



# *TrackerPull*

Automatic Placing and Points  
for Truck and Tractor Pulls

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## **TrackerPull User Guide**

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## What is TrackerPull?

TrackerPull is a custom database system designed to record pull results and automatically calculate placing and points based on your club's rules.

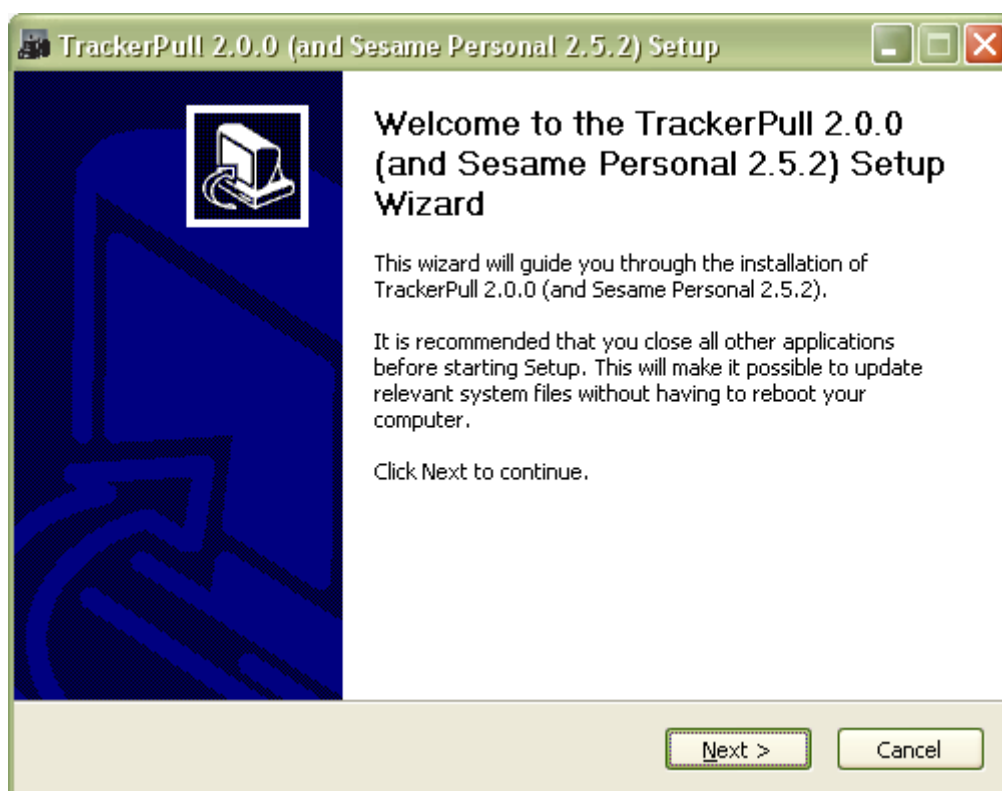
TrackerPull includes a number of built-in capabilities designed to manage your Club and Pull information. The use of each of these capabilities is detailed in this document.

TrackerPull also includes a licensed copy of the fully featured database manager on which it is based – Sesame Database Manager. You can take full advantage of its capabilities to do things like export your data to Excel, print mailing labels and even build your own databases.

## Installing TrackerPull

### Install the TrackerPull Application

Insert the TrackerPull install CD into your CD drive. The installation should start automatically. If it does not, from the Windows Start Menu, choose Run. In the Run dialog box, type D:\TrackerPull\_Setup\_2.0.0.exe (where "D" is the drive letter for your CD-ROM drive). Click OK.



TrackerPull is powered by Sesame Database Manager. The setup program will install Sesame Database Manager with the TrackerPull application. By default, Sesame will install to C:\Sesame2. If you choose a different install location, make a note of where you installed Sesame.

The setup program will place the TrackerPull database in the Data\TrackerPull directory under your install directory.

*Special Note to Vista™ Users*

Since the installer adds icons to the Desktop and Start Menu, Windows may put up one or more “nag” screens during installation.

You may see a User Account Control window open when you start the install procedure stating that “An Unidentified Program” wants access to your computer. Click **Allow** to run the install.

After the install is complete and you are running TrackerPull for the first time, you may also be presented with a Program Compatibility Assistant dialog warning that “Program might not have installed properly” and asking if you want to reinstall. Click **This Program Installed Correctly**.

## Opening TrackerPull



1. The installation program placed a TrackerPull2 icon on your desktop. Double-click the TrackerPull2 icon to open the TrackerPull application to the Main Menu.

## Using TrackerPull

### Main Menu

The TrackerPull Main Menu has four tabs, each of which contains a set of related commands:

1. **Pulls** – Commands to register Vehicles, manage your Pull, print results and calculate points.
2. **Reports** – Member List, Vehicle Lists, and Custom Points Assignments
3. **Forms** – Data entry forms for direct access to Member, Vehicle and Hook records
4. **Tools** – Settings and other options

## TrackerPull Main Menu

**Pulls**
**Reports**
**Forms**
**Tools**

*Register Vehicles for selected Classes.*

Registration

*Manage a selected Class, including adjusting post order, recording results, printing lineups, and printing results.*

Manage Classes

*Print results and points for a selected Pull.*

Pull Date 09/02/2006 ▼

Pull Results

Pull Results With Points

Top Placings

*Print results and points for an entire season.*

First Pull Date 06/03/2006 ▼      Last Pull Date 09/02/2006 ▼

Points Summary By Class

Season Summary By Vehicle

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### Main Menu



## Pulls Tab

The Pulls tab contains the commands to manage your Pull.

# TrackerPull Main Menu

**Pulls**
Reports
Forms
Tools

*Register Vehicles for selected Classes.*

**Registration**

*Manage a selected Class, including adjusting post order, recording results, printing lineups, and printing results.*

