

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OFFICIAL RACE REPORT No. 1

56TH ANNUAL DAYTONA 500

DAYTONA INTERNATIONAL SPEEDWAY

Daytona Beach, FL - February 23, 2014

2.5-Mile Paved Tri-Oval

200 Laps - 500 Miles Purse: \$19,784,864

AVERAGE SPEED: 145.29 mph

MARGIN OF VICTORY: Under Caution



TIME OF RACE: 3 hours, 26 minutes, 29 seconds

Fin Pos	Str Pos	Car No	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns Pts	Driver Rating	Winnings	Status	Lead Tms	Laps
1	9	88	Dale Earnhardt Jr	National Guard Chevrolet	200	48	5	133.1	\$1,506,363	Running	6	54
2	4	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Express Toyota	200	43	1	113.8	1,148,451	Running	3	16
3	33	2	Brad Keselowski	Miller Lite Ford	200	42	1	117.1	847,721	Running	4	13
4	6	24	Jeff Gordon	Drive to End Hunger Chevrolet	200	40		102.7	736,799	Running		
5	32	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's Chevrolet	200	40	1	101.2	589,399	Running	2	15
6	3	20	Matt Kenseth	Dollar General Toyota	200	38		98.2	518,362	Running		
7	34	17	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	Nationwide Insurance Ford	200	37		72.0	439,588	Running		
8	25	16	Greg Biffle	3M Ford	200	37	1	94.1	413,838	Running	3	8
9	1	3	Austin Dillon #	DOW Chevrolet	200	36	1	83.4	424,674	Running	1	1
10	28	13	Casey Mears	GEICO Chevrolet	200	34		80.8	377,221	Running		
11	35	22	Joey Logano	Shell Pennzoil Ford	200	34	1	104.1	376,354	Running	1	2
12	18	40	Landon Cassill (i)	Carsforsale.com Chevrolet	200	0		67.6	306,850	Running		
13	38	4	Kevin Harvick	Budweiser Chevrolet	200	31		85.1	368,196	Running		
14	22	1	Jamie McMurray	McDonald's Chevrolet	200	30		73.8	361,777	Running		
15	26	52	Bobby Labonte	Phoenix Construction Chevrolet	200	29		46.2	325,213	Running		
16	39	36	Reed Sorenson	Golden Corral Chevrolet	200	28		69.3	342,446	Running		
17	30	99	Carl Edwards	Fastenal Ford	200	28	1	87.0	340,638	Running	3	8
18	7	9	Marcos Ambrose	Stanley Ford	200	26		79.5	363,458	Running		
19	37	18	Kyle Busch	M&M's Toyota	200	26	1	100.5	368,504	Running	5	19
20	24	32	Terry Labonte	C&J Energy Services Ford	200	24		66.1	339,996	Running		
21	8	41	Kurt Busch	Haas Automation Chevrolet	199	24	1	89.9	336,963	Running	1	15
22	19	31	Ryan Newman	Caterpillar Chevrolet	199	22		60.3	331,638	Running		
23	29	23	Alex Bowman #	Borla Exhaust Toyota	198	21		43.7	334,346	Running		
24	11	98	Josh Wise	Curb Records Ford	196	20		47.5	322,888	Running		
25	12	33	Brian Scott (i)	Whitetail Chevrolet	196	0		68.2	336,035	Running		
26	15	47	AJ Allmendinger	Kroger/USO Chevrolet	194	19	1	53.1	321,788	Running	1	1
27	40	51	Justin Allgaier #	Brandt Professional Agriculture Chevrolet	193	18	1	60.8	327,513	Accident	3	4
28	23	26	Cole Whitt #	Speed Stick Gear Toyota	193	16		62.5	315,663	Accident		
29	41	30	Parker Kligerman #	Swan Energy Toyota	193	15		48.2	318,338	Accident		
30	31	55	Brian Vickers	Aaron's Dream Machine Toyota	192	14		70.6	350,388	Running		
31	5	5	Kasey Kahne	Farmers Insurance Chevrolet	192	14	1	64.1	350,413	Running	2	2
32	10	27	Paul Menard	Peak/Menards Chevrolet	184	13	1	80.0	550,702	Running	3	29
33	14	21	Trevor Bayne (i)	Motorcraft/Quick Lane Tire & Auto Center Ford	183	0		59.5	316,438	Accident	1	2
34	43	34	David Ragan	CSX - Play It Safe Ford	176	10		32.2	323,738	Running		
35	21	14	Tony Stewart	Bass Pro Shops/Mobil 1 Chevrolet	174	9		36.8	349,521	Running		
36	17	38	David Gilliland	Love's Travel Stops Ford	171	8		41.5	322,968	Running		
37	36	7	Michael Annett #	Pilot/Flying J Travel Centers Chevrolet	161	7		42.8	313,605	Accident		
38	16	42	Kyle Larson #	Target Chevrolet	160	6		32.2	310,248	Accident		
39	13	43	Aric Almirola	Smithfield Ford	146	6	1	59.8	317,939	Accident	1	5
40	27	10	Danica Patrick	GoDaddy Chevrolet	145	5	1	53.6	282,778	Accident	1	2
41	42	66	Michael Waltrip	BlueDEF/AAA Toyota	144	4	1	46.0	278,628	Accident	2	4
42	20	15	Clint Bowyer	5-hour Energy Toyota	127	2		41.0	302,344	Engine		
43	2	78	Martin Truex Jr	Furniture Row Chevrolet	30	1		27.3	292,311	Engine		

