

PRESS RELEASE

ROCKY MOUNTAIN RACEWAY PARK

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THUNDER AT THE ROCK

SMALL TOWN SATURDAY NIGHT RACING IS ALIVE AND WELL IN THE FOOTHILLS OF SOUTHERN ALBERTA. JUST ASK THE FANS IN ATTENDANCE AT ROCKY MOUNTAIN RACEWAY PARK ON SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 20TH. THE ROCK SWITCHED GEARS AND MOVED RACING TO SATURDAYS FOR ITS LAST THREE EVENTS OF 2008, ALLOWING MORE TIME FOR RACERS AND FANS ALIKE TO GET TO THE ALDERSYDE ALBERTA FACILITY AND ENJOY THE EXCITEMENT THAT IS SHORT TRACK DIRT RACING.

LOCAL RACERS WERE JOINED BY CLAIMER CAR COMPETITORS FROM ALL OVER SOUTHERN ALBERTA AS THEY ATTACKED THE ROCK TO COLLECT POINTS FOR THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN RACEWAY PARK POINT'S CHAMPIONSHIP, THE SOUTHERN ALBERTA CLAIMER CAR POINT'S CHAMPIONSHIP AND THE SECOND ANNUAL "CLAIMER CLASSIC". WHEN THE CHECKERED FLAG FLEW IT WAS #69 GINA DOHERTY IN ONLY HER 2ND FEATURE RACE CROSSING THE FINISH LINE IN 1ST PLACE, FOLLOWED BY #88 DOUG HOUSTON IN 2ND AND GARY FINLEY PLACING 3RD. THE CLAIMERS RETURN TO "THE ROCK" FOR ROUND 2 OF THE "CLAIMER CLASSIC" ON SATURDAY OCT 4TH.

THE PART SOURCE HOBBY STOCKS TOOK TO THE HIGH BANKS WITH 10 CARS FOR THEIR 20 LAP FEATURE EVENT. IT TOOK HIGH RIVERS #11 GREG BEATON ONLY 3 LAPS TO MOVE FROM 4TH PLACE UP TO TAKE OVER THE LEAD. HE NEVER LOOKED BACK AND NARROWLY WON THE EVENT FINISHING IN FRONT OF NANTON RACER #33 "CUZZIN" JEFF FREEMAN AND #48 LARRY THIESSEN. ONLY 10 POINTS SEPARATE THE TOP 3 DRIVERS WITH 1 RACE REMAINING ON THE 2008 SCHEDULE, DON'T MISS THE ACTION ON SATURDAY OCT 4TH WHEN A NEW PART SOURCE HOBBY STOCK CHAMPION WILL BE CROWNED.

SIX R.M.R.P. TRUCK STOCKS COMPETED IN THE SECOND LAST POINTS EVENT OF 2008. #7 CURTIS BIGELOW DOMINATED THE CLASS AND LED THE ENTIRE 15 LAP FEATURE RACE. CURRENT POINTS LEADER #58 CALVIN FUHRIMAN FINISHED 2ND AND #85 BRENT UDY WAS A CLOSE 3RD.

THE CHEERS OF THE FANS WERE DROWNED OUT BY THE THUNDER PRODUCED WHEN NINE 450 HORSE POWER SPORTSMAN SPRINT CARS ROLLED DOWN THE FRONT STRAIGHT AND TOOK THE GREEN FLAG FOR 20 LAPS OF HIGH SPEED OPEN WHEELED ACTION. #5 JASON PYLE LED THE PACK FOR 12 LAPS UNTIL HE WAS PASSED BY THE #1 OF BILL BOYCE WHO FINISHED THE EVENT IN 1ST PLACE, JASON PYLE FINISHED 2ND FOLLOWED BY THE #3 OF SHANE AINSCOUGH.

THE THUNDER RETURNS TO THE ROCK ON SATURDAY OCTOBER 4TH WHEN THE CLAIMER CARS, R.M.R.P TRUCK STOCKS, PART SOURCE HOBBY STOCKS, I.M.C.A. MODIFIEDS, AND SPORTSMAN SPRINT CARS ALL COMPETE IN THE SEASON FINALE UNDER THE LIGHTS.

DEMOLITION DERBY ACTION IS UP NEXT. SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 27TH THE “DAY OF DESTRUCTION” WILL BE UPON US, AS 3 CLASSES OF DEMOLITION DERBY ACTION, TUFF TRUCKS, AND EXTREME FREESTYLE TRUCKS WILL REDUCE THE ROCK, AND EACH OTHER TO RUBBLE. THE DESTRUCTION BEGINS AT 4PM. BE THERE!!!!

THE ROCK