

## NASTE Season 2009 – Race #7

January 24, 2009

Hemi Heights Raceway Park, Portland, Oregon

For the second race in a row a large group of eighteen racers came out for the seventh race of the NASTE season on Saturday evening in Portland at Jeff Courtney's Hemi Heights Raceway Park.

Jeff had prepared a group of four semi-identical Flexi's for the group to race. They proved quite exciting with each having its own distinct personality something akin to driving your own private Christine. Let's see, the yellow one is frightening at any speed, the red one doesn't have brakes, the blue one wanders, the white one is dialed, and so forth. It was great fun watching the drivers adjust, however in fairness, as you progressed through the lanes, each car got better. There was also the occasional pit stop for car repairs. As for the track, the traction was great and the corner marshal's attentive. And that was a good thing. At these speeds someone could get hurt!



Putting the big hurt on the field tonight was Bill Bostic who set a blistering pace with 144.8 laps including one heat of 37 laps that had the crowd buzzing! More than a lap behind was home-track favorite and today's birthday boy Jeff Courtney. Battling it out for third was Flyin' Bryan Trachsel coming in just about one lap ahead of Jeff's son Jake Courtney. Those Courtney's drive like they own the place!

Prior to the race, we surprised the nifty-fifty birthday boy with a new ride – *his* very own private Christine. Yes, it's a shiny new Carrera Plymouth Fury - the perfect car for mister furious.



A special thanks to Jeff's wife Cathy who kept us extremely well fed. I particularly liked the bacon thing. And thanks to Terry for bringing some more of Dorothy's chocolates especially the "almost-healthy" ones. Yum!

<b>Race No. 7 - Hemi Heights Raceway</b>		<b>Season</b>
<b>Park</b>	<b>Laps</b>	<b>Points</b>
Bill Bostic	144.8	20
Jeff Courtney	143.6	19
Bryan Trachsel	139.8	18
Jake Courtney	138.6	17
Terry Abbott	132.3	16
Monte Saager	130.4	15
Rico Locati	129.3	14
Larry Cockerham	128.2	13
AJ Locati	126.7	12
Alan Blanchard	125.5	11
Randy Stumman	125.1	10
Greg Petrolati	115.9	9
Mike Limbardi	114.5	8
Victoria Saager	107.7	7
Dirk Miller	103.2	6
Chris Dotson	101	5
Len Gillean	97.2	4
Corie Minor	88.9	3

## NASTE 2009 Overall Season Standings (after 7 events)

<b>Name</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Race #1</b>	<b>Race #2</b>	<b>Race #3</b>	<b>Race #4</b>	<b>Race #5</b>	<b>Race #6</b>	<b>Race #7</b>
Bryan Trachsel	119	19	4	20	18	20	20	18
Bill Bostic	113	17	7	17	16	19	17	20
Jeff Courtney	100	15	6	16	14	18	12	19
Monte Saager	87	16	5	15	17	0	19	15
Terry Abbott	65	18	0	0	15	0	16	16
Rico Locati	55	13	0	0	0	15	13	14
AJ Locati	46	14	0	0	0	17	15	0
Randy Stumman	43	0	0	0	19	0	14	10
Byron Stumman	38	0	0	0	20	0	18	0
Jake Courtney	33	0	0	0	0	16	0	17
Larry Cockerham	27	0	0	14	0	0	0	13
Dorothy Abbott	21	11	0	0	10	0	0	0
Greg Petrolati	21	0	0	0	0	0	9	12
Frank Lynn	20	0	0	0	9	0	11	0
John Bostic	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	0
Todd Messinger	20	0	20	0	0	0	0	0
Victoria Saager	20	0	2	0	11	0	0	7
Doug Haynes	19	0	19	0	0	0	0	0
Rick Branum	19	0	0	19	0	0	0	0
Bob Hanna	18	0	18	0	0	0	0	0
Jim Reshonie	18	0	0	18	0	0	0	0
Cully Bowman	17	0	17	0	0	0	0	0
Bazil Snyder	16	0	16	0	0	0	0	0
Paul Lanz	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	0
Tom Snyder	14	0	14	0	0	0	0	0
Mike Naber	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	0
Mike Salatto	13	0	0	0	13	0	0	0
Ryan Floyd	13	0	0	13	0	0	0	0
Len Gillean	13	9	0	0	0	0	0	4
Dann Buck	12	0	0	12	0	0	0	0
Greg Tierson	12	0	12	0	0	0	0	0
Jack Gabbert	12	0	0	0	12	0	0	0
Randy Word	12	12	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deke Coleman	11	0	11	0	0	0	0	0
Scott Benjamin	11	0	0	11	0	0	0	0
Alan Blanchard	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Austin Martini	10	0	0	0	0	0	10	0
Catrinus Wallet	10	0	0	10	0	0	0	0
Ethan Word	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mickey McDaniels	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	0
Jeremy Bowman	9	0	9	0	0	0	0	0
Chris Lamb	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
Nick Martini	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	0
Sue Gillean	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mike Lombardi	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	8

Art Bethke	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	0
Gabby Locati	7	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Elliott Word	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
George Vriese	6	0	0	0	0	0	6	0
Dirk Miller	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Gabe	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sean Vriese	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	0
Chris Dotson	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Dennis Hart	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	0
Tim Booze	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
Corrie Minor	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3