



CASC-OR 2006 Mobil 1 Autoslalom Championship Series
Sponsored by Inside Track Motorsport News,
Event # 8 Director's Report



The eighth event in the CASC-OR 2006 Mobil 1 Autoslalom Championship Series Sponsored by Inside Track Motorsport News was held at the Molson Centre in Barrie on August 20th. Event organizer Steven Day and the hosting club, Twin Lakes Motor Club (TLMC), set up an interesting course that had sections that were quite fast with a couple of fairly tight box style corners and a nice long slalom.

The weather definitely didn't look promising on the 45 minute trip up Highway 400 from Toronto. The low level clouds were dark and it definitely looked like the rain could start at any moment. Exiting the 400 at Molson Park Drive it was apparent that it had rained there a few minutes before, but it had already started to dry. Fortunately although it looked like rain was going to happen all day, it did hold off for the event.



Steven giving the head's up in the morning Driver's Meeting – Photo by Sonia Tanney Photography

With the season starting to wind down, the final jostling for Overall and Class Championships has really started to heat up. As of yet the Overall Championship has not been wrapped up and the couple of competitors that are trying to catch the current Championship leader Hanif P. were trying really hard to close the gap. As fate would have it another competitor was the fly in the Vaseline for those trying to catch Hanif.

With the threatening weather, only 59 competitors made the trip to Barrie and TLMC members were out in force. There were a fairly large number of competitors in a few classes, specifically C Modified, D Stock, F Super Stock, G Stock and H Stock, but not a lot of close battles were to be had.





The closest class battle was in F Street Prepared where Arris G. beat Tod F. in Tod's Honda Civic by 1/10th of a second. D Stock had the Overall Championship leader, Hanif P. pull a clean run in his Acura Integra Type R on his last run of the day to beat Bill R. and his MazdaSpeed Protégé by 3/10ths of a second. This class win brings Hanif that little bit closer to clinching the Overall Championship once again as Bill is one of his main competitors in that Overall battle.

CASC-OR Solo 2 Director, Wes Tanney, shows how the CG-Lock works..... "Sit tight, go fast!" – Photo by Sonia Tanney Photography

C Modified had Andrew M in a first generation Mazda RX-7 narrowly beating Guillermo A. by 4/10ths of a second in Guillermo's newly configured Honda Civic. Guillermo and Opal G. had some substantial engine issues in a SoloSprint event back at the end of June that kept them from competition for a month and a bit. This was their first event out with a new engine and a new suspension so a close second place finish was very respectable on its shakedown event.



Most of the rest of the class battles weren't really battles; they were more like class stompings with most of the classes won by seconds instead of the usual tenths of a second. The colder temperatures and dusty lot conditions surely played a role in that as some competitors struggled just to get a clean run. The marshals were kept extremely busy setting up dozens of displaced cones on each run group.



The "Northern Motorsport Top Scorer Award" for Event # 8 was Wes T. – Photo by Sonia Tanney Photography

As mentioned above, there was a fly in the Vaseline in the Overall Championship battle on this day. Instead of the regular three top competitors that have taken five of the seven Overall Scores up until this event, the "Northern Motorsport Top Scorer Award" for Event # 8 went to H Stock's Wes T. in his Reaction Grafix / Tsunami Technologies / Wheel & Tire Zone / Pathfinder Lubricants / CG-Lock Honda Civic SiR. This was Wes' first Top Scorer award in the CASC-OR Autoslalom Series and just shows that

the right tires make all the difference.... The second place Overall finisher was Hanif P. with a score of 99.615 then Bill R. with 99.041. Northern Motorsport's Pete M., who is second in the Overall Championship, finished seventh with a score of 96.794 basically excluding him from a charge at the Overall Championship title in the last two events of the season.





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After eight events only Hanif and Bill are still in the Overall Championship fight but the Overall win at this event vaulted Wes into third in the Overall Championship. This may actually be deceiving as there are a couple of competitors that are still one event short of the minimum six events for scoring in the series that they will no doubt move up the standings if they make one more event and have a decent showing, including the above mentioned Bill R..

The Top Novice, yet again, was Gary W and his RX-8 – Photo by Sonia Tanney Photography

The Top Novice for Event # 8, once again, was Gary W. in his B Stock Mazda RX-8. Gary has the Novice Championship wrapped up and will likely continue to notch up the Novice Championship wins over the two remaining events, if he sticks to his previous form.



