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	In Grand Nationals

B - Feature	
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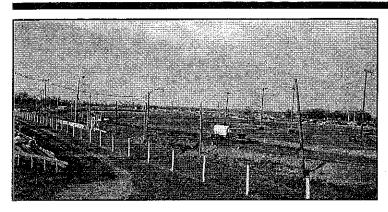
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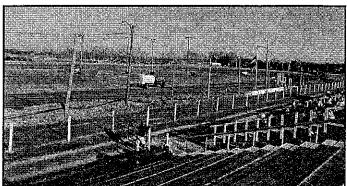
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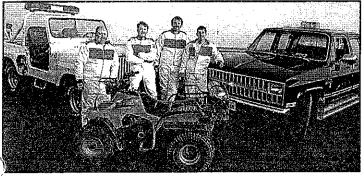
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As the Riviera Raceway season comes closer to an end, the point standings continue to change.

Unofficially, Grand National driver Robert Osborne of Norfolk regained the top spot with a third place finish in the "A" feature Saturday night, as Reggie Roth of ancroft falls to second.

Grand National driver Curt Zuhlke piloted his car to his sixth "A" feature win Saturday of the season making him a player in the points race.

Zuhlke gained more than 35 points Saturday and still trails the leader Osborne by 70 points with two night left.

Zuhlke started 10th in the field of 15 cars and by lap four he was running fourth. He broke into the top three on lap five getting by Bob Milander of Norfolk and Mike Kelly of Albion.

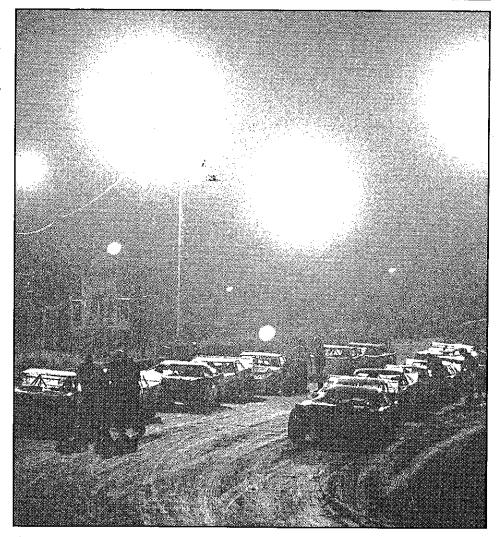
He followed leader Mike Beckman of Creighton for two laps before he zipped out front and led the final 19 laps gathering an extra points.

Zuhlke's win matches Roth's six wins from last year and it was his 11th win in the last two seasons. Zuhlke had trouble at the beginning of the year, but could prove to be the spoiler in the end.

Jay Smith of Norfolk edged out Osborne on the final lap to take over the second spot. Smith inherited the third spot from Roth, who had looped his car. on lap 14. Smith then followed Osborne for the inal 10 circuits, before making the pass.

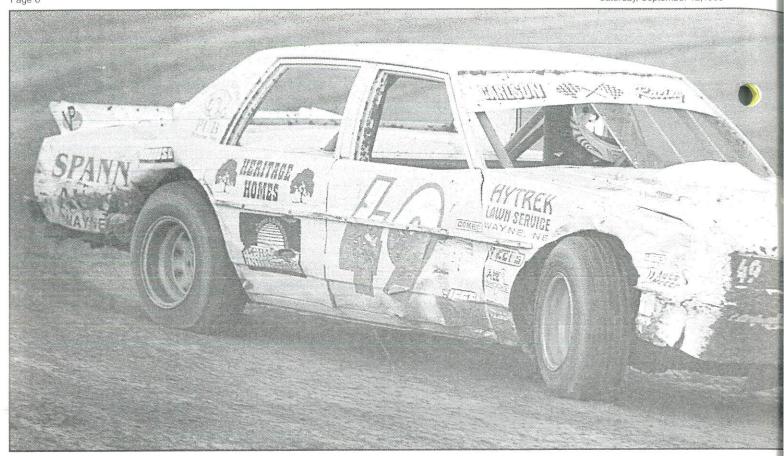
It was Smith's eighth top five finish not including Mark Henery's win his car

