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## COWTOWN SPEEDWAY UPCOMING SCHEDULE

- May 2 USMTS Modifieds LTD, 600, SS, BOM
- May 9 No racing tonight: Mother's Day Weekend
- May 16 ASCS vs. Cowtown Sprint Cars Shootout LTD, 600, SS, BOM
- May 23 Winged Modifieds & LSDCSS.com Dwarf Cars MOD, LTD, 600, SS, BOM
- May 30 \$1000 to Win Cowtown Modifieds LTD, 600, SS, BOM

# Cowtown Speedway

## Results 04/18/2009

### Sprints

#### Heat #1

(69h)Larry Howery, (76) John Ricketts, (14) Michael Lang, (20) Chad Wilson, (79) Charlie McDonald, (66) Nick Clinkenbeard (74e) Claud Estes, (7m) Kevin Ramey, (88r) Andy Rea

#### Heat #2

(45k) Kolt Walker, (10) George White, (67) Rodney Henderson, (5m)Glenn Martin, (26) Dalton Steed, (11f) Darrell Fletcher, (12) Shawn Mize, (9) Brain Parker, (55d) David Doyle, (71t)Shane Thompson

### Sprints A-Main

(45k) Kolt Walker, (76) John Ricketts, (14) Michael Lang, (67) Rodney Henderson, (10) George White, (66) Nick Clinkenbeard (11f) Darrell Fletcher, (69h)Larry Howery, (79) Charlie McDonald, (5m)Glenn Martin, (71t)Shane Thompson, (9) Brain Parker, (55d) David Doyle, (88r) Andy Rea, (20) Chad Wilson, (12) Shawn Mize, (74e) Claud Estes, (26) Dalton Steed, (7m) Kevin Ramey-NS

### Modifieds

#### Heat #1

(10) George White (99) Johnny Dunn Jr, (88xxx) Clyde Dunn Jr, (27j) Jimmy Littlejohn, (23) Chris Pickering, (92) Mitch McMillen, (67) Bryan Smith, (54) Eric Lawrence, (010) Jeremy Willis

#### Heat #2

(5x) Danny Veal, (77) Randy Kirkland, (76) Troy Taylor, (7) Kelly Gorham, (73) Jim Knight, (04) Bobby Ruffin, (87) Justin McCoy, (8x) Michael Needham, (95) Gary Nabors, (410) Brad Dougherty

### A-Main

(10) George White (87) Justin McCoy, (76) Troy Taylor, (77) Randy Kirkland, (04) Bobby Ruffin, (27j) Jimmy Littlejohn, (5x) Danny Veal, (8x) Michael Needham, (88xxx) Clyde Dunn Jr, (54) Eric Lawrence, (23) Chris Pickering, (95) Gary Nabors, (99) Johnny Dunn Jr, (410) Brad Dougherty, (92) Mitch McMillen, (7) Kelly Gorham, (010) Jeremy Willis, (73) Jim Knight-NS, (67) Bryan Smith-NS

### 600 Wing Mini Sprints

#### Heat #1

(01j) Jeb Sessum, (74) D.J. Estes, (12s) Drew Salisbury, (55) Kenny Elwood, (47) Chipper Wood, (14) Jacob Gilliam, (3c) Dan Cuddelford, (53) Daq Query -NS

#### Heat #2

(65) Robby Fox, (83) C.J. Duarte, (02) Soshia Sessum, (15) Coy Jordon, (28f) Justin Fifield, (21t) Terry Smitherman, (68) Roy Hutchison, (122) Michael Hernandez

#### Heat #3

(18)Jon Randall, (04) Kyle Jones, (26) Hayli Renfro, (3d) Andy Hogan, (76T) Tom Hutchison, (87) Ashley Reagan, (71) Colby Estes-NS

### A-Main

(18)Jon Randall, (83) C.J. Duarte, (02)

Soshia Sessum, (28f) Justin Fifield, (65) Robby Fox, (3d) Andy Hogan, (12s) Drew Salisbury, (21t) Terry Smitherman, (71) Colby Estes (74) D.J. Estes, (47) Chipper Wood, (87) Ashley Reagan, (55) Kenny Elwood, (15) Coy Jordon, (26) Hayli Renfro, (76T) Tom Hutchison, (14) Jacob Gilliam, (53) Daq Query, (122) Michael Hernandez, (68) Roy Hutchison, (01j) Jeb Sessum, (3c) Kyle Jones

### Limited Modified's

#### Heat #1

(64) David Ferguson, (66) David Bonham, (69) Bret Young, (3) Brandon McElroy, (77) John Terrell, (01) David Gossett, (777) Chris Guile, (85) Keith Martin

