

5-16-26 Race Recap from Sumter Speedway / The 6th Annual Billy Cagle Memorial for the Cagle Racing Automotive LLC , BLUE RIDGE Outlaw Late Models powered by Newsome/Raceway Parts Network,Raceway Chevrolet,Chevrolet Performance.

Returning to the familiar grounds that had paid dividends for him on multiple occasions in the past, Dalton Hodge ended his multiyear winless streak with an outstanding performance Saturday night at Sumter Speedway by securing the \$5007 To Win Billy Cagle Memorial and leading all 40 circuits to earn his 3rd career BROLM series victory.

Rock Hill, South Carolina's Bryan Mullis led Group A Qualifying with a lap of 14.212 while Braden Jones topped the charts in Group B and claiming overall Fast Time Honors with his time of 14.200 seconds. Hodge, taking advantage of the track position he gained after a false start by the front row, fended off Jones to capture the Quick 8 Dash.

Hodge, capitalizing on the good fortune afforded him in the Quick 8 Dash, raced to the lead with the field in tow. Jones wasted zero time in his efforts to pressure the leader as Adam Yarbrough also began to establish himself as a threat. Hodge methodically hit his marks and turned back the early challenges from Jones as Yarbrough threw his name into the mix and eventually moved into the runner-up position. Derek Lane, the hard charger for the event, was methodically and patiently working his way toward a Top 10 as the battle for track position continued throughout the field. Yarbrough's pursuit for Hodge and the race lead ensued and as his charge to the front began to culminate, but untimely contact with lap traffic derailed the Denver, NC veteran with a flat tire ended his hopes for a victory. Hodge would ultimately capture the win over Jones, Terry Caple Jr, Mullis, and Justin Mintz.

With 5 events completed in 2026, Braden Jones remains atop the championship standings and holds a 33-point lead over Hodge, a 35-point lead over Mullis, and a 37-point lead over Travis Steele. Jones has been a model of consistency thus far in 2026, but this weekend presents a daunting challenge as the BROLM teams eye a doubleheader weekend at Lavonia Speedway on Saturday and Cherokee Speedway on Sunday with both events paying \$3500 To Win! Join the BROLM Family at Lavonia and Cherokee to kick off your Memorial Day Weekend!

Sumter Speedway Billy Cagle Memorial Results (pending inspection and/or tire tests):  
Dalton Hodge – Braden Jones – Terry Caples Jr – Bryan Mullis – Justin Mintz – Anthony  
Sanders – Jacob Brown – Kale Green – Brandon Dockery – Aaron Weed –Derek Lane – Matt  
Long – Adam Yarbrough – Scott Shirey – Justin Hobgood – William Russell III – Pat Lindsay –  
Tony Ayers – Travis Steele – Jay Sessoms – Isaac Rountree – Dillon Brown

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