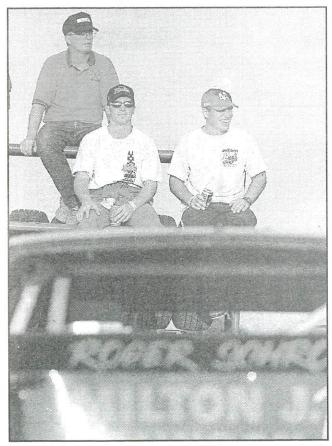
Zuhlke wins/please see page 8



Grand National drivers sit on the frontstretch after the infield lights went out leaving only a few on.

Joel C





Milton Johnson (top) and his Street Stock driving sons Jim (left) and Chris (right) watch hot laps. Both are in the hunt for a title.



Tim Bertschinger (64) leads a pack out of four.



Travis Loecker (9x) Jim Johnson (36) Nick Opfer (34x) and Dar two during the "A" feature.

Carlson clutches third "A" feature win of season

When Joel Carlson of Winside started his heat race, it looked as if he may be running the "C" feature and not even making the Street Stock main event, but a second chance gave him new life and another "A" feature win.

During the start of the heat race, he got

together with another car taking the green flag at the start. The incident caused him to fall back looking like he may have a problem.

But he lucked out and a caution for a separate incident gave Carlson his position back and another chance.

Carlson jumped all over the restart and went straight to the front to win his heat. That set up a position on the outside of row three for the "A" feature.

Ron Pettitt of Pierce, who started just behind Carlson, got a better start in the "A" feature and got by Carlson on the first lap using the inside to get by. Carlson was held up on the high side behind several slower cars. Carlson then followed Pettitt to the front.

Pettitt moved into the top three on lap two, followed by Carlson on lap four, when they both got around Ned Bertschinger of Creighton.

A lap later, a caution flag flew, putting Pat Jensen of Stanton out front, with Pettitt second and Carlson third.

On the restart, Jensen managed to lead lap six, but pulled off the track with an engine problem seconds later. Pettitt inherited the point and looked to be on his way to winning his second consecutive feature.

But Carlson had other plans. Carlson dove passed Pettitt to lead lap 10 and went onto pace the field for the final six circuits

to win his third "A" feature of the season. It was Carlson's seventh top five in 13

"A" feature appearances.

Pettitt grabbed second for his eighth top five in 17 "A" features. Kim Termansen of Yankton placed third and Chris Johnson of Bloomfield was fourth.

In his fourth "A" feature of the season, Ned Bertschinger piloted his No. 37 machine to his first top five finish. He was running in the top three for the first 11 laps.

Jim Kimmel of Norfolk recorded his second "B" feature winning, defeating Dennis Martz of Norfolk and Mike Timm of Pierce. All three transferred to the "A." Kimmel fared the best with a ninth place finish.

Morgan Glidden and Kevin Hoffart of Norfolk transferred from the "C" to the

Glidden won the "C" with Hoffart s e c o n d. Hoffart later ended his night in the wall in the "B" feature.

Winning their heats were: Jim Johnson of Bloomfield, Carlson, Termansen and Chris Johnson.

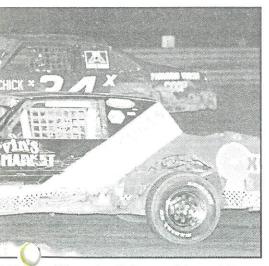
Only two drivers have competed in all 17 "A" features. Who are they?



