



## 2002 Records

**Track Champions:** **Matt Sheppard (DIRT 358-Modified)**  
**Jamie Christian (DIRT Sportsman)**  
**Jason Rood (DIRT Pro Stock)**  
**Dave Mannise (Pure Stock)**



### DIRT 358-Modified Results

Date	Laps	Winner	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
5-May	40	Mitch Gibbs	Matt Sheppard	Ron Holmes	Jason Barney	Steve Paine
12-May	30	Rain				
19-May	30	Rain				
26-May	50	Gordy Button Jr.	Ryan Baye	Ron Holmes	Matt Sheppard	Steve Hulsizer
2-Jun	30	Todd Burley	Ryan Baye	Jack Johnson	Matt Sheppard	Jim Rothwell
9-Jun	30	Gus Schmidt Jr.	Tony Ross	Gordy Button	Mike Hulsizer	Jim Rothwell
16-Jun	30	Rain Postponed to 6/30				
19-Jun	100	Danny Johnson	Jack Johnson	Vic Coffey	Jeff Trombley	Mitch Gibbs
23-Jun	30	Steve Hulsizer	Mitch Gibbs	Matt Sheppard	John Ramsey	Mark Flach Jr.
30-Jun	30	Jack Johnson	Matt Sheppard	J.J. Michaels	Gordy Button Jr.	Steve Hulsizer
	30	Todd Burley	Matt Sheppard	Ryan Baye	Gordy Button Jr.	Jeff Kotary
7-Jul	30	Jack Johnson	Jason Barney	Billy Wilcox	Ryan Baye	John Ramsey
14-Jul	30	Mitch Gibbs	Gus Schmidt Jr.	Matt Sheppard	Gordy Button Jr.	Jim Rothwell
21-Jul	30	J.J. Michaels	Matt Sheppard	Gordy Button Jr.	Ryan Baye	Mitch Gibbs
28-Jul	30	Rain Postponed to 8/11				
4-Aug	30	Jack Johnson	Gus Schmidt Jr.	Ryan Baye	J.J. Michaels	Jason Barney
11-Aug	30	Matt Sheppard	Mitch Gibbs	J.J. Michaels	Aaron Excell	Ryan Baye
	30	Jeff Kotary	Matt Sheppard	Jason Barney	Gus Schmidt Jr.	Ryan Baye
18-Aug	30	Ted Lamb Jr.	Mitch Gibbs	Jim Rothwell	Jason Barney	Matt Sheppard
25-Aug	30	Todd Burley	Gordy Button Jr.	Matt Sheppard	Ron Holmes	Jeff Kotary
15-Sep	100	Rain Delayed to 9/20				
20-Sep	101	Brett Hearn	Todd Burley	Matt Sheppard	Alan Johnson	Pat Ward

### Total DIRT 358-Modified Wins

Driver	Wins
Jack Johnson	3
Todd Burley	3
Mitch Gibbs	2
Brett Hearn	1
Danny Johnson	1
Gordy Button Jr.	1
Gus Schmidt Jr.	1
Jeff Kotary	1
J.J. Michaels	1
Matt Sheppard	1
Steve Hulsizer	1
Ted Lamb Jr.	1
<b>12 Winners</b>	<b>17 Events</b>

### Final DIRT 358-Modified Points

Pos.	Driver	Points
1	Matt Sheppard	783
2	Mitch Gibbs	717
3	Ryan Baye	677
	Gordy Button Jr.	677
5	Jason Barney	649
6	Jeff Kotary	574
7	Jim Rothwell	568
	Gus Schmidt Jr.	568
9	Paul Kinney	524
10	John Ramsey	513

### DIRT Big Block Modified Results

Date	Laps	Winner	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
22-Aug	100	Rain				

