

Mother Nature Makes Late move for the WIN

When the day started Saturday May 14, the forecast was clear, with minimal chance of weather for the racing program later in the evening, at Bethel Motor Speedway. As the day went on, however, the forecast would change multiple times, with the worst coming at feature time.

Knowing this, and having fought off the weather the week prior, speedway management chose to go for it.

As the program aged for the evening, the weather kept turning more grim by the moment. At the time the heat races were scheduled to go out, "nuisance rain" as management calls it, began to fall. Not making it wet enough to be a major hinderance, but enough that it was a concern if cars were not constantly on track to keep the heat in the surface.

Once all heat racing was completed, and all lineups were posted in record time, the nuisance rain, turned to a steady rain, cancelling the remainder of the evening's events, despite the best efforts of track personnel.

In a social media post, posted by Bethel Director of Promotions and Marketing Dawn Roemer, she describes how thankful she is for the support of the fans and drivers who did attend, as well, the schedule of make events to complete the show over the next few weeks.

"First and fore-most we would like to thank all the drivers and fans that came out last night.

We apologize that Mother Nature decided it was her turn to get the checkered flag.

Here are the dates for each class's make up feature! May 21st: Beginner Bandolero, Bandolero, 4Cyl Trucks, 4Cyl Novice; May 28th Asphalt Mods, Legends, June 11th Street Stocks

Again thank you all for supporting Bethel Motor Speedway! 🚩🚩🚩🚩"

Next weekend is a double header at the speedway, with The Open Racing Challenge Series Unruly Race headlining the Saturday May 21st show, and Spinning Wheels Productions presents their Spring Demolition Derby on Sunday May 22. For more info visit bethelspeedway.com. or call 845-319-7908