

Hachmeister, Martin remain undefeated at Elmwood

By Mike Hughes

The headline is the same as the race before as Jay Hachmeister of Lenora and Anthony Martin of Wilcox, Neb. remain unbeaten in the four race dates this season at Elmwood Park Speedway in Norton after racing action Saturday night.

Martin won the heat race, then led all 10 laps of the IMCA Hobby Stock feature. 'Bam Bam' Cody Graham stayed close but could not make a pass and had to settle for second, followed by Theron Martin and Cole Miller.

Hachmeister won the second heat race and started fifth in the 9-car IMCA Stock Car feature. Eric Kinderknecht led the first two laps before Hachmeister took the lead and held on the remaining 13 laps to make his way to victory lane. Kinderknecht held off first heat winner Josh 'The Hammer' Hudson for the runner-up spot, with Jason Davis and Michael Dancer completing the top five.

The IMCA 305 Sprint Cars had a rough night. Garth Griffith rolled his car in the heat race. He was unhurt but done for the night. Then in the 15-lap main event, Ron Hadley's car caught on fire, ending his night, and heat race winner Randy Bantam rolled his car, also ending his night. Howard Van Dyke led the field the first half

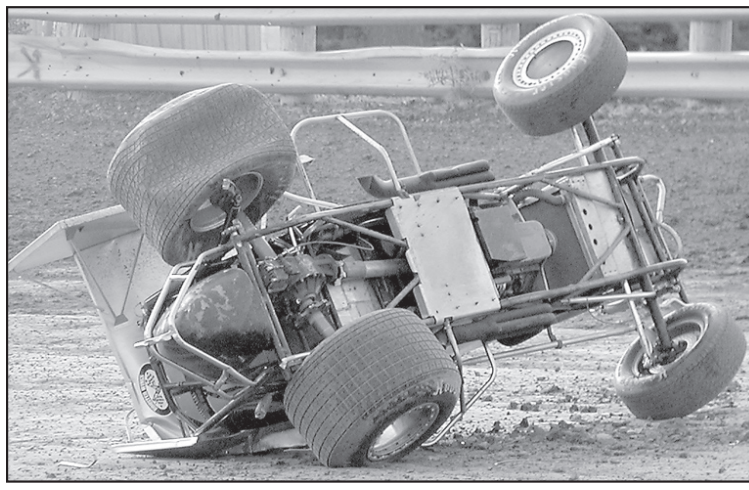
of the race, then Darren Berry of McCook, Neb. took control and led the rest of the way to the checkers for his second win this season. Van Dyke was second, trailed by Tommy Williams and Nate Berry.

Beloit's Tim Watts held off heat race winner and brother-in-law Brian Calhoun to win his second IMCA Modified feature this season at the half-mile. Matt Henke was third and Caven Portenier fourth.

The IMCA Northern Sport Mods ran two features as the evening's program started with the make-up feature from the May 12 event. Tyler Frye took the early lead, only to be passed by Kensington's Cory Struckhoff at the halfway mark of the 15-lap race. Struckhoff pulled away for a trip to victory lane, followed by Frye, Kaid Calhoun, Brian Conness and Tanner Portenier.

Struckhoff and Frye would win the two heat races prior to the regular main event. This time Frye was not to be denied as he led all 15 laps. Struckhoff would have to settle for second, with Troy Attwood, Calhoun, and Jason McCartney rounding out the top five.

The regular five classes return to racing during the Norton County Fair on Saturday and Sunday, July 28-29. All 5 divisions



Sprint car racer Garth Griffith rolled his car putting it out of commission during Saturday's races at the Elmwood Park Speedway. Two of Norton's racers, Ron Hadley and Randy Bantam, were also out of the final race due to fire and a roll over. No serious injuries were sustained by any of the drivers but it did make for an exciting and late end to the night.

-Telegram photo by Dana Paxton

sions will compete both nights with racing set for 7 p.m. each night.

