

The International Velodrome
at Bloomer Park



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

Sunday August 15, 2010

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Overall Afternoon Results & 6 Day Final Wrap Up



Detroit 6 Day – Day 6 Winners
Nick Console and Nick Laughton

Rochester Hills, MI – After being pushed to the physical limit for five nights in a row, every 6 Day racer knows that Day 6 it is about survival. The final day of the 2010 IVBP Detroit 6 Day found the riders ready but not quite with the same snap in their step as earlier in the week. The question was who would be able to dig deep and find the speed needed for victory.

It was sunny and near 90° when the riders were introduced to the hill of NAS-TRACK fans. The riders rolled into the start of their 16 Lap Scratch carefully sizing up the fitness of their competition. It was series of cat & mouse maneuvers and with 2 laps to go it got serious. Team Green wanting to make a statement finished one two securing 17 points in the day's first event.

The Miss and Out surprisingly claimed a pre-race favorite at the first bell. The pairing at the end was between Team Green's Nick Laughton and Team Blue's Brendon Benson. Each faked a jump early in their match but kept each other in check until 150 meters to go when Benson made the winning move and led Laughton to the line. Team Blue took first and fourth in the Miss and Out while Team Green battled for second and third positions.

Each team came away with 9 points. Team Green (26 points) now held an eleven point lead over Team Blue with 15 points and Team White with 8 points.

The Elite A racers recovered while the Juniors and AA racers took to the boards. A highlight of this session was the young Juniors (ages 10 to 14) doing their first Madison.

This afternoon's 120 Lap Madison would help decide who would take the overall 6 Day title. Team White's Luke Cavender had a solid lead with 47 points but Team Blue's Blaine Benson – 37 points, and Team Green's Nick Console – 39 points, and Nick Laughton – 37 points, were all still in the hunt.

As the teams rolled from the rail, the summer heat had built up some storm clouds over head but no precipitation, yet. Team Blue's Blaine Benson was the first to attack with just under 3 laps to go to the first sprint. Team Green's Nick Laughton punched it and accelerated with 2 laps to go to the sprint. Laughton's lead out was quickly chased by Team White's Luke Cavender. Cavender made his move with a half a lap to go in the sprint and was elbow to elbow with Laughton coming to the line and Team Blue's Brendon Benson right on their wheel. The margin of victory was less than half a wheel with the first place points going to Team White followed by Teams Green and Blue.

The officials scoring the race had hardly written down the results from the first sprint when Team Blue attacked getting a small gap on the field. Team Green's Nick Laughton threw in his partner Nick Console who immediately set to the task of closing the gap and bringing Team White along with him. The field was back together and with 4 laps till the next sprint a few polka-dots of rain spotted the track. At the second sprint it was Team Green's Nick Console to the line first, hotly chased by Team Blue's Brendon Benson and Team White's Luke Cavender.

The rain took its aim on the track and the race neutralized hoping the shower would pass by quickly. That would not be the case and the 2010 IVBP Detroit 6 Day came to the end.

Congratulations to Team Green, Nick Console and Nick Laughton for their NAS-TRACK Detroit 6 Day – Day 6 Victory.

Race report by: Bruce I. Carlson

Final Standings – August 15, 2010 -- Detroit 6 Day – Day 6

1. Team Green	Nick Console & Nick Laughton	42	points
2. Team Blue	Nick Brendon Benson & Blaine Benson.....	27	points
3. Team White	Luke Cavender & Dave Hicken.....	23	points

Overall Standings through Day 6

Luke Cavender captured the overall 2010 IVBP Detroit 6 Day title with Nick Console taking the second place on the podium and Nick Laughton securing the third spot. Cavender had four first place finishes to earn the championship title.

1	Luke Cavender	54	Points
2	Nick Console	49	Points
3	Nick Laughton	47	Points
4	Blaine Benson	45	Points
5	Tim Campbell	41	Points
6	Dave Hicken	35	Points
7	Brendon Benson	31	Points
8	Martin Verrchio	29	Points
9	Nick Raiti	21	Points
10	Brent Del Rosario	12	Points
11	Bruce Carlson	10	Points
11	Larry Garstick	10	Points
13	Tom Elias	9	Points

