

# ENGINE PRO & ARP RETURN AS SPRINTS ON DIRT 2017 TITLE SPONSORS



Sprints on Dirt is excited to once again partner with Engine Pro and ARP in 2017. SOD's bold move to an unlimited winged sprint format last year was enthusiastically embraced by competitors and fans alike. The support of Engine Pro and ARP was proven to be the right decision as the results exceeded all expectations. SOD is busy putting together all the pieces for 2017 and details will be released throughout the next few months.

Scott Overlund, Sales and Marketing Manager, The Perfit Corporation / Engine Pro, has released the following statement: "We are very proud of our sponsorship with SOD and excited for the 2017 season. The excitement of sprint car racing on dirt at some of the best venues in the Midwest has created a wonderful marketing package for us and our vendor partners with a win-win-win scenario for the racers, the tracks, and the products we promote."

Engine Pro is the largest engine parts warehouse network in

the USA, distributing a full line of brand name internal engine components exclusively to the wholesale market. Engine Pro inventories engine parts for domestic and import passenger car, light truck, heavy duty, industrial, marine, agricultural and performance applications. Engine Pro is committed to building the success of their customers by offering competitive pricing, innovative programs and knowledgeable sales representatives. It also produces Engine Pro brand engine products to provide an affordable option for race engine builders who want the highest quality and a moderate price. To learn more about Engine Pro, go to [www.enginepro.com](http://www.enginepro.com).

ARP, a leader in high performance fasteners, has an extensive product line containing thousands of part numbers, and has includes virtually every fastener found in an engine and driveline. These range from quality high performance OEM replacement parts to exotic specialty hardware for Formula 1, IndyCar, NASCAR and NHRA drag racing and marine applications. ARP is a highly diversified manufacturer with five operational entities in Southern California including forging, machining, finishing and packaging/warehousing facilities. For more information about ARP, go to [www.arp-bolts.com](http://www.arp-bolts.com).

Sprints On Dirt shares Engine Pro's customer commitment by providing fans, promoters, sponsors, and racers with exciting winged dirt track sprint car racing.

Want to follow SOD? Go to [www.sprintsondirt.com](http://www.sprintsondirt.com) and the Sprints On Dirt Facebook page. For more information, email SOD at [director@sprintsondirt.com](mailto:director@sprintsondirt.com) or call 734.309.RACE.

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# Baer Field Motorsports Park inaugural dirt race to feature Sprints On Dirt



Baer Field Motorsports Park officials announced today that Engine Pro Sprints On Dirt presented by ARP will headline the inaugural race on the new 1/4 mile dirt track under construction within the infield of the track's current 3/8-mile pavement oval.

The 1/4 mile track adds numerous new possibilities to the existing 3/8 mile paved oval and 1/6 mile dirt track. A small, specials-only schedule will be announced in the coming weeks for the new track.

It takes a lot of work to construct and operate a new dirt track, but promoter Dave Muzzillo is up to the task. He has the background and experience of track management and operation with the existing tracks; he also has knowledge of dirt track preparation with the 1/6 mile track.

The race will give Northeastern Indiana race fans an opportunity to see the popular Engine Pro Sprints On Dirt presented by ARP series in their own area. The new Sprints On Dirt "beyond limits" format of no engine limits and no weight limits was impressive last year. Competitors and fans alike have embraced the exciting racing it has created. The top

five drivers in 2016 points came from five different segments of sprint car racing the year before, showing the wide spread appeal of SOD.

For more information regarding 2017 schedules for all the tracks located at BFMP, visit the website [www.baerfieldmotorpark.com](http://www.baerfieldmotorpark.com) and the Baer Field Motorsports Park Facebook page.

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## Engine Pro Sprints On Dirt by ARP announces Crystal Motor Speedway dates for 2017



For the 38<sup>th</sup> year, the Crystal Motor Speedway/Engine Pro Sprints On Dirt presented by ARP partnership will continue in 2017. SOD is proud to return to Crystal Motor Speedway on three dates. The SOD season opening race is scheduled for April 29<sup>th</sup> followed by July 15<sup>th</sup>, and September 2<sup>nd</sup> dates.

Crystal Motor Speedway and Engine Pro Sprints On Dirt presented by ARP both hope that Mother Nature is much kinder

to them in 2017 than she was in 2016. SOD suffered five rain outs, three of them at Crystal. The three SOD rain outs were just a piece of Crystal's weather woes. All told, Crystal lost nine events in 2016, eight due to rain and one due to extreme heat.

Long one of the favorite stops each season for SOD competitors, SOD did manage to complete two shows in 2016, even with the three rain outs. Steve Irwin picked up the win on July 16<sup>th</sup>. SOD then finished the 2016 season in spectacular fashion at Crystal with the September 3<sup>rd</sup> Nitro Black Mike Olrich Memorial Race in support of RacingAwareness.com. Ryan Ruhl dominated the race with his 360 cubic inch motor in front of a full grandstand of enthusiastic fans.

For more information about Crystal Motor Speedway, click here to its Facebook page and go to the speedway website at [www.crystalmotorspeedway.com](http://www.crystalmotorspeedway.com).

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