### DIRT Sportsman Results

Date	Laps	Winner	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
5-May	20	Jamie Christian	Kevin Crave	Tim Clemons	Tim French	Bill Shantel Jr.
12-May	20	Rain				
19-May	30	Wet Grounds - Postponed to 6/19				
26-May	20	John Christian	Jim Roberts	Russ Hefti	Kevin Crave	Paul Carey
2-Jun	20	Mike Button	Tim Clemons	Steve Way	Jamie Christian	Paul Carey
9-Jun	20	Bill Shantel Jr.	Steve Kotary	Paul Carey	Mike Button	Jamie Christian
16-Jun	20	Rain Delayed to 7/21				
19-Jun	30	Mike Button	David VanHorn	Tim Sears	Randy Chrysler	Tim Clemons
23-Jun	20	Tim Clemons	Jamie Christian	Steve Way	John Christian	Dave Bargabos
30-Jun	20	Tim Clemons	Jamie Christian	Dan Yankowski	Daryl Hagen	Kevin Crave
7-Jul	20	Tim Clemons	Mike Button	Kevin Crave	Jamie Christian	Jim Roberts
	20	Jamie Christian	Tim Clemons	Kevin Crave	Tim Mayne Jr.	John Christian
14-Jul	20	Jamie Christian	John Christian	Tim Clemons	Kevin Crave	Dan Yankowski
21-Jul	20	Jamie Christian	Kevin Crave	Paul Carey	Jim Roberts	Tim Clemons
	20	Tim Clemons	Mike Button	Jamie Christian	Jim Roberts	John Christian
28-Jul	20	Rain Delayed to 8/4				
4-Aug	20	Daryl Hagen	Jim Roberts	Brian Murphy	Kevin Crave	Paul Carey
	20	Tim Mayne Jr.	Kevin Crave	Dan Yankowski	Jamie Christian	Butch Reiter
11-Aug	20	Jamie Christian	John Christian	Jessica Zemken	Paul Carey	Bill Shantel Jr.
18-Aug	20	Kevin Crave	Tim Clemons	Steve Kotary	Paul Carey	Jamie Christian
25-Aug	20	Daryl Hagen	Steve Kotary	Paul Carey	Jamie Christian	John Christian
1-Sep	20	Tim Clemons	Kevin Crave	Butch Reiter	Jamie Christian	Paul Carey

#### Total DIRT Sportsman Wins

Driver	Wins
Jamie Christian	5
Tim Clemons	5
Mike Button	2
Daryl Hagen	2
John Christian	1
Bill Shantel Jr.	1
Tim Mayne Jr.	1
Kevin Crave	1
<b>8 Drivers</b>	<b>18 Events</b>

#### Final DIRT Sportsman Points

Pos.	Driver	Points
1	Jamie Christian	809
2	Tim Clemons	751
3	Paul Carey	721
4	Kevin Crave	708
5	Jim Roberts	628
6	John Christian	627
7	Tim Mayne Jr.	583
8	Steve Davis	545
9	Steve Way	520
10	Dave Bargabos	512

### DIRT Pro Stock Results

Date	Laps	Winner	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
5-May	15	Bret Belden	Dave McCready	Eric Vanderhoof	Wayne Archer	Jason Rood
12-May	15	Rain				
19-May	15	Rain				
26-May	15	Buddy Hencke	Jim Normoyle	Jason Rood	Dave Bruno	Chad Ray
2-Jun	15	Buddy Hencke	Jason Rood	Bill Knapp	Jim Normoyle	Joe Palmer
9-Jun	15	Buddy Hencke	Mark Effner	Chad Ray	Denny Smith	Jason Rood
16-Jun	15	Rain Delayed to 6/23				
23-Jun	15	Denny Smith	Dave Moyer	Joe Palmer	Jason Rood	Brian Belden
	15	Jim Normoyle	Eric Vanderhoof	Gerry Newman	Bill Knapp	Mark Hoffman
30-Jun	15	Gerry Newman	Jason Rood	Bill Knapp	Chad Ray	Bret Belden
7-Jul	15	Buddy Hencke	Jim Normoyle	Mark Hoffman	Chad Ray	Joe Palmer
14-Jul	15	Buddy Hencke	Jim Normoyle	Bret Belden	Denny Smith	Eric Vanderhoof
21-Jul	15	Jim Normoyle	Mark Hoffman	Chad Ray	Bill Knapp	Bret Belden
28-Jul	15	Rain Delayed to 8/4				
4-Aug	15	Buddy Hencke	Jason Rood	Jim Normoyle	Denny Smith	Joe Palmer
	15	Joe Palmer	Gerry Newman	Bret Belden	Buddy Hencke	Bill Knapp

11-Aug	15	Dave Bruno	Jason Rood	Denny Smith	A.J. Digsby	Dave Meeks
	15	Buddy Hencke	Joe Palmer	Dave Moyer	Chad Ray	Bret Belden
18-Aug	15	Jim Normoyle	Buddy Hencke	Mark Effner	Jason Rood	Bill Knapp
22-Aug	15	Rain				
25-Aug	15	Bret Belden	Denny Smith	Jason Rood	Jim Normoyle	Joe Palmer
1-Sep	15	Mark Hoffman	Gerry Newman	Joe Palmer	Buddy Hencke	Jason Rood
15-Sep	25	Rain Delayed to 9/20				
20-Sep	25	Dave Schulz	Eric Gauvreau	Joey Ladouceur	Steve Devos	Kenny Gates
9-Oct	15	Bret Belden	Mark Lighthall	Mark Effner	Bill Knapp	Eric Gauvreau