#### Heat #2

(17) Trevor Lane, (68) Kevin Ramey, (20j) Brian Burkhart, (0) Tiger Capps, (09) Chad Burress, (07) Danny Thompson, (7m) Daniel Gonzales, (92) Preston Manka

#### Heat #3

(94) Justin McCoy, (13j) James McCreery, (54) Chase Brewer, (00) Tory Yant, (41) Jacob Pirkle, (113) Dustin Birmingham, (10)Tony Keen, (53)Milton Stacy

### A-Main

(17) Trevor Lane, (64) David Ferguson, (69) Bret Young, (94) Justin McCoy, (00) Tory Yant, (68) Kevin Ramey, (66) David Bonham, (20j) Brian Burkhart, (53)Milton Stacy, (77) John Terrell, (01) David Gossett, (92) Preston Manka, (0) Tiger Capps, (777) Chris Guile, (7m) Daniel Gonzales, (10)Tony Keen, (09) Chad Burress, (3) Brandon McElroy, (85) Keith Martin, (07) Danny Thompson, (113) Dustin Birmingham, (13j) James McCreery, (54) Chase Brewer, (41) Jacob Pirkle

### Street Stock

#### Heat #1

(66) David Bonham, (79) Anthony Combs, (77) Jason Smith, (14r) Joshua Hemby, (r12) Ryan Powers, (76) Michael Villeneuve, (02) Mike Smith

#### Heat #2

(44c) Demetrius Carter, (86)Rhea Toney, (70) David Smith, (25j) Jeremiah Johnson, (19) Daniel Saylor, (121x)Dustin Esterline,

### A-Main

(44c) Demetrius Carter, (66) David Bonham, (79) Anthony Combs, (14r) Joshua Hemby, (86)Rhea Toney, (76) Michael Villeneuve, (19) Daniel Saylor, (77) Jason Smith, (02) Mike Smith, (25j) Jeremiah Johnson, (r12) Ryan Powers, (70) David Smith, (121x) Dustin Esterline

### Bomber

#### Heat #1

(71) Floyd Lynn, (6) Chance Morris, (96) Trey Smitherman, (16) Terry O'Havner, (41) Frank Lackey, (76) Joan Roan, (74) Brooke Smitherman, (125) Justin Baker, (121) Roman Garcia

#### Heat #2

(82) Chad Pearce, (51) Bobby Lee Stepp, (5) Kim Gruenzer, (56) Edmond Goff, (57) Mike Hart, (13) Hunter Birmingham (33) Shelbi

Baker, (53)Shane Hazzard, (42) Gary Smitherman

### B-Main

(72) Gary Smitherman, (4p) Doug Phillips, (33) Shelbi Baker, (53)Shane Hazzard, (174) Patrick Collins, (74) Brooke Smitherman, (125) Justin Baker, (121) Roman Garcia, (30) Les Norgaard-DQ

### A-Main #1

(41) Frank Lackey, (82) Chad Pearce, (5p) Robert Palmer, (6) Chance Morris, (76) Joan Roan, (51) Bobby Lee Stepp, (96) Trey Smitherman, (56) Edmond Goff, (1) Anthony Pearce, (3) Eddie Phillips, (13) Hunter Birmingham (72) Gary Smitherman, (57) Mike Hart, (53)Shane Hazzard, (34) Candace Elliott, (5) Kim Gruenzer, (7j) Wallace Like, (71) Floyd Lynn, (33) Shelbi Baker, (74) Brooke Smitherman, (16) Terry O'Havner, (4p) Doug Phillips, (84) Kenny Magar, (174) Patrick Collins

Cowtown photos by: Rudy Garcia



Anthony Combs



Demetrius Carter



Frank Lackey



George White

## Pure Stock Over 11

By tammy@kennedaleracing.com

Cowtown, Kennedale, TX – April 24, 2009. The go kart action is in full swing as this photo of Marshall McKelvy shows. During this race young McKelvy started at the back of the pack. According to Grand Daddy McKelvy, "The first few laps he made it up to third place, out of 11 cars. Then he tagged up with Chris Lough and Travis Aune and freight trained the field. They passed almost every car in the feature once and about half of them twice." Chris Lough was the winner.

Chris Lough is the current Pure Stock Over 11 points leader, followed by Marshall McKelvy and Travis Aune.



