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CHRIS SCHNEIDER FINDS \$1,000 IN VICTORY LANE FOR THE FOURTH HOMAK PENN OHIO MINI SERIES' EVENT AT SHARON SPEEDWAY!



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August 23, 2016 (Sandy Lake, PA) The Homak Penn Ohio Pro Stock Championship Mini-Series competed in the fourth of five events for the 2016 Season and Chris Schneider captured his second win out of the four events. Schneider started on the outside pole and led all 20 laps, surviving six cautions and pressure from top-runner Andy Buckley and two-time Mini Series Event Winner, Paul Davis.

“We had some distributor cap issues last time but everything was firing on eight cylinders tonight,” expressed the 37-year-old Lower Burrell, Pa. standout. “I have to thank my dad, all of my sponsors, and Bob Walters for piecing this engine together.”

Schneider drove past pole-sitter Rob Bates on the start with Andy Buckley following in second. Buckley maintained second throughout the caution periods, while the battle for the third position was intense and changed hands numerous times with Bates, Brian Carothers,

Rod Laskey, and Shaun Fawcett all having their fair share of the position until lap 11 when Paul Davis made the pass for good. The event's final caution came with 14 laps scored for a spinning car in turn 3.

The caution gave Buckley and Davis a shot with the field bunched up, but Schneider was too strong as he pulled away over the final six non-stop laps to win by 2.158 seconds. Schneider's fifth career win came in his SS Chassis & Supply/Nick Chevrolet/It's All Clean-sponsored #55.

Buckley maintained the runner-up spot over Paul Davis, who battled his way from the 19th starting spot for third. Fawcett was fourth over Laskey; Steve D'Apolito was sixth, while Jackson Humanic, Bates, Jacob Billyk, and Carothers completed the top 10. Heat winners over the 24-car field were Bates, Schneider, and Buckley. Michael Hudzik won the \$100 dash sponsored by Precision Runner LLC, Jason Longwell and Marco Malone. Jamie Duncan finished the dash in second with Gary Robinson in third.

Davis and Buckley now share the top spot in the points for the Mini Series points. Chris Schneider hangs in the chase just 8 points out of the lead. The final Mini Series race will join the Touring Series for the Applefest event at Sharon Speedway on September 16th -17th, where the first Homak Penn Ohio Pro Stock Championship Mini Series Champion will be crowned.

Contingency prize winners for the August 20th Mini Series Event included: Chris Schneider winning the Hoosier tire donated by Hoosier tire Mid Atlantic presented by Precise Racing Products; Gary Robinson winning a \$25 gift card donated by Precise Racing Products; Michael Kerr winning a \$25 gift certificate donated by Wedge Motorsports; and, Troy Norman winning a \$25 gift certificate donated by Big Daddy's Speed Center.

Homak Penn Ohio Pro Stock Championship Mini-Series Results (20 laps, \$1,000 to-win):

1. CHRIS SCHNEIDER (55) 2. Andy Buckley (965) 3. Paul Davis (3) 4. Shaun Fawcett (224) 5. Rod Laskey (1R) 6. Steve D'Apolito (84) 7. Jackson Humanic (Kellogg 17K) 8. Rob Bates (99B) 9. Jacob Billyk (4) 10. Brian Carothers (02c) 11. Mike Clark (7) 12. Mike Miller (T6) 13. Gary Robinson (44R) 14. Jamie Duncan (67J) 15. Troy Norman (19N) 16. Jamie Maxwell (6) 17. Mike Kerr (25K) 18. Brent Coleman (01) 19. Michael Hudzik (31H) 20. Curt J. Bish (Tarr 29) 21. Jamie Scharba (11s) 22. Jason Longwell (Petsko 00)-DQ 23. Jesse Brock (22B)-DNS 24. Troy DeZarn (21)-DNS.

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