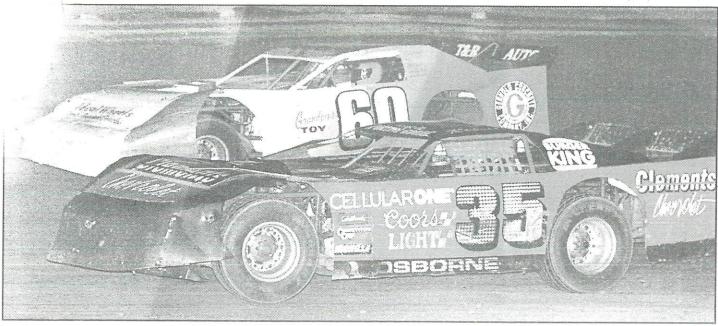
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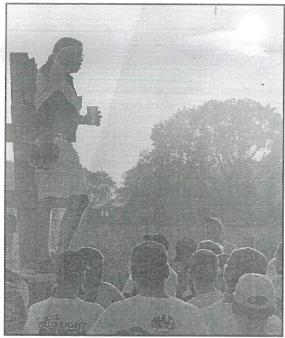
son (49) and Ron Pettitt (12) race for



I Doerr (2) make it four wide out turn



Robert Osborne (35) and Reggie Roth (60) are again battling for the points title to the very end.



Track official Russ Haase runs the dri- Norfolk held off Osborne to win his ver's meeting

Drivers from Norfolk unless noted

GRAND NATIONAL: (A feature) 1. Curt Zuhlke, Bancroft; 2. Jay Smith; 3. Robert Osborne; 4. Raymond Haase; 5. Vic Lovejoy, Meadow Grove; 6. Jeff Haase; 7. Reggie Roth, Bancroft; 8. Mike Beckman, Creighton; 9. Bob Milander; 10. Bill Wells; 11. Chad Jensen; 12. Keith Hansen; 13. Mike Kelly, Albion; 14. Jr. Clausen; 15. Dennis Lovejoy, La Porte, Iowa. (B feature) 1. Vic Lovejoy; 2. Jeff Haase; 3. Hansen. (Heat 1) 1. Zuhlke; 2. Wells. (Heat 2) 1. Jensen; 2. Osborne. (Heat 3) 1. Roth; 2.

STREET STOCK: (A feature) 1. Joel

Zuhlke wins

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two weeks earlier.

Osborne finished third for his 13th top five in 17 nights of racing.

Fourth went to Raymond Haase of Norfolk. It was the first top five finish with his new car and it was his best finish since July 11.

Vic Lovejoy of Meadow Grove rounded out the top five with his fourth straight top five finish. Lovejoy was forced to run the "B" feature, which he won over Jeff Haase and Keith Hansen, both of Norfolk.

Roth's son Travis Roth of Bancroft came up short in the "B" feature. He finished fourth to Hansen.

In the heat races, Chad Jensen of first race as a Grand National dri-

Carlson, Winside; 2. Ron Pettitt, Pierce; 3, Kim Termansen, Yankton; 4. Chris Johnson, Bloomfield; 5. Ned Bertschinger, Creighton; 6. Darrell Doerr, Plainview; 7. Jim Johnson, Bloomfield; 8. Travis Loecker, Bloomfield; 9. Jim Kimmel; 10. John Dunklau, Carroll; 11. 1. Nick Opfer, Hartington; 12. Bertschinger, Creighton; 13. Dennis Martz; 14. Pat Jensen, Stanton; 15. Mike Timm, Pierce. (B feature) 1. Kimmel; 2. Martz; 3. Timm. (C feature) 1. Morgan Glidden; 2. Kevin Hoffart; 3. Nick Cautrell, Bloomfield. (Heat 1) 1. Jim Johnson; 2. Opfer. (Heat 2) 1. Carlson; 2. Loecker. (Heat 3) 1. Termansen; 2. Ned Bertschinger. (Heat 4) 1. Chris Johnson; 2. Pat

Reggie Roth continued his winning ways making it number 16 in 17 nights. Zuhlke picked up the other win for number seven.

With the younger Roth not qualifying for the "A" feature, it leaves two drivers that have raced in each of the 17 "A" features of the season.

Osborne and Reggie Roth have competed in every "A" feature this season. Osborne has 13 top fives, while Reggie Roth has 11. However, Reggie Roth has 16 heat race wins to Osborne's six.

