

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OFFICIAL RACE REPORT No. 22

29TH ANNUAL CHEEZ-IT 355 AT THE GLEN

WATKINS GLEN INTERNATIONAL

Watkins Glen, NY - August 10, 2014

2.45-Mile Paved Road Course

90 Laps - 355 Miles Purse: \$4,969,178

AVERAGE SPEED: 90.123 mph

MARGIN OF VICTORY: 1.16 second(s)



TIME OF RACE: 2 hours, 26 minutes, 48 seconds

Fin Pos	Str Pos	Car No	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns Pts	Driver Rating	Winnings	Status	Lead Tms	Laps
1	6	47	AJ Allmendinger	Scott Products Chevrolet	90	48	5	129.9	\$214,173	Running	2	29
2	2	9	Marcos Ambrose	Stanley Ford	90	43	1	130.9	192,745	Running	2	20
3	5	41	Kurt Busch	Haas Automation Chevrolet	90	41		117.2	138,850	Running		
4	23	42	Kyle Larson #	Target Chevrolet	90	40		80.0	142,470	Running		
5	16	99	Carl Edwards	Kellogg's/Cheez-It Ford	90	40	1	98.9	127,150	Running	1	3
6	11	22	Joey Logano	Shell Pennzoil Ford	90	38		89.1	133,906	Running		
7	4	4	Kevin Harvick	Budweiser Chevrolet	90	37		94.5	128,598	Running		
8	28	16	Greg Biffle	3M Ford	90	36		89.5	127,715	Running		
9	8	20	Matt Kenseth	Dollar General Toyota	90	35		102.5	130,801	Running		
10	12	55	Brian Vickers	Aaron's Dream Machine Toyota	90	34		91.7	117,865	Running		
11	7	88	Dale Earnhardt Jr	National Guard Chevrolet	90	33		101.3	92,040	Running		
12	30	5	Kasey Kahne	Farmers Insurance Chevrolet	90	33	1	84.4	98,065	Running	1	3
13	25	78	Martin Truex Jr	Furniture Row Chevrolet	90	31		74.7	109,448	Running		
14	14	1	Jamie McMurray	McDonald's Chevrolet	90	30		92.6	113,354	Running		
15	22	13	Casey Mears	GEICO Chevrolet	90	29		76.0	104,523	Running		
16	31	3	Austin Dillon #	Dow Chevrolet	90	28		66.4	123,451	Running		
17	15	51	Justin Allgaier #	Brandt Professional Agriculture Chevrolet	90	27		60.9	101,048	Running		
18	27	43	Aric Almirola	Smithfield Ford	90	26		70.2	114,926	Running		
19	26	34	David Ragan	Dockside Logistics Ford	90	25		58.7	97,773	Running		
20	21	17	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	Ford EcoBoost Ford	90	24		55.4	114,340	Running		
21	43	10	Danica Patrick	GoDaddy Chevrolet	90	23		51.7	84,965	Running		
22	33	38	David Gilliland	Long John Silver's Ford	90	22		58.3	94,162	Running		
23	39	36	Reed Sorenson	Chevrolet	90	21		45.4	76,290	Running		
24	17	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Ground Toyota	90	20		74.9	84,015	Running		
25	34	32	Boris Said	Genny Light Ford	90	19		42.0	76,390	Running		
26	32	77	Nelson Piquet Jr	WORX Ford	90	18		47.0	72,640	Running		
27	24	15	Clint Bowyer	RK Motors Charlotte Toyota	90	17		71.5	110,406	Running		
28	3	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's Chevrolet	90	17	1	95.5	126,201	Running	1	6
29	41	40	Landon Cassill (i)	Newtown Building Supplies Chevrolet	89	0		35.4	74,590	Running		
30	40	66	Joe Nemechek (i)	Land Castle Title Toyota	89	0		32.3	81,440	Running		
31	42	7	Michael Annett #	Pilot/Flying J Chevrolet	88	13		38.1	71,790	Running		
32	20	27	Paul Menard	Splash/Menards Chevrolet	87	12		37.7	98,779	Running		
33	38	33	Alex Kennedy	MediaCAST Chevrolet	86	11		41.0	71,415	Accident		
34	1	24	Jeff Gordon	Drive to End Hunger Chevrolet	86	12	2	114.8	129,426	Running	1	29
35	9	2	Brad Keselowski	Miller Lite Ford	85	9		76.6	116,548	Running		
36	36	23	Alex Bowman #	Dustless Blasting Toyota	85	8		30.4	70,960	Running		
37	13	14	Regan Smith (i)	Rush Truck Centers/Mobil 1 Chevrolet	81	0		51.6	104,983	Accident		
38	37	98	Josh Wise	Phil Parsons Racing Chevrolet	78	6		28.9	65,830	Running		
39	35	83	Ryan Truex #	Burger King Toyota	69	5		44.2	61,830	Suspension		
40	19	18	Kyle Busch	M&M's Toyota	69	4		65.0	105,671	Running		
41	10	31	Ryan Newman	Caterpillar Chevrolet	55	3		69.0	61,830	Accident		
42	29	95	Michael McDowell	K-Love Ford	55	2		55.7	49,830	Accident		
43	18	26	Cole Whitt #	Bully Hill Vineyards Toyota	9	1		34.3	46,330	Accident		

