

The International Velodrome
at Bloomer Park



NAS-TRACK Team Racing – Detroit 6 Day – Day 2

Wednesday August 11, 2010
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Overall Evening Results



Detroit 6 Day - Day 2 Winners
Tim Campbell and Luke Cavender

Rochester Hills, MI – On Day 2 of the NAS-TRACK Detroit 6 Day the riders took advantage of the cooler temperatures and made their sprints even faster. Day 1's final result was decided in the last sprint and victory was secured by one point. On Day 2 would a team dominate or would it also come down to the final sprint?

The four Madison teams were introduced to the NAS-TRACK fans and right from their parade laps rolled into a 16 Lap Scratch Race. It was a drag race to the finish with Team Black's Luke Cavender holding off Team Blue's Nick Laughton followed closely by Team Red's Dave Hicken and Team Green's Martin Verrchio.

The Miss and Out caught several riders in the wrong place at the wrong time and heard the infamous "You're Outa There" from Race Director Dale Hughes. In the final pairing, Team Blue's Nick

Laughton was held high on the 44° banking by Team Black's Luke Cavender. Laughton faked a couple of jumps but Cavender did not take the bait. In turn 3 Laughton made his move and dropped from the green line to the pole line to get the jump on Cavender. One lap later they were elbow to elbow streaking through turn 4 to the delight of the NAS-TRACK fans. It was less than half a wheel at the line between the riders, but it was Cavender coming over the top to take the win.

Following the Miss and Out, only 3 points separated Team Black and Team Blue, 28 and 25 points respectively. Team Red with 20 points and Team Green with 17 were looking to the 100 Lap Madison to add to their totals.

It was speed, flat out sprinting speed that would rule Day 2's 100 Lap Madison. Leading up to the first sprint, Team Red got the jump on the field which responded in hot pursuit. At the line Team Red's Dave Hicken kept their gap on the field for the first place points followed by Teams Black, Green and Blue.

Team Blue launched the attack on lap 65 heading for the second sprint at lap 60. Team Green

countered but was not quite able to overtake Team Blue's Blaine Benson at the line. After the lap 60 sprint, Team Black, with 40 points, was just 2 points up on Team Blue, while Team Red had 33 points and Team Green just 4 behind with 29 points.

Pure speed defined the drag race to the line for the third Madison sprint of the evening. It was Team Red's Nick Console down low with Team Black's Luke Cavender charging hard over the top as they came to the line. Console prevailed by less than a wheel and the pair was closely followed by Team Blue's Nick Laughton and Team Green's Nick Raiti.

Sprint number 4 also found Teams Red and Black battling for the points with Console again down low and Cavender coming over the top but this time Team Black edged out Team Red, Team Green and Team Blue.

With double points on the final sprint of the evening, three teams still had a chance to win the day. Team Black held the points lead with 57, Team Red – 50, Team Blue – 46 and Team Green – 37. With 6 laps to go the teams started setting up their exchanges for the final sprint.

As veteran lap caller Gene Diggs flipped the card for 4 laps to go, Team Blue lit the torch and launched the sprint to the finish. Team Red was the first to respond to Team Blue's attack and each matched the other's exchanges. Team Blue's Blaine Benson sprinted to the line to take the 20 first place points followed by Teams Red, Black and Green. Would Benson's first place finish be enough to win the night? Just like Day 1, it was just one point that was the difference between first and second. Team Black won the evening with 67 points while Team Blue finished with 66. Team Red finished with 64 point making it a 3 point spread between the first three teams.

