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ROUND ELEVEN - HONOURING A PAST RACER

This weekend at Auto Clearing Motor Speedway we have the visiting Super Trucks (for the third of the four race series) on the track in addition to the local Part Source Mini Stocks and the Cooper Tires Thunder Stocks. The Thunder Stock division will honour a past racer in the division and compete in the annual Rick Fredrickson Memorial feature race.

DRIVER PROFILE - RYAN FREDRICKSON - # 22 THUNDER STOCK

Rick Fredrickson (my uncle) got involved in racing with Wes Skakun. Rick was the kid who got to scrub the black wheel rub marks off the door of the car. Rick raced back in the mid 80's when he was only 16 years old in the Thunder Stock division. He then left racing for a few years then returned in 2002 racing four years at the old Bridge City Speedway. In 2006, Rick entered in Auto Clearing Motor Speedway in two divisions, Mini Stock as well as Thunder Stock and after a year of jumping behind two window nets, he returned back to racing strictly Thunder Stock. Rick passed away in August 2007 and Rick's friends and family joined at Auto Clearing Motor Speedway where he made his final laps at his wake shortly after his passing. I was honoured to give him the 'Green, White, Checkered.' Rick told me he would build me my first race car and after his passing, my Auntie Barb (Rick's wife) left the car and tools to me. I began racing at 15 years old.



We have been slowly learning and improving through the past five years. The racing community has helped tremendously throughout the years as well as all of our loyal sponsors. The biggest thanks would go to two people, Eric Hamnett (crew chief and family friend) and Darren Fredrickson (crew member and father) who have stuck out the past five years trying to translate my driver talk to common sense and come up with some way to please me, even in the hardest times. My other crew Lisa, Chris and Brad are also members who help put the car on the track every year doing even the smallest things to prepare.

My family have always been supportive of my hobby including my grandmother Carol, my sisters Amy and Sarah and other extended family but mainly my mother, who appears at nearly every race and supports us in every way except giving us garage space.

The # 22 Thunder Stock is in theme of the NASCAR # 22 Caterpillar car (now the # 31). Last year out car was involved in an accident that forced us to rebuild. We raced only three race days at the beginning of the year and returned for the last race of the season in 2011. This is the first full season with the new 1979 Chevy Impala and the previous car was raced way back at the old track as far back as 2003.

Thanks go out to Globe Excavating who is our main sponsor. They have contributed and supported us throughout the last five years giving us shop space and even tools for tricky tasks

I am a Student at the University of Saskatchewan in the Edwards School of Business. During my summers off, I work at Globe Excavating operating heavy equipment under my boss and father Darren Fredrickson, but when it comes to racing, I get to be the boss, depending who you talk to.



Ryan

Points Standings (as of August 11, 2012)

PARTSOURCE. The Parts. The Pros. The Price. Mini Stocks	COOPERTIRES Thunder Stocks	SKL IRAILERS Pro Trucks
1. #7 Darnell Schick - 476	1. # 66 Brent Dupuis - 544	1. # 27 Scott Lucas - 518
2. #10 Kevin Dyck - 470	2. #18 Mike Rea - 514	2. # 50 Ben Pogoda - 456
3. #1 Scott Barrand - 461	3. # 7 Floyd Ransom - 484	3. #14 Wade Wohlford - 433
4. # 42 Landry Boisvert - 456	4. #81 Curtis Houben - 457	4. #18 Bill Zubrecki - 431
5. #14 Zachary Jalbert - 448	5. # 22 Ryan Fredrickson - 441	5. # 49 Shantel Firth - 424
6. # 95 Clay Wagner - 446	6. #17 Curtis Moore - 418	6. # 93 Neil Schneider - 420
7. # 41 Jamie Tataryn - 410	7. # 42 Kelsey/Nicole Sheetka - 334	7. #19 Rylan Utigard - 417
8. #92 Brennan Kirton - 387	8. #76 Logan Derksen - 89	8. # 3 Andrew Clewes - 403
9. # 77 Ashton Vangool - 358	9. # 3 Barry Stefaniuk - 51	9. #89 Jim Goodlad - 351
10. #15 Dawson Reddekopp - 322	10. # 49 Mickey Pogoda - 13	10. #12 Aaron Deagnon - 308



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11. # 2 David Wilson - 284	11. # 21 Bill/Doug Rea - 5	11. #5 Debra Newnham - 291
12. #17 Jared Reddekopp - 245	12. #34 Tony Mikculcik - 3	12. O1 Alex Leschenko - 217
13. # 50 Josh Robb - 223	#1 Scott Barrand - 3	13. #3 Tony Mikulcik - 206
14. # 20 Audra Cooper - 191	# 92 Brennan Kirton - 3	14. #53 Damen Meier - 108
15. #5 Kirk Senger - 177	15. # 88 Mike Baht - 2	15. #54 Mike Schroeder - 3
16. # 24 Eric Lumley - 155		
17. # 98 Tom/Kaylee Smith - 94		
18. #62 Kenny Heintz - 3		
19. # 43 Jaime Ross - 2		

