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## Jeff Glenn Scores Inaugural ACRL Win

eff Glenn of Team San Jose cruised to his first professional victory in Round 4 of the Sports Car Club of America's American City Racing League at Portland, Ore.

The young Pleasanton, Calif., driver, who had started alongside pole-sitter Bob Schader of Team San Diego, steered his Swift DB5/Ford-Cosworth to an 8.5-second win over Team Reno's Rick Lee. Leo Sismani of Team Las Vegas was third for his career best ACRL finish, while Larry Vollum of Team Portland and rookie Marc Zurlinden of Team San Diego rounded out the top five.

Team Woodland's Joe Giroski finished an impressive seventh overall while snatching first-place honors in the Sports 2000 division for non-Cosworth engines.

Schader had put his Lola T89/90 on the pole with a new Super Sports 2000 track record of

1:16.213, and at the start of the race, he led a four-car breakaway with Glenn, Rick Lee and Peter Zarcades.

Schader's engine, however, began losing oil pressure on the second lap, though he managed to hold off Glenn through the end of lap 10. Glenn then executed a perfect late-braking maneuver on the tight right-hander entering the chicane to take the lead.

A split second later, Schader and Lee made



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contact in the following left-hander. Both drivers recovered, but Schader's car suffered damage, and he was forced to pit for a new nose-piece. In the melee, Zarcades moved up to the second position, but his pursuit of Glenn ended on lap 16 with a broken fuel pump.

With his win, last year's ACRL rookie of the year pulled within 27 points of Schader in the the 1996 drivers' championship.

- Robert C. Kehoe

## **AMERICAN CITY RACING LEAGUE • ROUND 4**

Portland, Ore., (1.925 miles), June 16, 1996, 22 laps (42.35 miles): 1 (2) Jeff Glenn/Swift DB5/Ford-Cosworth, 28:34.322; 2 (4) Rick Lee/Lola T89-90/Ford-Cosworth, 28:42.906; 3 (6) Leo Sismani/Swift DB5/Ford-Cosworth, 22; 4 (5) Larry Vollum/Swift DB5/Ford-Cosworth, 22; 6 (7) Marc Zurlinden/Swift DB2/Ford-Cosworth, 22; 6 (7) Tom Kreger/Lola 88-90/Ford-Cosworth, 22; 7 (13) Joe Giroski/Tiga SC89/Ford, 22; 8 (15) lan Wood/Swift DB2/Ford, 21 laps; 9 (16) John Ostlund/Swift DB2/Ford, 21; 10 (18) Bill King/Swift DB2/Ford-Cosworth, 21, 12 other starters. Winner's Average Speed: 88.933 mph. Fast Lap: Glenn 1:16.915. Lap Leaders: Schader 1-10: Glenn 11-22