



Robert Echo's

# Sugar Hill Notebook

What a fantastic evening of motor racing on June 13 especially the ATVs with their "Lemans Style Starts" for several of the classes and I must say that everyone, including myself, really enjoyed those races very much.

They were quite exciting to say the least and I think after all the divisions that 30-year-old Ricky Jordan competed in he must have needed oxygen when he got back to the pits after his events.

Jordan also had his problems on the way to the speedway as the motor in his truck blew up and he had to ride his ATV the last few miles to the race track and he had no idea how he was gonna get him and his ATV back home to Hillsboro, NH. He said he could ride his Honda four-wheeler 25-miles to his home via the highway through Weare and Henniker or he could ride it through the countryside overland which would be approximately 20-miles or less but it was gonna be fun going either way as he didn't have a light on the ATV.

Ricky and his wife, Lisa, are expecting their first child in about two-weeks and rumor has it that Ricky's already got an ATV for the new addition so he or she will be able to race in the Youth division.

Jay Grysk of Standish, ME had a great evening of racing on June 13 as he captured both the Modified 2-Stroke and Open Pro classes which earned him a new and very special award which I'll tell you about a little later.

Sixteen-year-old Somersworth (NH) High School sophomore, Brett "The Rollinsford Rocket" Karkos, is definitely a sensational first-year hotshoe as he started on the pole in the 500cc Mini-Sprint 20-lap feature and ran away and hid from the rest of the field despite a couple of caution flags.

This was Karkos' first ever victory and it definitely won't be his last as the young Rollinsford, NH driver has got a very promising racing career ahead of him.

For those of you who left the speedway on June 13 thinking Jack Eastwood had won the 15-lap 600cc Modified Midget main event, well, he was disqualified for not heeding the black flag and placed last as Paul Howard was then given the checkered flag after a post race protest was filed.

Special congratulations go out to the three competitors selected by race officials to receive the "Moly Black Gold Mini-Sprint Driver of the Week" awards to date including Ray Boissoneau (5/16), rookie Brett Karkos (5/30) and Art Bureau (6/13) while Boissoneau (5/16), Paul Scally, III (5/30) and Karkos (6/13) have all qualified for entry into the "Zee Medical Winner's Circle Clash" with Dick Bonner (5/16), George Martin (5/30) and Danny Benson (6/13) being eligible in the "Wild Card Draw" for the prestigious season ending race.

Also, congratulations to Bob Clark (5/16), Karkos (5/30) and Dan Pinkham (6/13), winners of the "Miss Shelby Racing Products/H&H Racing Fuels Rookie of the Race" awards plus Karkos (5/30) and Scally (6/13) who picked up "RST Performance Hard Charger Challenge" presentations and to Jay Grysk, a Maine State Mainiac, who was selected by officials to receive the first ever "T&M Motorsports ATV Rider of the Week" honors.