WSSL Auto Parts Plus Super Late Model	Western Elite Western Elite	Super Trucks
1. # 70 Trent Seidel - 247	1. # 48 Nathan Weenk - 178	1. # 99 Doug Fischer - 480
2. # 55 Jim Gaunt - 200	2. # 21 Nick Allen - 136	2. # O Kevin McLean - 468
3. #14 Glen Hertzke - 198	3. #12 Matthew Shirley - 113	3. #33 Jamie McClennon - 460
4. # 77 Greg Vangool - 197	4. #7 Casey Randall - 104	4. # 41 Len Zimmer - 458
5. # 38 Dave Bone - 177	5. # 49 Ben Busch - 95	5. # 20 Neil Fitzgerald - 456
6. #56 Howard Crossman - 165	6. # 51 Nick Jewel - 89	6. # 76 Dusty O'Connell - 430
# 67 Ken Ross - 165	7. # 4 Tim Kammer - 88	7. #8 Grant Mills - 428
8. # 44 Trevor Hannay - 160	8. #27 Rick Schuurmans - 38	8. # 44 Dean Braham - 426
9. # 22 Doug Bienia - 139		9. #18 Ron Larsson - 404
10. #88 Jason Gervais - 108		10. # 48 Ed Irvine - 368
11. # O Denver Foran - 6		11. # 2 Brian Sparks - 222
# 20 Ken Campbell - 6		12. # 79 Gary Miller - 198
		13. #7 Dean Cunningham - 148

Budget, Car and Truck Rental Street Stock	Sask Legends Series	Western Canadian Super Late Model Championship Series
1. #19 Aaron Anderson - 499	1. # 21 Blake Erb - 404	1. #71 Greg Vangool - 122
2. # 62 Kenny Heintz - 472	2. # 24 Brad Blumer - 359	2. # 70 Trent Seidel - 120
3. # 34 Mike Schroeder - 453	3. # 4 Dennis Kunstmann - 314	3. #77 Jim Barnsley - 105
4. # 28 Brennen Forseille - 426	4. #13 Chelsey Wilson - 300	4. # 33 Jamie McClennon - 100



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5. #88 Brad Wrennick - 424	5. # 26 Ernie Ludwig - 276	5. #14 Glen Hertzke - 96
6. # 44 Craig Katelnikoff - 394	6. #83 Robert Waite - 245	6. #8 Kelly Admiraal - 90
7. #3 Brad Kliewer - 374	7. # 2 Kerry Neufeld - 240	7. # 38 Dave Bone - 84
8. # 36 Darryl Potts - 351	8. #6 Shaun Derksen - 232	# 55 Jim Gaunt - 84
9. # 21 Mike Baht - 343	9. # 90 Danny Meirer - 224	9. # 44 Trevor Hannay - 79
10. #11 Trudy Sawatzky - 339	10. # 88 Jody Stewart - 206	10. # 5 Gary Lister - 75
11. #17 Jordan Dalsgaard - 255	11. # 48 Roger McConnell - 204	11. # 7 Greg Moir - 74
12. #87 Jason Wilkie - 244	12. # 25 Jason Jessiman - 202	12. # 00 Tony Lambert - 72
13. # 47 Calvin Heilman - 239	13. # 58 Brendan Deibert - 200	13. # 67 Ken Ross - 70
14. #80 Guy Derdall - 183	14. # 3 RD Bergendahl - 191	14. # O Denver Foran - 69
15. # 33 Ryan Thompson - 102	15. ##5 Kyle Van Ham - 182	15. # 69 PJ Kondra - 68
16. #15 Todd Pluhater - 6	16. # 22 Rick Walls - 176	16. # 56 Howard Crossman - 63
17. #93 Harold Edwards - 4	17. # 64 Byron Thiessen - 125	17. # 54 Doug Adams - 56
18. #89 Justin Tooley - 3	18. # 27 Lowell McLaren - 119	#88 Jason Gervais - 56
# 77 Shane James - 3	19. # 44 Nick Haukauss - 94	19. # 4 Aaron Dowler - 45
20. # 432 Eric McIntosh - 2	20. # 86 Carter Horton - 58	20. # 22 Doug Bienia - 43
#82 Karmen Parks - 2	21. # 20 Darrell Buckingham - 4	21. # 99 Doug Fischer - 34
		22. #89 Mark Miller - 29
		23. #10 Roy Wallace - 22
		24. #72 Blair Snow - 20

Next Racing Event - Cruise Weekend - round twelve Friday, august 24 - Green Flag at 7pm

Divisions competing: the Budget Car & Truck Rental Street Stocks, the SKL Trailers Pro Trucks and the WSSL Auto Parts Super Late Models.