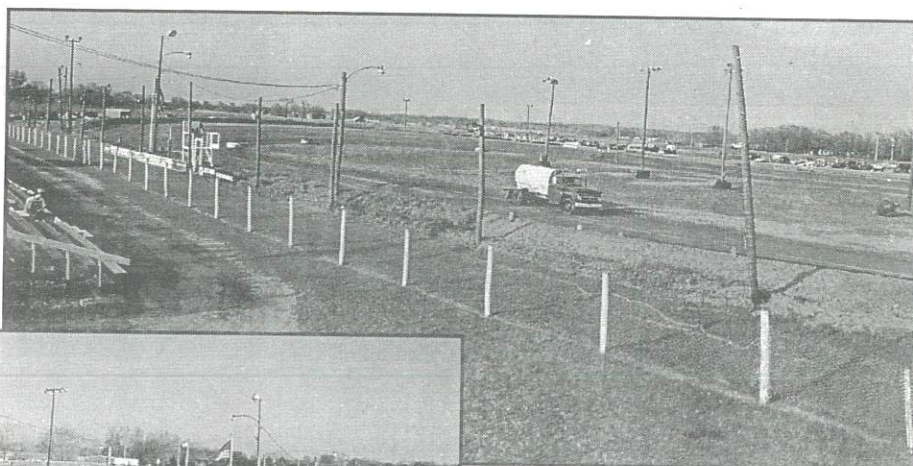
All of my family names start with the letter "R". I wanted the track to be as well.

**Why on Sunday nights:**

All tracks in the state raced on Sundays in the mid 1960s.

**Why on Saturday nights:**

My daughter would graduate on a Sunday night, so we tried a Saturday night. We liked it and have had races on Saturdays for the last 19 seasons.



Above, north side of the track — turns three and four. Left, south side of the track — turns one and two.

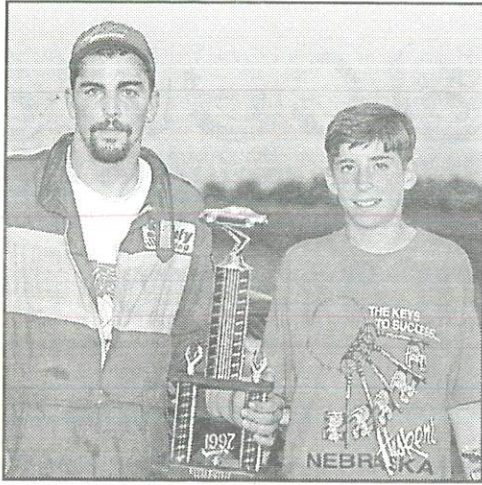
*We hope you enjoy our 33rd season of racing. Have a safe trip home.*

*See you next week,*

*The Haase Family*

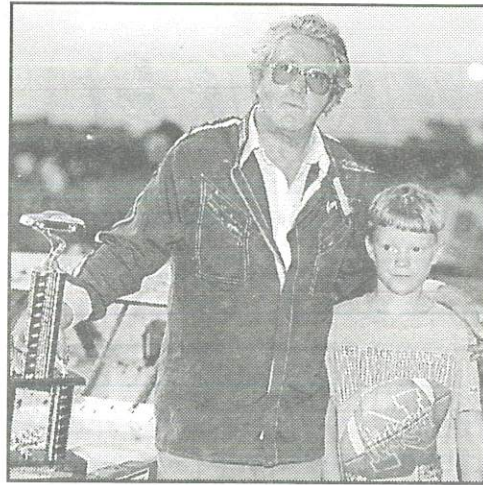


**Street Stock**



**Travis Loecker  
and  
Adam Parks  
of Norfolk**

**Grand Nationals**



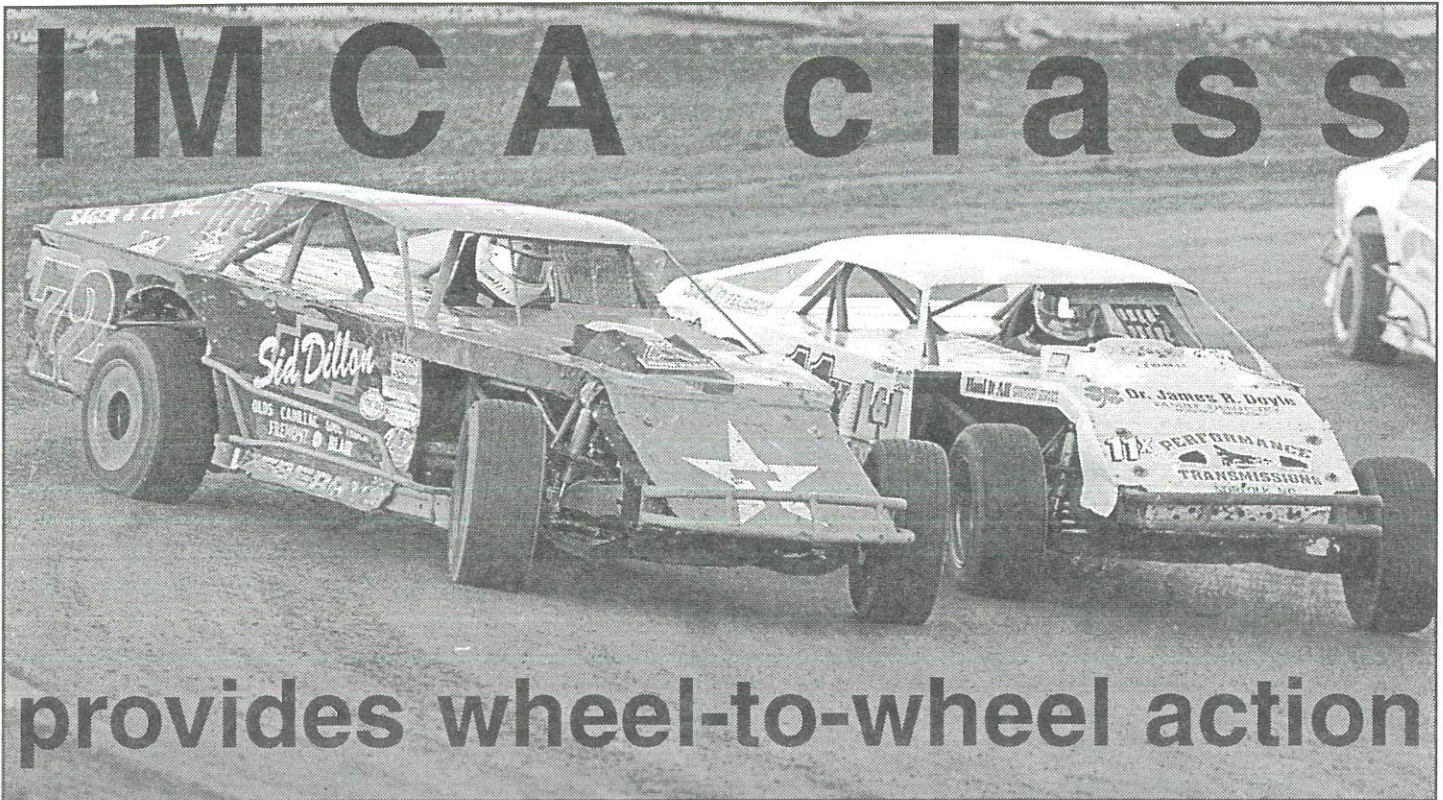
**Raymond Haase  
and  
Brady McDonald  
of Randolph**



