

TORO – Texas Off-road Racing Organization

Round 2 – BSGP – Denton, Texas

Storrie Telling Time!

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Outstanding weather and a race just outside of the Dallas/Fort Worth Metroplex attracted the largest turnout in the six year history of the Texas Off-road Racing Organization. The BSGP (Brian Storrie Grand Prix)—always a popular local event—drew 465 area racers to the Storrie farm in Denton. Storrie laid out a course with a little bit of everything: a sweeping grass track, tight woods, a small motocross section and a challenging creek jump with an alternate.

Fifteen pro racers took the line in the AA class on Sunday. SMS Racing/MSR/Silkolene-sponsored Storrie said, "I got off to a really bad start - last off the line. I worked my way through the pack at a steady pace and found myself right behind the lead guy, Caleb Ramsay, on the last lap. I backed off a little until we got out of the woods so he couldn't hear me and waited for the best time to make my pass. The first time I went for it, I got right up beside him... he looked over and saw it was me... his eyes got huge! It was a few corners later when I made a second attempt at the pass and was able to get the lead and keep it for the win!"

SMS Racing-sponsored Ramsay said, "I was just pacing it when all the sudden there's Storrie right beside me! He caught me sleeping for sure! I'll get him back for that one!"

An obvious home-field advantage and consistently faster laptimes helped Storrie pick everyone off one at a time. The 33-year old Storrie is in his 17th season as an area Pro racer and has seven ISDE showings to his name. Rounding out the top five were Ramsay, Cooper Bailey, Bryan Vaughan and Cameron Ishmael.

In other Sunday racing, Oklahoman Kacey White took the win in the Ladies A class while Crystal Akins and Christie Poe earned class wins in the Ladies B and C classes, respectively. The +30 Ladies C class win went to Tammy Jo Hansen and Joyce Needum took the win in the +30 Ladies B class.

The +50 A class saw Precision Motorcycle Products/Maxim Motorsport-sponsored Jeff Kring continue his early-season success, as he earned his second consecutive victory. Kring said, "I was third on the start with Bill Cason and Glenn Barajas ahead of me. I got by Barajas after about two miles and started to reel in Cason. We got out of the tight stuff and I passed him in the grass track – his little 200 KTM has some beans! We diced it up on all the straights, but I was able to pull ahead right before the creek bottom and held the lead."

Kring, known as "Jeffy Sue" to his friends, got his first motorcycle in 1966 and in the early 70s had a Bultaco support ride. He went on to ride Pro MX throughout the 70s, where his best finish was a fourth place at Lake Whitney. In the 80s he raced in the expert enduro classes and won the Open A class in 1980 and the 125 A class in 1981. Burnout and a broken body forced Kring to hang it up in 1985.

However, like many old racers Kring couldn't stay away forever. Kring said, "I bought a new YZ and the bug to race hit hard - so here I am... trying to prove I still can."

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RESULTS - RACE 602

AA: 1. Brian Storrie (GG); 2. Caleb Ramsay (GG); 3. Cooper Bailey (KTM); 4. Bryan Vaughan; 5. Cameron Ishmael (Kaw)

HEAVY A: 1. David Lucas Jr. (KTM); 2. Chris Cason (KTM); 3. Brad Mayo (Suz); 4. Logan Price (Yam); 5. Richard English (KTM)

HEAVY B: 1. AJ Goin (KTM); 2. Chris Alcorn (Yam); 3. Kasey Kuykendall (Suz); 4. Will Dinwiddie (Suz); 5. John Millington

HEAVY C: 1. Kevin Miller (KTM); 2. Trey Dasinger (Hon); 3. Jeremy Palmer (KTM); 4. Bryan Debrick (KTM); 5. KJ Lowe (KTM)

LITE A: 1. Garrett Bollom (Kaw); 2. Chris Scott; 3. Tyler Ruckdeschell (KTM); 4. Michael Bohrer (KTM)

LITE B: 1. Ryan Woodard (Yam); 2. Ryan Powers; 3. Cameron Vrzak (KTM); 4. David Alexander; 5. Jason Lehman (KTM)

LITE C: 1. Nathaniel Carter (KTM); 2. Kenny Brown; 3. Kyle Jensen; 4. Daniel Popham (Hon); 5. Bradley Bonner (KTM)

+30 A: 1. Cecil Parker; 2. Stephen Sturges (KTM); 3. Shawn Mardis (Hon); 4. Scott McCarns (KTM); 5. Sean Needum (Yam)

+30 B: 1. Stephen Nowak; 2. Mark Vrzak (GG); 3. Mike Satterfield (Kaw); 4. Ryan Griffith (KTM); 5. Brennan Barnwell (Yam)

+30 C: 1. JD Seale (Hon); 2. Brad Flynn (KTM); 3. Bill Wheeler (Yam); 4. Michael Smith (Yam); 5. Eric Neubauer (KTM)

