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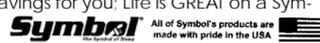


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# Oberlin man wins sixth feature race

By MIKE HUGHES

David Murray of Oberlin won his sixth feature race of the season at Elmwood Park Speedway Saturday evening.

Murray, two-time and defending IMCA Modified national champion, started tenth in the 14-car field. Brice Riley of Indianola, Neb., took the lead at the drop of the green, with Steve Reedy, Doug Holzmeister and Murray in chase. By the fifth lap, Murray got past Holzmeister for second. The two made contact in turn four on lap 9, resulting in a flat tire for Holzmeister which sent him to the pits. One lap later, a couple of cars got together in turn one to bring out a caution. After the green replaced the yellow, Murray shot past Riley, with Tim Watts following through. Murray pulled away from the field the final 10 laps to win easily. Watts finished second, with Jeff Walters edging out Roger Boland for third. Riley rounded out the top five. Heat race winners were Watts and Murray.

The IMCA Stock Car feature was the closest of the night with the top six cars locked in a heated battle. Norton's Dan Lauer led the opening lap but gave way to Athol's Josh Hudson on the following lap. Hudson led the remaining distance in the 20-lap race but had a number of challengers the entire time. Lauer, J.R. McCreery, Jason Schoenberger, Jason Rogers and Jason Davis were locked in a close race for second, staying close to Hudson and swapping positions several times. Lauer fell out on the final lap and Schoenberger won the battle for the runner-up spot, followed by McCreery, Rogers and Davis. Kelly Ford and Schoenberger won the two heat races.

Cory Struckhoff of Kensington took the lead on lap 7 of the 12-lap IMCA Hobby Stock feature from Norton's John Annon and was able to hold off heat one winner Wade Wagenblast in the closing laps for the win. Annon held to third, followed by Brady Schoen and Kelly Karnopp. Struckhoff



won the other heat race.

The father and son team of Joe & Jim Carter of Russell led all 10 laps of the Cruiser main event to make their way to victory lane. Wes & Chuck Eagleburger made a late charge but came up short and settled for second. Point leaders Kirk Persinger & Justin Graham finished third. The Carters and the Eagleburgers were victorious in the two heat races.

The races scheduled for Saturday at Norton have been moved to Oberlin Speedway.

IMCA-sanctioned Modifieds, Stock Cars and Hobby Stocks, along with Bombers and Cruisers, will be on the card that starts at 7 p.m. The next race scheduled at Elmwood Park Speedway is Saturday, Sept. 18, with the regular

four classes in action starting at 7 p.m.

### RESULTS IMCA Hobby Stocks

Heat 1: 1. Wade Wagenblast, 2. John Annon, 3. Brady Schoen, 4. Garrett Brown.

Heat 2: 1. Cory Struckhoff, 2. Kelly Karnopp, 3. Robert Rutherford, 4. Dustin McClurg.

Feature: 1. Struckhoff, 2. Wagenblast, 3. Annon, 4. Schoen, 5. Karnopp, 6. Rutherford, 7. Brown, 8. McClurg, 9. Adam Balthazor, 10. Kale Shank, 11. Laura Hinger, 12. John Jensen (DNF).

### IMCA Stock Cars

Heat 1: 1. Kelly Ford, 2. Jason Rogers, 3. Josh Hudson, 4. Jason Davis.

Heat 2: 1. Jason Schoenberger, 2. J.R. McCreery, 3. Dan Lauer, 4. Nathan Glendinging.

Feature: 1. Hudson, 2. Schoenberger, 3. McCreery, 4. Rogers, 5. Davis, 6. Tyler Hahn, 7. Glendinging, 8. Ford, 9. Michael Zajic, 10. Phil Hinger, 11. Joe Kasson, 12. Lauer (DNF), 13. Randy Clydesdale (DNF), 14. Jay Hachmeister (DNS).

### IMCA Modifieds

Heat 1: 1. Tim Watts, 2. Roger Boland, 3. Jeff Walters, 4. Brice Riley.

Heat 2: 1. David Murray, 2. Doug Holzmeister, 3. Jim Arnold, 4. Don Hagan.

Feature: 1. Murray, 2. Watts, 3. Walters, 4. Boland, 5. Riley, 6. Marty Clark, 7. Brian Calhoun, 8. Arnold, 9. D. Hagan, 10. Rick Schwab, 11. Brandon Hagan, 12. Holzmeister, 13. Brian Garrett, 14. Steve Reedy (DNF).

### Cruisers

Heat 1: 1. Carter/Carter, 2. Persinger/Graham, 3. Annon/Wonderly, 4. Jensen/Touslee.