**PIT NOTES...** Starting with this week's racing program, we'll be using a special theme song to get the 500cc Mini-Sprints off the line in their "A" feature and the music that we'll be playing is the up tempo "Switch 625" by Def Leppard... Don't forget, the Friday night, July 17 event will include a series of four "Eastern Motorcars Kiddies Big Wheels" racing events for the younger set between the ages of 4 and 12. There'll also be two divisions of "Lawn & Garden Tractor" races so you can bring your small riding tractors and go racing here at Sugar Hill Speedway. You can pick-up rules, regulations and entry forms at the "Sugar Shack", the speedway snack bar. Why not enter your child in the Big Wheels races or yourself in the Lawn & Garden events or you can do both... It was recently decided that the July 17 "P.N. Hultgren/Cody Racing Products Twin-Track Series" races will feature 30-lap main events for the 250cc Micro-Sprints, 500cc Mini-Sprints and 600cc Modified Midgets with double points being up for grabs. It'll be a great event to see as the Sportsman/Odysseys, Lawn & Garden Tractors and Big Wheels are also scheduled to join the evening's racing program so plan on attending on that date!... Golden Cross Ambulance Service, the parent company of Speedway Safety Services, will be sponsoring a very prestigious award beginning with the 1992 "Sugar Hill Speedway Banquet of Champions", I'll let you know more about this special presentation in the next issue of the "Weekend Warrior" program... We have finally found a track photographer and she is none other than Lauri Roberge, wife of Sportsman/Odyssey driver, Ed Roberge, and she'll be taking photos every Mini-Sprint, Sportsman/Odyssey and ATV racing night so you'll be able to pick up photos of your favorite driver or rider as well as speedway souvenirs at "Lauri's Souvenir Stand" which is next to the "Sugar Shack" snack bar. Video tapes of racing action here on the 1/8-mile dirt high-banks taped by Roger Lemere are also on sale at the souvenir stand at the low cost of \$14.95 and you get two complete racing programs on every tape so it's really a very good deal. Stop down and pick-up a picture or a video tape or a souvenir and tell them I sent you!... Coming events at Sugar Hill Speedway are "David's House Nite!" and the 1200cc Eastern Outlaw Mini-Sprints in two weeks, July 11, the "P.N. Hultgren/Cody Racing Products Twin-Track Series" event on Friday, July 17, and the prestigious 4th annual "President's Cup" for the Granite State Mini-Sprint Racing Club on July 25, as the month of July offers some great motorsports action for both spectators and competitors alike... Until next time, See Ya!!!

**Official's Profile**

Official: Ned Sparrow  
 Duty: Chief Pit Steward  
 Wife: Ellen Children: Ted (6)  
 Occupation: Mechanic Bus: Acton Toyota  
 Hobbies: Motorsports & Racing R/C

Stadium Trucks  
 Related Info: Ned is also a Firefighter for the Town of Ayer. Was Crew Chief for Mark Savirt's SCCA GT2 240Z Datsun 1975-78. He raced Off Road Jeeps 1978-80. Began racing Odysseys here at Sugar Hill Speedway in 1982, winning the Championship in '86. Started as a Push Truck Driver at Sugar Hill shortly thereafter and has advanced through the Official's ranks to his present position as Chief Pit Steward. He's presently racing 1/10-scale Radio Controlled Stadium Trucks and his race vehicle is a replica of the truck driven by Walker Evans.

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**MINI-SPRINT WINNER'S CIRCLE**

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"A" Feature Winners will be presented a Zee Truck First Aid Kit (\$50) and will qualify for the season ending "ZEE MEDICAL WINNER'S CIRCLE CLASH" as the Winner will receive a Zee Industrial First Aid Cabinet (\$200). Feature Winners are to be awarded only one Kit for season.

**Qualified for "Clash"**

5/16	#98	Ray Boissoneau
5/30	#30	Paul Scally, III
6/13	#90	Brett Karkos (R)

**"Wild Card" Entries**

5/16	#16	Dick Bonner
5/30	#21	George Martin
6/13	#52	Danny Benson

The mighty winged 1200cc Eastern Outlaw Mini-Sprints will make their only appearance of the 1992 season here at Sugar Hill Speedway on Saturday night, July 11

That date will also be a special evening as we'll be **RACIN' FOR DAVID'S HOUSE!** here on the dirt high-banks.

David's House is located in Hanover, NH and its' primary function is a home away from home for families who've got children undergoing treatment at the Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center.

The House, which is situated at One Prospect Street, has seven bedrooms, a stocked library, a living room complete with color television and VCR, a children's playroom, a laundry and a complete kitchen.

Families have a total use of the home as they are able to make their own meals and although there is a nominal fee for each family, there has never been a family turned away because of not being able to pay.

The House is named in memory of David Cyr, a boy discovered to have acute lymphatic leukemia just prior to his second birthday but the cancer didn't stop his love of life or his zest for living, touching all those around him.

