

PRESS RELEASE: OCS Championships at Stake

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Rougemont, NC-- What better way to end the season at Orange County Speedway than to throw a "Pit Party"? That will be the atmosphere Saturday, October 24 for the Carolina Collector Auto Fest 250, when all fans will be invited onto the racing surface at 6pm to take photos and get autographs from their favorite drivers. In addition to all the race cars being on the track, the CCAF-250 will also have Collector and Classic Cars on display at the track as well.

After the "Pit Party" however, all attention will be on the OCS Championships that will be on the line when the green flag drops at 7pm. Division championships will be decided in all divisions and there's no battle that is as close as the battle for the LMSC Championship. South Boston, Virginia's Stacy Puryear and Timberlake, NC's David Triplett Jr will enter the contest tied with 512 points. Both drivers have had highs and lows throughout the season. In eleven outings this season, both have won races, with Triplett Jr. winning six races to Puryear's three. Puryear however, holds the edge when it comes to Top-5s and Top-10s with 11 to 9 and 11 to 10 respectively. Triplett Jr. seems to be the driver to beat as he's won three of the last four races at OCS. The point war will be decided after Saturday's feature race.

There is a similar contest for the division championship in the Limited Sportsman Division. Young 13 year old Michael McGuire of Roanoke, VA, can't drive "to the track", but he's left no doubt any anyone's mind that he can handle his 3200 lb Limited Sportsman racecar "on the track". He currently leads Joey Throckmorton by a mere 10 points going into the last race of the season but Throckmorton holds a slight 5 to 4 advantage on race wins for the season. One of these two young guns will emerge with the Limited Sportsman crown Saturday.

Other title winners will be decided in the support divisions Saturday as 5-time Grand Stock winner, Tommy Chandler leads second place James Turner by 20 points, and Keith Langston leads Bruce Chisholm by 34 points in the Pure Stock Division.

The visiting Mini-Stock division and the Southern Ground Pounders (Vintage) Racers will also see action Saturday night.

Admission price for the OCS Carolina Collector Auto Fest 250 is \$10 adults, students, \$8, and kids 10 and under are free. See [www.ocstrack.com](http://www.ocstrack.com) for more info.

ALSO - October 31st at 1 pm October Fest 225 (make-up from July 11) ISCAR Dash Twin 75 and Rolling Thunder Modified 75, costume contest and ride for the kids. \$15 Adults, \$10 Students and 12 and under FREE.

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