**Who in the world is that?  
ID the person first at the  
announcer's booth and win.  
Hint: He wasn't 29 then.**

**Place Your Ad Here  
Call 371-3936**



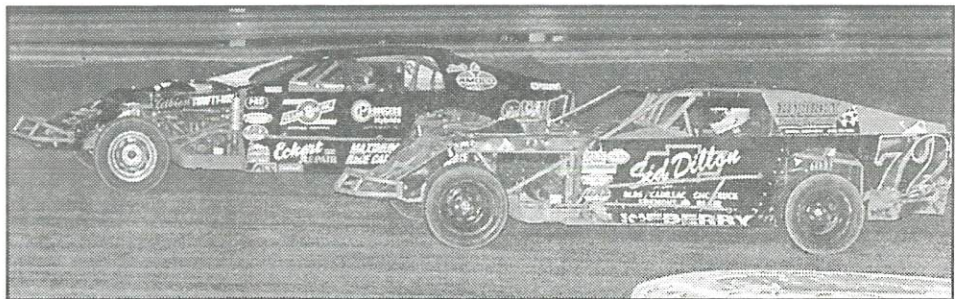


# Lineberry wins special event

Each year Riviera Raceway provides the fans with different types of auto racing classes throughout the year and last Saturday night, 10 IMCA modifieds circled the track and provided the fans with plenty of action.

Mike Lineberry of Fremont would take the main event defeating last year's winner Todd Vollbrecht of Stanton.

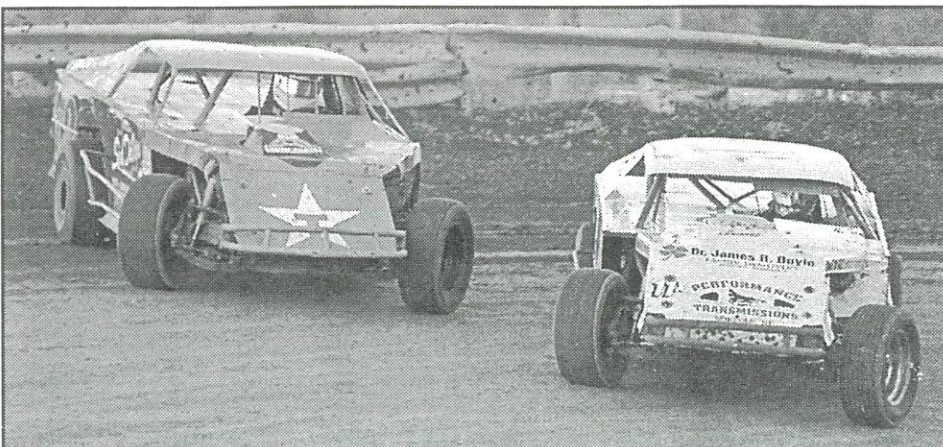
In the "A" feature, Jerry Prauner of Battle Creek used his outside pole position to take the early lead with Vollbrecht in tow. Lineberry, who started eighth in the 10-car field, had worked his way to third by the third lap when the first caution period took place for Steve Tieke who spun in



**Mike Lineberry passes Jerry Prauner during the "A" feature.**

turn four.

Two laps after the restart, Lineberry passed Vollbrecht and then on the following lap he passed Prauner for the lead.



