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TRAVELLING TIME FOR AHG SPRINTCAR SERIES DRIVERS

January has proved to be a busy time for the AHG Sprintcar Series drivers as they have clocked up plenty of kilometers in their quest for glory.

On January 10 the very first AHG Sprintcar Series round was held at the Margaret River Speedway.

Ryan Farrell, the six-times Western Australian Champion, led home Luch Monte and Shaun Bradford in the A Main event.

The success was Farrell's third of the current season and his 31st career success in the Series that commenced back in the 2000-01 season.

The victory also meant that Farrell has won rounds at six of the eight tracks where AHG meetings have been staged.

A week later – January 17 – the drivers returned to the Bunbury City Speedway, the venue where Farrell clinched his latest WA title.

Farrell was again in top form – leading the feature race until he experienced steering problems and had to retire.

Jamie Maiolo went on to score the win over Luch Monte and Ken Sartori.

The result was not the one that Farrell wanted – as he will miss this Saturday's next round at the Perth Motorplex due to eastern states racing commitments.

After the meeting Farrell still retained top spot on the AHG Series leaderboard – but the opposition is closing fast.

When the results from the upcoming Kwinana meeting are tabulated – we could very likely have a new pointscore leader.

The current Top 10 pointscorers are:- 1. Ryan Farrell 1507, 2. Ken Sartori 1469, 3. Luch Monte 1449, 4. Jamie Maiolo 1316, 5. Greg Hall 1294, 6. Ben Ellement 1272, 7. Mat Muir 1257, 8. Shaun Bradford 1216, 9. Carl Dowling 1187, 10. Kris Coyle 1175.

COMING UP

This Saturday (January 24) sees the eleventh round of the AHG Sprintcar Series held at the Perth Motorplex.

A strong 35 car field has entered for the meeting – including leading Northern Territory drivers Warrenne Ekins and Allan Barlee – plus Matt Brown, who has been working in the "top end" of late.

But – as they say in the classics – wait, there's more!!

Only a fortnight remains before the 47th Australian Sprintcar Championship comes to the high-banks of the Perth Motorplex.

It will be run over three nights (February 5, 6 and 7) and has attracted a field of 61 cars.

The WA drivers will also earn AHG Sprintcar Series points during the title tilt.

