

**Jimmy Garmon Scores Memorable Victory At Gresham Motorsports Park**

Jimmy Garmon earned a guaranteed spot in the 27th-Annual World Crown 300 by capturing the checkered for the Chapman Pools 100 on the Saturday night before Father's Day. In an exciting Super Late Model race, he held off a late charge from Bubba Pollard to grab the win!

After Garmon and Pollard exchanged the top-spot a couple of times early on, Jimmy pulled out to an impressive lead and was driving toward a seemingly effortless win at that point. Then Bubba initiated his attack, he caught Jimmy, and the race fans in attendance watched as the cars entered turn one "dead even" on the white flag lap! At that time, Jimmy throttled down and was able to dig out of turn two and outrun Bubba down the back chute to victory! Greg Simpson, Johnny Henderson, and Johanna Long rounded out the top five.

In a victory lane that was packed by race fans eager to congratulate the popular veteran-driver, "I've been doing this a long time - 22 years - and that might be the strongest engine I've ever sat behind", said Garmon. "It just really pulled all night long." He also commented, "I got a little emotional there in Victory Lane. This means so much to me. Let's face it, I'm no spring chicken anymore, but I think I can still drive. I guess I proved it tonight."

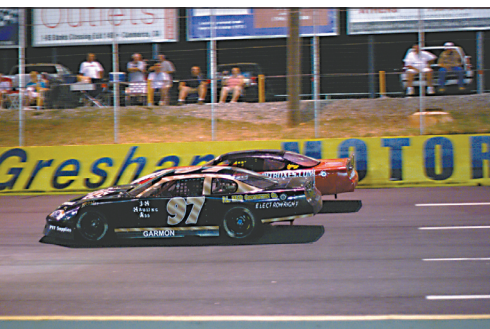
On this great night of racing, we also witnessed an impressive drive by a beautiful young lady from Alabama, Brittany Finley. After setting fast time in the Truck series, she started in the fourth position after an inversion.

When the green flew, Brittany quickly moved to the second spot. And apparently showing her savvy, she rode a few laps ... perhaps cooling her tires ... until lap 15 when she passed Bill Hoose for the top spot! She went on to lead the final 20 laps to score her second win in a row at GMP. What a performance!

Brittany in victory lane, "The truck was good from the second it came off the trailer throughout all the practices, qualifying, and the race. I am proud of my guys and I can't thank them enough for their help and support." With this win, Finley has a comfortable points lead in the GMP Truck series (+40) as she looks forward to her next race on July 17th at Gresham. (Hey Danica ... look out ... this little Brittany chick is good!)

Race fans ... Gresham Motorsports Park is rapidly becoming one of my favorite places to be on this planet! What a great spot to watch a sunset ... and then, watch the night heat up with racing!

-Rocky Sinyard  
Photos by MSA Staff



**Event Results**

Chapman Pools 100 Super Late Models Presented By Papa John's Pizza 1. Jimmy Garmon 2. Bubba Pollard 3. Greg Simpson 4. Johnny Henderson 5. Johanna Long 6. Allen Karnes 7. Bill Hoose 8. Jason Hogan 9. Mike Garvey 10. Chase Elliott

Mini Stocks - 20 Laps 1. Spanky Hicks 2. Avery Burgess 3. William Earnest 4. Tim Greer 5. Bill George 6. Bryan Bellew 7. Blake Freeman 8. Scott Beck 9. Jimmy Burgess 10. Brian Powell 11. Jason Stephens 12. Michael Buckner 13. Vernon Hicks 14. Ken Cadiotti, Sr. 15. Matt Vasser 16. Steve Hill

Renegades - 25 Laps 1. Jody Trivett 2. Shawn Campbell 3. Doug Sexton

Trucks - 35 Laps 1. Brittney Finley 2. Bill Hoose 3. Joel Townsend 4. Kevin Vasser 5. Brendon Franklin 6. Jeremy Parris 7. Matt Vasser 8. Ruben Tarca

Outlaw Late Models - 35 Laps 1. Jason Bates 2. David Murphy 3. Tina Stephens 4. Mike Davidson 5. Terry Martin 6. Brian Hardman 7. Todd Vanderford 8. Chad Atha 9. Hoyt Stephens

Mini Cups - Feature #1 - 20 Laps 1. Mason Elzey 2. Brody Bullard 3. Emilee Riley 4. Will Fagen 5. Eric Brookshire 6. Brad Stiffler

Mini Cups - Feature #2 - 20 Laps 1. Casey Willingham 2. Emilee Riley

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