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: n/a

Race Comments: AJ Allmendinger won the Cheez-It 355 at The Glen, his 1st NASCAR Sprint Cup Series victory. Prior to the start of the race, the following cars dropped to the rear of the field for the reasons listed: No. 14 (driver change) and No. 10 (engine change).

Caution Flags: 6 cautions for 17 laps. [Beneficiary in Brackets] 11-14 (No. 26 Accident In Turn 1 [None]); 52-54 (No. 24 Slow On Track [83]); 57-59 (Nos. 95, 31, 16, 23, 10 Accident In Turn 5 [Red Flag: 2 Totaling 1:21:42] [36]); 79-81 (No. 98 Stopped In The Interloop [33]); 83-85 (Nos. 48, 14, 20, 42 Accident In Turn 1 [77]); 88 (No. 11 Spin At Pit Entrance; Nos. 33, 36 Accident In Turn 1 [Red Flag: 20:59] [32]).

Lap Leaders: 7 lead changes among 6 drivers. J. Gordon 1-29, Kahne 30-32, Ambrose 33-51, Johnson 52-57, Edwards 58-60, Allmendinger 61-85, Ambrose 86, Allmendinger 87-90.

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD: Jeff Gordon (129.466 mph. 68.126 secs.)

3M LAP LEADER: AJ Allmendinger (29 Laps)

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD: Marcos Ambrose

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD: Jeff Gordon

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN": Kurt Busch

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER OF THE RACE: Earnhardt-Childress Racing Engines (#47)

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE: AJ Allmendinger

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE: Carl Edwards (crew chief Jimmy Fennig, 0.197 seconds)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP LEADER BONUS: No winner: rolls over to \$30,000 at next event++

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD: Marcos Ambrose

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE RACE: Kyle Larson

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

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES TOP 16

	(Wins)
1 - Dale Earnhardt Jr	773 (3)
2 - Jeff Gordon	769 (2)
3 - Matt Kenseth	703 (0)
4 - Brad Keselowski	696 (3)
5 - Joey Logano	671 (2)
6 - Carl Edwards	658 (2)
7 - Jimmie Johnson	650 (3)
8 - Kevin Harvick	645 (2)
9 - Ryan Newman	645 (0)
10 - Kyle Larson	635 (0)
11 - Clint Bowyer	634 (0)
12 - Greg Biffle	626 (0)
13 - Kasey Kahne	622 (0)
14 - Austin Dillon	616 (0)
15 - Kyle Busch	615 (1)
16 - Marcos Ambrose	584 (0)

MANUFACTURERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

	Pts	Wins
Chevrolet	990	(12)
Ford	959	(8)
Toyota	883	(2)

3M LAP LEADER

Jimmie Johnson	(#48)	4
Kevin Harvick	(#4)	4
Kyle Busch	(#18)	3

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD

Brad Keselowski	(#2)	5
Jimmie Johnson	(#48)	5
Kevin Harvick	(#4)	4

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD

Brad Keselowski	(#2)	4
Joey Logano	(#22)	4
Jeff Gordon	(#24)	3

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN"

Matt Kenseth	(#20)	35
Dale Earnhardt Jr	(#88)	30
Brad Keselowski	(#2)	28

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER

Hendrick	(#24)	204
Roush/Yates	(#2)	195
Hendrick	(#88)	193

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	6
Kyle Busch	(#18)	6
Carl Edwards	(#99)	3

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE

Steve Letarte	(#88)	3
Jimmy Fennig	(#99)	3
Todd Gordon	(#22)	2

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD

Clint Bowyer	(#15)	4
Carl Edwards	(#99)	3
Matt Kenseth	(#20)	2

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD

Brad Keselowski	3
Kyle Busch	2
Denny Hamlin	2
Jeff Gordon	1
Matt Kenseth	1
Joey Logano	1
Jimmie Johnson	1
Kyle Larson #	1
Austin Dillon #	1
Jamie McMurray	1
Tony Stewart	1
David Gilliland	1
Brian Scott	1

