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39th Annual Sublimity Harvest Festival Results

Sublimity Harvest Festival was a smashing success

Stayton, Ore. 12 Ore. 2011 – On September 9-11, the [Sublimity Harvest Festival](#) celebrated 39 years of tractor pulls, truck pulls and monster truck madness. The event featured six monster trucks, 78 stock trucks, 42 modified trucks, 55 stock tractors, eight modified tractors, 60 ATVs and seven horse teams. This year the Festival had the honor of introducing the local [Break the Chain](#) monster truck, driven by El Matador's Daron Basl. Break the Chain, sponsored by McCoy Freightliner, was the monster truck champion of the weekend.

Other stand-out moments of the weekend included the first annual "Cause Day" on Sunday's Family Day. Cause Day was an opportunity for non-profits to bring awareness to their particular cause. This was also the first year for the Friday Pit Party in which the public had the opportunity to come early and meet drivers and their rigs on the track. "The Pit Party was a huge success," says Festival President BJ Tuttle. "We're definitely doing this again next year."

Each year, the Festival board gives out the "Raymond 'Red' Boedigheimer Award" to one outstanding volunteer and one noteworthy sponsor. The award began in 1978 and was first given to the Boedigheimer family in memorial for Red Boedigheimer, a founding member of the Festival. This year, the awards were given to volunteer Noel Kuzma of Scio and sponsor Frank Chavez of Salem.

The following is a complete list of results from the weekend's events:

Monster Truck:

Friday: Daron Basl, "Break the Chain": Magnolia, Texas

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Sunday: Travis Groth, "Captain USA": Gig Harbor, Wash.

Overall winner: Daron Basl, "Break the Chain": Magnolia, Texas

Country Modified Truck:

Friday: Robert Ross, "Constant Headache": Hillsboro, Ore.

Saturday: David Decker, "Hellraiser's Nitemare": Murphy, Ore.

Pro Modified Truck:

Friday: Denny Tucker, "Abra Ka Dabra": Willows, Calif.

Saturday: Larry Carrol, "Lethal Injection": Hermiston, Ore.

Super Modified 2WD Truck:

Friday and Saturday: Frank Woelk, "Special Delivery": Turner, Ore.

Saturday's Stock Truck Pull Winners:

A: Clinton Turner: Salem, Ore.

B: Terry Pierce: Salem, Ore.

2B: Aaron Basl: Aumsville, Ore.

C: Bob Schwab: Salem, Ore.

2C: Kary Dibble: Lebanon, Ore.
D: Chris Hennings: Selma, Ore.
2D: Christian Keeney: Sweet Home, Ore.
E: David Ryan: Salem, Ore.
2E: Sean Pries: Keizer, Ore.
2F: Jacob Jeffers: Lyons, Ore.
H: Joe Schwab: Salem, Ore.
HH: Warren Tapp: Aumsville, Ore.
I: Doug Moehnke: Banks, Ore.
J: Larry Hageman: Lebanon, Ore.
2J: Cody Brown: Cornelius, Ore.
K: Phil Hanson: Independence, Ore.
L: Jennifer Kessel: Lebanon, Ore.
M: Roger Klein: Aumsville, Ore.
2N: Jason Bender: No city listed
2P: Taylor Lamb: Sublimity, Ore.
TS: Michael Fox: Puyallup, Wash.
TU: Chris Fleisher: Salem, Ore.
UU: Dave Notar: Blaine, Wash.
UM: DJ Calloway: Moses Lake, Wash.
US: Tyson Bell: Hillsboro, Ore.
VM: Roger Sawyer: Jefferson, Ore.
W: Rick Freeman: Harrisburg, Ore.
X: Larry Brown: Harrisburg, Ore.
Y: Steve Taylor: Stayton, Ore.
EZ Grade: Zach Lee: Stayton, Ore.
EX (exhibition): John Fink: Salem, Ore., Military

Modified Farm Tractor:

Friday and Saturday – Ken Larvik, “Mighty Massy”: Tigard, Ore.

Multi-engine Tractor:

Friday and Saturday – Larry Pfennig, “Alimony”: Salem, Ore.

Smoker Tractors:

Friday: Ty Tkoelker, “Red Eye Special”: Custer, Wash.
Saturday: Fred Tkoelker, “Runnin’ in the Red”: Custer, Wash.

