

MOTORSPORTS COMMUNITY MOURNS A TRAGIC LOSS

Jon Herbert, 17, and James Herbert, 12, sons of Snap-On Tools Top Fuel driver Doug Herbert, died in a tragic automobile accident near their Lake Norman, North Carolina home on January 26th 2008.

To refresh every bodies memory, In 2007 I met up with Doug Herbert, an avid off roader, who was happy to join and support the Northwest Motorcycle Association. I wrote about what a cool dad Doug is, and how he enjoyed taking his son James and daughter Jessie to ride junior motocross. Doug also volunteered his time as scout troop leader for James.

About James and Jon Herbert:

James liked to spend time after school at the motorsports shop with his dad working on his motorcycle and was looking forward to spending the summer going to the drag races with Doug.

Jon spent time fixing up old cars with Doug, and was planning to head off to college next school year.

Doug, while devastated by this tragedy, found the strength to pull his team together for the 2008 NHRA, POWERade drag racing season by dedicating this season to the boys knowing he has 2 angels watching over him.

Send condolences to the Herbert family at:

condolences@dougherbet.com

Memorials may be made to:

Speedway Children's Charity 555 Concord Parkway South Smith Tower Suite 336, Concord NC 28027 in Jon and James Herbert name.



James Herbert

Jon Herbert

