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Even though mother nature has not been on our side a whole lot this race season, ISOC was able to pull off the races at the Soaring Eagles Casino in Mt. Pleasant, Michigan this past weekend. The forecast looked pretty dismal in the weeks leading up the race, and receiving a great deal of rain, even up until the races. Friday was in the 40's with thunderstorms in the late afternoon, but with the hard work from the ISOC crew, they were able to keep the track in good condition and pull off two full days of racing.

Temperatures dropped Saturday morning to the mid 20's, which helped maintain the integrity of the track and eliminate some of the standing water. Neil once again competed in two classes; Transition 8-10 and Transition 8-12.

For the Transition 8-10 class, Neil had some good qualifying heats to earn him the 7th qualifying spot in the final. After landing himself a decent hole shot, Neil was quick to make his way up to the 3rd position. Shortly, after gaining that spot, Neil almost overshot the next corner, putting him back to 5th place, but just missed catching the 4th place rider at the finish line by a foot!

In the Transition 8-12 class, things didn't go Neil's way, jumping the start in the first heat which sent him to the back row and wasn't able to make up much ground during that race. In the second heat race, Neil finished well enough to earn himself a back row start in the final. After a hard fought final, Neil closed out the day with a 12th place finish, and is looking forward to redeeming himself at the next national.

We would like to thank all of our sponsors, family, and friends for supporting us!