**Manage Classes**

*Print results and points for a selected Pull.*

Pull Date

09/02/2006

▼

Pull Results

Pull Results With Points

Top Placings

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First Pull Date

06/03/2006

▼

Last Pull Date

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▼

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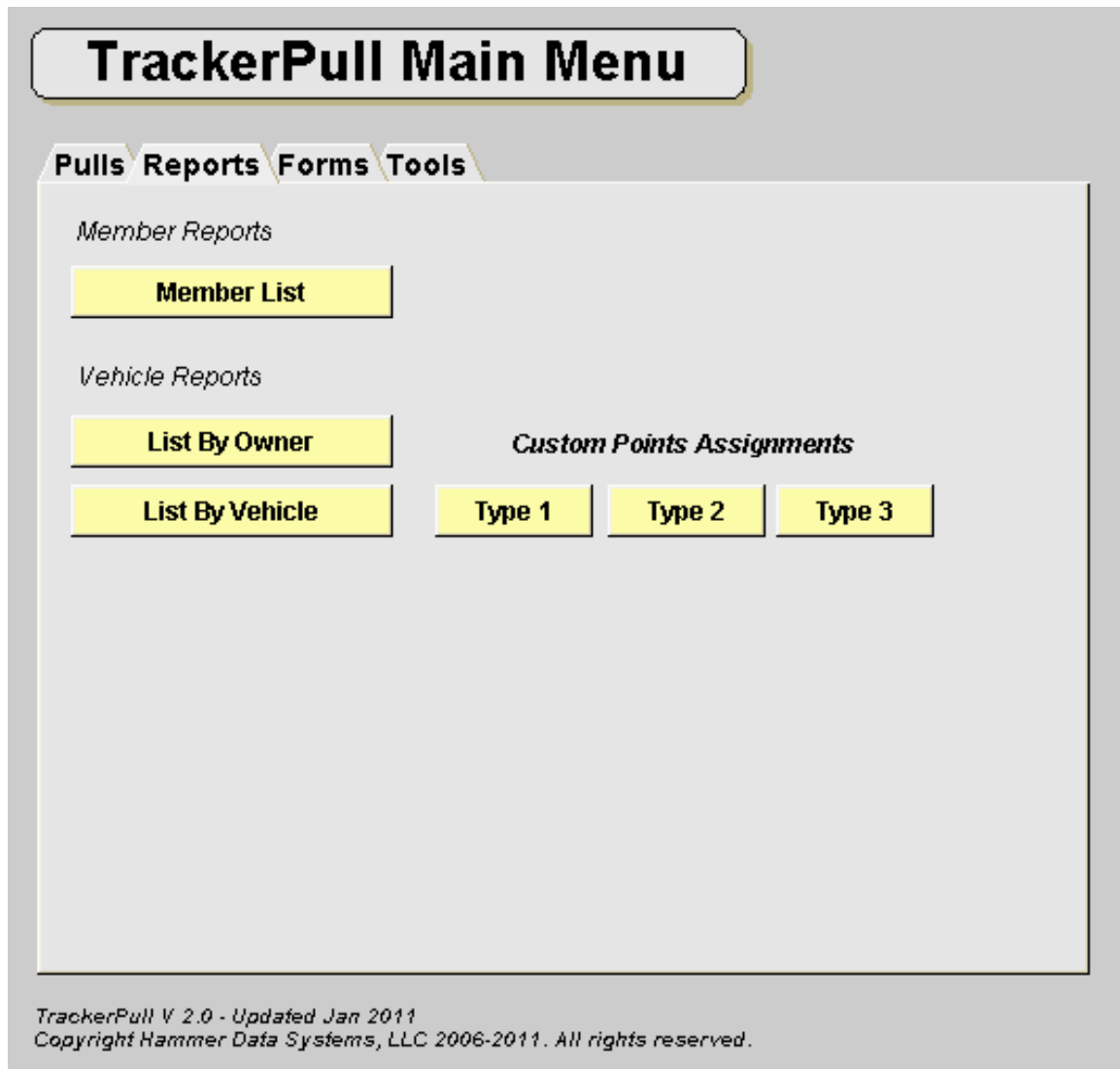
### Main Menu – Pulls Tab

- **Register** – Opens the Registration form. Use this form to register Vehicles for selected Classes.
- **Manage Classes** – Opens the Class Manager form. Use this form to assign post order, print Class Lineups, record distances, and print results for a selected Class.
- **Pull Results** – Prints a report showing the results for all Classes in the selected Pull.
- **Pull Results With Points** – Prints a report showing the results and calculated points for all Classes in the selected Pull.
- **Top Placings** – Prints a report showing the top [n] results for all Classes in the selected Pull where n is a number you enter.
- **Points Summary By Class** – Calculates the points standings for the entire season and prints a report.

- **Season Summary By Vehicle** – Calculates the points standings for the entire season and prints a report with a separate page for each vehicle summarizing the season performance for that Vehicle.

## Reports Tab

The Reports Tab contains commands to run miscellaneous reports.

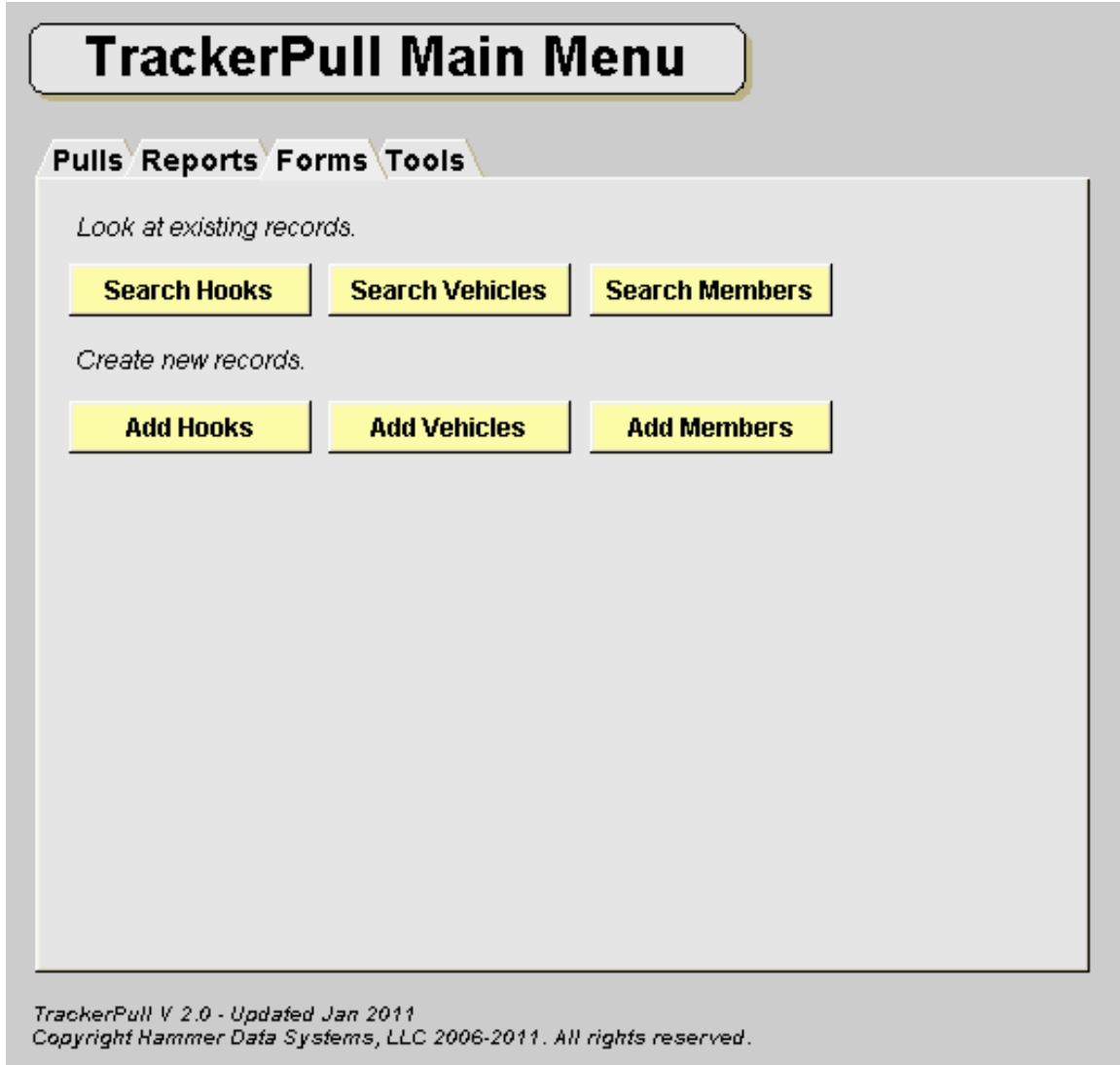


### Main Menu – Reports tab

- **Member List** – Lists Club Members
- **List By Owner** – Lists Vehicles by Owner
- **List By Vehicle** – List Vehicles by Year, Make and Model
- **Type 1 / Type 2 / Type 3** – Lists which Vehicles are tagged to receive Custom Points as defined in your Settings.

