

## The Firecracker Contest July 1 & 2, 2006

July 1 - The Tulsa Triathlon (Stunt, Racing, and Balloon Bust)

Results:

Stunt (Beginner Pattern)

1. Bob Reeves - 246.5
2. Dave Courtney - 230
3. John Ashford - 214.5
4. Bryan Norton - 206
5. Rick Blankenship - 203
6. Jim Phillips - 132.5
7. Tom Tomoser - 40

Stunt Judges: Dale Marlin, Walt Weatherford

Racing

1. Bob Reeves - 7:53.03
2. John Ashford - 8:38.97
3. Rick Blankenship - 8:48.97
4. Jim Phillips - 8:55.19
5. Bryan Norton - 10:27.13
6. Dave Courtney - 12:03.41
7. Tom Tomoser - 15:03.25

Race Timers: Vance Muncell - Joe Gilbert

Balloon Bust

1. John Ashford : broke 4 balloons in 26 seconds!
2. Dave Courtney : 4 balloons in 1:47
3. Bob Reeves : Broke 4 balloons in 3:24
4. Rick Blankenship : Broke 3 balloons in 4:30
5. Jim Phillips : Broke 2 balloons in 24 seconds
6. Brian Norton broke 2 balloons in 1:28
7. Tom Tomoser: Frightened the balloons many times

Timer/ Balloon counter: Vance Muncell

Final placings

- 1st - Bob Reeves - Flite Streak - O.S. .25 FP  
2nd - John Ashford - Flite Streak - Fox .35  
3rd - Dave Courtney - Buster - Fox .35

4th - Rick Blankenship - Shim - LA .25

5th (tie)

Brian Norton - Ringmaster - LA .25

Jim Phillips - Flitestreak - O.S. .25 FP

6th Tom Tomoser - Ringer - Fox .29

Tabulators: Jim and Norma Shamblin - Ruby Hill

Pull Tester: Bob Beasley

Custom Triathlon Scoresheet designed and printed by Rick Blankenship

Triathlon Event Director : Rick Blankenship and Joe Gilbert

Saturday Night Cookout

The Gluedobbers had a free hamburger cookout on Saturday night. The cooks were Joe Gilbert and Steve Raney. Food Administration was performed by LeeAnn Gilbert and Colleen Gilbert.

Many Gluedobbers donated food for the cookout.

July 2, The Mirror Meet

Open:

1st - Joe Gilbert - Nobler - Brodak .40 -369.5

2nd - Rusty Brown - Yavenko slow combat - O.S. .40 FP - 281,5

3rd - Jim Phillips - Super Combat Streak - 221.5

Sportsman

1st - Bob Reeves - Super Shim - O.S. .20 FP - 211

2nd - Tom Tomoser - Debolt Stuntwagon .30 - Fox .35x - 24.5

Mirror Meet Spirit Award - Tom Tomoser - Debolt Stuntwagon .30

Best Crash - Jim Phillips (Awarded for Quality and Quantity)

Judges: Marvin Denny - Brian Norton - Tom Martin - John Abaray

Tabulators: Jim and Norma Jean Shamblin - Ruby Hill - Ree Denny

Pull Tester - Bob Beasley

10 foot poleman - Lee Thiele

Food - LeAnn Gilbert

Calligraphy - Colleen Gilbert

Award Printing - Bob Reeves

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Pictures - Elwyn Aud  
Ice and Trash - Jerry Neafus - Steve Raney

We had spectators and contestants from several surrounding states.

Tom Tomoser and Tom Charman came down from Omaha, Nebraska to compete. Dave Courtney made the trek from North Carolina. Rusty Brown and Sugar Baby were here from Greeley, Colorado, and Jim Phillips slid over from OK. City to join the fray

Ken Nash from Joplin Mo. and Jim Kraft from Abilene, Kansas came down to view the spectacle.