

Brockville Ontario Speedway

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Bergeron, Gill and Evoy share wins before Brockville full house

BROCKVILLE-It was one of those battles between the cagey veteran and the young charger on Saturday night at Brockville Ontario Speedway. Bill Gill and Gage Morin ran away from everyone in the 30 lap Modified feature and made it a two car battle for the win with the Plessis NY driver prevailing over the impressive 16 year old rookie from Cornwall when the checkered flag dropped.

Morin won his heat and roared into the lead at the drop of the green flag. There was just one quick caution early and then it was a green run to the checkered. Morin pulled out a large lead running the low groove all the way around the quarter mile. However, about two thirds of the way through the race the youngster came upon lapped traffic that wanted to use the exact same groove as he did. Gill, who was running second managed to close in two laps and then pulled to the outside to take the lead. Morin did manage to track him back down again around lap 25 before Gill pulled away for the victory. Danny O Brien continued his string of podium finishes battling through the field to finish third with Tim O Brien and Kyle Dingwall rounding out the top five.

Morin wasn't the only impressive 16 year old on the night, as Dylan Evoy made some nifty early moves to split traffic and went to score his 2nd win of 2009 in the 25 lap Sportsman event. Evoy's run wasn't without some drama as Shane Pecore caught him the final two laps and actually took the lead briefly only to have Evoy win the final drag race off of turn 4 on the final lap in one of the closest finishes of the season. Matt Billings was a strong third followed by early leader Adam Turner and Mike Mainse.

Quebec's Alain Bergeron continued his strong runs on Eastern Ontario dirt this season as he led from start to finish in the 25 lap Patriot sprint car run that was red flagged a couple of times due to incidents. No one was injured. Brylan Howland was second with Shawn Donath, Jared Zimbardi and former local Modified pilot Chris Jones third through fifth respectively.

Alex Gagnon won the 15 lap Street Stock race on the track, beating Nick Gauvreau in the run to the checkered. Derek Cryderman was third with Guy Regimbald, and Danny Mocibob in tow. Steve Barber traded the lead back and forth in the final few circuits before holding off teammate Josh Kane in the 16 lap Rookie event. JP Laberge was third in front of Dwight Feltham and Chris Lloyd.

The 358 Modifieds will go topless next Saturday night, August 29th at Brockville Ontario Speedway. The roofs will be taken off to give the fans a great view of the drivers in action for the 7pm show that also includes the Sportsman, Street Stocks, Rookies and Vintage Cars in the next to last points night of 2009.

Modifieds 30 laps: Bill Gill, Gage Morin, Danny O Brien, Tim O Brien, Kyle Dingwall, Brian McDonald, Bryan Rogers, Jason Riddell, John Mulder, Adam Moore, Billy Cook, Dan Jalbert, Mitchell Jock, Andy Lloyd, Tom Jock Jr, Simon Perrault, Joe Banks, Dave Austin, Steve Bilow, Todd Stewart, John Calgey, Ryan Helm

Sportsman 25 laps: Dylan Evoy, Shane Pecore, Matt Billings, Adam Turner, Mike Mainse, Dana Aikins, Randy Gaudet, Luke Whitteker, Chris Herbison, Bruce Makinson, Joey Evans, Tammy Jalbert, Doug O Blenis, Jessica Power, Todd Ferguson, Roger Varacalli, Matt Collins, Ryan Buzzell, Tabatha Murphy, Randy Earl, Sheldon Hoogwerf, Dave Wilgosh, Adam Trickey, Luke Stewart

Sprints 25 laps: Alain Bergeron, Bryan Howland, Shawn Donath, Jared Zimbardi, Chris Jones, Bubba Broderick, Tommy Wickham, Travis Cunningham, Brandon Warner, Dave Wickman, Doug Bowman, Brian McDonald, Kyle Moffitt, Chuck Hebing, Kyle Wilson, Paul Pekkonen, Devin Caron, Rick Wilson, Gordy Button, April Wilson

Street Stocks 15 laps: Alex Gagnon, Nick Gauvreau, Derek Cryderman, Guy Regimbald, Danny Mocibob, Steve Billings, Peter Raabe, Roger Levesque, Derrick Eaton, Bill Code, Yan Labelle, Art Brown, Kevin Fetterly Jr, Guy Amesse, Steve Kearney, Brad McEachern, Stephane Bussiere

Rookies 16 laps: Steve Barber, Josh Kane, JP Laberge, Dwight Feltham, Chris Lloyd, Carl Gorry, Daniel Laforte, Ron Day, Nicole Cameron, Brandon Henderson, Richard Bartholomew, Pierre Luc, Frank Mitchell, Tom Snyder, Chris Bakker, Joe McNicholls, Scott Walldriff, Josh Kirkland