**Todd Vollbrecht (right) does a "slid job" on Mike Lineberry.**

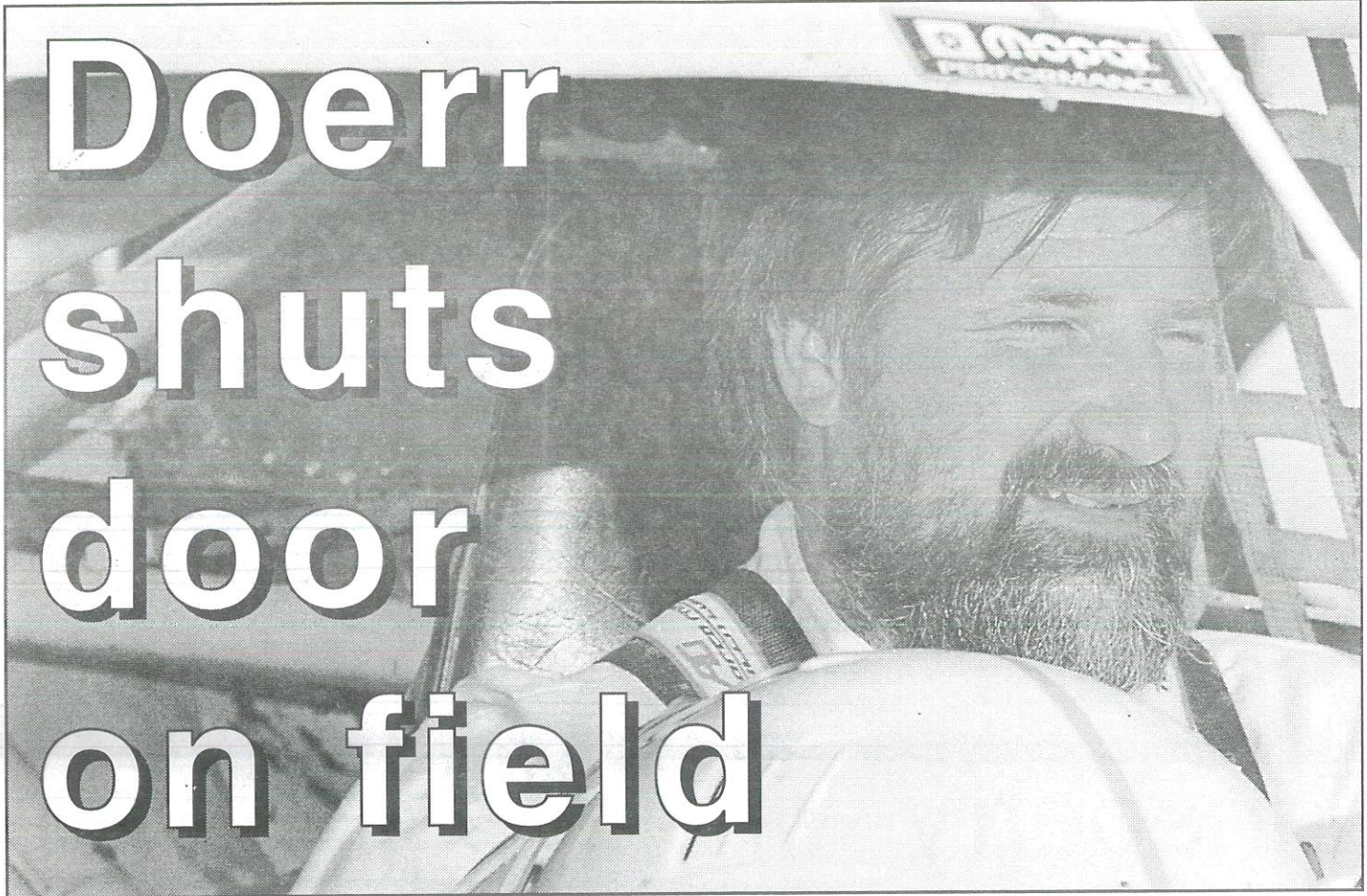
Prauner was able to keep close to Lineberry, when Lineberry had trouble coming off the corners. Finally on lap 10, Prauner over run Lineberry coming out of four and spun to avoid spinning Lineberry.

Lineberry would continue to lead and win. Vollbrecht finished second, Justin Wilkenson third, Jerry Wilkenson fourth and Kip Koenig fifth. Six went to Prauner, seventh was Taylor Forbes, eighth Steve Tieke, ninth Shawn Hilger and 10th was Brian Carlson.

In the heat races, Lineberry and Vollbrecht went head-to-head in the second of two heats. The two went side-by-side through most of the race with Lineberry leading all but one lap. Lineberry won the heat.

The first hit was won by Jerry Wilkenson. Second went to Justin Wilkenson.





# Doerr shuts door on field

## Plainview native drives to second "A" feature win

After losing an engine two weeks earlier and missing the next night of racing, Street Stock driver Darrell Doerr of Plainview showed he was back with his new engine, as he made his way to his second "A" feature win of the year.

But the night of racing almost did not even start, when heavy rains threatened to hit the Norfolk area. The rain hit Norfolk, but only the north part of town, leaving the track alone.

Doerr's toughest competition came from Shannon Buenning of Norfolk, who had led nine of the first 12 laps. Doerr said he followed Buenning for a couple laps to figure out which line he was running, so later on he could make his move.

He said he tried both high and low grooves, but could not get enough bit off the corners. Finally on lap 13, he got around Buenning, but the race was slowed down due to debris on the track. Since the lap was not completed, the car line up on the restart goes back to the last completed

lap, putting Doerr back behind Buenning.

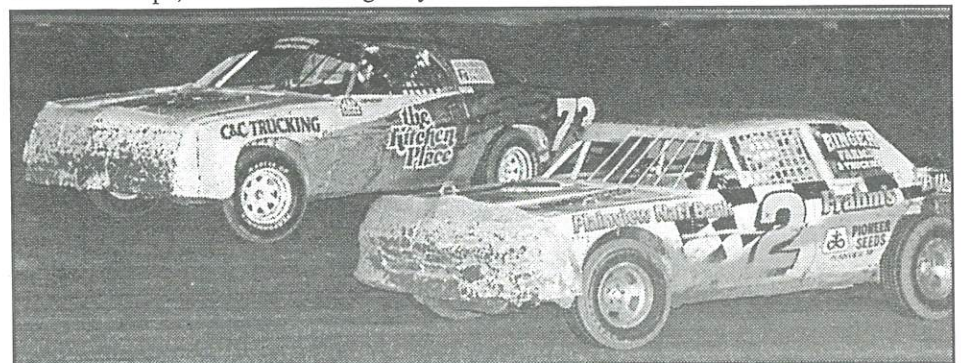
Doerr then went back to work and on the restart Doerr said he got a good bit off of the turn and made his way back around Buenning a second time. This time it stuck and Doerr finished out the final two laps and took the checkered flag.

Buenning on the other hand had trouble in the final laps, as a trio of cars got by on

the last lap. Joel Carlson of Winside finished second, having come through the entire 15-car field. Carlson made the main show through the "B" feature.

