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## Snap-on Pro Stock Dragster Jeg Coughlin Wins Sixth NHRA Race of Year

IRL'S Ryan Briscoe Finishes Second at Sonoma; Takes Over Season Points Lead

**KENOSHA, Wis. – August 24, 2009 –** Snap-on Pro Stock dragster Jeg Coughlin won his sixth race of the year at the NHRA Nationals held at the Maple Grove Raceway in Reading, Pa. on August 23. With the victory, Coughlin maintained his overall lead in the season point standings with seven races remaining.

"We want to congratulate Jeg on a great weekend in what has been a tremendous season for him and his race team," said Alicia Smales, vice president of marketing for Snap-on Tools. "We also want to congratulate Ryan Briscoe on finishing second at the IRL race in California. Both Jeg and Ryan are leading their respective season point standings and we will be cheering them on as the racing season heads to the finish line."

Briscoe finished second at the Indy Grand Prix of Sonoma on August 23. The 40 points he received for the second-place finish moved him back into first in the season point standings by only four points. Briscoe and Team Penske will be back in action on August 29 under the lights at the Chicagoland Speedway in Joliet, III. while Coughlin and his fellow Snap-on sponsored NHRA dragsters are off this week but will be competing at the U.S Nationals in Indianapolis on Labor Day weekend.

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