RESULTS

IMCA Hobby Stocks
Heat: 1. Anthony Martin, 2. Jason Grabast, 3. Cody Graham, 4. Theron Martin.
Feature: 1. A. Martin, 2. Graham, 3. T. Martin, 4. Cole Miller, 5. Grabast (DNF).
IMCA Sport Mods
Make-up feature (from 5-12):

1. Cory Struckhoff, 2. Tyler Frye, 3. Kaid Calhoun, 4. Brian Conness, 5. Tanner Portenier, 6. Frank McClurg, 7. J.R. Ewing, 8. Jay Weigel (DNF), 9. Austin Walker (DNS), 10. Chris Heim (DNS), 11. Rick Putman (DNS), 12. Jeremy Sigler (DNS).
Heat 1: 1. Struckhoff, 2. Conness, 3. Calhoun, 4. McClurg.
Heat 2: 1. Frye, 2. Dan Lauer, 3. Jason McCartney, 4. Weigel.
Feature: 1. Frye, 2. Struckhoff, 3. Troy Attwood, 4. Cal-

Campaign aims to stop aquatic hitchhikers

The Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks and Tourism recently launched a statewide campaign, Stop Aquatic Hitchhikers, to educate Kansans about the environmental and economic threats that aquatic nuisance species such as zebra mussels and Asian carp pose to the state's aquatic resources. Aquatic nuisance species are animals and plants not native to Kansas that can threaten lake and river ecology, harm native or desirable species and interfere with our economy. They often hitchhike with unsuspecting people,

so an informed, watchful public can help protect Kansas waters.

Stop Aquatic Hitchhikers features animated Asian carp hitching a ride in a boat and includes a new website, www.kdwp.state.ks.us/news/Fishing/Aquatic-Nuisance-Species>ProtectKSWaters.org; billboards, print advertisements, and TV and radio spots. It aims to alert the public about the threat of certain species and encourages people to learn more and use what they learn to help prevent the spread of nuisance

species.

In an attempt to stem the spread of nuisance species, the Kansas Wildlife, Parks and Tourism Commission passed new regulations effective Jan. 1. The new regulations prohibit the movement of wild-caught live bait fish between bodies of water or up streams. They also require that vessels being removed from all waters in the state have livewells and bilges drained and drain plugs removed before being transported on any public highway.

Norton runner signs with Garden City college

By Dick Boyd

Senior Bryan Henry, an outstanding runner in track and cross country for four years for Norton Community High School, has signed a letter of intent to run track and cross country for Garden City Community College.

Although his specialty in track has been the 400 meter dash, he is often seen anchoring a Norton 1600 or 3200 meter relay team to victory.

He was an All-State cross country runner in 2010 and has been Norton's No.2 cross country runner the past three years.

"I am very happy and excited for Bryan and for his future in cross country and track and field," said Norton head track and field coach Jason Jones. "He

is a gifted athlete and a great leader who has always worked exceedingly hard and that has really paid off for him.

"I have no doubt that his work ethic will continue and will lead him to additional and continued success during his time at Garden City Community College.

"Bryan is very goal-oriented and driven by his desire to succeed. I fully expect him to become a valued asset to Garden City's program and I wish him the very best of luck!"

"Bryan has been one of our top two runners," said Norton head cross country coach George Rossi. "During his ju-

nior year, Bryan placed 19th at the state cross country meet. He was also a regional and Mid-Continent League medalist during his time at Norton Community High School.

"Bryan has always been a leader for his team and we wish him the best in this next chapter of his career."

"Bryan is a young man who has a very bright upside in track and cross country," said Garden City head track and cross country coach Dan Delgado.

"He has a good build and great leg speed. We're very happy to be able to recruit him. It is also a good opportunity for him to

continue his education while he helps us maintain our success in track and cross country and he sees that."

Under coach Delgado, Garden City has a nationally known cross country and track and field team. Last fall, they were the Regional 6 cross country champions and the national runner-up.