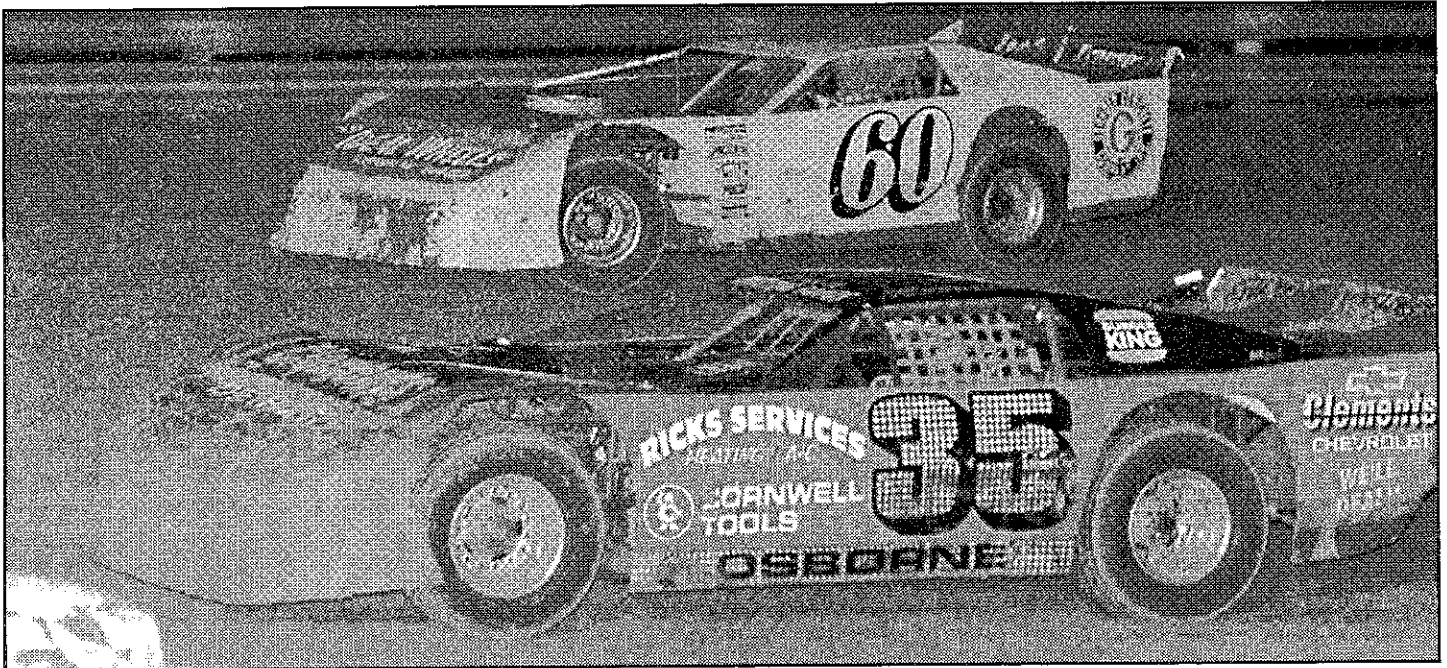
Bill Wells of Norfolk and Ron Pettitt of Pierce made it passed Buenning to finish third and four respectively. Buenning fell

**Doerr wins/please see page 8**



**Darrell Doerr (2) makes the pass on Shannon Buenning (73) to take the lead in the "A" feature. Doerr went on to win.**





# Osborne makes it for "A" feature win

Attending a wedding early in the evening, Grand National driver Robert Osborne of Norfolk managed to get to Riviera Raceway last Saturday night and win the "A" feature and regain the points lead.

Osborne was unable to race the car in the heat race, but had Stanton's Todd Vollbrecht qualify the car in the heat race.

Vollbrecht, who also competed in the IMCA Modified division that night, took Osborne car and drove away from the field to win the heat, giving Osborne a car in the "A" feature.

Osborne, like a snake, waited until the final moments to make his move and in the final seven laps went from third to first.

In his way was defending points champion Raymond Haase and another powerhouse of Reggie Roth of Bancroft.

He first had to contend with Haase which only took a lap, but then he had to run down Roth who had gained a slight advantage over second.

Three laps later and with only two to go, Osborne drove passed Roth and led the final circuits to win his second "A" feature this season. His ninth top five finish out of

11 nights of racing.

Roth finished second and Haase hung on for third giving each driver seven top five finishes.

A charging Jay Smith of Norfolk finished fourth, his sixth top five and Jeff Pendergast in his best showing of the year at the track rounded out the top five.

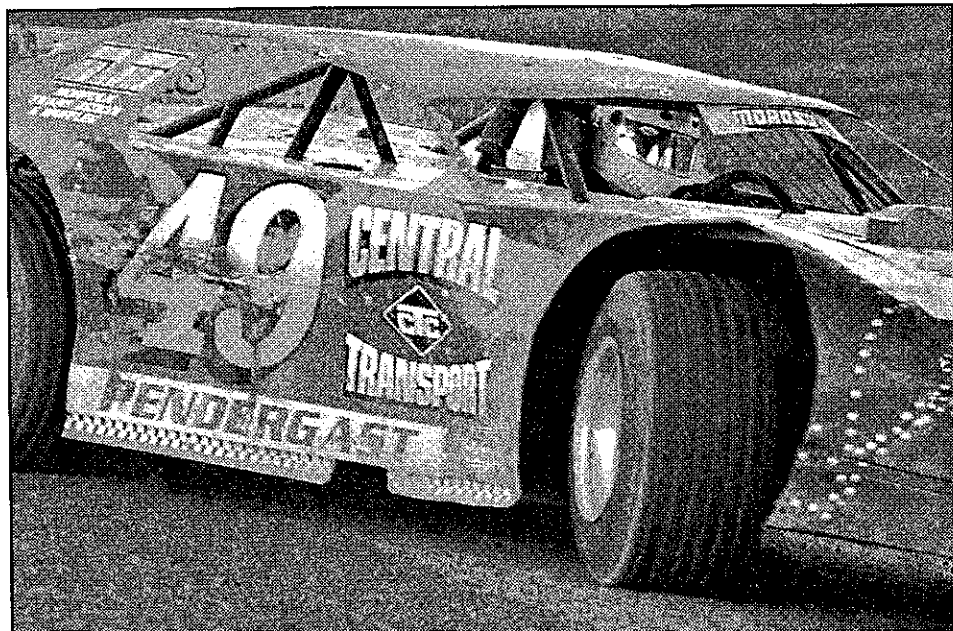
Dean Wilkenson of Oakdale won the "B" feature, with second going to Travis Dickes of Madison. Both advanced to the "A." Wilkenson won his second "B."