Grand Dad & McKelvy



George White



Jon Randall



Kolt Walker



Trevor Lane

## Texas Raceway May Schedule

1-May	Texas Back Half Outlaws and Fun & Grudge
2-May	Jr. Race and Bracket Race
3-May	Street Wars Run What you Brung
6-May	Test and Tune - Race Cars & Street Cars
7-May	Speedtek Performance Street Legal Cars and Bikes
8-May	Pro Mods + Fun Grudge
9-May	Motorcycle Mania - Bikes of All types
10-May	Street Wars Run What you Brung
13-May	Test and Tune - Race Cars & Street Cars
14-May	Speedtek Performance Street Legal Cars and Bikes
15-May	Texas True 10.5 & Fun & Grudge
16-May	Jr. Race and Bracket Race
20-May	Test and Tune - Race Cars & Street Cars
21-May	Speedtek Performance Street Legal Cars and Bikes
22-May	King of the Hill & Fun and Grudge
24-May	Street Wars Run What you Brung
27-May	Test and Tune - Race Cars & Street Cars
28-May	Speedtek Performance Street Legal Cars and Bikes
29-May	\$5 Friday - Dragpalozza & Fun and Grudge
30-May	Jr. Race and Bracket Race
31-May	Street Wars Run What you Brung

# Texas Raceway



## Weekly Schedule

The racing action at Texas Raceway takes place Wednesday through Sunday. Test-n-Tune sessions are held Wednesdays, and Street Legal and High School events are conducted Thursdays. Friday nights are reserved for Pro Mod, Outlaw 10.5, and Fun & Grudge events. Jr. Dragster racing is held Saturday, and Muscle Car events take place Sunday.

## Special Events

- June 20 – Jr. Drag Racing League Challenge
- July 24-25 Arm Drop Live
- August 1 – Aerospace Components King of the Track
- August 8 – BHRA Nationals
- September 5 – National Dragster Challenge

## Track History

Texas Raceway opened in 1961 and was called Kennedale Drag Strip. The first drag races were held on gravel, and the money classes included Street, Top Stock and Jr. Stock.

The raceway later became an independent fifth-mile track, but in 1982, it returned as an NHRA member track and changed to an eight-mile. In 1993, the track hosted its first Jr. Drag Racing League event, where eight cars participated.

Bill Hielscher and daughter Cindi Hielscher McMillan, purchased the track in 2000. After Bill's death in 2002, the McMillan family continued to run the track and held the first Bill Hielscher Race Association Event in 2003 to honor him and all of the racers who helped make drag racing the sport it is today.

Over the years the raceway has repaved its track surface and widened it to 40 feet. In addition, an aluminum grandstand with 3,500 seats was added to the pit side of the dragstrip, and the track was resurfaced. The raceway was also upgraded to a concrete track with concrete guardwalls and features a new water box.

In the future, the track staff would like to add more lighting to the facility and return roads along with upgrading the suites sizes and the PA system.



Texas Raceway is located in Kennedale, TX and hosts six to seven bracket races Wednesday through Sunday. In 2000 an aluminum grandstand with 3,500 seats was added to the pit side of the dragstrip and the track was resurfaced.

## Track Tidbits

- Eighth mile
- Hosts six to seven races weekly
- First track in the Southwest to host a Top Eliminator handicap race with NHRA trophy classes
- Hosted first E.T. and handicap race in Division 4

## Champions Who Have Raced at the Track

- Gene Snow (Top Fuel, Funny Car)
- Lee Shepherd (Pro Stock)
- Bobby Cross (Comp)
- Edmond Richardson (Super Comp, Stock)
- Scotty Richardson (Super Comp, Stock)
- Jimmy Lewis (Super Gas)
- Jeff Hefler (Stock)

## Track Awards and Titles

- Division 4 team champions (1988, 1990, 1991, 1994, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007)
- Jr. Drag Racing League national champions (1996)
- 2nd Place at Jr. Dragster Nationals 2008

## Texas Raceway as featured in National Dragster April 24, 2009

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## Location

Texas Raceway is located on south New Hope Road between Hudson Village Creek and East Broadway Street. From Dallas take Interstate 20 west to Business 287. The track is located 10 minutes from downtown Fort Worth, TX.

## Classes

Trophy, Sportsman, Pro, Super Pro, Quick and Street Legal



The annual BHRA Nationals brings in a record number of fans and is Texas Raceways biggest event of the year.



Over the years, track officials have upgraded to a concrete surface with concrete guardwalls and have added a water box.

# Kennedale Speedway Park

## Kennedale Speedway Upcoming Schedule

### Driver Profile

**Willis Price**

What's your favorite track?

Kennedale Speedway Park

How long have you been racing?

March 18, 2004

Tell us about yourself.

