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THE HEAT IS ON: HAMPTON HEAT BLAZES BACK TO LANGLEY SPEEDWAY JULY 20

--Limited number of Free tickets available to Hampton residents and employees--

(Hampton, VA) In its 11th year, the Hampton Heat 200 returns to Larry King Law's Langley Speedway on Saturday, July 20, for the annual event that draws several dozen racing teams and thousands of fans to the short track that was training ground for racing champions.

Free tickets are available to Hampton residents and employees. Tickets are available 9 am – 5 pm at the Hampton Visitor Center, located at 120 Old Hampton Lane, in downtown Hampton. Proof of residence or employment by the City is required. A limit of four tickets per household applies.

A 6:15 pm Fan Meet & Greet kicks off the evening's racing schedule, with racing underway at 7 pm featuring Bandolero, Legends, Super Trucks and Grand Stock events. The Hampton Heat green flag for drops at 9 pm. There will be a six-lap controlled caution at lap 100 during which teams have an opportunity to make necessary adjustments to their vehicles.

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Regular admission fees for the Hampton Heat event are \$12.00 Adults, \$10.00 Military (Active or Retired) and Senior Citizens (60 & Over), and \$5.00 Children 6-12. Admission is free for fans under age 5. Season passes may be purchased for \$250. Purchase advance tickets online at <https://langley-speedway.ticketleap.com/> . Event parking is free.

Late model drivers from throughout the Mid-Atlantic and Southeast participate in this annual tradition at the track on which racing greats Darrell Waltrip, Dale Earnhardt Jr., and Denny Hamlin began their careers. A longtime NASCAR Home Track, Langley Speedway is a .395-mile, slightly-banked oval. The speedway is located at 11 Dale Lemonds Drive, off North Armistead Avenue, in Hampton. To learn more about Langley Speedway, fans may call the Speedway office at (757) 865-RACE or consult the track's Web site — www.langley-speedway.com.

Bordered by the Hampton Roads harbor and Chesapeake Bay, Hampton is located in the center of the exciting Hampton Roads metropolitan area. The site of America's first continuous English-speaking settlement and home to such iconic visitor attractions as the Virginia Air & Space Center, Fort Monroe National Monument, award-winning Hampton Coliseum, and the 344,000 sq. ft. Hampton Roads Convention Center, Hampton visitors are invited to explore Hampton History Museum, harbor tours and cruises, Hampton University Museum, The American Theatre, among other family-friendly attractions.

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