## Forms Tab

The Forms Tab contains commands for direct access to your records. TrackerPull has three forms which are used for data entry: Hooks, Vehicles and Members. These forms show different kinds of information, but they all work the same way. You open them by clicking the appropriate **Add** or **Search** button on the Main Menu.



**TrackerPull Main Menu**

**Pulls Reports Forms Tools**

*Look at existing records.*

**Search Hooks** **Search Vehicles** **Search Members**

*Create new records.*

**Add Hooks** **Add Vehicles** **Add Members**

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### Main Menu – Forms Tab

If you click **Add**, the form opens to a blank record. Fill out the fields and press **F10** to save the record. When you are finished entering records, press your **Esc** key to return to the Main Menu.

If you click **Search**, the form opens to a Retrieve Spec where you can specify which records you want. Enter search criteria and press **F10** to get the matching records. If you want all the records, leave all the fields blank and press **F10**. Once you have the matching records, **F10** moves to the next record. **F9** moves to the previous record. When you are finished looking at records, press your **Esc** key to return to the Main

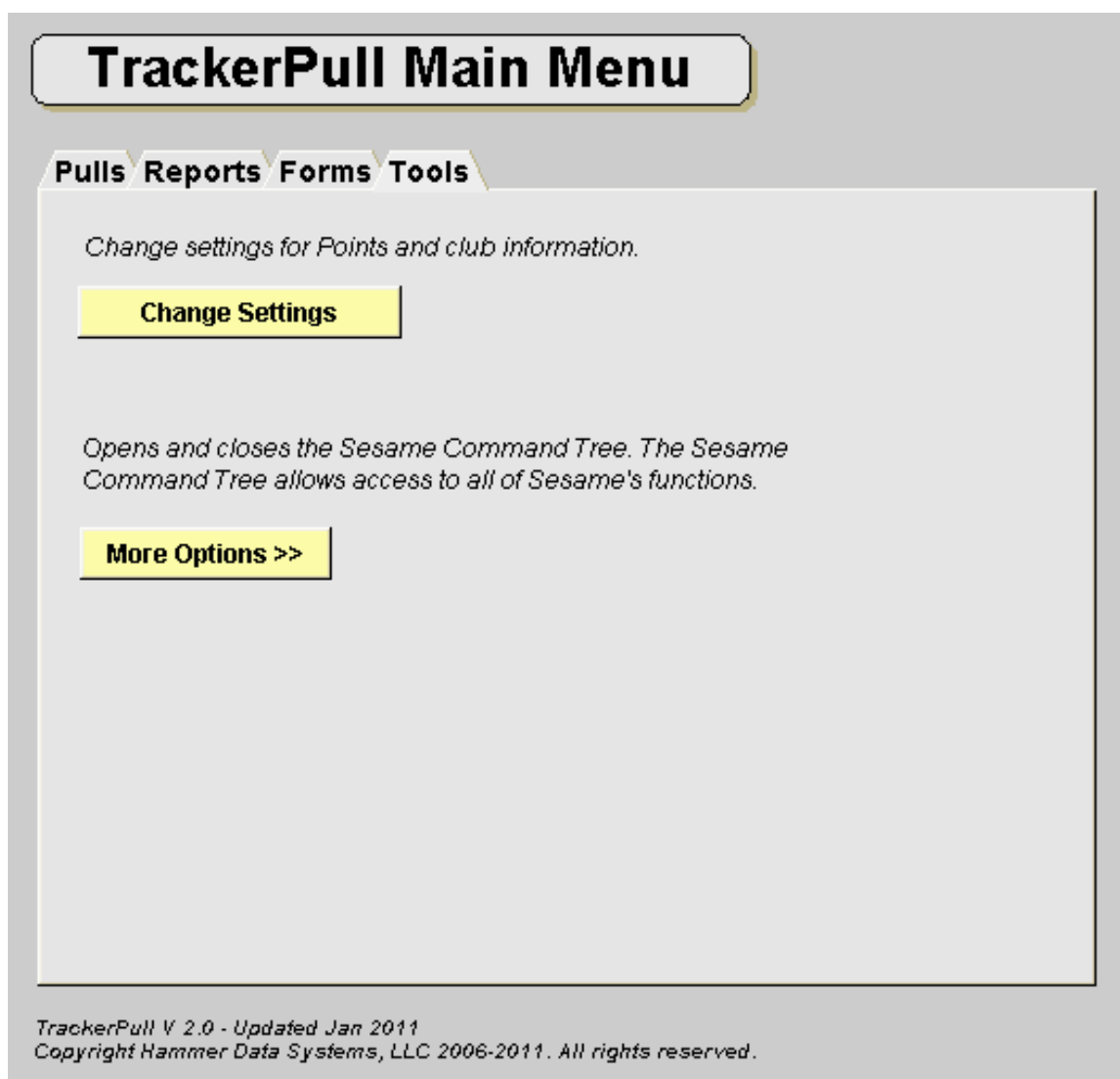
Menu. TrackerPull uses Sesame's full search capabilities. Examples of searching for records are covered in the *Retrieving Records* section.



If you need help on any form, hover your mouse over the **?** icons for tips.

## Tools Tab

The Tools Tab contains commands to change your Settings and access all Sesame Database Manager functions to work with your records.



### Main Menu – Tools Tab

- **Change Settings** – Opens the Settings form. Use this form to define your classes, points calculation rules, and other options.
- **More Options** – Opens the Sesame Database Manager Command Area. Normally, you won't need to do this, but doing so allows access to all the functions provided by Sesame Database Manager.

## Setting Up Your Rules and Options

The first thing you want to do is tell TrackerPull about your Club and your rules. There is a set of basic information that TrackerPull uses to help you enter pull results and to calculate placing and points. To edit your settings, click the **Change Settings** button on the Tools Tab on the Main Menu.

Enter the settings you want to use and click **Save My Settings**. When you are finished, click **Exit** to return to the Main Menu.

### Divisions/Classes Tab

**Settings**

Save My Settings

Exit

Divisions/Classes

Points/Placing

Club Information

*Enter your Divisions. Enter the list of Classes in each Division separated by semicolons. You can choose from these lists when entering pull results.*

*Example: Div I    2750;3000;4500;5000;5500;6500;7500;8500*

Divisions	Classes
A	2750;3000;3250;3500;4000;4500;5000;5500;6000;6500;7500;8500;3500 Doubletree
B	2750;3000;3250;3500;4000;4500;5000;5500;6000;6500;7500;8500
C	3500;4000;4500;5000;5500;6000;6500;7500;8500
D	4500;5500;6500;7500;8500;9500;10500
V8	5000;5500;6000;6500

Special Classes - No points will be calculated for these classes

Special	A 3000 Jackpot;A 3250 Jackpot;A 3500 Jackpot;A 4000 Jackpot;A 4500 Jackpot;A 7500 Jack
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*Additional Options*

Post Position Assignment Method

☐ Sequential
☒ Random Draw
☐ Manual

**Settings – Divisions/Classes Tab**

### Divisions/Classes

Enter up to ten Divisions and the list of Classes within each Division. Separate the items in the list of classes with a semicolon. These Divisions and Classes will be offered on picklists when entering pull results on the Hooks form.

