



NAS-TRACK Team Racing – International 3 Day Race

Saturday June 25, 2011

International Velodrome at Bloomer Park



Overall Evening Results – Day 2



Rochester Hills, MI – A beautiful day welcomed the annual Americane' Vintage Track & Road Bike Festival to the IVBP which set the stage for Day 2 of the IVBP International 3 Day Race. Friday night's racing came down to the final sprint to determine the evening's winning team, would Day 2 be the same?

Two new riders, Barry Miller and Iggy Silva, from T-Town, joined the field as Team Green. Both Barry and Iggy competed last year at the IVBP. First on the schedule was a pair 16 Lap Scratch Races. One rider from a team

would compete in the first and their partner would compete in the second. In the first race the field was content to ride in an orderly pace line for the first 10 laps, no one willing to take the lead or attack the field. With 4 laps to go, the pace sharply accelerated and continued hot to the finish. Team Blue's Brian Crosby attacked and no one was able to answer his challenge. Team Red's Brendon Benson was next to the line. and in a photo finish, Team White's Paul Jaqua edged Team Green's Barry Miller at the line.

The second Scratch Race started much like the first with the riders getting comfortable before the attack speed took over. Team Green's Iggy Silva captured the first place points with Team Red's Luke Cavender right on his wheel followed by Team White's Nick Laughton and Team Blue's Martin Vecchio.

16 Lap Scratch Race

| Team | Race 1 Points | Race 2 Points | Overall Points |
|-------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| Blue | 5 | 1 | 6 |
| Green | 1 | 5 | 6 |
| Red | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| White | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Black | 0 | 0 | 0 |

The NAS-TRACK fans filled the spectator's hill and some even grilled food to go with the first Madison of the evening. Unlike the scratch races, the 40 Lap Madison went hot as soon as the brief control period ended. Teams Blue, Green and Red took the speed to the 40 mph neighborhood and executed a series of rapid and well executed exchanges. Team Green's Iggy Silva set a blistering pace to the line and took the first sprint with Teams Blue and Red collecting second and third place points respectively.

Following the first sprint, Teams, Green and Blue kept pushing the pace and Team Red was unable to respond. Teams Green and Blue set their sites on capturing a lap from Teams Black and White which they did on lap 18 and pick up 15 points each for doing so.

Heading into the finish sprint the teams were all racing together. Team Green's Iggy Silva set the pace in the final lap and held off an attack from Team Blue's Martin Vecchio and Team White's Nick Laughton.

40 Lap Madison

| Team | 1st Sprint Points | 2nd Sprint Points | Bonus Lap Points | Overall Points on the Evening |
|-------------|---|---|---------------------------------|--|
| Green | 10 | 10 | 15 | 41 |
| Blue | 7 | 7 | 15 | 35 |
| Red | 5 | 3 | | 14 |
| White | 3 | 5 | | 12 |
| Black | 2 | 2 | | 4 |

Up next, the Miss and Out which came down to the final sprint of three. After the cat and mouse moves trying to gain the advantage, it was Team Green's Iggy Silva first to the line chased by Team Blue's Brian Crosby followed by Iggy's racing partner Barry Miller.

Miss and Out

| Team | Points | Overall Points |
|-------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Green | 18 | 59 |
| Blue | 13 | 48 |
| Red | 12 | 26 |
| White | 11 | 23 |
| Black | 1 | 5 |

At the opening of the 80 Lap Madison, Teams Blue, Green and Red wasted no time to crank up the speed. Team Blue knowing that they needed to take more points than Team Green to win the evening, Team Blue's Brian Crosby got a gap and took the first sprint of the Madison. Team Green's Barry Miller Team Red's Luke Cavender took the next positions.

The 2nd sprint of the Madison played out much the same with Teams Blue, Green and Red taking the first three positions respectively. At this point of the race Team Green held a 5 point advantage over Team Blue.