+35 B: 1. Harvey Short (KTM); 2. Scott Kimberling (Hon); 3. Rock Noard (Kaw); 4. Jerry Fagan (KTM); 5. Kevin Klander (Kaw)

+35 C: 1. Shane Thetford; 2. Mike Cross (KTM); 3. Scott Hurst (Yam); 4. Darrell Murdock (KTM); 5. Jason Coffman (KTM)

+40 A: 1. Ray Jennings (Suz); 2. Mike Abbott; 3. Randy Green (Hon); 4. Dennis Goodson (Yam); 5. Kevin Ruckdeschell (KTM)

+40 B: 1. Terry Poe (KTM); 2. Mike Sullivan (KTM); 3. Mark Cody; 4. George Gross (Yam); 5. James Otto (Hon)

+40 C: 1. Mark Carpenter (KTM); 2. Terry Harmon (Suz); 3. Paul Scallin Jr (Hon); 4. Todd Asbill (Hon); 5. Jimmy Fougousse (Hon)

+45 B: 1. Brad Burnie (Hon); 2. Scott Chinnock (Kaw); 3. Scott Armel (Yam); 4. Mike Looney (Yam); 5. David Weeks (KTM)

+45 C: 1. Quentin Bohrer (Kaw); 2. John Johns (Yam); 3. Michael Snoddy; 4. Ken Johnston (Yam); 5. Charlie Bridges Sr. (Hon)

+50 A: 1. Jeff Kring (Yam); 2. Larry Hunter (KTM); 3. Richard Thorne; 4. Glenn Barajas (Yam); 5. Bill Cason (KTM)

+50 B: 1. Kevin Sinclair; 2. Brad Miller (KTM); 3. Charlie Robinson (Yam); 4. Danny Robbins (KTM); 5. Thom Kuhns (Suz)

+50 C: 1. Stan Howard; 2. John Hesse (KTM); 3. Kenny Mallet (KTM); 4. Fred Seipp; 5. Bruce Anderson (Yam)

+60: 1. Dwight Leatherwood (KTM); 2. Max Brand (Kaw); 3. Ron Meyer (GG); 4. Jay Gentry (Yam)

LADIES A: 1. Kacey White (Kaw); 2. Ashley Crouch (Yam); 3. Kalalynn Sellers; 4. Jessica Parker (KTM); 5. Felicia Corbin (Kaw)

LADIES B: 1. Crystal Akins (Hon); 2. Kate Strawbridge; 3. Heather Alexander; 4. Jordon Milbauer (Kaw); 5. Angela Wilky (KTM)

LADIES C: 1. Christie Poe (Hon); 2. Vanessa Holloway (Kaw); 3. Kristin Saul; 4. Haley Neal (KTM); 5. Heather Lowe

LADIES +30 B: 1. Joyce Needum (Yam); 2. Irma Lucas (Hon); 3. Elena White (Yam); 4. Lisa Lowe (Hon); 5. Jena Cox (Yam)

LADIES +30 C: 1. Tammy Jo Hansen (Hon); 2. Marsha Wilbanks (Kaw); 3. Sherry Beck (Hon); 4. Renee Boehrsen (Kaw); 5. Beth Fowler (Hon)

MINI A: 1. Brandon Glenn (Kaw); 2. Jeffrey Harris (Kaw)

MINI B: 1. John Short (KTM); 2. Brent Ash; 3. Kory Bailey (KTM); 4. Brandon Beck (Kaw); 5. Ryan Harrington (Yam)

MINI C: 1. Tyler Chidester (Yam); 2. Matt Ryan (KTM); 3. Brandyn Skinner (Kaw); 4. Dillon Green (Kaw); 5. Chaz Sims (Yam)

PEE WEE 50 A: 1. Cole Neal (KTM); 2. Hunter Budd (KTM); 3. Ben Otto (KTM)

PEE WEE 50 B: 1. Cayden Cox (KTM); 2. Austin McKinney (KTM); 3. Steven Lucas (KTM); 4. Colton Hansen (KTM); 5. Tanner McDonald (KTM)

PEE WEE 50 C: 1. Carson Bradshaw (KTM); 2. Michael Ryan (KTM); 3. Allen Narita (KTM); 4. Lane Mullins; 5. Garrett Thompson (KTM)

PEE WEE 65 A: 1. Ryan McKinney (KTM); 2. Nicholas DiMauro (KTM); 3. Macie Arrington (KTM); 4. Colton Corbin

PEE WEE 65 B: 1. Justin Bailey (KTM); 2. Hunter Glenn (Kaw); 3. Walker Richard (KTM); 4. Blake Breton (Kaw); 5. Erik Wilky (KTM)

PEE WEE 65 C: 1. Hunter Young (KTM); 2. Trenton Thompson; 3. Ty Collins; 4. Eric Lucas (Kaw);
5. Taylor Vrzak (Kaw)
JR. BEGINNER: 1. Krece Nowak; 2. Kyler Lowrimore (KTM); 3. Jake Vantilburg