"We concentrate on distance runners and are looking forward to Bryan running for us," said coach Delgado. "He needs to get stronger and, when he does, we'll have a heck of a runner!"

Bryan is the son of Tim Henry and Charlotte Gasper.

Bryan Henry signs with Garden City Community College



Senior Bryan Henry, outstanding cross country and track and field runner for Norton Community High School, has signed a letter of intent to compete in both sports for Garden City Community College. He is pictured signing the letter of intent as relatives and coaches look on. Pictured are, from left, front row: father Tim Henry, Bryan, mother Charlotte Gasper, Chad Gasper; back row: Norton head track and field coach Jason Jones and Norton head cross country coach George Rossi.

-Telegram photo by Dick Boyd

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Golfer takes himself to state golf

Northern Valley High School freshman golfer Matt Stutsman is the only member of the Huskies golf team, a golf team that has no coach.

Stutsman finished his golf season at the KSHSAA 1A State Boys Golf Tournament on May 21, at Highlands Golf Course in Hutchinson. Stutsman finished in 62nd place with a round of 118, an impressive accomplishment for a ninth grader without a coach.

On May 14, at the Cow Patty Golf Club in Grinnell, Stutsman shot a round of 85 and finished in ninth place which qualified him for the State Tournament.

Matt is the son of Nicci and Tracy Stutsman and this is his first year on the golf team.

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houn, 5. McCartney, 6. Lauer, 7. McClurg, 8. Weigel, 9. Conness (DNF), 10. Ewing (DNF), 11. Portenier (DNS), 12. Jerry Fokuhl (DNS).
IMCA Stock Cars
Heat 1: 1. Josh Hudson, 2. Michael Dancer, 3. Pat Bedore, 4. Darin Racek.
Heat 2: 1. Jay Hachmeister, 2. Eric Kinderknecht, 3. J.R. McCreery, 4. Jason Davis.
Feature: 1. Hachmeister, 2. Kinderknecht, 3. Hudson, 4. Davis, 5. Dancer, 6. Bob Ru-

therford, 7. Bedore, 8. Racek, 9. McCreery (DNF).
IMCA 305 Sprint Cars
Heat: 1. Randy Bantam, 2. Tommy Williams, 3. Darren Berry, 4. Howard Van Dyke.
Feature: 1. D. Berry, 2. Van Dyke, 3. Williams, 4. Nate Berry, 5. Bantam (DNF), 6. Ron Hadley (DNF), 7. Garth Griffith (DNS).
IMCA Modifieds
Heat: 1. Brian Calhoun, 2. Tim Watts, 3. Matt Henke, 4. Caven Portenier.

•PUBLIC NOTICE•

NOTICE OF PLACES AND DATES OF REGISTRATION FOR PRIMARY ELECTION
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Notice of Places and Dates of Registration for Primary Election
In compliance with the provisions of K.S.A. 25-2310, notice is hereby given that the voters of NORTON COUNTY, Kansas may register to vote at the following places during regular office hours; Norton City Office, Almena City Office, Lenora City Office and the Norton County Clerk's Office.

At 5:00 p.m. on the 17th day of July, 2012 the books for registration of voters will close and will remain closed until the 8th day of August, 2012.
A citizen of the United States who is 18 years of age or older, or will have attained the age of 18 years at the next election, must register before he or she can vote. Registration closes 14 days prior to every election.

When a registered voter changes residence from one precinct to another precinct, such voter must re-register in order to be eligible to vote. Any person may apply in person, by telephone, or by mail to the county election officer to be registered. Application forms shall be provided by the county election officer upon request by the applicant. Such application shall be signed by the applicant under penalty of perjury.

When a registered voter fails to vote in two consecutive general elections, such voter's name may be removed from the registration books and party affiliation lists. Such voter must re-register in order to be eligible to vote.

In Witness Whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal this 15th day of June, 2012.

