

#44 Ansell/Menards Ford Fusion



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Frank Endures Wild Winchester 200; Finishes 8th

Winchester, IN - The No. 44 Ansell-Menards Ford, driven by Frank Kimmel, finished 8th in the Winchester ARCA 200 presented by Federated Auto Parts from Winchester Speedway.

Frank Kimmel returned to Winchester Speedway as the ARCA Racing Series driver with the most wins in the track's storied history. The Ansell-Menards Ford would qualify 6th and would race hard throughout the 200 lap event.

At the end of the day, Kimmel would still maintain that title but he would be unable to add to his victory total due to an untimely cut in his right front tire. Having to pit under green on lap 80 for the unexpected tire issue put the Ansell-Menards team two laps down.

The veteran and his experienced Kimmel Racing crew would work throughout the remaining laps but could never catch the right caution to gain their lap back and challenge for the win. In the end, Kimmel and the Ansell-Menards Ford would be credited with an 8th place finish.

"Our Ansell-Menards Ford was fast. (Ryan) Blaney had the fastest car but I think we had a chance at this win if we could have gotten those laps back. The tire just went down so unexpectedly. I'm disappointed with the end result but I am proud of our team for continuing to fight. We had a real good Ansell-Menards Ford tonight," said Kimmel.

Watch for Frank Kimmel at Berlin Raceway driving the No. 44 Ansell-Menards Ford on July 9th for the Hantz Group 200 in the ARCA Racing Series presented by Menards. Also, be sure to visit a Menards location to purchase your next pair of Ansell Gloves. More information can be found at www.frankkimmel.com, www.ansellracingus.com, www.menardsracing.com, and www.arcaracing.com.