During his frequent trips to the hospital, he'd become friends with other children undergoing treatment and he always dreamed about taking them home with him so they'd be in a haven away from pain and suffering. Dick and Gerry Cyr, parents of the adopted lad, met the parents of the other children who had to sometime sleep in the hospital waiting rooms or in their automobile due to the fact they couldn't afford a motel room.

The Cyrs dreamed of creating a facility where those families could stay and David's House is the culmination of that dream. After David died in 1984, his parents dedicated a great deal of time in making that dream come true.

Many people and businesses from throughout Northern New England has made a gift of David's House to all the parents and children needing a place to rest and relax when coming to Hanover and Dartmouth-Hitchcock.



The House, which opened in 1986, can definitely use your tax deductible contributions to keep the home in operation as overnight fees don't come close to covering operational costs so you can help by contributing as much as possible and they'll appreciate you support very much.

When visiting the "Sugar Shack", the track snack bar, to get a bite to eat or something to drink, drop your loose change in the canisters provided by David's House which are sitting on both counters. When the next night of racing arrives in two weeks, July 11, and the drivers all come around with their helmets, dig deep and give \$\$\$\$\$ to help support the much needed facility.

If you'd like to contribute thru the mail, send a check or money order to: David's House; P.O. Box 768; Hanover, NH 03755 and please make sure you mention Sugar Hill Speedway when making a donation as we're **RACIN' FOR DAVID'S HOUSE!** Saturday, July 11 as David's House is Sugar Hill Speedway's Official Charity.

The potent Eastern Outlaws will join the regular Saturday night competitors as the Granite State Mini-Sprints race in their second "Wingless" event which makes-up the divisions "Triple Crown Series" and on the same racing program are the fun packed Sportsman/Odysseys plus the wild and exciting ATVs.

## "EMC KIDDIES BIG WHEELS" RACING SET FOR JULY 17

The Friday evening, July 17 P.N. HULTGREN/CODY RACING PRODUCTS TWIN-TRACK SERIES event will feature 30-lap main events for the 250cc Micro Sprints, 500cc Mini-Sprints and the 600cc Modified Midgets as \$200 will be up for grabs to the feature winners of each race here on the Sugar Hill Speedway dirt high-banks.

Scheduled to once again join the special race program are the always exciting Sportsman/Odysseys and recently added to the night's activities is a very special racing event for the kiddies.

The announcement was made during the past few weeks that Robert Karkos, a New England distributor for Eastern Motorcars (EMC) Mini-Sprint chassis and owner of Bob's Gulf & Automotive Center in Dover, NH, is sponsoring three nights of Kiddies Big Wheels races on July 17, August 14 and 28.

Children 4 to 12-years-old will be included in the **EMC KIDDIES BIG WHEELS CHALLENGE SERIES.**

There'll be four-classes including Minor for ages 4 and 5 while 6 and 7-year-olds compete in the Major division as the Expert class is for ages 8 and 9 and the 10 to 12-year-olds will race in the Modified division.

Besides distributing EMC chassis Karkos also sells McCreary and Hoosier tires, Champion and Mitchell beadlock and non-beadlock rims, RJS Performance safety equipment, Aurora bearings and heim ends plus many more items related to Mini-Sprints.

Some of the drivers using an EMC chassis are Karkos' two sons, Brice and Brett, Paul Scally, III, a two-time 1992 SHS feature winner, Danny Benson, Don Collins, George Martin, Troy Boissoneau and Paul Howard.

The top three-finishers in each division will be presented trophies so bring your youngsters with their plastic Big Wheels or a reasonable facimile on Friday evening, July 17 and they'll be able to compete in Round One of the **EASTERN MOTORCARS KIDDIES BIG WHEELS CHALLENGE** as the second and third rounds are set for Friday nights, August 14 and 28.

Big Wheels or a reasonable facimile used in the Minor, Major and Expert classes must be stock out of the manufacturer's box as the Modified class must use only one visible plastic part off of a stock Big Wheel or a reasonable facimile.