Pro Modified Diesel Trucks:

Friday: Russ Prescott, “All Jacked Up”: Ogden, Utah
Saturday: Terry Thain, “Kicken Gas”: North Logan, Utah

Stock Farm Tractors:

Sunday winners by weight class:
A-1: Fred Suhr: Scappoose, Ore.
B-1: Fred Suhr: Scappoose, Ore.
C-1: Josh Schwab: Salem, Ore.
D-1: Mark Parker: Lebanon, Ore.
E-1: Fred Suhr: Scappoose, Ore.
G-1: Tom Wall: Salem, Ore.
H-1: Tom Wall: Salem, Ore.
I-1: Josh Schwab: Salem, Ore.
K-1: Josh Schwab: Salem, Ore.
L-1: Josh Schwab: Salem, Ore.

O-1: Jimmie: Mollala, Ore.
4Q-1: Russell Lulay: Sublimity, Ore.
4R-1: Bill Germond: Aumsville, Ore.
U-1: Tom Kneoland: Scotts Mills, Ore.

ATVs:

A1: Jacob Silbernagel: Scio, Ore.
A2: Kaylee Silbernagel: Scio, Ore.
B1: Mason Heisler: Gaston, Ore.
B2: Colby Fredricks: Lyons, Ore.
C1: Sam Studnick: Stayton, Ore.
C2: Sydney Fredricks: Lyons, Ore.
E1: Sierra Shelton: Lyons, Ore.
E2: Cody Shelton: Lyons, Ore.
G1: Brian Vanderkooy: Aumsville, Ore.
G2: Shelby Anderson: Forest Grove, Ore.
H1: Ty Hart: Stayton, Ore.
H2: Tyler Ziemer: Fairview, Ore.
I1: Brian Siegmund: Turner, Ore.
K1: Kirk Ziemer: Fairview, Ore.
M1: Daniel Edwardson: Stayton, Ore.
M2: Phillip Mallet: Salem, Ore.
N1: David Anderson: Forest Grove, Ore.
N2: Oliver Heisler: Gaston, Ore.
O1: Tom Lackner: Stayton, Ore.
P1: Mikayla Kuzma: Scio, Ore.
R1: Daniel Edwardson: Stayton, Ore.
R2: Gary Mattson: Salem, Ore.
S1: Michael Henry: McMinnville, Ore.
U1: Joe Schwab: Salem, Ore.
U2: George Rommel: Willamina, Ore.
V1: Tom Lackner: Stayton, Ore.
V2: Jonathan Davis: Salem, Ore.
W1: Jon Silbernagel: Stayton, Ore.
W2: Jonathan Davis: Salem, Ore.

There were seven horse teams entered in the horse pulling event on Sunday, most of which came from Estacada, Ore. and one of which came from Lacombe, Ore. The horse event was presented in two classes: light and heavy. Don Lee's team won the heavy class, while Bob McGowan's team won the light class.

"Overall, we had a really great event this year. My thanks goes out to an incredible team of volunteers and our really dedicated sponsors---we couldn't do it without them" said Festival President BJ Tuttle. "I already can't wait for next year---we are planning some big and exciting things for our fortieth annual."

This annual weekend-long event features tractor, truck, ATV and horse pulling competitions; monster trucks; a fun run; parade; community breakfast; entertainment tent; Kid Zone; live music; and commercial and food vendors. Monster truck sponsors for 2011's event included [AWI Diesel Truck Repair](#), [Les Schwab](#), [Siegmond Excavation and Allied Rock](#), [McCoy Freightliner](#), [Slayden Construction](#) and [Wholesale Sports](#). Other major sponsors include [Scales NW](#), [Superior Tire Company](#), [Linn Benton Tractor](#), [Santiam Towing & Recovery](#), [Sunbelt Rentals](#), [North Santiam Paving](#), [Coors Light](#), [Power Chevrolet](#) and [Power Yamaha](#). The Festival is held on the Harvest Festival Grounds at 11880 Sublimity Rd SE in Sublimity. For 2012 sponsorship information, call Nicole Miller at 503.949.7621. For vendor information, call Haley Hamilton at 503.269.8741.

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