#### Examples:

```
Div I      2750;4000;4500;5500;6500;7500
Div II     4000;4500;5000;5500;6000;6500;7500;8500
A          2750;4000;4500;5500;6500;7500;8500
```

### Special Classes

Special classes are placed, but are not assigned points.

### Post Position Assignment Method

This setting controls how post order is assigned during Registration and by the Class Manager.

- **Sequential** – Post order will be assigned sequentially. The first Vehicle to register will be given post position 1; the second Vehicle to register will be given post position 2, and so on.
- **Random Draw** – Each registered Vehicle will receive a randomly selected number between 1 and 500. Before the Class begins, use the Class Manager to assign post order based on the randomly drawn numbers.
- **Manual** – At registration, a post position must be manually assigned for each Class.



## Points/Placing Tab

Settings

Save My Settings

Exit

Divisions/Classes

Points/Placing

Club Information

Options for Automatic Points Calculations.

?

Non Tech DQ Gets Hook Points

☒ Yes
 ☐ No

?

Collapse Points Placing for Hooks Ineligible for Points

☒ Yes
 ☐ No

?

Give Same Vehicle Place To...

☐ All Hooks
 ☐ First Hook
 ☒ Best Hook

?

Give Same Vehicle Points To...

☐ All Hooks
 ☒ First Hook
 ☐ Best Hook

Enter the number of points assigned for each place.

1st	25	2nd	24	3rd	23	4th	22	5th	21
6th	20	7th	19	8th	18	9th	17	10th	16
11th	15	12th	14	13th	13	14th	12	15th	11
16th	10	17th	9	18th	8	19th	7	20th	6
21st	5	22nd	4	23rd	3	24th	2	25th	1

Set up special points options. Hook Points is the number of points assigned for hooking to the sled. Custom Points are points categories you can create to handle cases like precommit points. You can tag a particular vehicle to always receive custom points in a particular class from the Vehicles form.

?

Hook Points

5

?

Custom Points Type 1 - Name

Precommit

Points

2

Custom Points Type 2 - Name

Presence

Points

3

Custom Points Type 3 - Name

Charity

Points

2

### Settings Form – Points/Placing Tab

#### Non-Tech DQ Gets Hook Points

Select Yes if you want a Hook to receive the number of points entered in Hook Points even if the Hook is disqualified, provided that the DQ is for non-technical reasons such as going over speed or out of bounds. Otherwise, select No.

#### Collapse Points Placing for Hooks Ineligible for Points

Select Yes if you want Hooks to receive points for the place they would have gotten without ineligible Hooks. For example, say your club allows non-members to place, but not to receive points. If you select Yes, and a non-member gets first place, then the member who places second will receive first place points. If you select No, the member who places second will receive second place points.

### **Give Same Vehicle Place To...**

Specify which Hooks are allowed to place if the same vehicle hooks more than once in the same class.

- All Hooks - All hooks can place
- First Hook - Only the first hook can place
- Best Hook - Only the best hook can place

### **Give Same Vehicle Points To...**

Specify which Hooks are allowed to receive points if the same vehicle hooks more than once in the same class.

- All Hooks - All hooks get points
- First Hook - Only the first hook gets points
- Best Hook - Only the best hook gets points

### **Points for 1st through 25<sup>th</sup> Place**

Enter the number of points to assign for each place, 1st through 25th. When points are assigned, this number will be added to the number in Hook Points.

### **Hook Points**

Enter the number of Hook Points. Hook points are given to any eligible Hook, even if they do not place in the class. Hook points may also be given to Hooks disqualified for non-technical reasons, such as going over speed or out of bounds, depending on your choice in Non Tech DQ Gets Hook Points.

### **Custom Points**

Custom Points are points categories you can create to handle cases like precommit points. Custom Points are given to a Vehicle tagged for a Class, even if the Vehicle does not hook in that Class. You can tag a particular vehicle to always receive custom points in a particular class from the Vehicles form. You can define up to three types of Custom Points by entering a Name and corresponding number of Points to assign.

## Club Information Tab

**Settings**

Save My SettingsExit

Divisions/ClassesPoints/PlacingClub Information

*The Club Name appears on Points Summaries, Class Results and other Reports.*

Club Name

### Main Menu – Club Information Tab

#### Club Name

The Club Name appears on reports and forms. Enter the name of your Club as you want it to appear.

## Setting Up Members

Vehicles are only eligible for points if they are associated with a Member. If you do not want to enter your member list, you can enter one "dummy" Member and associate all vehicles with that Member.

If you do want to enter your member list, click the **Add Members** button on the Forms Tab on the Main Menu. Fill out the fields and press **F10** to save the record. When you are finished entering Member records, press your **Esc** key to return to the Main Menu.

Once Vehicles are associated with a Member, the **Show Vehicles** button on the Members form displays the list of Vehicles for that Member.

**Members** ?

First Name  Last Name

Address1

Address2

City  State  Zip

Phone1  Phone2

Email

Last Renewal Date  **Show Vehicles**

Notes

**Export Addresses** ID

Members Form

## Labels and Mail Merges

You can export your Member addresses in a format suitable for use by word processors that print mailing labels and merge letters by click the **Export Addresses** button.

## Setting Up Vehicles

Points follow the Vehicle, regardless of who pulls it at any given pull. To manage this, each Vehicle is given a unique id number. This id is used to assign points and handle "same vehicle" rules. Each Vehicle should have only one record in the Vehicles database, even if it is pulled in different classes or by different people.

To enter Vehicles, click the **Add Vehicles** button on the Forms Tab on the Main Menu. Fill out the fields and press **F10** to save the record. When you are finished entering Vehicle records, press your **Esc** key to return to the Main Menu.

Vehicles

?

Year

Make

Model

Member ID  ▼

*A vehicle must be associated with a Member ID to earn points.*

Owner

Puller

Alias

*The Alias may be used as an optional code or name for this vehicle which is easier to remember than the Vehicle ID.*

*Tag this Vehicle to receive additional custom points for selected Classes.*

Precommit	A - 3000#	+	-
Presence	A - 4000#	+	-
Charity	A - 2750#;A - 3000#;A - 3250#	+	-

ID

### Vehicles Form

## Vehicle Information

### Year / Make / Model

Enter the Year, Make and Model of the Vehicle. This information is shown on the Hook records for this Vehicle. It can be changed on the Hook record as needed. If you don't know this information, you can leave it blank or enter question marks (???).

Example: 1945 Wopwallis 94D

### **Member ID**

Vehicles must be associated with a Member to receive points. Click the **down arrow** to select a Member. If you know the Member ID, you can enter it directly. If not, enter the first few letters of the Member's last name to select from a list of Member names.

### **Owner**

Enter the name of the Vehicle Owner. This information is shown on the Hook records for this Vehicle. It can be changed on the Hook record as needed.

### **Puller**

Enter the name of the person who normally pulls this Vehicle. This information is shown on the Hook records for this Vehicle and on pull result reports. It can be changed on the Hook record as needed.

### **Alias**

The Alias is a human-readable tag to identify the Vehicle. The Alias will appear on lists to help you select the correct Vehicle. It is optional. There is no harm in leaving it blank.

