

SPEEDROME TO CELEBRATE 30th ANNIVERSARY LATE MODEL SEASON

Blood Hound Underground Indianapolis Speedrome TM
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Indy's #1 Action Attraction is proud to announce several special programs to shine the light on this the 30th anniversary season for the Jiffy Lube Late Models. The premier Speedrome racing division will begin its birthday season on April 6th. The class began its life as the Pro Stocks in 1979 and still remains the most unique series in the country. Only 10 drivers have earned the honor as a Speedrome Late Model champion. Over the years, 741 Figure 8 features were raced with 50 different winners having shined in front of so many great faithful fans. It continues to be one of a kind series because the drivers accumulate points on the oval and Figure 8 during each event. And is a prime example of what true teamwork means between owner, driver, crew, and sponsors.

During 2008 in the track's official newspaper and on www.speedrome.com, we are going to announce 30 top drivers from the 30 year history of the Jiffy Lube Late Models. During the first 29 seasons, an amazing 575 different drivers have scored points making the journey to 30 very hard. The tough task of ranking these drivers was mulled through over several meetings during the winter by a very knowledgeable panel. The fun list was amassed by feature wins, point's finishes, longevity, and many other factors. We will begin releasing a few at a time early in the season with the final ones being announced at the Sonny Thompson Memorial Figure 8 on Saturday July 19th.

Also, we will be reliving many important moments in Jiffy Lube Late Model history. Countless notable dates will remind fans of historical events, driver accomplishments, fun facts, statistical marks, and much more. Did you know a NASCAR Sprint Cup champion scored points in the division? Or that a driver once won an amazing 11 Figure 8 features in a row! A driver captured his first crossover win in the prestigious One Hour Endurance race. Or that one family has had five different feature winners. Stay tuned to find out all these fun facts.

Come on out in 2008 to celebrate the Jiffy Lube Late Model series in its anniversary year. Here are just some of the notable nights on this year's schedule.

Sunday April 6th – Opening day
Saturday May 24th – Night before the 500
Saturday May 31st – 5th Annual Triple Crown
Saturday June 21st – 8th Annual Jake Cohen Memorial 150
Saturday June 28th – Firecracker 50
Saturday July 5th – Triple 8 Night
Saturday July 12th – The Chase for the Blood Hound Cup begins
Saturday July 19th – 28th Annual Sonny Thompson Memorial Figure 8
Saturday August 2nd – 6th Annual Phyllis Tunny Memorial Figure 8
Wednesday August 6th – Sponsor Appreciation Night
Saturday August 23rd – 30th Annual Pepsi 100
Saturday August 30th – 32nd Annual One Hour Figure 8

The Blood Hound Underground Indianapolis Speedrome TM is located near the intersection of Brookville Road and Kitley Avenue on Indy's eastside. For more information log on to www.speedrome.com or call the Speedrome hotline at (317) 353-8206.

We are the home of the \$20,000 to win World Figure 8 Championship September 4-6, 2008