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

Kyle Larson	239
Austin Dillon	191
Justin Allgaier	155
Michael Annett	144
Cole Whitt	141
Alex Bowman	128
Ryan Truex	108
Parker Kligerman	41

NEXT EVENT: August 17, 2014 - 45th Annual Pure Michigan 400 , Michigan International Speedway, Brooklyn, MI (400 Miles) (200 Laps)

NOTE: The above figures are based upon team winnings and include racing purse and cash contingency awards by participating manufacturers. (8/11/2014)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES DRIVER LEADERS

Race #22: 29TH ANNUAL CHEEZ-IT 355 AT THE GLEN Race Date: 08/10/2014

POS	DRIVER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Money Won
1	DALE EARNHARDT JR.	773	22	3	10	15	\$4,561,089
2	JEFF GORDON	769	22	2	7	15	4,666,596
3	MATT KENSETH	703	22	0	8	14	4,192,805
4	BRAD KESELOWSKI	696	22	3	9	10	4,890,795
5	JOEY LOGANO	671	22	2	8	12	4,147,686
6	CARL EDWARDS	658	22	2	5	9	3,369,747
7	JIMMIE JOHNSON	650	22	3	6	12	4,510,201
8	KEVIN HARVICK	645	22	2	6	11	4,216,650
9	RYAN NEWMAN	645	22	0	2	8	2,789,604
10	KYLE LARSON	635	22	0	5	10	3,275,280
11	CLINT BOWYER	634	22	0	3	9	3,427,598
12	GREG BIFFLE	626	22	0	3	7	3,581,489
13	KASEY KAHNE	622	22	0	2	9	2,948,164
14	AUSTIN DILLON	616	22	0	1	3	3,500,672
15	KYLE BUSCH	615	22	1	6	9	4,146,468
16	MARCOS AMBROSE	584	22	0	3	5	3,131,540
17	PAUL MENARD	574	22	0	3	9	3,354,713
18	BRIAN VICKERS	573	22	0	3	7	3,367,948
19	JAMIE MCMURRAY	566	22	0	2	6	4,286,167
20	DENNY HAMLIN	552	21	1	5	9	3,969,926
21	TONY STEWART	537	21	0	2	6	3,178,572
22	ARIC ALMIROLA	532	22	1	2	4	3,366,127
23	KURT BUSCH	529	22	1	5	5	2,717,574
24	A J ALLMENDINGER	525	22	1	2	4	2,892,698
25	CASEY MEARS	516	22	0	1	2	2,899,052
26	MARTIN TRUEX JR.	508	22	0	0	3	2,988,605
27	RICKY STENHOUSE JR.	447	22	0	1	4	3,190,155
28	DANICA PATRICK	419	22	0	0	2	2,451,934
29	JUSTIN ALLGAIER	398	22	0	0	0	2,618,265
30	MICHAEL ANNETT	360	22	0	0	0	2,425,847
31	DAVID GILLILAND	334	22	0	0	0	2,559,646
32	DAVID RAGAN	312	22	0	0	0	2,552,963
33	COLE WHITT	306	22	0	0	0	2,146,210
34	REED SORENSON	283	22	0	0	0	2,226,456
35	ALEX BOWMAN	265	22	0	0	0	2,233,356
36	JOSH WISE	265	21	0	0	0	2,144,210
37	RYAN TRUEX	174	19	0	0	0	1,600,322
38	MICHAEL MCDOWELL	140	11	0	0	1	1,033,089
39	TRAVIS KVAPIL	132	14	0	0	0	1,171,276
40	TERRY LABONTE	77	3	0	0	0	608,387
41	BOBBY LABONTE	54	3	0	0	0	569,036
42	PARKER KLIGERMAN	54	8	0	0	0	829,833
43	JEFF BURTON	51	2	0	0	0	211,200
44	MICHAEL WALTRIP	48	3	0	0	0	497,773
45	JUAN PABLO MONTOYA	47	2	0	0	0	238,595
46	DAVID STREMME	43	6	0	0	0	493,038
47	ALEX KENNEDY	37	4	0	0	0	283,910
48	DAVID REUTIMANN	37	3	0	0	0	255,665
49	DAVE BLANEY	34	5	0	0	0	371,342
50	BRETT MOFFITT	32	2	0	0	0	193,600
51	BORIS SAID	28	2	0	0	0	159,995
52	TIMMY HILL	22	5	0	0	0	359,145
53	NELSON PIQUET JR.	18	1	0	0	0	72,640
54	EDDIE MACDONALD	9	1	0	0	0	79,165
55	TOMY DRISSI	6	1	0	0	0	85,850
56	LANDON CASSILL(i)	0	20	0	0	0	1,978,825
57	SAM HORNISH JR.(i)	0	1	0	0	0	107,410
58	TREVOR BAYNE(i)	0	8	0	0	0	1,007,718
59	BRIAN SCOTT(i)	0	5	0	0	0	682,322
60	RYAN BLANEY(i)	0	1	0	0	0	80,815
61	JOE NEMECHK(i)	0	11	0	0	0	961,421
62	BLAKE KOCH(i)	0	3	0	0	0	285,773
63	J J YELEY(i)	0	6	0	0	0	434,940
64	REGAN SMITH(i)	0	1	0	0	0	104,983
65	MORGAN SHEPHERD(i)	0	2	0	0	0	143,348
66	MIKE BLISS(i)	0	2	0	0	0	115,835
67	JOHNNY SAUTER(i)	0	1	0	0	0	48,530
68	ERIC MCCLURE(i)	0	0	0	0	0	24,763
69	MATT CRAFTON(i)	0	0	0	0	0	0