Out of a three-car field, Haase controlled the trophy dash from start to finish. It was his first trophy win of the season.

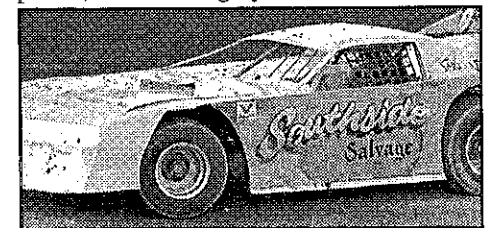
In the heat races, Vollbrecht got his first win, subbing for Osborne. Smith picked up his fourth and Roth his fifth.

The leader in the points continues to go back and forth between Osborne and Curt Zuhlke of Bancroft. Zuhlke, who led going into the night, was involved in an incident in turn two caused by debris on the track.

Zuhlke limped his vehicle back to the pits and recovered for a 10th place finish. Osborne on the other hand gained numerous points and now leads by more than 10 points, after trailing by 40.



Jeff Pendergast had one of his best nights at the track this year placing in the top five and second in his heat (above).



Raymond Haase claimed the trophy dash.



# Doerr wins

continued from page 6

back to fifth.

Brian Wagner of Winnetoon claimed his second consecutive "B" feature wins. Carlson was second and Jim Kimmel of Norfolk was the final qualifier to move up to the "A."

Kimmel led the first nine of the 10-lap race, however, Wagner was able to get the win on the last lap.

Jon Haase of Plainview and Terry Walker of Norfolk advanced to the "B" feature through the "C" feature.

Travis Loecker of Bloomfield led from flag to flag to win the trophy dash for the first time this year.

In the heat races, Ron Pettitt of Pierce

won his fifth heat race of the season.

Patrick Jensen of Stanton, Dale Primrose, Jr. of Norfolk and points leader Jim Johnson of Bloomfield battled in the closing laps of their heat race.

On the final lap, Jensen's Ford went from third to first getting by both Primrose and Johnson to win his fourth of the year.

Jason Wilkenson of Oakdale and Loecker each picked up their second heat race wins.

In the points battle, leader Johnson failed to finish his first night of racing. On the second lap Johnson wrecked with several other vehicles ending his night with front end damage.

Johnson has never finished outside of the top five this season until last week. Second place driver, Loecker narrowed the margin to a 70-point difference. Wells and Jensen maintain third and fourth, respectively, while Pettitt moves into the top five.

Doerr made the biggest move from 14th to 11th.

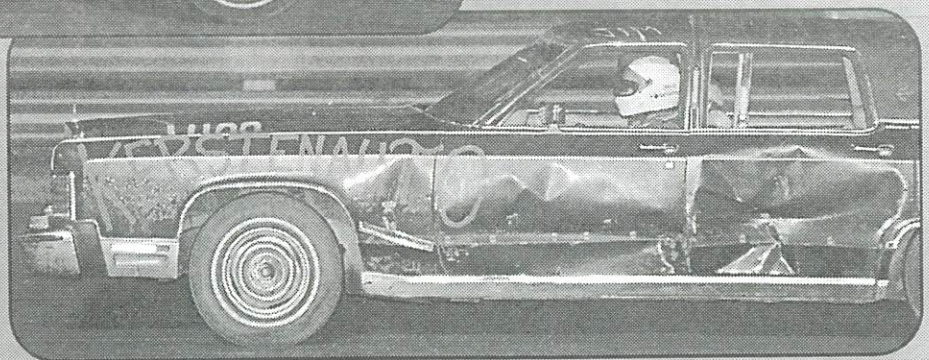


Jason Wilkenson works the wheel to finish first in his heat race.



Left — Jeff Haase and Ron Fister cruise to win the third Cruiser class race.

Right — Jim Johnson and Mike Johnson claim victory in the second Cruiser class race. Warren Vogeles and Chris Rayman won the first race.



**Drivers from Norfolk unless noted**

**GRAND NATIONAL:** (A feature) 1. Robert Osborne; 2. Reggie Roth, Bancroft; 3. Raymond Haase; 4. Jay Smith; 5. Jeff Pendergast; 6. Dean Wilkenson, Oakdale; 7. Keith Hansen; 8. Jeff Haase; 9. Travis Dickes, Madison; 10. Curt Zuhlke, Bancroft. (B feature) 1. Wilkenson; 2. Dickes; 3. Scott Phillips. (Trophy Dash) 1. R. Haase. (Heat 1) 1. Roth; 2. Bob Milander; 3. J. Haase. (Heat 2) 1. Todd Vollbrecht, Stanton; 2. R. Haase; 3. Hansen. (Heat 3) 1. Smith; 2. Pendergast; 3. Zuhlke.

**IMCA MODIFIEDS:** (A feature) 1. Mike Lineberry, Fremont; 2. Todd Vollbrecht, Stanton; 3. Justin Wilkenson; 4. Jerry

Wilkenson; 5. Kip Koenig; 6. Jerry Prauner, Battle Creek; 7. Taylor Forbes; 8. Steve Tieke; 9. Shawn Hilger; 10. Brian Carlson. (Heat 1) 1. Je. Wilkenson; 2. Ju. Wilkenson; 3. Prauner. (Heat 2) 1. Lineberry; 2. Vollbrecht; 3. Tieke.