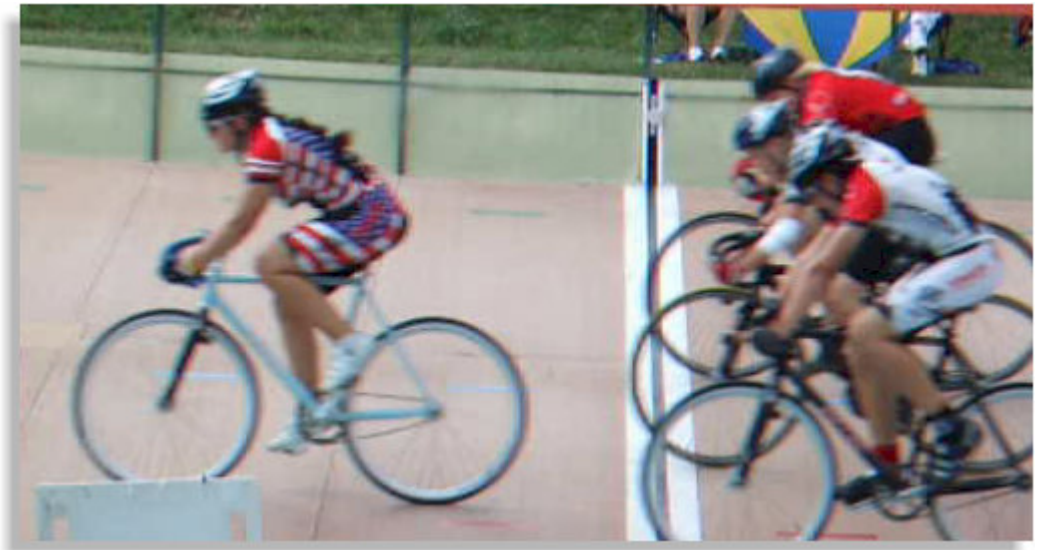


2010 IVBP Detroit 6 Day Podium
2nd Nick Console – 1st Luke Cavender – 3rd Nick Laughton

Day by Day Rider Placing

		<i>Day</i> 1	<i>Day</i> 2	<i>Day</i> 3	<i>Day</i> 4	<i>Day</i> 5	<i>Day</i> 6
Blaine	Benson	2	2	3	3	3	2
Brendon	Benson			4	1	3	2
Tim	Campbell	3	1	2	4	1	
Bruce	Carlson			4	6		
Luke	Cavender	1	1	1	3	1	3
Nick	Console	2	3	2	2	2	1
Brent	Del Rosario	4			4		
Tom	Elias				6	5	
Larry	Garstick			4	6		
Dave	Hicken	1	3		5	4	3
Nick	Laughton	4	2	3	1	4	1
Nick	Raiti		4	1	5		
Martin	Verrchio	3	4		2	2	

Just how close can a finish be at the IVBP? Junior's 1 Mile Scratch Race.



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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	8 Lap Scratch	10 Lap Points Race	15 Lap Points Race	8 Lap Scratch	Madison	Overall Points
1. Danielle Mullis	10			7		5	22
2. Cale Denison	3			10		7	20
3. Nicholas Feringa		10		1	7		18
4. Luke Mullis	5			2		10	17
5. Brandon Noonan		7	10				17
6. Cody Denison	7			5		3	15
7. Kyle Noonan	2			3	10		15
8. Matthew Wells		5	3		3		11
9. Cameron McDonald			5		5		10
10. Douglas Wells		1	7		1		9
11. Emma Fickel		2	1		2		5
12. Dante Gomez		3	2				5

600 Meter Pursuit

1. Caitlin Denison	1:03.34
2. Blake Noonan	1:04.75

Flying 200

1. Blake Noonan	18.60
2. Phillip Lalone	18.87
3. Caitlin Denison	20.19

AA Races

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

	16 Lap Scratch	16 Lap Scratch	30 Lap Points Race Sprint 2	Overall Points
1. Bernie Clincke	7	7	10	24
2. Vern Green	10	10	2	22
3. Nigel Mullis	5	5	5	15
4. Bruce Carlson	2	3	7	12
5. Rick Noonan	3	2	3	8
6. Collen Brown	0	1	1	2
7. Larry Garstick	1	0	0	1

AA 6 Day Championship Points

Vern Green is the AA 6 Day Champion with Rick Noonan and Dave Irwin filling out the podium.

1	Vern Green	48
2	Rick Noonan	35
3	Dave Irwin	31
4	Bernie Clincke	30
5	Nigel Mullis	30
6	Bruce Carlson	23
7	Larry Garstick	23
8	Chris Michaels	16
9	Charles Hailey	13
10	Colleen Brown	7
11	Bonnie Karas	7
12	Karl Nielsen	2
13	Debbie Cavender	1
14	Matt Zentz	1

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