



Mike Mulhall Racing Contestant

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Mike Mulhall

Age: 30

Resides in: Los Angeles, CA

As the son of a Hollywood stuntman, Mike's childhood was anything but normal. His father's best friend was an Arabian prince who funded Mike's father's horse-training business. When his father's best friend suddenly passed away, the prince's heirs decided to no longer fund the business. In the midst of personal chaos, Mike discovered his love of racing and devoted the next 5 years of his life and his entire savings into racing competitively. In the end, he gambled big, investing \$75k in a car that was later destroyed in his first high-tier race. Finding himself in serious debt and with his father's health declining, Mike had to make a difficult choice. He reluctantly gave up racing to care for his family because he "didn't want to be one of those guys" who bankrupt themselves and their families to selfishly pursue a personal passion. Several years later, when Mike came to the Big Time skills test in NC, he hadn't driven a race car in seven years, and he still blew almost everyone else out of the water