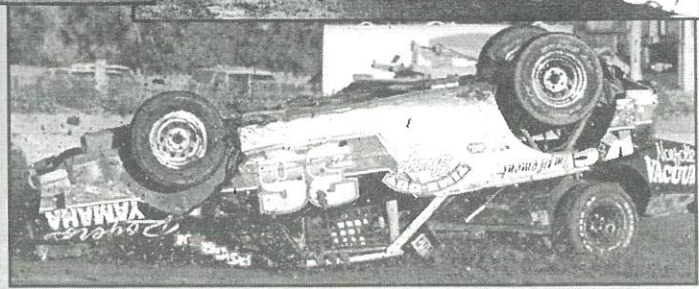
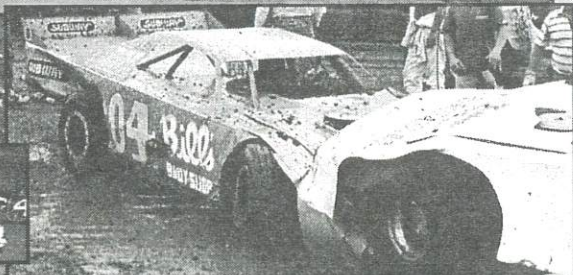
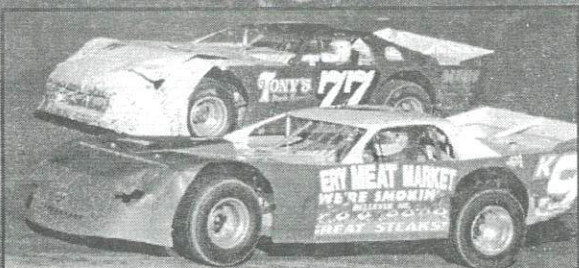
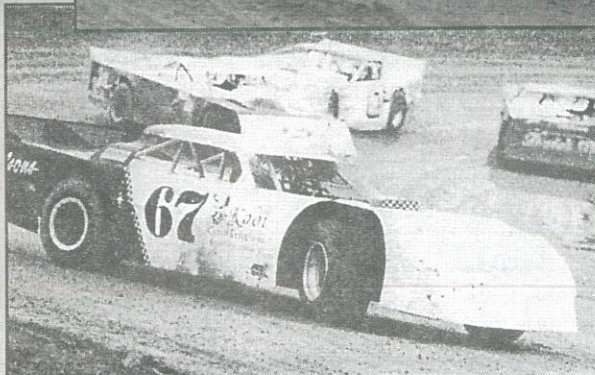
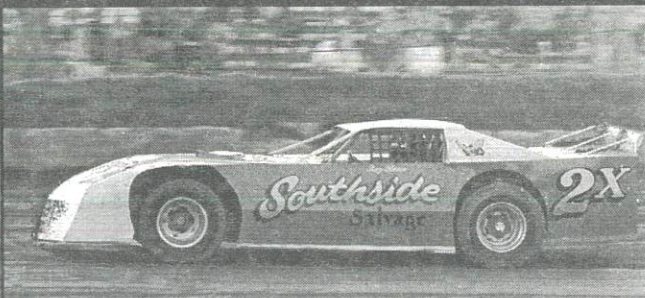
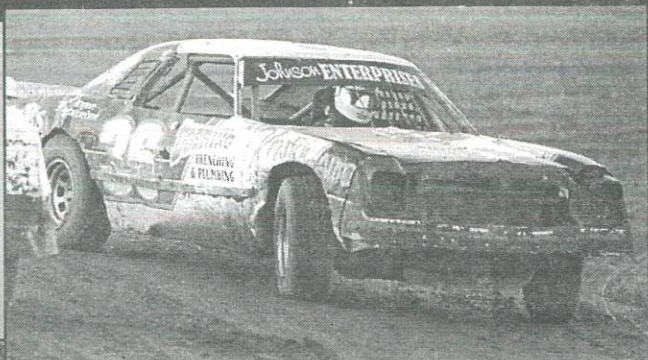
**STREET STOCK:** (A feature) 1. Darrell Doerr, Plainview; 2. Joel Carlson, Winside; 3. Bill Wells; 4. Ron Pettitt, Pierce; 5. Shannon Bueening; 6. Jeff Thelen, Stanton; 7. Travis Loecker, Bloomfield; 8. Bernie Berck; 9. Brian Wagner, Winnetoon; 10. Jason Wilkenson, Oakdale. (B feature) 1. Wagner; 2. Carlson; 3. Jim Kimmel. (C feature) 1. Jon Haase, Plainview; 2. Terry Walker; 3. Jason Jensen,

Pilger. (Trophy Dash) 1. Loecker. (Heat 1) 1. Wilkenson; 2. Wells; 3. Doerr. (Heat 2) 1. Loecker; 2. Berck; 3. Bueening. (Heat 3) 1. Pettitt; 2. David Hille; 3. Thelen. (Heat 4) 1. Patrick Jensen, Stanton; 2. Jim Johnson, Bloomfield; 3. Dale Primrose, Jr.

**CRUISERS:** (Race one, driver/co-pilot) 1. Warren Vogeles and Chris Rayman; 2. Jason Loecker and Jason Hames; 3. Deb Hoff and Donna Spitz. (Race two) 1. Jim Johnson and Mike Johnson; 2. James Smith and Steve Market; 3. Joel Steckelberg and Chris Beltz. (Race three) 1. Jeff Haase and Ron Fister; 2. Jeff Johnson and Scott Fredrickson; 3. Rick Meysenburg and Adam Preper.