The Fastest Time of the Day went to Mike A. in his D Street Prepared Subaru Impreza 2.5 RS with a time of 44.864 seconds followed in second by D Super Stock's Daniel F. in a Subaru Impreza 2.5 RS with a time of 45.279 seconds. The top three was filled out with another Subura, this time the B Street Prepared STi of Kyle L who managed a time of 45.631 before he had to depart early in order to attend a wedding.

There is one specific thank you I need to send out. With Brian S, the Series Registrar, absent from this event and the Series Chief Timer, Jason D, also absent, Opal G. picked up the slack. She filled in as the Registrar during registration and she also did data entry into the timing system while doing registration. Then Opal also did double stints at timing all day helping out the replacement Chief Timer. Thank you Opal..... The sport needs more willing and dedicated people like Opal!



Mike A. set Fastest Time of the Day in his Impreza 2.5 RS – Photo by Sonia Tanney Photography

The next and ninth event in the CASC-OR 2006 Mobil 1 Autoslalom Championship Series Sponsored by Inside Track Motorsport News ten event series will take place on September 10th at the Scotiabank Plaza in Kanata, just outside Ottawa and will be hosted by the Motorsport Club of Ottawa (MCO).

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TOP 10 COMPETITORS FOR EVENT 8 (Based on Event Pax)

Name	Novice	Vehicle	Class	Time	Backup	Total
1 Wes T		00 Honda Civic SiR	1HS	46.962	(98.446)	100.000
2 Hanif P		98 Acura Integra Type R	1DS	46.080	(94.771)	99.615
3 Bill R		04 MazdaSpeed Protege	1DS	46.347	(98.753)	99.041
4 Daniel F		01 Subaru Imreza 2.5RS	1DSS	45.279	(98.173)	98.778
5 Cliff S		96 Plymouth Neon	1GS	47.402	(95.822)	97.324
6 Mike A		00 Subaru Impreza 2.5 RS	1DSP	44.864	(96.145)	97.315
7 Pete M		93 Honda Civic CX	1HS	48.517	(96.617)	96.794
8 Paul M		03 Subaru Impreza WRX	1ESP	45.745	(90.472)	95.327
9 Andrew R		96 Subaru Legacy	1FSS	47.804	(91.434)	95.306
10 Arris G		93 Honda Civic	1FSP	46.802	(92.135)	94.983

TOP 10 NOVICES FOR EVENT 8 (Based on Event Pax)

Name	Novice	Vehicle	Class	Best Time (Backup%)	Points
1 Gary W	N	04 Mazda RX-8	1BS	48.061 (91.633)	92.720
2 Douglas M	N	06 Subaru Legacy 2.5GT	1DS	50.994 (87.732)	90.015
3 Michael V	N	05 Subaru WRX	1DS	51.475 (89.115)	89.174

FASTEST 10 COMPETITORS FOR EVENT 8

Name	Novice	Vehicle	Class	Best Time
1 Mike A		00 Subaru Impreza 2.5 RS	1DSP	44.864
2 Daniel F		01 Subaru Imreza 2.5RS	1DSS	45.279
3 Kyle L		04 Subaru STi	1BSP	45.631
4 Paul M		03 Subaru Impreza WRX	1ESP	45.745
5 Hanif P		98 Acura Integra Type R	1DS	46.080
6 Bill R		04 MazdaSpeed Protege	1DS	46.347
7 Arris G		93 Honda Civic	1FSP	46.802
8 Tom S		86 Toyota Corolla GTS	1DM	46.829
9 Lawrence K		71 Lotus Elan	1ASS	46.879
10 Tod F		93 Honda Civic	1FSP	46.907

CASC-OR 2006 Mobil 1 Autoslalom Championship Series - Overall Standings after 8 Event (Top 10)

Name	Novice	Class	Vehicle	Total
(Points from Backup runs in brackets are used to break ties)				
1 Hanif P		1DS	98 Acura Integra Type R	598.786
2 Pete M		1HS	93 Honda Civic CX	594.789
3 Wes T		1HS	00 Honda Civic SiR	587.720
4 Daniel F		1DSS	01 Subaru Imreza 2.5RS	587.682
5 Rhys H		1ESS	02 Subaru WRX	586.280
6 Trung D		1GS	05 Subaru Impreza RS	583.762
7 Mike A		1DSP	00 Subaru Impreza 2.5 RS	582.070
8 Brian L		1DSS	98 Acura Integra Type R	580.839
9 Kyle L		1BSP	04 Subaru STi	579.471
10 Eric R		1CS	01 Mazda Miata	578.249

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