Robert D. Wyatt
Norton County Election Officer

•PUBLIC NOTICE• PRIMARY ELECTION NOTICE

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State of Kansas, Norton County, Kansas, June 14, 2012 as required by K.S.A. 25-209. Notice is hereby given that there will be a Primary Election held in Norton County, August 7, 2012.

The voting hours will be from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the regular voting places.

I, Robert D. Wyatt, County Election Officer of Norton County do hereby certify the following named persons for the respective offices indicated below, are entitled to a place on the Official Ballots in the Primary Election to be held in Norton County, August 7, 2012.

PRIMARY ELECTION NOTICE NATIONAL OFFICES

FOR UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tim Huelskamp, Fowler..... Republican

FOR STATE SENATOR - 40th District
Allen Clark Schmidt, Hays..... Democrat
John E. Miller, Norton..... Republican
Ralph Ostmeier, Grinnell..... Republican

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE 110th DISTRICT
Philip H. Martin, Ellis..... Democrat
Travis Couture-Lovelady, Palco..... Republican
Lawrence J. Reichert, Hays..... Republican

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE 17th DISTRICT
Preston A. Pratt, Oberlin..... Republican

COUNTY OFFICES

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER 2nd DISTRICT
Carolyn Applegate, Norcatur..... Republican
R.A. Peterson, Norton..... Republican

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER 3rd DISTRICT
Charles W. Posson, Norton..... Republican
Brock Ellis, Norton..... Republican
Curtis E. Eveleigh, Norton..... Republican

FOR COUNTY CLERK
Robert D. Wyatt, Norton..... Republican

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
Cynthia Joan Linner, Norton..... Republican
Sarah Y. Durham, Norton..... Republican

FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS
Wanda M. Vincent, Norton..... Republican

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY
R. Douglas Sebelius, Norton..... Republican

FOR SHERIFF
Troy M. Thomson, Norton..... Republican

TOWNSHIP OFFICES

FOR Norton, WARD ONE COMMITTEEMAN
Joe E. Ballinger, Norton..... Republican

FOR NORTON WARD TWO COMMITTEEMAN
R.A. Peterson, Norton..... Republican

FOR NORTON WARD TWO COMMITTEEWOMAN
Jeana Cozad, Norton..... Republican

FOR NORTON WARD THREE COMMITTEEMAN
Curt Archibald, Norton..... Republican

FOR CENTER #1 PRECINCT COMMITTEEMAN
Jon C. Lofgreen, Norton..... Republican

FOR CENTER #1 PRECINCT COMMITTEEWOMAN
Elaine Lofgreen, Norton..... Republican
Samantha M. Hager, Norton..... Republican

FOR HIGHLAND #1 PRECINCT COMMITTEEMAN
Steven L. Berry, Lenora..... Republican

FOR HIGHLAND #1 PRECINCT COMMITTEEWOMAN
Joni K. Berry, Lenora..... Republican

FOR HIGHLAND #2 PRECINCT COMMITTEEMAN
Marion Goldsby, Norton..... Republican

FOR HIGHLAND #2 PRECINCT COMMITTEEWOMAN
Jennie Goldsby, Norton..... Republican

FOR HIGHLAND #3 PRECINCT COMMITTEEMAN
Clarence E. Wetter, Norton..... Republican

FOR HIGHLAND #3 PRECINCT COMMITTEEWOMAN
Rebecca C. Wetter, Norton..... Republican

VOTING PLACES

Almena City-Township & Harrison..... Almena Community Center
Center Precinct No. 1..... Courthouse Lobby
Center Precinct No. 2..... Courthouse Lobby
Highland Precinct No. 1..... Lenora Community Building
All of Modell..... Lenora Community Building
Highland Precinct #2..... American Legion Building
Highland Precinct #3..... Courthouse Lobby
Solomon Precinct No. 1..... American Legion Building
Old Belle Plain..... Courthouse Lobby
Solomon Precinct No. 2..... American Legion Building

NORTON CITY:
Ward One..... American Legion Building
Ward Two..... American Legion Building
Ward Three..... American Legion Building

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