Rules for the **EASTERN MOTORCARS KIDDIES BIG WHEELS CHALLENGE** may be picked up at the "Sugar Shack", the track's snack bar.

## RESULTS

SATURDAY NIGHT (6/13/92)

<b>Modified Midget:</b>	1. 58 Paul Howard
	2. 35 Mike Catino, Sr.
	3. 17 Jeff Amaral (R)
<b>Mini-Sprint "A":</b>	1. 90 Brett Karkos (R)
	2. 38 Michael Boutin
	3. 1 Brice Karkos
<b>Mini-Sprint "B":</b>	1. 52 Danny Benson
	2. 48 Dan Pinkham (R)
	3. 8 Dave Allen
<b>M/S Powder Puff:</b>	1. 1 Ann Boissoneau
	2. 30 Jean Scally
	3. 44 Annie Savasta
<b>Sportsman/Odyssey:</b>	1. 71 Dan Puglisi
	2. 21 Clyde Anderson
	3. David Baribeau
<b>ATV Stk 2-Stroke:</b>	1. 23 Gary Arnold
	2. 61 Ricky Jordan
	3. 16 Jeremy Jarvis
<b>ATV Stk 4-Stroke:</b>	1. 27 Jason Nott
	2. 19 Mike Koloski
	3. Jason Celentano
<b>ATV Mod 2-Stroke:</b>	1. 37 Jay Grysk
	2. 36 Jonathon Fogg
	3. 43 Bill Kimball
<b>ATV Mod 4-Stroke:</b>	1. 33 Allen Rowe
	2. 9 Donny Ross
	3. 71 Eric Relation
<b>ATV Open Modifd:</b>	1. 77 Gene Smith
	2. 24 Brian Pierce
	3. 16 Jeff Burden
<b>ATV Pro Riders:</b>	1. 37 Jay Grysk
	2. 36 Jonathon Fogg
	3. 43 Bill Kimball
<b>ATV Youth Riders:</b>	1. 7 Joey Forte, III
	2. 17 Kevin Coventry
<b>Please Note:</b>	(R) = Rookie Drivers

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**"DRIVER OF THE WEEK"**

5/16	#98	Ray Boissoneau
5/30	#90	Brett Karkos (R)
6/13	#39	Art Bureau

**RST PERFORMANCE**

**MINI-SPRINT "HARD CHARGER" CHALLENGE**

5/30	#90	Brett Karkos
6/13	#30	Paul Scally, III

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Ann Boissoneau captured the first Mini-Sprint Powder Puff Race of the year. L.Roberge Photo

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Look for the "LUCKY RED STAR" in the E.J.TOWNES Ad and bring it to Announcer's Booth for PRIZE!

6/13 #37 Jay Grysk  
**"ATV RIDER OF THE WEEK"**  
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5/16 #6 Bob Clark  
 5/30 #90 Brett Karkos  
 6/13 #48 Dan Pinkham

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**LAWN & GARDEN TRACTOR RACES TO BE HOSTED ON JULY 17**  
 It was recently announced by Len West, Sugar Hill Speedway owner and Director of Marketing, that a very special racing event will be added to the Friday night, July 17 TWIN-TRACK SERIES RACES. Joining the 250cc Micro-Sprints, 500cc Mini-Sprints, 600cc Modified Midgets, the Sportsman/odysees and the EASTERN MOTORCARS KIDDIES BIG WHEELS CHALLENGE, is a first time ever racing event for Lawn & Garden Tractors. Two classes have been set-up for the small riding tractors including 8-HP to 14-HP making-up the Grass-hopper division and the Weedaters class is for 15-HP to 20-HP riding machines. All mowers, snow-blowers, snow-plows and any other accessories are to be removed from all Lawn & Garden Tractors before they're allowed to compete in the race and all dirt-ver/riders must wear a helmet. Rules and regulations with attached entry form can be picked up at the "Sugar Shack", the speedway snack bar.

