

Lewis Gives Himself a Birthday Gift

Vernon, B.C., Canada (August 18, 2007): Gary Lewis of Bothell, WA made the trip over the border a successful one. The first ever trip to Sun Valley Speedway in Vernon, British Columbia, Canada, Lewis gained another win. The first year driver on the ARCA West Late Model Challenge Series won his fourth of the season in eight starts. The win on Lewis' birthday was dramatic on the last two laps of the 'Can Am 125'. Wes Rhodes of Olympia, WA got up to Lewis' bumper. The two got and entangled in traffic and ended up side by side. In turn three of the last lap on the 'D' shaped 1/2-mile oval, Lewis was able to squeeze between two lap cars and beat Rhodes by :0.298 seconds.

Lewis upon exiting his car said "I can not believe the year I am having. I want to thank the team for giving me such a great car."

Third place finisher Brent Harris of Wenatchee, WA had to survive an early race incident with Garrett Evans of E. Wenatchee, WA. Harris was able to finish as Evans was forced to the pits with a damaged right front ending his bid for a fourth win this season.

The top finishing Canadian was Ryan Fischer of Surrey, B.C. seventh followed by Tim Elliott of Creston, B.C.

The first ever AW LMCS race at the great Sun Valley Speedway was deemed a success by all. Even the impending chance of rain held back. Twenty-six cars started the first annual Lucas Oil Can-Am 125.

Official Finish:

ARCA West Q-Racing Late Model Challenge Series

Lucas Oil Can-Am 125

Sun Valley Speedway – Vernon, British Columbia, Canada

Fast Time: Garrett Evans :17.195 (104.682mph) (Track Record)

Pos	Start Pos	Name	Hometown	State	Laps
1	4	Gary Lewis	Bothell	WA	125
2	2	Wes Rhodes	Yelm	WA	125
3	8	Brent Harris	E. Wenatchee	WA	125
4	5	Jeff Jefferson	Yakima	WA	125
5	3	Jim Warn	Aurora	OR	125
6	11	Erick Hargraves	Yakima	WA	125
7	12	Ryan Fischer	Surrey	B.C.	125
8	10	Tim Elliott	Creston	BC	124
9	9	Jared Vorse	Lacey	WA	124
10	1	Trevor Emond	Leduc	AB	124
11	15	Scott Davis	Kennewick	WA	123
12	18	Dan Foraie	Golden	BC	123
13	13	Rob Angus	Surrey	BC	123
14	14	Wade Bland	Victoria	BC	122
15	21	Loran Payne	Renton	WA	120
16	23	Randy Kozak	Kelowna	BC	119
17	22	Jason White	Vernon	BC	119

18	25	Sean Maltman	Kelowna	BC	117
19	26	Paul Buttkus	Kelowna	BC	111
20	24	Dale Biesick	Golden	BC	108
21	7	Pete Harding	Surrey	BC	52
22	20	Scott Morgan	Vernon	BC	49
23	17	Grant Brown	Red Deer	AB	49
24	6	Garrett Evans	E. Wenatchee	WA	46
25	16	Joe McNeil	Sumner	WA	45
26	19	Mike Kenyon	North Bend	WA	1

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