

## KENNY WRIGHT

DRIVER / CAR OWNER



There may not be a more well liked and respected driver in Wiscasset Speedway's history than Kenny Wright. To achieve the level of success he has and still be appreciated and admired by his peers is something few drivers enjoy. Kenny Wright began his racing career at the age of 15 in 1981 as a sophomore at Morse High School and immediately showed he was born to race, taking home a feature win and the Wiscasset Street Stock title in his first full season. He raced on and off at Wiscasset through the 80's (when it was open) and at Unity Raceway where he picked up a pair of Late Model titles in '89 & '90. His career then went to the next level when the St Clair family reopened Wiscasset Raceway in 1991. Over the next decade he would establish himself as one of the top Pro Stock drivers in the Northeast. He started with two straight Wiscasset Pro Stock championships in '93 & '94, also being named Driver of the Year in 1993. In 1994 and '95 he added a pair of titles in the Irving Oil Summer Sizzler Series (between Wiscasset, Unity & Speedway 95). He continued racking up wins throughout the region and took home a NEPSA Pro Stock championship in 1998. Kenny continued to challenge himself against the cream of the crop right up until he retired from driving in 2004. Many major victories fill his hall of fame resume at Wiscasset including the Boss Hogg 100, Wiscasset Quick Stop 150, DNK Select Used Cars 150, and Budweiser 100. All told he amassed over 70 wins and 5 track championships (3 at Wiscasset) and many Sportsmanship awards. He was inducted in the Maine Motorsports Hall of Fame in 2016 and now takes his place in the Wiscasset Speedway Hall of Fame class of 2020. You can find him these days mentoring his son Jamie as he embarks on his own promising Pro Stock career.