Sunoco Rookie of the Year Contender.

(i) = Ineligible for driver points in this series

Bonus points: includes winner (3), lap leader (1) & most laps led (1) points

Failed to qualify: (6) #83 Ryan Truex; #95 Michael McDowell; #87 Joe Nemechek; #93 Morgan Shepherd; #35 Eric McClure; #77 Dave Blaney
Race Comments: Dale Earnhardt Jr. won the 56th running of the Daytona 500, his 20th NASCAR Sprint Cup Series victory. Prior to the green flag to start the event, the following cars dropped to the rear of the field for the reason indicated: #10, 14, 52 (Unapproved Engine Change), #48, 78, 15, 1, 66, 34 (Back-Up Car).

Caution Flags: 7 cautions for 39 laps. [Beneficiary in Brackets] 24-26 (Car #42 Spin Turn 2 [16]); 33-46 (Fluid On The Track From #78/ Weather [Red Flag 6 Hr 21 Min 40 Sec] [42]); 146-153 (Car #10, 30, 27, 66, 43, 38, 3, 33, 5, 9, 51, 98, 4 Accident Frontstretch [18]); 163-168 (Car #42, 5, 9, 7, 55, 3, 13, 1, 31, 33 Accident Turn 4 [13]); 185-187 (Car #21 Accident Backstretch [52]); 195-198 (Car #51, 33, 30, 32, 26, 3, 31 Accident Turn 3 [9]); 200 (Car #36, 99, 47, 18, 1, 4 Accident Frontstretch [None]).

Lap Leaders: 42 lead changes among 18 drivers. Dillon 1, Hamlin 2-10, Ku. Busch 11-25, Menard 26-30, Hamlin 31, Ky. Busch 32-45, Kahne 46, Ky. Busch 47, Kahne 48, Ky. Busch 49, Hamlin 50-55, Ky. Busch 56, Keselowski 57, Ky. Busch 58-59, Keselowski 60-63, Menard 64-70, Logano 71-72, Keselowski 73-75, Bayne 76-77, Almirola 78-82, Allmendinger 83, Allgaier 84, Patrick 85-86, Allgaier 87, Waltrip 88-89, Menard 90-106, Johnson 107-115, Keselowski 116-120, Johnson 121-126, Allgaier 127-128, Waltrip 129-130, Earnhardt Jr 131-143, Edwards 144, Earnhardt Jr 145-150, Biffle 151-153, Earnhardt Jr 154-155, Biffle 156-158, Earnhardt Jr 159-172, Biffle 173-174, Edwards 175-177, Earnhardt Jr 178, Edwards 179-182, Earnhardt Jr 183-200.

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD: Austin Dillon (196.019 mph. 45.914 secs.)

3M LAP LEADER: Dale Earnhardt Jr (54 Laps)

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD: Ricky Stenhouse Jr

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD: Kurt Busch

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN": Jeff Gordon

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER OF THE RACE: Hendrick Engines (#88)

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE: Denny Hamlin

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE: Jeff Gordon (crew chief Alan Gustafson, 0.164 seconds)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP LEADER BONUS: No winner: rolls over to \$20,000 at next event++

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD: Austin Dillon

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE RACE: Austin Dillon

++Rollover money awarded at year's end, amount not included in race winnings.