### **Custom Points Tags**

Use the Plus (+) buttons to add Classes for which the Vehicle should receive custom points as defined in your Settings. Use the minus (-) buttons to remove a tagged Class.

## Entering Hooks Manually

The Hooks form records the results of your pulls. These results are used to calculate placing and points based on your rules as defined on the Settings form.

If you are using TrackerPull during your Pulls, you can create Hooks automatically and record your results using the Registration Form and the Class Manager. If not, you can enter your Hooks manually after your Pull is complete.

To enter Hooks, click the **Add Hooks** button on the Forms Tab on the Main Menu. Fill out the fields and press **F10** to save the record. When you are finished entering Hook records, press your **Esc** key to return to the Main Menu.

Hook Records

?

Pull Date

Division/Class

Post Position  VehicleID

Distance 1

Distance 2

Distance 3

Exhibition

DQ  DQ Reason

Points Only  Add Points  Points Reason

Vehicle

Owner

Puller

Notes

*TIP*  
If your results are in feet and inches, divide the inches by 12 to get the decimal feet.

RecID

SortDistance

DateDivClass

DivClass

Draw

**Hooks Form**

## Hook Information

### Pull Date

Enter the date of your pull.

### Division/Class

Click the **down arrow** button to select a Division and Class. The lists of Divisions and Classes offered are those you defined on the Settings form. You can change or add to these lists at any time by altering your settings.

### Post Position

Enter the post position of this hook. The post position is used to determine "first hook" in situations where your rules assign placing or points only to the first hook when the same Vehicle pulls more than once in the same class.

### Vehicle ID

Enter the Vehicle ID of the Vehicle. If you do not know the ID, click the **down arrow** button to select from a list of Vehicles by Member name.

"Same vehicle" situations are when the same Vehicle ID appears more than once in the same class. If the same Vehicle pulls more than once in the same class, it should have the same Vehicle ID, even if pulled by a different person.

Once you select a Vehicle ID, the Vehicle information, Owner and Puller are automatically filled in. You can change these if needed.

**TIP** *When entering pull results, a printout of the previous pull results provides a great quick reference for Vehicle IDs.*

### Distance 1 / Distance 2 / Distance 3

Enter the distance pulled in feet into **Distance 1**. If there is a pulloff, enter the pulloff distance into **Distance 2**. If there is a second pulloff, enter the second pulloff distance into **Distance 3**.

### Exhibition

Select Yes if this hook is for exhibition only. Exhibition hooks do not place or get points.

### DQ

Select Tech if the hook was disqualified for technical reasons. Select Non-Tech if the hook was disqualified for non-technical reasons, such as speed or out of bounds. Disqualified hooks do not place, but Non-Tech may still be eligible for hook points, depending on your settings.



**DQ Reason**

If you wish, you can enter a brief reason why the hook was disqualified. This reason appears on pull results reports.

**Points Only**

Select Yes if this Hook record only exists to give a particular Vehicle points for the Class. Points Only hooks do not place or affect points placing for other Hooks.

**Add Points**

Enter a number to adjust the number of points assigned for this Hook. Points Only Hooks will receive this number of points. Other Hooks will have the number of points they receive adjusted by this number of points. You can enter a positive or negative number.

**Points Reason**

If you wish, you can enter a brief reason for adjusting the calculated points for this Hook.

**Notes**

Enter any notes or comments regarding the hook.

**Same As Last**

The **Same As Last** button appears when entering a new Hook record. This button is useful for entering the results of an entire class. Clicking this button copies the Pull Date, Division and Class from the last Hook record you entered. It also automatically enters the next Post Position.

## Registration (Entry Booth)

Registration is used before the Pull or Class to register Vehicles for selected Classes. To register Vehicles for your Pull, click the **Registration** button on the Pulls Tab on the Main Menu. To leave the Registration form and return to the Main Menu, click the **Exit** button on the Tools/Info panel.

### Registration Summary

**Tractor Pulling Club**

Pull Date

VehicleID  Exhibition

Vehicle

Owner

Puller

Division	Class	Post
<input type="checkbox"/> Special	<input type="text" value="A 3500 Jackpot"/>	<input type="text" value=""/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

#### Tools/Info

Existing Registrations for this Date/Vehicle  
Div - Class / Puller / Post / Draw

A - 3000 / Charles Anderson / 0 / 30  
C - 4500 / Charles Anderson / 0 / 160  
D - 6500 / Charles Anderson / 0 / 238

*Post position for each class will be assigned by random draw.*

### Registration Form

### Selecting a Vehicle

To register a Vehicle, enter the Pull Date, and then enter or select a Vehicle ID. If you do not know the ID, click the **down arrow** button to select from a list of Vehicles by Member name.

"Same vehicle" situations are when the same Vehicle ID appears more than once in the same class. If the same Vehicle pulls more than once in the same class, it should have the same Vehicle ID, even if pulled by a different person.

Once you select a Vehicle ID, the Vehicle information, Owner and Puller are automatically filled in. You can change these if needed.

If this Vehicle is already registered for Classes for this Pull, they will appear in the Existing Registrations window in the Tools/Info panel.

### New Members and Vehicles

If the Member or Vehicle is not already in the TrackerPull system, you can set up new Members and Vehicles on-the-fly using the **New Member** and **New Vehicle** buttons on the Tools/Info panel.

**Add New Member**

First Name	<input type="text" value="Chuck"/>	Last Name	<input type="text" value="Neilson"/>
Address1	<input type="text" value="30520 Elm Drive"/>		
Address2	<input type="text"/>		
City	<input type="text" value="Novelty"/>	State	<input type="text" value="Ohio"/>
		Zip	<input type="text" value="44072"/>
Phone1	<input type="text"/>	Phone2	<input type="text"/>
Email	<input type="text"/>		

New Member

**Add New Vehicle**

Year	<input type="text" value="1954"/>	Make	<input type="text" value="Farmall"/>	Model	<input type="text" value="Super MTA"/>
Alias	<input type="text"/>				
The Alias may be used as an optional code or name for this vehicle which is easier to remember than the Vehicle ID.					
Member ID	<input type="text" value="79"/>	<input type="button" value="▼"/>	A vehicle must be associated with a Member ID to earn points.		
Owner	<input type="text" value="Betty Becker"/>				
Puller	<input type="text" value="Betty Becker"/>				

New Vehicle

### **Exhibition**

If the Vehicle will be pulling as Exhibition in the selected Classes, select Yes from the Exhibition dropdown.

### **Selecting Classes**

Click the **plus (+)** button next to a Division/Class entry line to select a Class to register. You can register a Vehicle for up to ten classes at a time. To clear a selection, click the **X** button next to the Division/Class entry line you want to remove. If your Settings specify Manual for post position assignment, you must also enter a post position.

### **Clearing Selections**

To clear your selections and start over, click the **Clear All** button on the Tools/Info panel.

### **Save Registration**

When you are satisfied with your selections, click the **Save Registration** button on the Tools/Info panel. For each selected Class, a Hook record will be created. A post position or random draw value may also be assigned, depending on your Settings. Once your registration is saved, the Existing Registrations window will update.

### **Print/Preview Vehicle Lineup**

While the registration for a particular Vehicle is loaded, you can print or preview a Vehicle Lineup report showing all the Classes in which that Vehicle is registered.

