(Dacono, CO - 07-23-2011) It was an epic night of 1 on 1 battles at CNS. 5 divisions saw respectable car counts and each division brought the horde of CNS fans to the edge of their seats. The story of the evening comes courtesy of the lightning fast Late Model drivers Dan Savage and Ronnie Hults who wowed fans with a memorable battle for 1st place.

Late Models For the first quarter of the 40 lapper it looked like it was going to be a race between Paul Deines and Dan Savage for the win. Without warning Ronnie Hults came from behind to pass Deines and challenge Savage for the win. As a wild battle for the lead raged at the front of the field, Roger Avants quietly made his way from 11th place through some serious competition. With only a few laps to go Savage and Hults were duking it out for the win while Yackey and Avants were engaged in a battle of their own. A nail biting hush fell over the grandstands as Hults rocketed into 1st place and crossed the checkered for the win followed closely by Savage. Paul Deines took 3rd.
Sportsman It was a clean win for Lee Kemmit who broke away from the pack early on and just kept building on his lead. The real race was between Tommy Roe and Jeff Walbaum. Lap after grueling lap, it seemed not even a crowbar could separate the two. Finally with only 5 laps to go, Walbaum broke away for 2nd but Roe was unceasing and followed close behind. When the checkered flew, it was Kemmit followed by Walbaum, Roe, Rick Hunt and Bruce Borchardt.

CNS Modifieds (Mod Coupes and Grand American Modifieds) It was intense as always to watch these 2 open wheel divisions race in tandem. Gary Land took quick control of the lead, little did he know that Cris Muhler was gradually making his way up the field from a start in 7th. After caution brought on by contact between Justin Case and Jeff Hansen, Land and Muhler lined up nice and neat and went at it at the drop of the green flag. Muhler used a single lap to speed to the lead and dominated the remainder of the race taking the overall win and the win for the Mod Coupes. #1 Jay Fields took first place for the Grand American Modifieds.

Pro Trucks The Trucks put on a fierce show. The race was up front as Avants and Vanderwal locked horns in a multi-lap duel for the lead. Just as Avants found the line past Vanderwal, a spin out by #36 Matt Burton brought on caution. It was deja vu when the green flag flew (no rhyming intended) because Avants and Vanderwal raced door handle to door handle once again. This time around, Simonson dove into the mix making it one of the most intense finishes in CNS Pro Truck racing history. With 3 laps to go it was anyone's race. Avants took the win by a nose followed by Vanderwal, Simonson and Whittar.

Figure 8 The 20 lap figure 8 feature started slow but finished strong. 16 drivers started the race with 6 cars pitting as the race went on, only 3 would return to finish out the feature. Big Al started on the outside of row 1 and lead the event until Smokin' Joe Martinez caught him as the two crossed the start/finish line going into the final lap. As the rivals rounded turn 2, Big Al spun out paving the way for Martinez. Martinez did finish first but the officials had to deliberate to determine the winner. After a minute or so, Martinez was crowed the victor of the event.

Pro Truck 1 #27 Roger Avants, Littleton, CO 2 #34 Rudy Vanderwal, LaSalle, CO, 99 Ford F150 3 #09 Justin Simonson, Wheatridge, CO,

06 Chevy 4 #5 Troy Whittar, Eastlake, CO, 04 Chevy Silverado 5 #36 Matt Burton, Englewood, CO, 08 Silverado

6 #32 Mark Neff, Eaton, CO

7 #15 Mike Bernard, Fort Collins, CO, 10 Ford F150

8 #04 Bobby Durand, 99 Silverado

DNF #79 John Jacob, Strasburg

DNF #60 Jonathan Lindberg

Sportsman 1 #98 Lee Kemmit, Thornton, CO, 03 Pontiac 2 #8 Jeff Walbaum, 03 Monte Carlo

3 #6 Tommy Roe, Thornton, CO, 03 Pontiac Grand Prix

4 #02 Rick Hunt, Arvada, CO, Chevy

5 #84 Bruce Borchardt, Lafayette, CO, 03 Grand Prix

6 #46 Eric Blackard, Lakewood, CO, 03 Monte Carlo

7 #41 Dale Reeder, Westminster, CO, 08 Charger

8 #32 Mark Neff

9 #45 Grant Simpson, Pueblo, CO

10 #9 Dalton Hewitt, Fort Morgan, CO, 81 Camaro

11 #67 Stephanie Brown, Littleton, CO, 03 Chevy

12 #3 Wade Grove, Thornton, CO, Chevy

13 #00 Steve Maas, Longmont, CO

14 #27 Wendi Lewis, Monte Carlo

15 #13 Eric Potts, Arvada, CO, 99 Monte Carlo

16 #28 Alan Carter, Commerce City, CO

DNF #29 Jan Oxley, Fort Lupton, CO, 03 Grand Prix

Late Model 1 #42 Ronnie Hults, Centennial, CO 2 #74 Dan Savage, Aurora, CO, Fusion 3 #17 Paul Deines

4 #12 Bruce Yackey, Greeley, CO, 07 Monte Carlo

5 #27 Roger Avants, Littleton, CO, 2010 Monte Carlo

6 #7 Adam Deines, Longmont, CO, 97 Cutlass

7 #31 Rick Smith, Gering, NE, 07 Monte Carlo

8 #91 Chris Atkinson

9 #95 Chris Muhler

10 #54 Joe James Jr, Denver, CO, 08 Monte Carlo

11 #55 Jesse Runkle, Lakewood, CO

DNF #84 Matt Zwingelberg, Aurora, CO

13 #2 Nick Martinez

14 #78 Darren Crocker, Brighton, CO, '11 Impala

DNF #23 Davin Fisbeck, Thornton, CO, 07 Monte Carlo

DNF #66 Darren Bucklan, Greeley, CO, Monte Carlo

CNS Modified 1 #95 Cris Muhler 2 #55 Gary Land, Littleton, CO, 32 Chevy Coupe 3 #24 Chad Guilford, Highlands Ranch, CO, 32 Ford

4 #1 Jay Fields, Pueblo West, CO, 2011 Wade Moon

5 #20 Rich Bubak, Arvada, CO, 29 Ford

6 #12 Jaime Bubak, Arvada, CO

7 #44 Justin Case, Brighton, CO

8 #46 Eric Blackard, Lakewood, CO, 33 Chevy

9 #4 Mark Sopr, Cheyenne, WY

10 #98 Shon Flick, Colorado Springs, CO, 32 Zims Rod and Custom Ford

11 #02 Sammy Gallo

12 #71 Jim Bredeson, Aurora, CO, 30 Ford 2 Door

13 #12 Gary Meisman

14 #2x Trevor Snow

15 #80 Matt Devich, Hartsel, CO, 32 Coupe

16 #61 Theron Bredeson, Arvada, CO, 32 Ford 5 Window

17 #09H Ronnie Hults, 34 Ford

18 #77 Jeff Hansen, Berthoud, CO

Figure 8 1 #24 Joe Martinez 2 #4 Joe Matlock 3 #52 Jared Wall 4 #50 Justin McKeachie 5 #28 Victor Johnson

6 #20 Lance Proctor

7 #23 Al Duran

8 #03 Luke Zike

9 #81 David Smith

10 #17 Harry Livermore Jr

11 #05 Jerome Hohn

12 #16 Phil Taylor

13 #86 Shirley Thompson

14 #5 Dennis Summers