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES TOP 13

	(Wins)
1 - Dale Earnhardt Jr	48 (1)
2 - Denny Hamlin	43 (0)
3 - Brad Keselowski	42 (0)
4 - Jeff Gordon	40 (0)
5 - Jimmie Johnson	40 (0)
6 - Matt Kenseth	38 (0)
7 - Ricky Stenhouse Jr	37 (0)
8 - Greg Biffle	37 (0)
9 - Austin Dillon	36 (0)
10 - Casey Mears	34 (0)
11 - Joey Logano	34 (0)
12 - Kevin Harvick	31 (0)
13 - Jamie McMurray	30 (0)
14 - Bobby Labonte	29 (0)
15 - Reed Sorenson	28 (0)
16 - Carl Edwards	28 (0)

MANUFACTURERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

	Pts	Wins
Chevrolet	48	(1)
Toyota	43	(0)
Ford	42	(0)

3M LAP LEADER

Dale Earnhardt Jr (#88) 1

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD

Ricky Stenhouse Jr (#17) 1

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD

Kurt Busch (#41) 1

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN"

Matt Kenseth (#20) 45

Kyle Busch (#18) 35

Clint Bowyer (#15) 35

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER

Hendrick (#88) 20

TRD (#11) 15

Roush/Yates (#2) 13

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE

Denny Hamlin (#11) 1

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE

Alan Gustafson (#24) 1

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD

Austin Dillon (#3) 1

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD

Austin Dillon # 1

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

Austin Dillon 13

Alex Bowman 10

Justin Allgaier 9

Cole Whitt 8

Parker Kligerman 7

Michael Annett 6

Kyle Larson 5

Ryan Truex 1

NEXT EVENT: March 2, 2014 - 10th Annual The Profit on CNBC 500 presented by Small Business Fueling America, Phoenix International Raceway, Avondale, AZ (500 Miles) (312 Laps)

NOTE: The above figures are based upon team winnings and include racing purse and cash contingency awards by participating manufacturers. (2/24/2014)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES DRIVER LEADERS

Race #1: 56TH ANNUAL DAYTONA "500" Race Date: 02/23/2014

POS	DRIVER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Money Won
1	DALE EARNHARDT JR.	48	1	1	1	1	\$1,546,943
2	DENNY HAMLIN	43	1	0	1	1	1,349,590
3	BRAD KESELOWSKI	42	1	0	1	1	945,101
4	JEFF GORDON	40	1	0	1	1	774,879
5	JIMMIE JOHNSON	40	1	0	1	1	621,979
6	MATT KENSETH	38	1	0	0	1	557,442
7	RICKY STENHOUSE JR.	37	1	0	0	1	475,168
8	GREG BIFFLE	37	1	0	0	1	413,838
9	AUSTIN DILLON	36	1	0	0	1	424,674
10	CASEY MEARS	34	1	0	0	1	377,221
11	JOEY LOGANO	34	1	0	0	0	424,734
12	KEVIN HARVICK	31	1	0	0	0	415,551
13	JAMIE MCMURRAY	30	1	0	0	0	407,732
14	BOBBY LABONTE	29	1	0	0	0	325,213
15	REED SORENSON	28	1	0	0	0	342,446
16	CARL EDWARDS	28	1	0	0	0	378,218
17	MARCOS AMBROSE	26	1	0	0	0	408,063
18	KYLE BUSCH	26	1	0	0	0	425,884
19	TERRY LABONTE	24	1	0	0	0	370,576
20	KURT BUSCH	24	1	0	0	0	373,043
21	RYAN NEWMAN	22	1	0	0	0	374,218
22	ALEX BOWMAN	21	1	0	0	0	334,346
23	JOSH WISE	20	1	0	0	0	322,888
24	A J ALLMENDINGER	19	1	0	0	0	321,788
25	JUSTIN ALLGAIER	18	1	0	0	0	327,513
26	COLE WHITT	16	1	0	0	0	315,663
27	PARKER KLIGERMAN	15	1	0	0	0	318,338
28	BRIAN VICKERS	14	1	0	0	0	350,388
29	KASEY KAHNE	14	1	0	0	0	350,413
30	PAUL MENARD	13	1	0	0	0	550,702
31	DAVID RAGAN	10	1	0	0	0	323,738
32	TONY STEWART	9	1	0	0	0	388,101
33	DAVID GILLILAND	8	1	0	0	0	322,968
34	MICHAEL ANNETT	7	1	0	0	0	313,605
35	KYLE LARSON	6	1	0	0	0	310,248
36	ARIC ALMIROLA	6	1	0	0	0	317,939
37	DANICA PATRICK	5	1	0	0	0	317,858
38	MICHAEL WALTRIP	4	1	0	0	0	278,628
39	CLINT BOWYER	2	1	0	0	0	302,344
40	MARTIN TRUEX JR.	1	1	0	0	0	292,311
41	LONDON CASSILL(i)	0	1	0	0	0	306,850
42	BRIAN SCOTT(i)	0	1	0	0	0	336,035
43	TREVOR BAYNE(i)	0	1	0	0	0	316,438
44	MICHAEL MCDOWELL	0	0	0	0	0	24,838
45	RYAN TRUEX	0	0	0	0	0	24,913
46	JOE NEMECHKI(i)	0	0	0	0	0	24,813
47	ERIC MCCLURE(i)	0	0	0	0	0	24,763
48	DAVE BLANEY	0	0	0	0	0	0
49	MORGAN SHEPHERD(i)	0	0	0	0	0	24,813