**Preview Vehicle Lineup** displays the lineup report on your screen. **Print Vehicle Lineup** sends the report directly to your default printer.

## Class Manager (Entry Booth)

The Class Manager is used during the Pull to adjust post order, print Lineups, record distances, and print results for a selected Class. The Class Manager allows you to load and work with a single Class at a time. To manage Classes for your Pull, click the **Manage Classes** button on the Pulls Tab on the Main Menu. To leave the Class Manager and return to the Main Menu, click the **Exit** button on the Tools/Info panel.

### Class Manager

Current Hook

RecID  Draw  Post Position

Distance 1  Save / Load Next Hook

Distance 2  DQ

Distance 3  DQ Reason

VehicleID  Exhibition

Vehicle

Owner

Puller

Notes

Discard Changes Save Changes Delete Hook

Preliminary Standings

1 of 4 - 290.00 / 1945+49 Oliver 70 / Mort Dickman  
2 of 4 - 288.10 / 1942 WopWallis 920 / Steve Dellaquila  
3 of 4 - 283.70 / 1939+43 Allis Chalmers WC / James Fischelli  
4 of 4 - 276.90 / 1954 Oliver 66 (2X) / Sherryl Wallace

Tools/Info

Class

Pull Date

Div/Class

Lineup

1 / 0 1939+43 Allis Chalmers WC / James Fischelli  
2 / 0 1954 Oliver 66 (2X) / Sherryl Wallace [792]  
3 / 0 1942 WopWallis 920 / Steve Dellaquila [793]  
4 / 0 1945+49 Oliver 70 / Mort Dickman [794]

Assign/Fix Post Positions

Drop    Last  
Raise    First

Preview Lineup Print Lineup

Results Points Results

Exit

Class Manager

## Tools/Info Panel

When you first open the Class Manager, the Tools/Info panel appears. The tools on this panel allow you to load a class and work with your lineup.

### Loading a Class

To load a class, select a Pull Date. Then, select a Division/Class. If there are any Hooks registered for that Class, the lineup appears in the Lineup list window. The Current Hook panel will also appear with the first Hook loaded.

### Loading a Hook

To view or edit a particular Hook in the Class, click on it in the Lineup list. The Hook details will appear in the Current Hook panel.

### Assign/Fix Post Position

Before printing your Lineup or manually adjusting post order, click **Assign/Fix Post Position**. If your settings specify Random Draw, this will draw for any undrawn Hooks and assign post positions based on the draw numbers. If your settings specify sequential, this will assign a post position to any unassigned Hook. This will also close gaps in post order and fix duplicate post numbers.

### Drop/Raise

Once you have used Assign/Fix Post Position, you can manually adjust your post order by using the Drop and Raise buttons. Select a Hook in the Lineup list and click one of the Drop or Raise buttons to move the Hook to a later or earlier position. **1**, **3** and **6** move the Hook by that number of positions. **Last** and **First** move the Hook to be Last or First in the Class.

### Print/Preview Class Lineup

When you are satisfied with the post order for the loaded Class, you can print or preview a Lineup report showing all the Vehicles for the Class in post order. **Preview Lineup** displays the lineup report on your screen. **Print Lineup** sends the report directly to your default printer.

### Display/Print Results

Once you have recorded the distances for a Class, you can generate reports showing the results for the Class. **Results** displays the placing for the Class. **Points Results** displays both placing and calculated points. Once displayed on your screen, the reports can be printed.

### Current Hook Panel

The Current Hook panel appears once you load a Class with registrations. The tools on this panel allow you to edit or delete particular Hooks. Any edits made to the Hook must be saved by clicking **Save Changes** or **Save / Load Next Hook**.

### Recording Distances

In most cases, you can enter the distance in Distance 1, then click **Save / Load Next Hook** to save the distance and load the next Hook in the Class. If pulloffs

occur, you can select the tied Hook in the Lineup list to load it, enter Distance 2, and save. If a third pulloff is required, enter the distance in Distance 3.

### **Hook Options**

In addition to recording distances, you can also mark the current Hook as Exhibition and/or record a DQ result.

### **Vehicle/Puller/Notes Information**

If need be, you can edit the Vehicle ID, Vehicle, Owner, Puller and/or Notes.

### **Save / Load Next Hook**

Saves the current Hook and loads the next Hook in the Class. If you are on the last Hook in the Class, this button will be labeled Save instead of Save / Load Next Hook.

### **Discard Changes**

Undoes any changes made to the current Hook.

### **Save Changes**

Saves and changes made to the current Hook.

### **Delete Hook**

Deletes the Hook. Note that this will leave a gap in the post order which can be fixed using Assign/Fix post positions.

### **Preliminary Standings Panel**

As you enter distances for your Hooks, the Preliminary Standings will update to show the current standings for the Class. These standings simply sort by distance pulled. They do not take "same vehicle" settings into account. To get final placing for the Class, use the **Results** or **Points Results** buttons on the Tools/Info panel.

## Report Samples

This section lists all the reports available from the various menus and tool panels. Each example includes a brief description of the report and a sample of the report output.

**TIP** *Sesame reports are created as web pages. Once you run a report, the report appears in your browser. This report can be printed, emailed, uploaded to your club website or even opened in other programs, like Excel.*

### Member Reports

#### Member List

Alphabetic listing of Members including City, State and Phone.

#### Tractor Pulling Club Member List

Last	First	City	ST	Phone	Act	Last Renewal	ID
Anderson	Barbara	Perry	OH	610 663-1106			102
Anderson	Charles	Chagrin Falls	OH	610 633-7336			98
Anderson	Edward						150
Anderson	Harry	Grove City	PA				9
Andrus	Dottie	Auburn	OH				125
Angeny	Caryl	Garrettsville	OH				101
Artale	Bill	Burton	OH				109
Asbell	Jim	Chardon	OH				45
Barbagiovanni	Mary Ann	Auburn Twp	OH				128
Baselice	John	Broadview Heights	OH				71
Batters	Wayne	Mantua	OH				81
Becker	Betty	Garrettsville	OH				79
Bishop	Sebastian	Garrettsville	OH	215 006-0026			78
Black	Margaret	Beloit	OH				30
Black	Margaret						130
Blash	Spin						135
Bond	James	Garrettsville	OH	215 622-6636			2
Boyle	John	Mantua	OH				107
Branca	Carmella						139
Buckley	Kerr	Huntsburg	OH				60
Burrill	Kathryn						152
Cappello	Ben	Mantua	OH				26
Carter	Ann	East Claridon	OH				40
Caso	Linda	Ravenna	OH	215 616-3376			32
Castellano	Steven	Chagrin Falls	OH				99
Catania	Red	Grove City	PA				126
Catania	Robert	Garrettsville	OH				28

#### Sample Member List Report



## Vehicle Reports

### Custom Points Assignments

Lists Vehicles tagged to receive custom points in particular Classes.

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### Custom Points Assignment: Precommit - 2 Points

Class	Year	Make	Model	Owner	ID
A - 3000#	1939	Allis Chalmers	WC	Bert Hinkle	53
A - 3000#	1947	Massey Harris	20	John Baselice	33
<b>Count:</b>	<b>2</b>				
C - 5000#	1947	Massey Harris	20	John Baselice	33
<b>Count:</b>	<b>1</b>				

### Sample Custom Points Assignment Report

### Vehicles By Owner

Lists Vehicles by Owner name.