### Total DIRT Pro Stock Wins

Driver	Wins
Buddy Hencke	7
Bret Belden	3
Jim Normoyle	3
Denny Smith	1
Gerry Newman	1
Joe Palmer	1
Dave Bruno	1
Mark Hoffman	1
Dave Schulz	1
<b>9 Drivers</b>	<b>19 Events</b>

### Final DIRT Pro Stock Points

Pos.	Driver	Points
1	Jason Rood	782
2	Bret Belden	772
3	Buddy Hencke	758
4	Joe Palmer	751
5	Denny Smith	744
6	Bill Knapp	698
7	Jim Normoyle	680
8	Chad Ray	644
9	Eric Vanderhoof	642
10	Gerry Newman	623

### Pure Stock Results

Date	Laps	Winner	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
5-May	15	Dave Mannise	Ricky Trexler	Les Lewis	Art Newman Jr.	Jeff Thorp
12-May	15	Rain				
19-May	15	Rain				
26-May	15	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Dave Mannise	Jeff Thorp	Mark Webb	George Schulze
2-Jun	15	Dave Mannise	George Schulze	Jeff Thorp	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Waylan Wilczek
9-Jun	15	Dave Mannise	George Schulze	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Jim Thomas	Art Newman Jr.
16-Jun	15	Rain Delayed to 6/23				
23-Jun	15	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Jeff Thorp	Dave Mannise	George Schulze	Dave Pope
	15	Art Newman Jr.	Dave Pope	George Schulze	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Ted Crawford
30-Jun	15	Dave Mannise	Waylan Wilczek	Jim Thomas	Art Newman Jr.	Rick Condes
7-Jul	15	Jeff Thorp	Art Newman Jr.	Waylan Wilczek	Ricky Trexler	Jim Thomas
14-Jul	15	Dave Mannise	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Les Lewis	Art Newman Jr.	Ricky Trexler
21-Jul	15	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Jeff Thorp	Jim Thomas	Waylan Wilczek	Ricky Trexler
28-Jul	15	Rain Delayed to 8/11				
4-Aug	15	Jim Thomas	Waylan Wilczek	Dave Mannise	Art Newman Jr.	Jeff Thorp
11-Aug	15	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Dave Mannise	Jim Thomas	Dave Pope	George Schulze
	15	Jim Thomas	Waylan Wilczek	Les Lewis	Jeff Thorp	Rick Condes
18-Aug	15	Dave Pope	Art Newman Jr.	Jim Thomas	George Schulze	Ricky Trexler
25-Aug	15	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Jeff Thorp	Waylan Wilczek	Art Newman Jr.	Jerry Button
1-Sep	15	Dave Pope	Waylan Wilczek	Chuck Cushman Jr.	Art Newman Jr.	Ricky Trexler
9-Oct	15	Dave Pope	Jim Thomas	Waylan Wilczek	Dave Mannise	Nathan Peckham

### Total Pure Stock Wins

Driver	Wins
Dave Mannise	5
Chuck Cushman Jr.	5
Dave Pope	3
Jim Thomas	2
Art Newman Jr.	1
Jeff Thorp	1
<b>6 Drivers</b>	<b>17 Events</b>

### Final Pure Stock Points

Pos.	Driver	Points
1	Dave Mannise	802
2	Chuck Cushman Jr.	800
3	Art Newman Jr.	752
4	Jim Thomas	744
5	Ricky Trexler	698
6	Jeff Thorp	670
7	Rick Condes	585
	Waylan Wilczek	585

9	Dave Pope	563
10	Ted Crawford	548

### Empire Super Sprint Results

Date	Laps	Winner	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1-Sep	20	Dan Kaszubinski	Bubby Kerrick	Jeff VanDusen	Mike Stelter	Bobby Podolak
9-Oct	20	Doug Emery	Mike Lutz	Mike Woodring	Justin Barger	Ryan Coniam

### Central New York Mini Sprint Results

Date	Laps	Winner	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
1-Sep	15	Doug Norrie	Matt Norrie	Jared Fink	Don Harvey	Ryan Lund
9-Oct	15	Doug Norrie	Blake Breen	John Iantelli	Matt Norrie	Otto Sitterly

### Demolition Derby Results

Date	Winner
26-May	Rich Predmore

In late March, Eric & Gisele Kingsley along with Bub Benway sold the speedway to The Cole Family (Gene, Gloria & Tom), who operated the track from April 2002-March 2015.

**Records compiled by Doug Zupan.**