



NASTE Season 2012 – Race #3

November 19, 2011

Fantasy World Hobbies, Tacoma, Washington

The third NASTE race of the 2012 season was held Saturday at the Fantasy World Hobbies warehouse courtesy of Tony Kuljis. Since that's about a three hour drive from Portland, Bill offered to pilot the NASTE party van and we filled it with eight willing souls. Mike Lombardi met up with us at Fantasy World where we were joined by local hot shoes Tony and John "The Professor" Powers.

The Fantasy World warehouse track is a 1:32 scale 4-lane Scalextric track of about 80 ft. The track has a nice feel to it with a set of S-curves and a good sized straight section to unwind. It doesn't take long to feel comfortable. On top of that, Tony had brought along his Racer Ferrari 250LM's. We've raced them before - quality cars that are well tuned without being over-powered. What a treat!

After an hour of practice we got down to racing. Through the first set of heats "The Big Smooth" held a two-lap lead over Rico, The Professor and Tony with Bill and Drew another couple of laps behind. The girls were also charging hard with Victoria holding the lead over Dorothy "The Hammer".

In the second set, everyone did better than their first set with one notable exception – that guy in front. And as expected, the locals finally got it together and started throwing down some serious lap totals. By the time the smoke had cleared "The Big Smooth" and "The Professor" both had 169 laps while Rico and Tony were tied for third with 167.

It was decided to have a run-off. In the end, the locals beat out the travelers but not by much. The final standings showed John first, Monte second, Tony third and Rico fourth.

In the ladies division Victoria held on to her first set lead to squeak past Dorothy despite her plying the officials with her famous chocolate treats.

By the time the NASTE party bus returned to Portland after a stop by Alan Smith's 132slotcar.us store and a rather festive dinner in Centralia, all seemed to feel that the day was a great success.

A special thanks to Fantasy World Tony and our tour drive Bill for taking good care of us.

Race Results – 11/19/2011

Race No. 3 - Fantasy World		Season
Hobbies	Laps	Points
John Powers	169.0	20
Monte Saager	169.0	19
Tony Kuljis	167.0	18
Rico Locati	167.0	17
Bill Bostic	164.0	16
Drew Kinney	163.0	15
Greg Petrolati	161.0	14
Mike Lombardi	157.0	13
Dennis Hart	155.0	12
Victoria Saager	154.0	11
Dorothy Abbott	148.0	10

Current NASTE Season Standings

Name	Class	Rookie	Total	Race #1	Race #2	Race #3
Bill Bostic	A		54	19	19	16
Monte Saager	A		54	15	20	19
Rico Locati	A		51	17	17	17
Bryan Trchsel	A		38	20	18	0
Dave Smith	A		34	18	16	0
Victoria Saager	B		32	9	12	11
Dorothy Abbott	B		31	13	8	10
Terry Abbott	A		30	15	15	0
Drew Kinney	A	Yes	28	0	13	15
Dennis Hart	A		23	0	11	12
John Powers	A		20	0	0	20
Tony Kuljis	A		18	0	0	18
Jeff Courtney	A		16	16	0	0
Tom	A	Yes	15	11	4	0
Greg Petrolati	A		14	0	0	14
Tracy Flood	A		14	0	14	0
Mike Lombardi	A		13	0	0	13
Catrinus Wallet	A		12	12	0	0
Allen McBride	A		10	0	10	0

Kathy Voigt	B		10	10	0	0
Russell Flood	C	Yes	9	0	9	0
Todd Flood	C	Yes	7	0	7	0
Pete Abram	A	Yes	6	0	6	0
Diane Bostic	B		5	0	5	0
Cailin Dunbar	C	Yes	3	0	3	0
Mary	B	Yes	2	0	2	0
Jill	B	Yes	1	0	1	0

Current NASTE Scrabble Season Standings

Name	Total	Round	Round	Round
		#1	#2	#3
Victoria Saager	65	18	28	19
Dorothy Abbott	46	10	17	19
Mary	31	16	15	0
Kathy Voigt	17	17	0	0
Cailin Bostic	17	0	17	0
Monte Saager	10	10	0	0
Jill	10	0	10	0
Dennis Hart	10	0	0	10
Bill Bostic	9	9	0	0
Terry Abbott	9	9	0	0
Pete	9	0	9	0
Catrinus Wallet	8	8	0	0