

## Hawley's Drag Racing School Wraps Up Las Vegas Classes - Prepares for Warm Florida Winter Course Schedule

Just finishing the school's third 2011 trip to "The Strip" at Las Vegas Motor Speedway, Frank Hawley's Drag Racing School's latest Nevada classes found twenty-three drivers in addition to a handful of classroom only students from all over the country and Canada. After completing the two day course, numerous newly licensed NHRA drivers emerged from the most recent sessions having driven one of the school's GMPP 572ci powered dragsters or Firebirds.

Levon Hovagimian made the trek from his home in Canada recently to attend Frank Hawley's Drag Racing School in Las Vegas and was thrilled with his decision to participate in the course. "I went there knowing there were things I needed to learn but after a few hours, I realized there was a lot I needed to know. Frank is a fantastic teacher and has a unique and personal way of sharing the physical and physiological aspects of racing. From understanding how the car works, to understanding how the driver and their senses work was truly an eye opener. The car prep and safety considerations were clearly evident. This raised my comfort index significantly and enabled me to focus on what Frank was conveying. I know that I am much more aware of what both I and the car are now doing."



"Anyone who thinks they are good, should attend and embark on the path to being great," he added enthusiastically. "After racing for over forty years, I was astonished at what I learned!"

Driving one of the school's dragsters, Phillip Thorgrimsen of Vancouver, Washington points out why he made the decision to work with Frank Hawley. "Well, I did my homework. I was looking for the most for my hard earned money. By choosing Frank Hawley's Drag Racing School, I got it and then some."

Thorgrimsen, a contractor by trade, currently sponsors a couple of drag cars. "Frank's school was my first time in a drag car and I am hooked," he confessed. "I sponsor a super pro dragster and a JR dragster division six. I like helping our team and just love being at any drag strip."

"I hope to race super comp or alcohol dragster even and I will work on that. Frank's class was great. His classroom lectures were very interesting. I know it will help me with my relationships with others, in my business and in drag racing. Driving the car was outstanding and looking at the video of each run was very helpful. Frank is an outstanding teacher and my last two runs felt very natural."

"I had a blast," he exclaimed. "Frank will be seeing me again."

In addition to the Super Classes that are held in Las Vegas and numerous other locations across the country, Frank Hawley's Drag Racing School also offers licensing courses in Top Dragster, Top Sportsman, Top Alcohol Dragster, Top Alcohol Funny Car and Pro Stock Motorcycle at their home in Gainesville, Florida. All courses are offered year-round and for the next several months, drivers can break away from the inclement weather the majority of the country will be experiencing and visit warm, sunny Gainesville, Florida to get prepared for the fast approaching 2012 season, whether their racing fancy finds them looking to license on two-wheels or four.



For more information on Frank Hawley's Drag Racing School, including offerings, fall specials and dates, call 866-480-7223 [Outside U.S. 678-804-8835] or [www.frankhawley.com](http://www.frankhawley.com) Plus "Like Us" on Facebook for all the details and your chance to win a 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary T-Shirt and qualify for the Grand Prize of a Classroom/Reaction Time Clinic with Frank Hawley!