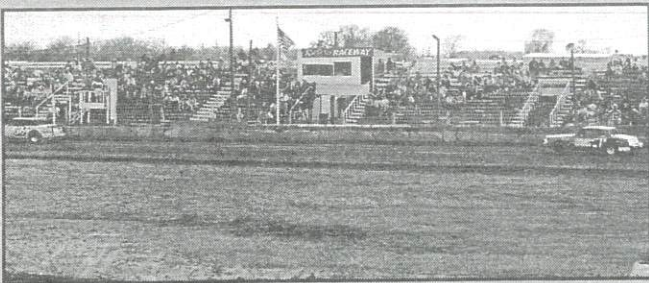
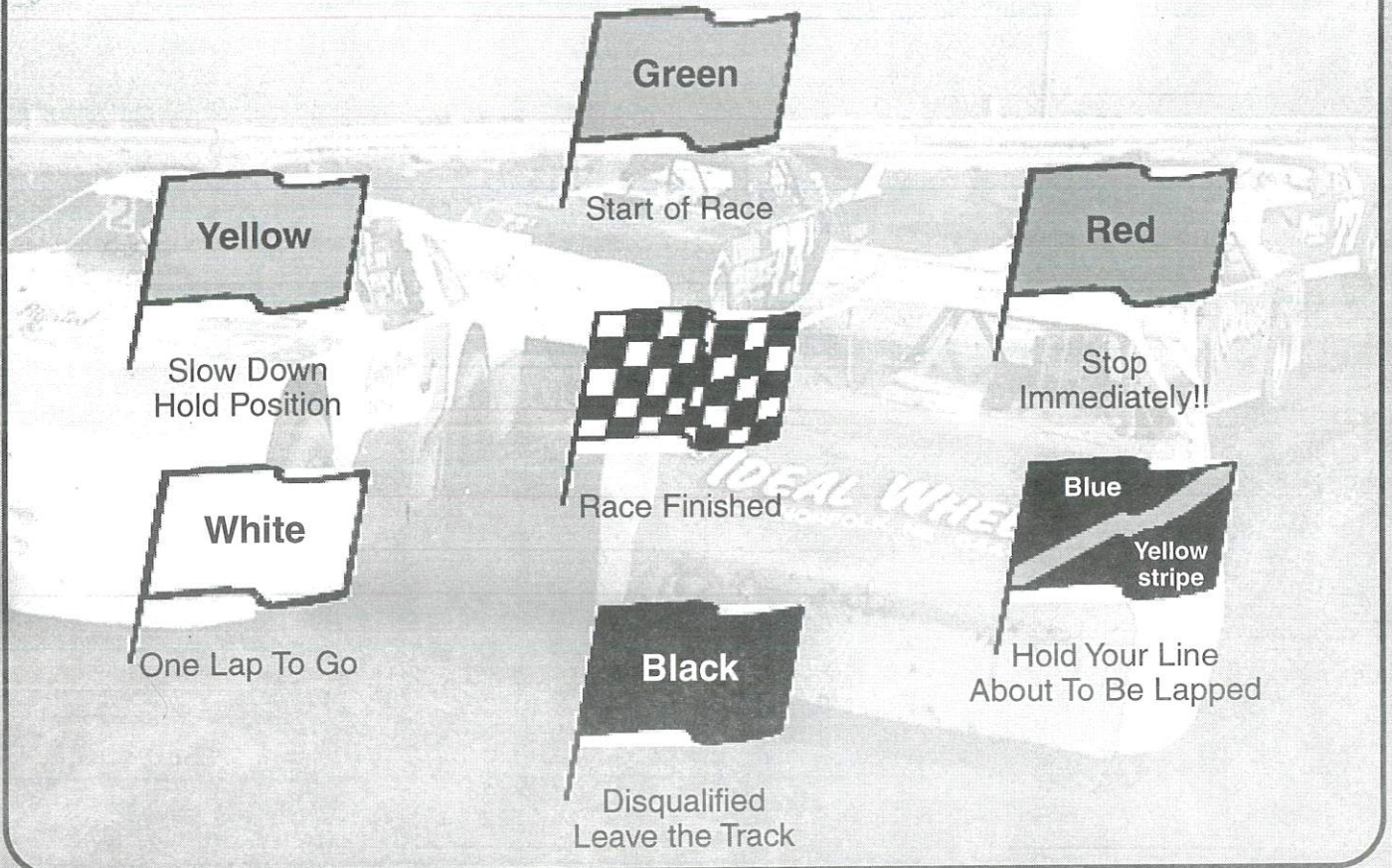


# Photos from the last season





# Flag Signals

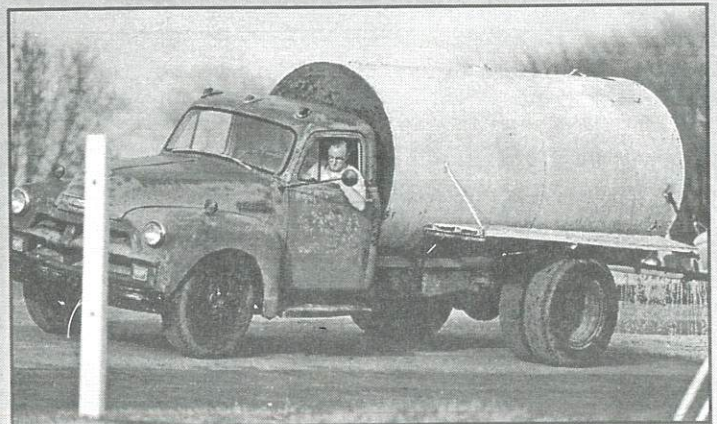


## Birthday wishes and announcements

All birthday wishes or other announcements must be turned in at the concession stand before the final trophy dash and will be read off at intermission.

### **Weather Policy**

Be sure to keep your ticket stubs. They are your rain check in case the races are cancelled before the heat races have been completed. If heat races have not been completed, stubs will serve as rain checks and will be good for admission to the next regular scheduled night of stock car racing.





