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## **PAHUD MAKES IT 3 IN A ROW WITH ANOTHER WIN FRIDAY AT TRI-COUNTY**

HUDSON, N.C. – Christian PaHud is on fire in Tri-County Motor Speedway limited late model action. After missing the track's regular-season opener, PaHud has since proceeded to win three straight 35-lap features at the tricky four-tenths-mile banked oval.

After starting fifth on Friday, PaHud drove to his third win in a row over his top challenger thus far, Dexter Canipe Jr.

“We timed second and rolled a five,” said Christian, referring to the die the top-six qualifiers roll to determine their feature starting position. “We started fifth and got up to second by the end of the second lap. I think we had the lead around Lap 7 or 8. The car is just working so well right now. It's awesome to start the season off like this, but I just want to get more. I keep thinking about the future races.”

When asked where the advantage is, PaHud gave an honest answer.

“I think we can just go anywhere on the track. I can put the car anywhere and it works well. I don't think the rest of the field can do that, and that's probably a lot of why we've been winning. We'll see if we can keep it going.”

As mentioned, PaHud missed Tri-County's opening point race, so he's been in catch-up mode ever since in regard to the point standings. With Friday's win, the Harrisburg, North Carolina, racer is now 38 points out of the lead. He is currently tied for third place. Canipe is the current point leader.

PaHud will be in the market for his fourth consecutive victory this Friday at Tri-County. Time trials begin at 7 p.m. The first feature hits the track at 8 p.m.

Christian PaHud is a 16-year-old former legends car Summer Shootout champion who has recently moved up to the limited late model division. He finished fourth in his stock-car debut last fall at Tri-County and now has three wins to his credit in 2009. PaHud is a native of Dayton, Ohio.

PaHud is a member of the Team Full Throttle NASCAR Driver Development Program and is represented by Driver Development Services, Inc., Charlotte, N.C. His marketing partners are Orion Motorsports and Tri-Star Racewear.

Team Full Throttle is a Mooresville, N.C., based driver development program that specializes in all areas of personal and professional development, including leadership, teamwork, and communications as well as marketing, promotion, and on-track driving skills. TFT currently comprises over 30 racers who reside and race in all regions of the country.

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