

Saturday September 6th



With the kids back in school, the 2025 season is starting to wind down as Billy and the #86 team made their way to Flamboro Speedway for the Flamboro Memorial and Fan Appreciation Night Corn Roast. The pro late models took to the track for their first of two practice sessions with Billy saying that the car felt a little sloppy overall and the team wondering if it was the setup of the car or if it was a combination of new and old tires.

Billy lined up on the outside of the front row for the first race of the night alongside the #27 of Kevin Albers with both the #31 of Kevin Gallant and the #2 of Rick Burbridge deciding to start at the back of the field. As the #27 led the field to green, Billy quickly tucked in behind him into the 2nd position coming out of turn 2. Billy followed close behind the #27 for a few laps until lap 8 when he made his move to the lead diving to the inside again coming out of turn 2. The two battled side by side for a couple of laps before Billy was able to clear the #27 and pulled away to pick up the win.

The lineup for the second race was the same as the first as Billy lined up on the outside of the #27 of Albers on the front row. Both teams had been busy between races making changes to their cars as neither driver was happy with how their respective car was handling. The front row took the green flag side by side as Billy battled hard on the outside of the #27 for a couple of laps before finally deciding to pull in behind him to drop back into the 2nd position. The #27 was handling well as Billy fought a chattering front end in the #86 through the centre of the corner. The two drivers battled nose to tail until the #27 started to pull away by a few car lengths midway through the race. With the laps starting to tick away, Billy regrouped and made another charge as he closed the gap and pulled up to the bumper of the #27 with six laps to go before making his move to the inside. Again, the two put on a show for the fans battling side by side for a couple of laps before Billy was able to complete the pass to narrowly take the win to sweep the night. A big thank you goes out to the #31 of Kevin and Keara Gallant and Gallant Farms for supplying the free corn and to John Casale and Flamboro for supplying the free hot dogs for the corn roast.



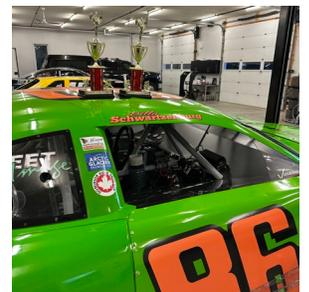
Saturday September 13th

There was work to be done on the #86 during the week as Billy and the #86 team tried to figure out what was going on with the handling of the car from the previous week. They would soon find out if their hard work paid off as they made their way to Flamboro for the second to last points night of the season. One practice session is all that was needed as Billy was extremely happy with the handling of the car, so the decision was made to skip the second practice session.

The #2 of Burbridge sat on the pole with the #27 of Albers alongside him as the pro late models lined up for the first race of the night. Billy lined up on the inside of the second row in the 3rd position with the #37 of Steve Arrand to his outside and Billy let the rest of the field know just how good the car was handling right at the drop of the green flag. As the field came out of turn 2 on the opening lap, Billy headed to the inside of the track going 3-wide down the back straightaway before backing out of it and tucking back into line. The #27 made his way into the lead and Billy followed close behind him to move into 2nd. On lap 3 Billy made his move to take over the lead and he didn't look back as he dominated the first feature to bring home the win.



The lineup for the second feature of the night was the same as the first as the field took the green. Again, Billy followed the #27 around the #2 to move up into the 2nd position on lap 2. Billy and the #27 started to pull away from the rest of the field as the two ran nose to tail. Just after the halfway mark Billy passed the #27 to take over the lead and despite some looks from the #27, he was able to hold onto the win to sweep the night.



Billy and the #86 team look to wrap up back-to-back championships as they return to Flamboro Speedway on Saturday September 20th for Pro Late Model Championship Night. The pit gates open at 4:00PM, the front gates at 5:00PM and racing gets underway at 6:30PM.