



Lightning Division Continues to Grow

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It is hard for a diehard racer to stay away from their racecar. We have seen drivers come and go, only to return to the racetrack as crew members, race officials, or as race fans. But, like any athlete, it is hard for them to sit on the sidelines and watch their teammates and competitors compete without them on the playing surface.

When this racing urge comes knocking, someone has to answer, right?

Enter Adam White.

The driver from Bridgewater has been sitting on the sidelines for the last couple of years but is no stranger to the Lightning ranks at Scotia Speedworld. Adam ran for three seasons in the four cylinder companion division to the Thunder class (which features Hondas and Volkswagens) and is itching to get back into the car as opposed to sitting in the grandstands.

"After a two season break, I will be returning the number 149 car to action," said White. Another thing that will be familiar to the fans of the Lightning class will be the make of car he will be running in 2009. "I've got a '96 Dodge Neon that I'm building for the season," commented White. The Neons have been taking over the Lightning division and have scored multiple wins with Dan Michaud, Jr. in recent seasons. The brand also turned heads when former Thunder champ Ken Zwicker sported a Neon in that division one season ago. Expect to see a new wave of drivers racing the popular Dodge car this season.

White also mentions that he has some sponsors helping him in this comeback season. "I've got a few sponsors lined up! LMB Construction and OCR Equipment Rentals will be backing me this season." With the sponsors on board and ready for the season, White has set goals for this season which include "to take the checkered flag for at least one feature and place in the top 5 in points for the year."

Stay tuned for next week as we preview the popular Test N Tune day on May 17th. For more information on Scotia Speedworld, keep tabs on the website at www.ScotiaSpeedworld.ca!