## Tractor Pulling Club

### Vehicles By Owner

Owner	Year	Make	Model	VehID	Puller
Allen Gross	????	????	????	71	Allen Gross
Ann Carter	1948	John Deere	G	17	Ann Carter
Aurora and Banny Farquharson	????	????	????	103	Banny Farquharson
Barbara Kettenburg	????	????	????	80	Barbara Kettenburg
Beatrice Jackson	1948	Minneapolis Moline	U	55	Beatrice Jackson
Bert Hinkle	1939	Allis Chalmers	WC	53	Bert Hinkle
Bert Hinkle	1954	Farmall	Super MTA	49	Bert Hinkle
Bert Hinkle	1958	Farmall	140	50	Bert Hinkle
Bob Fleming	????	????	????	91	Bob Fleming
Carmella Branca	????	????	????	76	Carmella Branca
Charles Anderson	1954	Farmall	Super MTA	24	Charles Anderson
Charles Gonzales	????	????	????	81	Charles Gonzales
Chester Shindler	1954	Oliver	Super 66	38	Chester Shindler
Chris and Steve Dellaquila	1949	Oliver	70	42	Chris Dellaquila
Chris and Steve Dellaquila	????	????	????	67	Steve Dellaquila
Christopher Woodruff	????	????	????	79	Christopher Woodruff
Clarence Kaplan	1952	Oliver	66	34	Clarence Kaplan
De Santis Stavrakos	1956	Oliver	???	37	De Santis Stavrakos
Debora and James Churco	????	????	????	93	James Churco
Domenic Fekete	???	John Deere	620	31	Domenic Fekete

### Sample Vehicles By Owner Report

**Vehicles By Vehicle**

Lists Vehicles by Year, Make and Model

**Tractor Pulling Club  
Vehicles By Vehicle**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Make</b>	<b>Model</b>	<b>Owner</b>	<b>VehID</b>	<b>Puller</b>
1939	Allis Chalmers	WC	Bert Hinkle	53	Bert Hinkle
1939+43	Allis Chalmers	WC	James Fischelli	62	James Fischelli
1941	Oliver	70 Standard	Mort Dickman	12	Mort Dickman
1942	Farmall	M	Lou Covello	28	Lou Covello
1943	Allis Chalmers	WC	James Fischelli	2	James Fischelli
1945	Allis Chalmers	WC	James Fischelli	1	James Fischelli
1945	Oliver	70 Row Crop	Mort Dickman	56	Mort Dickman
1945+49	Oliver	70	Mort Dickman	63	Mort Dickman
1947	Farmall	H	Jonathan Day	21	Jonathan Day
1947	Farmall	H	Westfall Steelman	19	Westfall Steelman
1947	Farmall	M	William Wolcott	18	William Wolcott
1947	Massey Harris	20	John Baselice	33	John Baselice
1948	Farmall	M	Dottie Andrus	16	Dottie Andrus
1948	John Deere	G	Ann Carter	17	Ann Carter
1948	Minneapolis Moline	U	Beatrice Jackson	55	Beatrice Jackson
1948	Oliver	60	Michael Daly	54	Michael Daly
1949	Massey Harris	44	Steven Conway	35	Steven Conway
1949	Massey Harris	???	Jim and Jean Fantacone	29	Jim Fantacone
1949	Massey Harris	???	Josephine Gemmill	27	Josephine Gemmill
1949	Minneapolis Moline	Z	Jim and Jean Fantacone	36	Jean Fantacone
1949	Oliver	70	Chris and Steve Dellaquila	42	Chris Dellaquila
1949	Oliver	77	Lucie Cowen	47	Lucie Cowen
1951	John Deere	G	Linda Sharp	30	Linda Sharp
1951	John Deere	G	Tom Wissinger	41	Tom Wissinger
1951	Massey Harris	???	Jackie Garrubbo	46	Jackie Garrubbo
1951	Oliver	66	Nancy Cothran	22	Nancy Cothran
1952	Massey Harris	33	James Bond	60	James Bond
1952	Massey Harris	44 350 Chevy	James Bond	59	James Bond
1952	Massey Harris	44 V8	Lori Thomas	58	Lori Thomas

**Sample Vehicles By Vehicle Report**

## Hook Reports

### Class Lineup

Lists all the Vehicles for the selected Class in post order.

### Class Lineup Tractor Pulling Club

9/2/2006 - A - 3500			
Post Position	Puller	Vehicle	VehID
1	Elijah Ghumm	1942 WopWallis 920	65
2	James Fischelli	1943 Allis Chalmers WC	2
3	Chester Shindler	1954 Oliver Super 66	38
4	Mort Dickman	1945 Oliver 70 Row Crop	56
5	Chris Dellaquila	1949 Oliver 70	42
6	Lori Thomas	1939 Allis Chalmers WC	53
7	Lori Thomas	1939 Allis Chalmers WC	53
8	Mort Dickman	1941 Oliver 70 Standard	12
9	Michael Daly	1948 Oliver 60	54
<b>Hooks:</b>	<b>9</b>		

#### Sample Class Lineup Report

### Points Summary By Class

Shows points ranking by class including total distance.

### Tractor Pulling Club Points Summary By Class

For Pull Dates From 06/03/2006 To 09/02/2006

Division/Class	VehID	Vehicle	Puller	Points	Distance
A - 2750	64	1942 WopWallis 920	Spin Blash	120	574.00
A - 2750	50	1958 Farmall 140	Bert Hinkle	58	170.40
A - 2750	24	1954 Farmall Super MTA	Charles Anderson	29	0.00
A - 3000	12	1941 Oliver 70 Standard	Mort Dickman	148	1032.50
A - 3000	38	1954 Oliver Super 66	Chester Shindler	143	918.10
A - 3000	33	1947 Massey Harris 20	John Baselice	139	854.70
A - 3000	65	1942 WopWallis 920	Elijah Ghumm	109	739.80
A - 3000	1	1945 Allis Chalmers WC	James Fischelli	56	299.10
A - 3000	93	1942 WopWallis 920	James Churco	26	182.60
A - 3000	2	1943 Allis Chalmers WC	James Fischelli	5	0.00

#### Sample Points Summary By Class Report

**Pull Results**

Calculates placings for the selected Class/Pull.

**Tractor Pulling Club****Pull Results**

09/02/2006 A - 2750

<u>Place</u>	<u>Post</u>	<u>VehID</u>	<u>Puller</u>	<u>Vehicle</u>	<u>Distance</u>
1	1	64	Spin Blash	1942 WopWallis 920	155.9
2	0	24	Charles Anderson	1954 Farmall Super MTA	0

09/02/2006 A - 3000

<u>Place</u>	<u>Post</u>	<u>VehID</u>	<u>Puller</u>	<u>Vehicle</u>	<u>Distance</u>
1	5	12	Mort Dickman	1941 Oliver 70 Standard	262.6
2	4	38	Chester Shindler	1954 Oliver Super 66	241.5
3	3	33	John Baselice	1947 Massey Harris 20	221.8
4	1	65	Elijah Ghumm	1942 WopWallis 920	211.8
---	2	2	James Fischelli	1943 Allis Chalmers WC	DQ:Non-Tech Speed

09/02/2006 A - 3250

<u>Place</u>	<u>Post</u>	<u>VehID</u>	<u>Puller</u>	<u>Vehicle</u>	<u>Distance</u>
1	5	38	Chester Shindler	1954 Oliver Super 66	282.8
2	4	33	John Baselice	1947 Massey Harris 20	276.6
3	2	12	Mort Dickman	1941 Oliver 70 Standard	276.1
4	3	2	James Fischelli	1943 Allis Chalmers WC	274
5	1	65	Elijah Ghumm	1942 WopWallis 920	265.5
6	6	53	Lori Thomas	1939 Allis Chalmers WC	145.6

**Sample Pull Results Report**

**Pull Results With Points**

Calculates placings and points for the selected Class/Pull.