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NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OWNER LEADERS

Race #1: 56TH ANNUAL DAYTONA "500" Race Date: 02/23/2014

POS	Car #	OWNER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Attempts
1	88	RICK HENDRICK	48	1	1	1	1	1
2	11	J D GIBBS	43	1	0	1	1	1
3	2	ROGER PENSKE	42	1	0	1	1	1
4	24	RICK HENDRICK	40	1	0	1	1	1
5	48	JEFF GORDON	40	1	0	1	1	1
6	20	JOE GIBBS	38	1	0	0	1	1
7	17	JOHN HENRY	37	1	0	0	1	1
8	16	JACK ROUSH	37	1	0	0	1	1
9	3	RICHARD CHILDRESS	36	1	0	0	1	1
10	13	BOB GERMAIN	34	1	0	0	1	1
11	22	WALTER CZARNECKI	34	1	0	0	0	1
12	40	MICHAEL HILLMAN	32	1	0	0	0	1
13	4	TONY STEWART	31	1	0	0	0	1
14	1	FELIX SABATES	30	1	0	0	0	1
15	52	JAMES FINCH	29	1	0	0	0	1
16	36	ALLAN HEINKE	28	1	0	0	0	1
17	99	JACK ROUSH	28	1	0	0	0	1
18	9	RICHARD PETTY	26	1	0	0	0	1
19	18	JOE GIBBS	26	1	0	0	0	1
20	32	FRANK STODDARD JR.	24	1	0	0	0	1
21	41	GENE HAAS	24	1	0	0	0	1
22	31	RICHARD CHILDRESS	22	1	0	0	0	1
23	23	RON DEVINE	21	1	0	0	0	1
24	98	MIKE CURB	20	1	0	0	0	1
25	33	JOE FALK	19	1	0	0	0	1
26	47	TAD GESCHICKTER	19	1	0	0	0	1
27	51	HARRY SCOTT JR.	18	1	0	0	0	1
28	26	ANTHONY MARLOWE	16	1	0	0	0	1
29	30	BRANDON DAVIS	15	1	0	0	0	1
30	55	MICHAEL WALTRIP	14	1	0	0	0	1
31	5	LINDA HENDRICK	14	1	0	0	0	1
32	27	RICHARD CHILDRESS	13	1	0	0	0	1
33	21	GLEN WOOD	12	1	0	0	0	1
34	34	BOB JENKINS	10	1	0	0	0	1
35	14	MARGARET HAAS	9	1	0	0	0	1
36	38	BRAD JENKINS	8	1	0	0	0	1
37	7	TOMMY BALDWIN	7	1	0	0	0	1
38	42	CHIP GANASSI	6	1	0	0	0	1
39	43	RICHARD PETTY	6	1	0	0	0	1
40	10	TONY STEWART	5	1	0	0	0	1
41	66	JAY ROBINSON	4	1	0	0	0	1
42	15	ROB KAUFFMAN	2	1	0	0	0	1
43	78	BARNEY VISSER	1	1	0	0	0	1
44	35	JERRY FREEZE	0	0	0	0	0	1
45	77	RANDY HUMPHREY	0	0	0	0	0	1
46	87	JAY ROBINSON	0	0	0	0	0	1
47	93	WAYNE PRESS	0	0	0	0	0	1
48	83	RON DEVINE	0	0	0	0	0	1
49	95	BOB LEAVINE	0	0	0	0	0	1