Team Green sensing a direct challenge to their lead kept the pressure on Team Blue with Team Green's Iggy Silva fending off Team Blue's Brian Crosby. Team Red's Luke Cavender chased them home collecting third place points.

Heading into the final sprint of the 80 Lap Madison Team Green held an 8 point advantage over Team Blue. For Team Blue to claim a victory, Team Green would need to finish two places behind Team Blue. With about 4 laps to go Team Black's Blaine Benson pulled a surprise attack and caught the field off guard. By the time the field responded, Blaine had almost a quarter lap advantage. Would Team Black be the spoiler for either Team Green or Blue? Blaine threw in his teammate Lucas Wall with 2

laps to go and the field in pursuit. Team Blue's Brian Crosby was the first to reel in Lucas with Team Green's Iggy Silva still in pursuit of Lucas. At the line it was Crosby, Silva and Wall.

Team Green had survived the spoiler's attack and secured a 2 point victory over Team Blue.

80 Lap Madison

| Team | 1 st Sprint Points | 2 nd Sprint Points | 3 rd Sprint Points | 4 th Sprint Points | Laps +/- | Overall Points on the Evening |
|-------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|
| Green | 7 | 7 | 10 | 14 | +3 (45 pts) | 142 |
| Blue | 10 | 10 | 7 | 20 | +3 (45 pts) | 140 |
| Red | 5 | 5 | 5 | 6 | +1 (15 pts) | 62 |
| White | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | | 33 |
| Black | 3 | 3 | 3 | 10 | | 24 |

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1. Team Green Barry Miller & Iggy Silva..... 142 points
 2. Team Blue Brian Crosby & Martin Vecchio..... 140 points
 3. Team Red Luke Cavender & Brendan Benson 62 points
 4. Team White Paul Jaqua, Nick Laughton & Nick Raiti 33 points
 5. Team Black Blaine Benson & Lucas Wall..... 24 points



**NAS-TRACK Winning Team - Barry Miller & Iggy Silva
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There were also races in the Youth, Juniors and Master's. Below are their results:

Youth and Jrs.

8 Lap Scratch Race #1

1. Douglas Wells
2. Emma Fickel
3. Anup Diwakar
4. Caitlin Denison
5. Grace Klien

8 Lap Scratch Race #2

1. Douglas Wells
2. Anup Diwakar
3. Caitlin Denison
4. Grace Klien

AA Races

AA 16 Lap Scratch

1. Dave Hicken
2. Cale Denison
3. Joaquin Kiley
4. Michael McCullough
5. Tom O'Rourke
6. Brad Hranach
7. Nigel Mullis
8. John Stephantis
9. Matt Zentz
10. CJ Karas

AA Miss 'n Out

1. Cale Denison
2. Joaquin Kiley
3. Dave Hicken
4. Tom O'Rourke
5. Brad Hranach
6. Michael McCullough
7. John Stephantis
8. Colleen Brown
9. Luke Mullis
10. Nigel Mullis
11. Danielle Mullis
12. Matt Zentz

AA 20 Lap Points

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| 1. Alan Antonuk | 50 pts. |
| 2. Michael McCullough | 27 pts. |
| 3. Joaquin Kiley | 21 pts. |
| 4. Dave Hicken | 7 pts. |
| 5. Brad Hranach | 5 pts. |
| 6. Cale Denison | 5 pts. |
| 7. John Stephantis | |
| 8. Nigel Mullis | |
| 9. Matt Zentz | |

AA 12 Lap Scratch

1. Bonnie Karas
2. CJ Karas
3. Danielle Mullis
4. Cody Denison
5. Maia Orabi
6. Emma Fickel

AA 20 Lap Points

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|--------------------|---------|
| 1. CJ Karas | 17 pts. |
| 2. Danielle Mullis | 13 pts. |
| 3. Bonnie Karas | 12 pts. |
| 4. Colleen Brown | 7 pts. |
| 5. Cody Denison | 5 pts. |
| 6. Emma Fickel | |
| 7. Maia Orabi | |



Race report by Bruce I. Carlson

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