**T&M MOTORSPORTS TO SPONSOR "ATV RIDER OF THE WEEK"**  
 The Mini-Sprinters are involved in a number of promotional programs this season and now the ATV competition will compete in a weekly promotion as T&M Motorsports, situated in East Montpelier, VT, is sponsoring the "ATV Rider of the Week" for every Saturday night ATV race here at Sugar Hill Speedway. Located on Rte 14 in that Central Vermont community, offers parts and accessories as well as service for ATVs, motorcycles and snowmobiles plus the motor racing oriented company builds engines for all those type vehicles. Todd Aude and Mike Whipple, who own T&M Motorsports, are both racing competitors as Aude races ATVs at Sugar Hill and Whipple competes in motocross racing at Derby, VT as well as Canada, NH. Aude now brings a parts trailer to Sugar Hill each ATV racing night as he sells parts and accessories to the four-wheel racers. The gift certificate offered by the company was awarded for the 1st time on June 13 and track officials selected Jay Grysk as the initial recipient for the T&M MOTORSPORTS "ATV RIDER OF THE WEEK" as he scored wins in both the Modified 2-Stroke and open Pro divisions. Presentations of the T&M Motor-sports gift certificates are to be made at intermission of the following race night for ATVs. Inquire with: Ron Elliott Area & Many Extras!! Storage Building, Parking w/Garage, Large Garage & Including Speedway, House FOR SALE - This Property 529-2803

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**GRANITE STATE MINI-SPRINT TOUR PT SIDES**

1.	#90 Brett Karkos (R)	318.0
2.	#1 Brice Karkos	309.5
3.	#76 John Greenhalgh	291.5
4.	#30 Paul Scally, III	276.0
5.	#77 Troy Bolsson	249.0
6.	#38 Michael Boutin	240.0
7.	#8 Dave Allen	213.5
8.	#45 Bob Bullock	202.5
9.	#27 Steve Robinson	200.5
10.	#66 Doug Bolvert	196.0

Please Note..... (#) = Wins/(R) = Rookie

**"LUCKY RED STAR" WINNERS (6/13/92)**

1.	#1 Jack Eastwood	202.5
2.	#7 Chuck Geisler	193.0
3.	#35 Mike Catino, Sr.	184.5
4.	#58 Paul Howard	180.5
5.	#28 Elwin Chambers (R)	122.5

**SUGAR HILL SPEEDWAY STAFF**

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 PROMOTER...TRIDENT ENTERTAINMENT ASSO  
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**Birthday Wishes**

6/26/56 George Martin (36) #21 M/S  
 6/27/74 Tony Cote (18) #29 ATV

**SPORTSMAN/ODYSEE**

Driver: Brice Karkos  
 Town: Rollinsford, NH BD: 1/15/72 (20)  
 Occupation: Lynne Belair Children: None  
 Hobbies: Racing, Skiing, Bike Riding & Water Skiing  
 Car Own: Bob Karkos Crew: Bob Bandoveres  
 Year/Chassis Builder: 1991 EMC  
 Year/Engine/CS: 1983 Honda 500cc  
 Engine Builder: Harry's Machined  
 Sponsors: Bob's Gulf, Harry's Machined  
 Parts, Robbins Auto Parts  
 Tracks Racing At: Sugar Hill, Hi-Groove,  
 Bear Ridge, Canada & Norway Pines  
 Biggest Wins: 1991 GSMRC Tour Champion.  
 Feature wins at Sugar Hill, Lee  
 USA, Waterford (CT), Canada & Riverside (NH).

**MINI-SPRINT**

Driver: Brice Karkos  
 Town: Rollinsford, NH BD: 1/15/72 (20)  
 Occupation: Lynne Belair Children: None  
 Hobbies: Racing, Skiing, Bike Riding & Water Skiing  
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