

LYLE DeVRIES

Lyle DeVries has enjoyed one of the longest racing careers as a driver in this area, one which spanned 50 years. The Sioux Falls driver began racing in 1957 and continued his career through 2006, when he retired from the sport at the age of 69. DeVries has driven nearly every kind of racing machine imaginable including go-karts, enduro cars, stock cars, drag cars, mini-sprints, modifieds, super-modifieds and sprint cars. His most successful period in racing came after teaming with renowned car builder Loren Fick in 1967. The pair enjoyed a successful 13-year stint at the Minnesota tracks - Jackson and Fairmont - while also garnering a number of feature wins at Huset's. In his first year of racing at Huset's, he won the co-rookie-of-the-Year award along with Darrell Dawley.