I RACE IN THE IMCA DIRT TRACK SERIES, LAST SEASON I FINISHED 20TH IN THE NATION IN ROOKIE OF THE YEAR, 6TH IN THE DESTROYER SOUTHERN REGION ROOKIE POINT STANDINGS, 6TH IN KSP TRACK POINTS, AND OF COURSE MY BIGGEST ACCOMPLISHMENT TO DATE IS WINNING HOTSHOT OF THE MONTH. IT'S REALLY HARD RUNNING FOR NATIONAL POINTS WEEK END AND WEEK OUT SO WE DECIDED TO SCALE BACK THIS SEASON AND JUST ENJOY RACING EVERY WEEK AND SIT IN THE STANDS AND WATCH SOME OF THE GUYS THAT WE SPONSOR. I MYSELF HAVE A LOT OF GREAT SPONSORS, SOME OF MY NEW SPONSORS THIS SEASON ARE AM-SOIL DEALER LARRY POSTON, LONESTAR GRAPHICS DAVID FRANKLIN, INTER-STATE BATTERIES, HARRY'S HOTROD, MUNOZ PAINT AND BODY. WRP RACING WILLIS AND RUTH PRICE RACING SPONSORS DARRYL CAMPBELL #83 IMCA CRATE MODEL, STREETSTOCKS #04 JASON COOK, #5 SEAN HILL, AND YOUNG GUNS DRIVER #99 LEE ANN OREABAUGH.



Willis Price

### May

Saturday, 2nd Regular Race Program

\* Saturday, 9th DEMOLITION DERBY & 600 MINI SPRINTS plus Regular Race Program

Saturday, 16th KIDS BOXCAR RACE plus Regular Race Program

\* Saturday, 23rd SPRINT CARS plus Regular Race Program

Saturday, 30th KIDS RIDE ON RACECARS plus Regular Race Program

### Points Leaders

#### Crate Models

1	29	Jay Bransom	149
2	89	John McNeil	145
3	88	Larry Lee	141

#### Hobby

1	4	Chase Neill	156
2	33c	Charles Cosper	147
3	38	Allen Montgomery	139

#### Jr Mini

1	14	Colin Cloud	136
2	21	Bryce Pritchett	131
3	12	Calton Pritchett	127

#### Modifieds

1	1w	Keith White	139
2	52	John Gober	137
3	77	Richard Brown, Jr	130

#### SportMods

1	1w	Keith White	156
2	95	Steven Abbey	146
3	70	George Gafford	143

#### Stock Cars

1	22	Duain Pritchett	152
2	1	Douglas Kennemer	136
3	69	Kirk Martin	135

#### Street Stock

1	1	Duane Wolff	148
2	47	Chris Kent	146
3	5	Sean Hill	145

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### Results

#### IMCA Crate Models Heat 01

1	89	John McNeil
2	29	Jay Bransom
3	116	Damon Hammond

#### A-Main 01

1	21	Eric Winnett
2	89	John McNeil
3	55	Charlie Wilson

#### IMCA Hobby Stocks Heat 01

1	4	Chase Neill
2	38	Allen Montgomery
3	93	Aaron Bayles

#### Heat 02

1	62	Kyle Harrison
2	07	Jeff Kinnaird
3	98	Rick Barrett

#### Heat 03

1	84	Jeremy Montgomery
2	25	Jeremy Carter
3	147	Tony Anderson

#### A-Main 01

1	25	Jeremy Carter
2	62	Kyle Harrison
3	4	Chase Neill

#### Junior Mini-Stocks Heat 01

1	14	Colin Cloud
2	3	Don Yeargan
3	10	Tyler McAllister

#### A-Main 01

1	14	Colin Cloud
2	10	Tyler McAllister
3	3	Don Yeargan

#### IMCA Modifieds

1	183	Chad Estes
2	99t	Tommy McMillion
3	29	Jay Bransom

#### Heat 02

1	127	Glen Hibbard
2	83	Darryl Campbell
3	52	John Gober

#### Heat 03

1	47	Benji Kirkpatrick
2	1w	Keith White
3	5x	Nicholas Littlejohn

#### A-Main 01

1	1w	Keith White
2	183	Chad Estes
3	47	Benji Kirkpatrick

#### IMCA Southern SportMods Heat 01

1	06	Randy Buttery
2	2	Brandon Stewart
3	37	Dean Abbey

#### Heat 02

1	47	Justin Hossler
2	29	Jay Bransom
3	95	Steven Abbey

#### A-Main 01

1	29	Jay Bransom
2	1w	Keith White
3	95	Steven Abbey

#### IMCA Stock Cars Heat 01

1	31	Aaron Ferrell
2	18	Tim Clonch
3	4	Rowdy Holbert

#### A-Main 01

1	18	Tim Clonch
2	83	Chad Estes
3	31	Aaron Ferrell

#### Street Stocks Heat 01

1	8J	John Riechard
2	21	Jimmy Parker
3	47	Chris Kent

#### Heat 02

1	1	Duane Wolff
2	49	Mike Golightly
3	20	Tim Murray

#### A-Main 01

1	8J	John Riechard
2	5	Sean Hill
3	47	Chris Kent

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