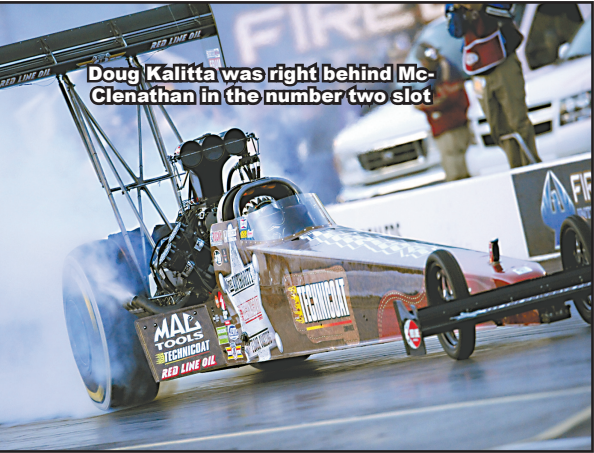


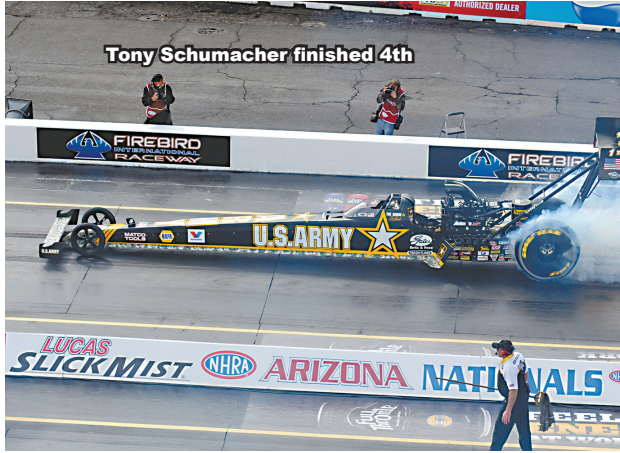
## McClenathan, Beckman take delayed Arizona Nationals win

Cory McClenathan and Jack Beckman completed a Don Schumacher Racing sweep of the delayed final rounds Monday at the NHRA Arizona Nationals. McClenathan's win gives him the Full Throttle points lead in Top Fuel.

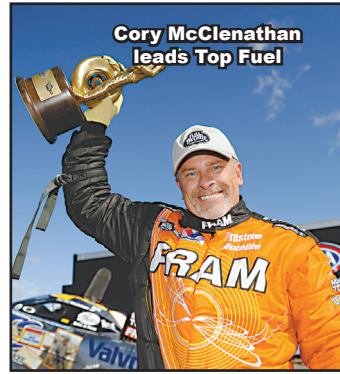
Weather delays Sunday had moved racing into the early evening, and deteriorating conditions forced the postponement of action. NHRA officials called a halt to Sunday's racing after three rounds of Top Fuel and Funny Car and one round of Pro Stock and scheduled completion for Monday morning. More rain Monday delayed the final outcome, and the nitro cars didn't hit the track until 2:45 p.m. local time. (Photos courtesy of NHRA)



Doug Kalitta was right behind McClenathan in the number two slot



Tony Schumacher finished 4th



Cory McClenathan leads Top Fuel

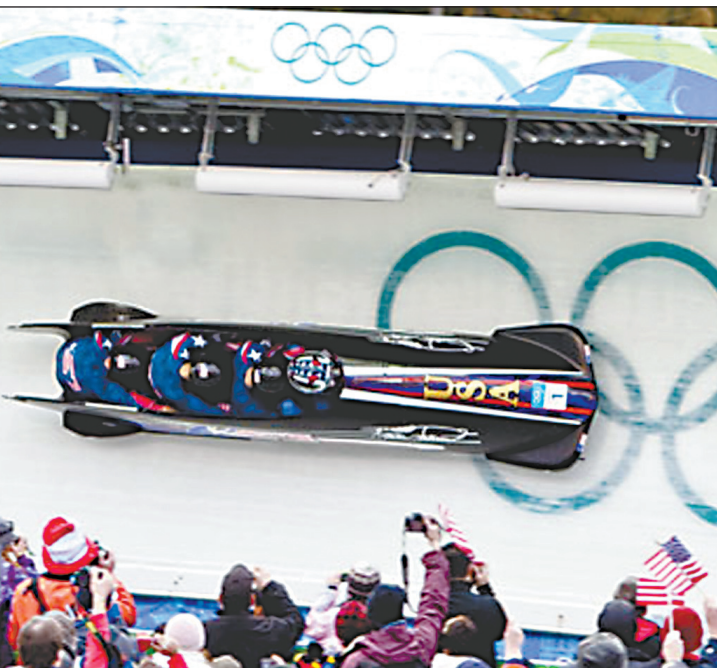


Funny Car driver Jack Beckman



Even though Force came in 2nd, he still leads the points standings

Points standings (following the NHRA Arizona Nationals in Phoenix)					
TOP FUEL		FUNNY CAR			
1	Cory McClenathan	201	1	John Force	224
2	Doug Kalitta	196	2	Jack Beckman	187
3	Larry Dixon	161	3	Ron Capps	148
4	Tony Schumacher	144	4	Robert Hight	121
5	Morgan Lucas	108	5	Matt Hagan	120
6	Steve Torrence	107	6	Bob Tasca III	111
7	Troy Buff	103	7	Ashley Force Hood	111
8	Shawn Langdon	92	8	Tony Pedregon	104
9	Antron Brown	90	9	Del Worsham	97
10	Brandon Bernstein	85	10	Jim Head	86
11	David Grubnic	84	11	Cruz Pedregon	82
12	Steven Chrisman	82	12	Gary Densham	64
13	Terry McMillen	63	13	Tim Wilkerson	63
14	Chris Karamesines	62	14	Melanie Troxel	63
15	Mike Strasburg	42	15	Jeff Arend	63



## Drag racers thrilled with USA Bobsled gold

Drag racers Morgan Lucas, Jeg Coughlin Jr., Shawn Langdon, and Melanie Troxel had a thrilling Saturday night, even though this is an off weekend for the NHRA tour.

The popular foursome joined the rest of the United States in celebrating USA-1's long awaited gold medal in Olympic four-man bobsled competition, one of the Olympic Games' premier events. USA-1 driver Steve Holcomb, pushers Justin Olsen and Steve Mesler, and brakeman Curt Tomasevich will go down in history as the men that got it done, although the world of motorsports played a vital role in their victory.

Lucas, Coughlin, Langdon, and Troxel -- along with Lucas Oil Products and JEGS Mail Order -- are major supporters of the Geoff Bodine Bobsled Challenge, which raises funds to build the state-of-the-art bobsleds the team used to earn its first Olympic four-man gold medal in 62 years. Their participation in the annual Lucas Oil NHRA vs. NASCAR charity event in Lake Placid, N.Y., also offered them the chance to become friends with many of the U.S. athletes.

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