



## Road Atlanta Review

Autobahn members dominate at Road Atlanta's Round 1 of the Radical Cup. Team Stradale drivers Antoine Comeau, Bob Noorian and Jeff Green went to Road Atlanta with full intentions of podiums in 1340 class and succeeded. Antoine and Jeff were at it again with a healthy dose of competitive fire. These two pushed each other both to the podium and through the grass as absolutely no one was going to get in their way. Jeff took the victory on Saturday while Antoine had a DNF caused by an overheating issue. Bob followed with a strong 8th place while battling a blistered left front tire.

Sunday finally warmed up and the three Autobahn drivers were in full swing with more podiums in their sights. Antoine took the lead early on in race 1 and fought off Jeff to finish strong in first place. The tension grew thick as both drivers had the taste of victory. Race two was no doubt the most exciting of the weekend with a near miss by a V8 cutting the grass coming on the straight away at 140 plus mph. This and a couple other incidents caused a yellow flag which brought in our drivers for their mandatory pit stop. Timing was perfect because the Team Stradale hot shoes exited the pits immediately in front of the pace car which put them on the lead lap. After regaining the green flag Antoine and Jeff were fighting for the lead up until the last lap. Antoine made a strong run on Jeff and took an inside line as the two drove several corners side by side. While going through the esses both drivers lost control momentarily and recovered with an amazing show of car control. Jeff remained in the lead and took home the win followed by Antoine in second. Unfortunately, Bob suffered a punctured tire and was forced to pit again. Luckily the team was prepared and got him running again so he could finish a strong 9th place. Bob had his fastest lap time immediately following the puncture proving the incident did not faze him.

Overall the Team Stradale contingent took home two victories and two second place finishes putting them in the lead for the Radical Cup 1340 series.

Team Stradale was also awarded the dealer with the most volume of sales for Radical world wide. This prestigious honor was accepted by the team principal Francesco D'Avola.

Be sure to tune in for round two of Radical Cup when drivers travel to the world class circuit of Watkins Glen in upstate New York May 12-14.