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Snap-on Funny Car Wins Again

Second Win in Three Races for Cruz Pedregon and Snap-on Funny Car

KENOSHA, Wis. – October 11, 2010 – With his second win in three races, Cruz Pedregon has dominated the NHRA Funny Car postseason as he drove the Snap-on Funny Car to victory at the Maple Grove Raceway in Reading, Pa. on Oct. 10. It was the 28th funny car victory of Pedregon's career.

"We are thrilled for Cruz and the Snap-on Funny Car team with their victory at Maple Grove," said Alicia Smales, vice president of marketing for Snap-on Tools. "The Snap-on Funny Car has been performing extremely well the last several races and Cruz and his team's hard work and determination have really paid off the last two months. Cruz is such a great ambassador for the Snap-on so we are really happy for him to end the 2010 season with some great victories."

Although Pedregon did not make the "Countdown to the Championship" playoffs, he has been the dominant driver since the "Chase" races began, winning two of the four events including a victory in Charlotte on Sept. 19. At Maple Grove, Pedregon defeated four playoff contenders on his way to victory, including new points leader Matt Hagan in the final.

"Friday if you had told me we would be here, I wouldn't have believed it because we just didn't have it together," said Pedregon. "We were doing things we were doing earlier in the year, and I thought, 'Man, we're really going to look like slouches,' but we got it together Saturday. The car made two great runs Saturday, and we were just picking them off one at a time today. Other than the first round, we were flawless. We adjusted the car properly, and that's just a credit to the team."

The Snap-on Funny Car will be back in action at the Las Vegas Nationals on Oct. 28-31 before concluding the season at the NHRA Finals Nov. 11-14 in Pomona, Cal.

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