

***Proude Victorious at Lucas Oil 100  
CARQUEST Pro Stock Tour Season Opener***

**(Halifax, NS, May 23, 2009)** Greg Proude of Springvale, Prince Edward Island won the CARQUEST Pro Stock Tour Season Opener – the Lucas Oil 100 – at Scotia Speedworld, located near Halifax, NS on Saturday evening. The race started out with two quick cautions in the first 4 laps but then ran smooth. Daryl Mahar of Hubley, NS finished second, ahead of John Flemming from Halifax. Wayne Smith, Timberlea, NS and Lonnie Sommerville of Quispamsis, NB rounded out the top five.

Proude won the Coast Tire Most Laps Led Award after leading the final 81 laps of the race. Over 4000 fans saw him take the lead from Craig Slaunwhite of Terence Bay, NS who led the first 19 laps. Five cautions slowed the race, which took just under an hour to complete.

Dave O'Blenis from Boundary Creek, NB, Robbie MacLean of Winsloe, PE and Kent Vincent from Crapaud, PE each won a LiteCo heat race, while Jonathan Hicken, Brudenell, PE, won the B Feature which was his last chance to qualify for the race. Thirty of the Maritime's top drivers attempted to qualify for the Main Feature.

Greg Proude won the Dartmouth Dodge Dash for Cash, featuring the top ten finishers in the Atlantic Tiltload Time Trials. He also had the fastest time on the 1/3 mile d-oval, with a time of 14.204 seconds (76.035 mph)

The fans were also treated to an exciting Maritime League of Legends Tour race. The 50 lap feature ended after only 49 laps when Jeff Atkinson, Port Latour, NS flipped on the front stretch after many cautions in the final 5 laps. Justin MacNeil, Sackville NS ended up taking the first checkered flag of their season.

The CARQUEST Pro Stock Tour returns to action in two weeks, when it makes its first stop at the high banks of Riverside International Speedway in Antigonish, Nova Scotia for the Ron MacGillivray Chevrolet 100 on June 6. Racing starts at 6pm.

**About Lucas Oil**

Lucas Oil is one of the fastest growing additive lines in the consumer automotive industry, carrying a premium line of oils, greases and problem solving additives as well as a heavy duty line of products for the industrial and agricultural markets. Lucas Oil has long been directly involved in the racing industry, and seeing a need for better lubricants in this industry, Lucas Oil developed a line of high performance engine oils and gear oils that are second-to-none in the racing industry. Lucas racing products, including high performance engine oils and gear oils have proven themselves on NASCAR, NHRA, IHRA, USHRA and ATPA tracks across the country.

**About CARQUEST Auto Parts**

With nearly 4000 locations in North America, CARQUEST Auto Parts supplies the professional automotive service repair industry as well as do-it-yourselfers with replacement parts, tools and equipment.

**About the CARQUEST Pro Stock Tour**

The CARQUEST Pro Stock Tour (CPST) is the highest level of stock car racing in Canada. The Tour is recognized in the industry as one of the healthiest stock car racing series in North America. CPST visits five tracks throughout the Maritimes during its May through September season. The CARQUEST Pro Stock Tour is owned and operated by Maritime Pro Stock Tour Limited. For more information, call our administration office at 902.481.2531 or click [www.maritimeprostocktour.com](http://www.maritimeprostocktour.com)

**About Scotia Speedworld**

Scotia Speedworld (SSW) is a 3/10-mile asphalt oval racing facility. SSW is the only venue in Nova Scotia to host a weekly racing series, which runs May through September and features six different classes of racecars. SSW also hosts special events, including Monster Jam and the CARQUEST Pro Stock Tour. SSW is located at Exit 6 on Highway 102, across from the Halifax Stanfield International Airport. For more information please click on [www.ScotiaSpeedworld.ca](http://www.ScotiaSpeedworld.ca) or call our Event Hotline at (902) 873-2277 or our office at (902) 481-2514.

**RESULTS FOR THE CARQUEST PRO STOCK TOUR**  
**LUCAS OIL 100**  
**May 23, 2009**  
**SCOTIA SPEEDWORLD, Halifax, NS**

Pos	No.	Name	Sponsor	Hometown	Prov	Laps
1	29	Greg Proude	Loyalist Marble & Tile	Charlottetown	PE	100
2	66	Daryl Mahar	Inglis Jewelers, K Hubley Wood	Five Island Lake	NS	100
3	97	John Flemming	The Roofing Connection	Halifax	NS	100
4	44	Wayne Smith	Jetco Contracting	Timberlea	NS	100
5	23	Lonnie Sommerville	AE MacKay Builders	Saint John	NB	100
6	0	Shawn Turple	Dexter Construction	Enfield	NS	100
7	O1	Robbie MacLean	Charlottetown Bottle & Metal	Charlottetown	PE	100
8	48	Dave O'Blenis	Burger King, Peterbuilt, Tims	Boundary Creek	NB	100
9	32	Chris Hughes	CG Loaders & Boto Tires	Brackley Beach	PE	99
10	5	Jonathan Hicken	Reynolds Well Drilling	Montague	PE	99
11	26	Mike Stevens	Roadway Systems, TNT Insul	Salisbury	NB	99
12	76	Roger Crane	Montague Tire	Montague	PE	99
13	37	Kris Fournier	Taylor's Garage, Totally Tile	Charlottetown	PE	99
14	80	Roger Miller	Harvey Racing	Kennetcook	NS	99
15	8	Kent Vincent	Vector Atlantic	Crapaud	PE	97
16	52	Shawn Tucker	Rockico Truck & Trailer	Fredericton	NB	96
17	18	Darren MacKinnon	Shaws Towing Ltd.	Winsloe	PE	96
18	99	Craig Slaunwhite	Halifax Glass & Mirror	Terence Bay	NS	95
19	21	Shawn Pierce	Wayne Smith Automotive	Bridgewater	NS	93
20	88	George Koszculics	Nova Construction	New Glasgow	NS	84
21	19v	Darren Vanderaa	City Collision, Chappell Const	Milton	PE	46
22	O2	Mike MacKenzie	Forbes Chevrolet	Dartmouth	NS	36
23	92	Pete Miller	ACL Construction	Kennetcook	NS	36
24	39	Sandy Livingstone, Jr.		Springhill	NS	31
25	24	Scott Livingstone		Charlottetown	PE	7
26	89	Donald Chisholm	Nova Construction	Antigonish	NS	4
27	6	Lowell Affleck	Barter Centre Used Vehicles	Summerside	PE	DNQ
28	51	Josh Jaillet				DNQ
29	1	David Heino	DC Huskins & Sons Trucking	Shelburne	NS	DNQ
30	55	Jason Carnahan				DNQ

Lead Changes: 1 (Car 99: 1-19, Car 29: Lap 20-100)

Heat Winners: 8, 01, 48

B Feature: 5

Dash Winner: 29

Time Trials Winner (Fast Time): 29 (14.204 seconds, 76.035 mph)

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