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### **DON CAMPBELL GETS HIS FIRST WIN IN NASCAR TYPE LATE MODEL RACE**

**Campbell, CA (July 12, 2004)** – NASCAR type Late Model stock car driver Don Campbell got his first win last Saturday night at Altamont Motorsports Park in Tracy, CA. Campbell dominated the race, opening up as much as half a lap lead before late caution flags closed the gap. Pole sitter Campbell kept a comfortable two-car length lead over 3-time track champion Verg Beaty for the final 15 laps. Campbell, in his first stock car season, drives the Courtesy Chevrolet Monte Carlo in NASCAR's Late Model division at short tracks throughout California. Campbell, earlier this year, twice finished in 2<sup>nd</sup> place and had one trophy dash win before breaking through for his first win.

Professional road racer Don Campbell decided to expand his racing background. For the past 10 years, Campbell has raced Vipers, Corvettes, Porsches, Mustangs and Camaros at road race tracks throughout the U.S. and Canada. This year is Campbell's first ever debut into NASCAR type stock car racing.



Don Campbell celebrating his first NASCAR type Late Model win.

"I am extremely excited to get my first NASCAR type Late Model win tonight," said driver Don Campbell. "The Courtesy Chevrolet Monte Carlo was really fast. We have run up front and been very competitive all season long, almost winning several times. I knew it was only a matter of time before I got my first win. I would like to thank my Crew Chief Jeff Steckler and the entire team for preparing a great car."

Don Campbell (Campbell, CA) has built an impressive racing resume over the last 10 years. Campbell has won numerous championships from autocrossing to road racing. Most recently, in 2003, Campbell competed in the SCCA Pro Speed World Challenge, racing his Corvette C5R throughout the U.S. and Canada. Campbell's races regularly appeared on the Speed Channel television network.

He also kept busy with driver appearances and autograph sessions. Also, in 2003 Campbell raced in the longest road race in the world, The 25 Hours of Thunderhill. In 2002, Campbell won NASA's CMC Season Championship.

Campbell set six road race track records at Buttonwillow, Thunderhill, Willow Springs, California Speedway, Spring Mountain and Infineon Raceway. Campbell's championship season included 10 wins and 14 pole positions. In 2001, Campbell was on the first place team at the U.S. National Viper Championships. Campbell won SCCA Solo II Regional championships in 1998, 1999 and 2000.



Don Campbell's Courtesy Chevrolet Monte Carlo.

For more information on driver Don Campbell and Campbell Racing, please visit [www.campbellracing.com](http://www.campbellracing.com).

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