

How I got to know Dale Earnhart and NASCAR.

Dear name,

If you read chapter 24 in my book *How and Why Public School Math is Destroying the USA* you will learn that my first application of practical math was to buy two auto parts stores with what is called a leveraged buyout thanks to Practical Math.

Then thanks to practical math I was able to build the world's best 1/8 mile Drag Strip which was NHRA sanctioned. Action dragway.

Then I was able, with a fellow chemistry professor, to start a racing gasoline company called H&H Racing Gasoline.

And that led to the creation of a special microcomputer that would allow engine builders to test racing engines on a water brake dynamometer.

I named it the Hane DynaBrane!

Okay, one of my first customers was a NASCAR racing team named Osterlund Racing.

And one day when I was visiting they introduced me to their brand new race driver, Dale Earnhardt.

The next year Dale won Rookie of the Year for NASCAR and they bought a second DynaBrane.

And then the next year he won the NASCAR championship.

You'll learn in the book why I could no longer produce the DynaBrane and had to go on to a new adventure, which I did,

Hope you're doing well and learning practical math.

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