Last year, Osborne finished with two victories, 17 top fives and 10 heat race wins, as Reggie Roth had six wins, 14 top fives and seven heat race wins.

Reggie Roth had a rough championship night last year, as Osborne sailed to the points championship.

Zuhlke finished third in the points last year with five wins, 15 top fives and eight heat race wins. This year Zuhlke has six wins, nine top fives in 13 "A" feature appearances and has seven heat race wins.

CRUISERS: (Feature) 1. A. Warneke and Cody Anderson; 2. Pat Herley and Kyle Koerting; 3. K. Behmer and Andy Priester; 4. Dean Reeves and Adam Schilousky; 5. Joel Steckelberg and Chris Beltz; 6. Mike Johnson and S. Fredrickson; 7. E. Anderson and Dean Overholt; 8. Don Wittur and Jereme Knoell: 9. Tony Tschirren and Terry Buck; 10. J. Overholt and Ryan Davidson; 11. N. Wehrle and Brian Brandl; 12. Paul Dvorak and Roger Dvorak. (Heat 1) 1. Behmer and Priester; 2. Wehrle and Brandl. (Heat 2) 1. Warneke and Cody; 2. Tschirren and Buck. (Heat 3) 1. Wittur and Knoell; 2. Johnson and Fredrickson. (Heat 4) 1. Steckelberg and Beltz; 2. Overholt and Davidson



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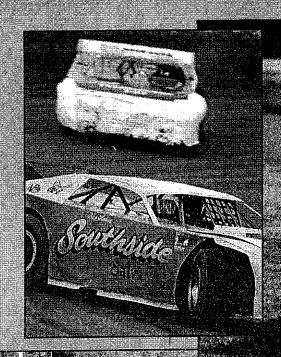
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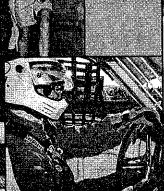
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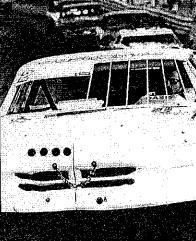












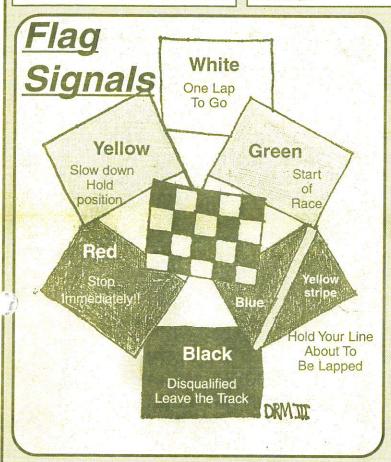
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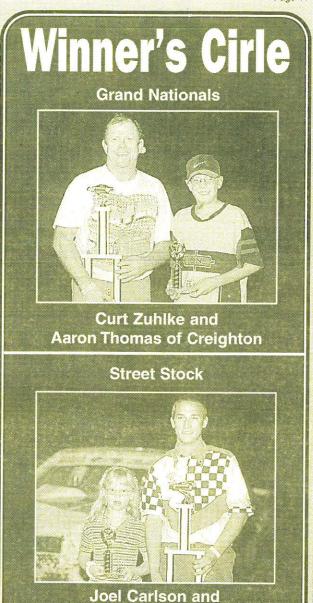
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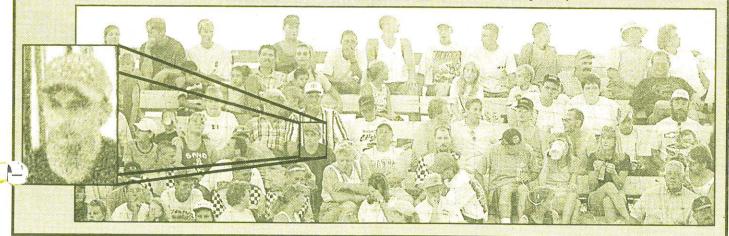




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