**Tractor Pulling Club****Pull Results With Points**

09/02/2006 A - 2750

<u>Place</u>	<u>Post</u>	<u>VehID</u>	<u>Puller</u>	<u>Vehicle</u>	<u>Distance</u>	<u>PtsPlc</u>	<u>Points</u>
1	1	64	Spin Blash	1942 WopWallis 920	155.9	1	30
2	0	24	Charles Anderson	1954 Farmall Super MTA	0	2	29

09/02/2006 A - 3000

<u>Place</u>	<u>Post</u>	<u>VehID</u>	<u>Puller</u>	<u>Vehicle</u>	<u>Distance</u>	<u>PtsPlc</u>	<u>Points</u>
1	5	12	Mort Dickman	1941 Oliver 70 Standard	262.6	1	30
2	4	38	Chester Shindler	1954 Oliver Super 66	241.5	2	29
3	3	33	John Baselice	1947 Massey Harris 20	221.8	3	28
4	1	65	Elijah Ghumm	1942 WopWallis 920	211.8	4	27
---	2	2	James Fischelli	1943 Allis Chalmers WC	DQ:Non-Tech Speed	---	5

09/02/2006 A - 3250

<u>Place</u>	<u>Post</u>	<u>VehID</u>	<u>Puller</u>	<u>Vehicle</u>	<u>Distance</u>	<u>PtsPlc</u>	<u>Points</u>
1	5	38	Chester Shindler	1954 Oliver Super 66	282.8	1	30
2	4	33	John Baselice	1947 Massey Harris 20	276.6	2	29
3	2	12	Mort Dickman	1941 Oliver 70 Standard	276.1	3	28
4	3	2	James Fischelli	1943 Allis Chalmers WC	274	4	27
5	1	65	Elijah Ghumm	1942 WopWallis 920	265.5	5	26
6	6	53	Lori Thomas	1939 Allis Chalmers WC	145.6	6	25

**Sample Pull Results With Points Report**

### Season Summary By Vehicle

Creates a separate page for each Vehicle showing how that Vehicle did at each Pull.  
Good for handing out at awards banquets.

For Pull Dates From 06/03/2006 To 09/02/2006

Division/Class/Date	Veh ID	Vehicle	Puller	Place	Distance	PtsPlc	Points
A - 3000 - 06/03/2006	1	1945 Allis Chalmers WC	James Fischelli	1 of 5	209.3	1	30
A - 3000 - 06/24/2006	1	1945 Allis Chalmers WC	James Fischelli	5 of 5	89.8	5	26
A - 3250 - 06/03/2006	1	1945 Allis Chalmers WC	James Fischelli	3 of 6	195.9	3	28
A - 3500 - 06/03/2006	1	1945 Allis Chalmers WC	James Fischelli	7 of 10	200.8	6	25

### Sample Season Summary By Vehicle Report

### Top Placings

Simple placings reports showing only the number of places you request. Good for posting top pull results or submitting top pull results to publications.

### Tractor Pulling Club

#### Pull Results - Top Placings

09/02/2006 A - 2750

Place	Puller	Vehicle	Distance
1	Spin Blash	1942 WopWallis 920	155.9
2	Charles Anderson	1954 Farmall Super MTA	0

09/02/2006 A - 3000

Place	Puller	Vehicle	Distance
1	Mort Dickman	1941 Oliver 70 Standard	262.6
2	Chester Shindler	1954 Oliver Super 66	241.5
3	John Baselice	1947 Massey Harris 20	221.8

09/02/2006 A - 3250

Place	Puller	Vehicle	Distance
1	Chester Shindler	1954 Oliver Super 66	282.8
2	John Baselice	1947 Massey Harris 20	276.6
3	Mort Dickman	1941 Oliver 70 Standard	276.1

09/02/2006 A - 3500

Place	Puller	Vehicle	Distance
1	Chris Dellaquila	1949 Oliver 70	283.4
2	Chester Shindler	1954 Oliver Super 66	281.4
3	Mort Dickman	1945 Oliver 70 Row Crop	278.5

09/02/2006 A - 3500 Doubletree

Place	Puller	Vehicle	Distance
1	Mort Dickman	1945+49 Oliver 70	290
2	Steve Dellaquila	1942 WopWallis 920	288.1
3	James Fischelli	1939+43 Allis Chalmers WC	283.7

### Sample Top Placings Report

**Vehicle Lineup**

Print a list of all the registered Classes for the selected Vehicle, including post/draw position.

## Vehicle Lineup

### Tractor Pulling Club

DivClass	Puller	Post Position	Draw
<i>2/7/2011 - 1954 Farmall Super MTA [24]</i>			
A - 3000	Charles Anderson	0	30
C - 4500	Charles Anderson	0	160
D - 6500	Charles Anderson	0	238

**Sample Vehicle Lineup Report**

## Retrieving Selected Records

To use TrackerPull, a couple of basic search tips are all you need. To find records, you enter your search criteria into the retrieve spec for the desired form and press **F10**.

To get to a Retrieve Spec, click **Search Hooks**, **Search Members** or **Search Vehicles** on the Forms Tab on the Main Menu. You will see a blank form and Search appears in the Mode indicator. At this point, you can ask for all your records, or only those matching particular criteria.

**To get all your records:** Leave the retrieve spec blank and press **F10**

**To find records matching a particular value:** Enter the value in the field you want to match and press **F10**.

*Example:* Smith

**To find records containing a particular value:** Two dots (..) are a wildcard, meaning they match anything. In the field you want to match, enter two dots, then the value, then two dots, and press **F10**.

*Example:* ..allis..

**To find records for a particular date:** Enter the date in the field you want to match and press **F10**.

*Example:* 4/29/2006

**To find records for a range of dates:** Enter the dates in the field you want to match with two dots (..) between the begin and end dates and press **F10**.

*Example:* 4/29/2006..9/15/2006

**TIP** *Sesame Database Manager, which powers TrackerPull, has extensive search capabilities. These are covered in full in the Sesame User Guide.pdf in the Docs directory under your Sesame installation directory.*



## Getting Help

If you need help with TrackerPull or a demonstration of how to do something, please let us know. You can contact us at:

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## More Tools

TrackerPull is powered by Sesame Database Manager, a fully featured database management system from Lantica Software, LLC. If you have TrackerPull, you also have a fully licensed copy of Sesame.

Clicking the **More Options** button on the Tools Tab of the Main Menu opens up the entire Sesame toolbox for your use. This includes sorting records, exporting data for merge letters, importing data from other programs and more.

Complete documentation for Sesame is available in PDF format in the Docs directory under the directory where you installed Sesame.

If you need help with Sesame itself, contact Lantica Technical Support at [support@lantica.com](mailto:support@lantica.com).