Heat 2: 1. Eagleburger/Eagleburger, 2. Thomas/Thomas, 3. Kleen/Goebel, 4. Wentz/Bailey.

Feature: 1. Carter/Carter, 2. Eagleburger/Eagleburger, 3. Persinger/Graham, 4. Annon/Wonderly, 5. Kleen/Goebel, 6. Thomas/Thomas, 7. Jensen/Touslee, 8. Wentz/Bailey, 9. Hockemeier/Ellis (DNF), 10. Mariman/Mariman (DNS).

# Norton golf tournament a success

Twenty-two teams competed in Sunday's One Couple Scramble Golf Tournament held at Prairie Dog Golf Club.

Emerging as the winners of the championship flight were Ron and Jackie Porter of Norton, with a score of 68.

Taking second place was another Norton couple, Roger and Mary Jane Wahlmeier, with a score of 70.

Locked in a three-way tie for

third place with scores of 71 were Rick and Kim Green, Norton; Jerry and Kay Quinn, Orleans, Neb.; and Lue and Audrey Hines, Colby.

First Flight winners were first, Ken and Juanita Gregoire, Norton; second, Tad and Janet Wicker, Norton; and tied for third Gary and Deana Knight, Plainville; Roger and Beverly Hardiek, Norton; and Steve and Tammy Nelson, Norton.

Second Flight winners were

first, Jim Antrim and Marj Allen, Norton; second, Zach Ludke and Crystal Hershberger, Colby; and third, Dan and Tammy Walter, Norton.



# Jennings sports will soon begin

The Jennings Coyotes are becoming Indians this year, as the boys head to Hoxie to play football.

The Jennings football program has been scrapped because there were too few students. However, those who want to play football will get their chance, said Superintendent Dave DuBois. They'll just have to travel a bit further every day.

On Monday, a school vehicle was to start running from Jennings through Allison and down to Hoxie for practice each day. Marcus McKenna, Tyler Bolt and Kyle Kinser will be on that bus.

While the football boys are working out down south, however, the girls volleyball team will keep up the spirit at home with matches scheduled for Tuesday, Aug. 31, and Tuesday, Sept. 28, in Jennings. The first match for the squad will be Saturday, Aug. 28, at the Healy Tournament.

There should be eight girls out for volleyball this year, coached by Vickie Schmitz. The girls are seniors Tiffany Wheeler, Crystal Franco, Jody Brooks, and Rocki Bochart; junior Elise Kinser; sophomore Kim Coiner; and freshmen Crystal Boling and Ashley Brown.

Junior high students interested in football and volleyball will be able to join the Oberlin Red Devils, whose practices also were to start on Monday. They will also be given transportation to practice and games.

Jennings is planning to field both boys and girls basketball teams this winter for the high school, said Mr. DuBois, but will probably work out a cooperative agreement for the junior high students to join other squads.

## JENNINGS COYOTES 2004 HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

| Date               | Opponents                                | Where      | Time      |
|--------------------|--|------------|-----------|
| Saturday, Aug. 28  | Healy Tournament                         | Healy      | 9 a.m.    |
| Tuesday, Aug. 31   | West Plains, Northern Valley, Kensington | Jennings   | 4 p.m.    |
| Tuesday, Sept. 2   | Weskan Quad                              | Weskan     | 3 p.m.    |
| Saturday, Sept. 11 | Gove County Classic                      | Grinnell   | 9 a.m.    |
| Tuesday, Sept. 21  | Eastern Heights, Palco                   | Agra       | 3:30 p.m. |
| Tuesday, Sept. 28  | Grinnell, Golden Plains, Healy           | Jennings   | 3 p.m.    |
| Tuesday, Oct. 12   | Kensington                               | Kensington | 3:30 p.m. |
| Saturday, Oct. 16  | Cheyenne Conference Tournament           | Palco      | 10 a.m.   |

## HOXIE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL ROSTER FOR THOSE DIE-HARD JENNINGS FANS

| Date              | Opponent    | Where       | Time   |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------|--------|
| Friday, Sept. 3   | Goodland    | Hoxie       | 7 p.m. |
| Friday, Sept. 10  | Colby       | Colby       | 7 p.m. |
| Friday, Sept. 17  | Oakley      | Hoxie       | 7 p.m. |
| Friday, Sept. 24  | Atwood      | Atwood      | 7 p.m. |
| Friday, Oct. 1    | Quinter     | Hoxie       | 7 p.m. |
| Friday, Oct. 8    | St. Francis | St. Francis | 7 p.m. |
| Friday, Oct. 15   | Hill City   | Hill City   | 7 p.m. |
| Friday, Oct. 22   | Stockton    | Hoxie       | 7 p.m. |
| Thursday, Oct. 28 | Oberlin     | Hoxie       | 7 p.m. |