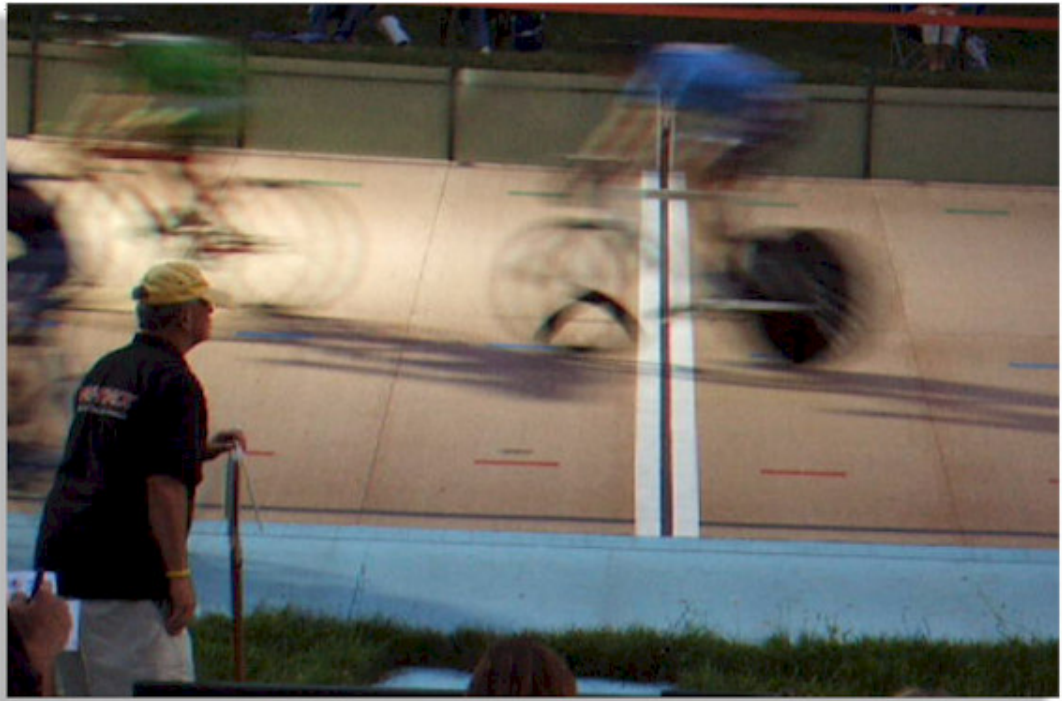
Congratulations to Team Black, Tim Campbell and Luke Cavender for their NAS-TRACK Detroit 6 Day – Day 2 Victory.

Race report by: Bruce I. Carlson

Final Standings – August 11, 2010 -- Detroit 6 Day – Day 2

1. Team Black	Tim Campbell & Luke Cavender.....	67 points
2. Team Blue	Blaine Benson & Nick Laughton	66 points
3. Team Red	Nick Console & Dave Hicken	64 points
4. Team Green	Nick Raiti & Martin Verrchio	41 points

Lap Keeper, Gene Diggs, tracking the progress of the 100 Lap Madison.



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Points for places are 10, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1. Finishing position in the evening's final race is used as a points tie breaker.

	8 Lap Scratch	Miss & Out	12 Lap Scratch	Overall Points
1. Daniell Mullis	10	8	7	25
2. CJ Karas	7	6	10	23
3. Cody Denison	6	10	6	22
4. Cale Denison	8	5	8	21
5. Luke Mullis	5	7	5	17
6. Dante Gomez	3	3	4	10
7. Emma Fickel	2	4	3	9
8. Brandon Noonan	4	2	2	8

	4 Lap Scratch	3 Lap Scratch	Overall Points
1. Blake Noonan	5	5	10
2. Phillip Lalone	3	3	6
3. Caitlin Denison	1		1

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	16 Lap Scratch	Miss & Out	24 Lap Scratch	Overall Points
1. Vern Green	10	1	10	21
2. Larry Garstick	8	5	7	20
3. Bruce Carlson	7	8	4	19
4. Nigel Mullis	4	6	8	18
5. Rick Noonan	2	10	3	15
6. Dave Irwin	6	7	2	15
7. Bonnie Karas	5	4	5	14
8. Colleen Brown	1	3	6	10
9. Debbie Cavender	3	0	1	4
10. Matt Zentz	0	2	0	2

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