# Riviera Raceway Point System

For Appearance.....20pts

Heat Race

1st.....20pts  
 2nd.....15pts  
 3rd.....10pts  
 4th.....5pts

\*A - Feature

1st.....50pts  
 2nd.....45pts  
 3rd.....40pts  
 4th.....35pts  
 5th.....30pts  
 6th.....25pts  
 7th.....20pts  
 8th.....15pts  
 9th.....10pts  
 10th.....8pts  
 11th.....6pts  
 12th.....4pts

\* 1 Point Per Lap In Grand Nationals

B - Feature

\*1st.....20pts  
 \*2nd.....15pts  
 \*3rd.....10pts  
 4th.....9pts  
 5th.....8pts  
 6th.....7pts  
 7th.....6pts  
 8th.....5pts  
 9th.....4pts  
 10th.....3pts

\* Moves to A-Feature

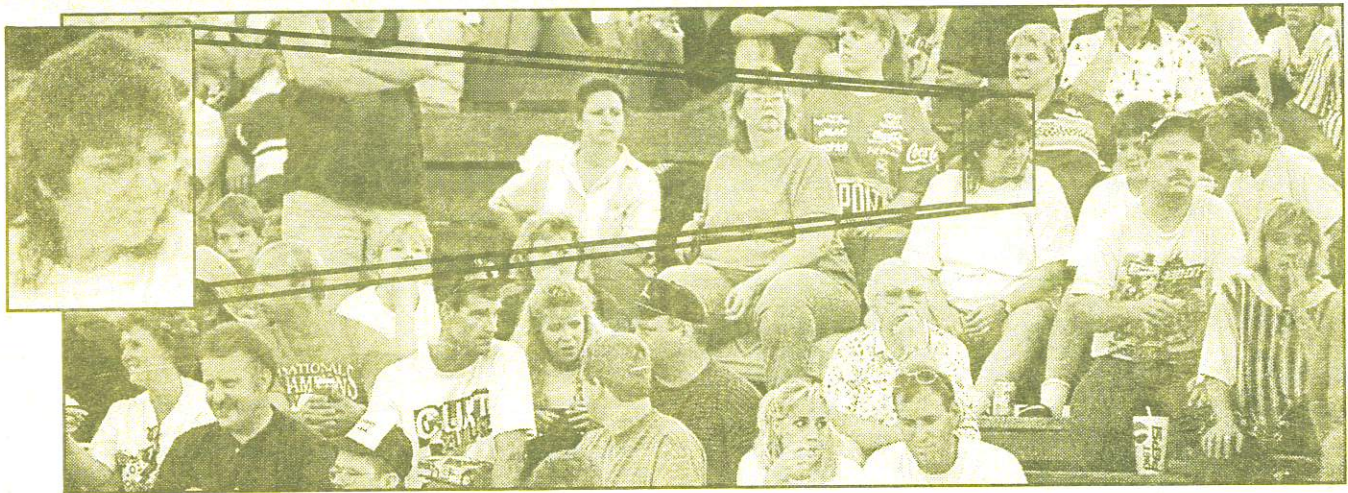
C - Feature

\*1st.....15pts  
 \*2nd.....10pts  
 3rd.....9pts  
 4th.....8pts  
 5th.....7pts  
 6th.....6pts  
 7th.....5pts  
 8th.....4pts  
 9th.....3pts  
 10th.....2pts

\* Moves to B-Feature

## “FACE IN THE CROWD”

If this is your face, come to the announcers booth for your prize!



**CLARK BROS. TRANSFER, INC.**

P. O. BOX 1269 (402) 371-2214  
 NORFOLK, NEBRASKA 68701

DIRECT SERVICE FROM

Yankton, Columbus, Lincoln, Sioux City, Omaha, Council Bluffs  
 To All Points

One Line Serving Northeastern Nebraska Daily



**Residential/Commercial  
 Cleaning Services**

1407 Riverside Boulevard  
 Norfolk, NE 68701



**MILLER MACHINE**

Aluminum Cylinder Head Repair  
 Greg Miller - Owner

413 Northwestern  
 Norfolk, NE 68701  
 (402) 371-6032

- Complete Automotive Machine Shop
- Engine Rebuilding & Repair
- New Hines Micro-Computer Balancing Machine



**NORFOLK TRANSMISSION  
 & MUFFLER INC.**

Nebraska's Volume  
 Wholesale Rebuilder Of  
 Dynamometer Pretested  
 Transmissions

**371-1283**

1001 S. 13th St.

COMPLETE DRIVELINE SERVICE







# BONUS MONEY



COMPLIMENTS OF

**JERRY MILLER**

**FROM LOGAN STREET RADIATOR**

**\$100 BONUS FOR**

**1ST PLACE IN "A" FEATURE**

**GRAND NATIONALS**



**BILL TICHOTA**

**FROM BILL'S BODY SHOP**

**AND**

**AVENUE MUFFLER**

**\$50.00 BONUS FOR**

**1ST PLACE IN "A" FEATURE**

**STREET STOCK**



## WIN WITH THE WINNER !

**IF YOUR TICKET  
ENDS IN . . .**

**AND . . .**

**THEN YOU WIN . . .**

ANY TICKET "35"	Robert Osborne wins any race	Oil Change from Clements
ANY TICKET "35"	Robert Osborne wins any race	Whopper® Combo from Burger King
ANY TICKET "55"	Steve Matthies wins any race	Country General 10% OFF Coupon
ANY TICKET "77"	Jay Smith wins any race	6 Pack and a Pound from Taco John's
ANY TICKET "29"	Jeff Haase wins any race	Free Big Mac® from McDonald's
ANY TICKET "29"	Jeff Haase wins any race	Free Video from Chris Logan's Call Video
ANY TICKET "77"	Bob Milander wins any race	Free 6 Pack of Dr. Pepper
ANY TICKET "73"	Shannon Buenning wins any race	One Free Medium Pizza from Pizza Hut in Norfolk
ADULT TICKET "12"	Ron Pettitt wins any race	Free Buffett from Valention's in Norfolk
ADULT TICKET "12"	Ron Pettitt wins any race	Hat or T-Shirt from WJAG/KEXL
ADULT TICKET "12"	Ron Pettitt any race	Oil Change from Clements
ADULT TICKET "12"	Ron Pettitt race	\$5.00 Worth of Gas from Weavers
ADULT TICKET "12"	Ron Pettitt wins "A" Feature	Free Keyless Door Entry from Northeast Nebraska Door Co.
ANY TICKET "02"	Cory Haase wins any race	Free Haircut by B.J. at Reflections

ANY TICKET NUMBER ENDING IN THE WINNING CAR'S NUMBER FROM THIS WEEK'S  
FEATURED RACE WHICH IS THE "A" FEATURE WINS A FREE RACE PASS

To collect on any ticket prize, you must collect from the driver's during intermission or after the races by their respective cars.