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NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OWNER LEADERS

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POS	Car #	OWNER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Attempts
1	88	RICK HENDRICK	773	22	3	10	15	22
2	24	RICK HENDRICK	769	22	2	7	15	22
3	20	JOE GIBBS	703	22	0	8	14	22
4	2	ROGER PENSKE	696	22	3	9	10	22
5	22	WALTER CZARNECKI	671	22	2	8	12	22
6	99	JACK ROUSH	658	22	2	5	9	22
7	48	JEFF GORDON	650	22	3	6	12	22
8	4	TONY STEWART	645	22	2	6	11	22
9	31	RICHARD CHILDRESS	645	22	0	2	8	22
10	42	CHIP GANASSI	635	22	0	5	10	22
11	15	ROB KAUFFMAN	634	22	0	3	9	22
12	16	JACK ROUSH	626	22	0	3	7	22
13	5	LINDA HENDRICK	622	22	0	2	9	22
14	3	RICHARD CHILDRESS	616	22	0	1	3	22
15	18	JOE GIBBS	615	22	1	6	9	22
16	9	RICHARD PETTY	584	22	0	3	5	22
17	11	J D GIBBS	579	22	1	5	9	22
18	27	RICHARD CHILDRESS	574	22	0	3	9	22
19	55	MICHAEL WALTRIP	573	22	0	3	7	22
20	1	FELIX SABATES	566	22	0	2	6	22
21	14	MARGARET HAAS	544	22	0	2	6	22
22	43	RICHARD PETTY	532	22	1	2	4	22
23	41	GENE HAAS	529	22	1	5	5	22
24	47	TAD GESCHICKTER	525	22	1	2	4	22
25	13	BOB GERMAIN	516	22	0	1	2	22
26	78	BARNEY VISSER	508	22	0	0	3	22
27	17	JOHN HENRY	447	22	0	1	4	22
28	10	TONY STEWART	419	22	0	0	2	22
29	51	HARRY SCOTT JR.	398	22	0	0	0	22
30	7	TOMMY BALDWIN	360	22	0	0	0	22
31	38	BRAD JENKINS	334	22	0	0	0	22
32	34	BOB JENKINS	312	22	0	0	0	22
33	26	ANTHONY MARLOWE	306	22	0	0	0	22
34	36	ALLAN HEINKE	283	22	0	0	0	22
35	40	MICHAEL HILLMAN	276	20	0	0	0	22
36	32	FRANK STODDARD JR.	269	22	0	0	0	22
37	23	RON DEVINE	265	22	0	0	0	22
38	98	MIKE CURB	265	21	0	0	0	22
39	66	JAY ROBINSON	230	20	0	0	0	22
40	83	RON DEVINE	174	19	0	0	0	22
41	33	JOE FALK	168	20	0	0	0	22
42	95	BOB LEAVINE	140	11	0	0	1	13
43	21	GLEN WOOD	121	8	0	0	0	8
44	144	JOHN COHEN	90	14	0	0	0	16
45	12	ROGER PENSKE	64	3	0	0	0	3
46	35	JERRY FREEZE	44	4	0	0	0	10
47	77	RANDY HUMPHREY	34	5	0	0	0	13
48	52	JAMES FINCH	29	1	0	0	0	1
49	37	TOMMY BALDWIN	25	2	0	0	0	2
50	87	JAY ROBINSON	4	2	0	0	0	5
51	93	WAYNE PRESS	0	3	0	0	0	4
52	129	ROBBY BENTON	0	0	0	0	0	2
53	130	JOHN COHEN	0	0	0	0	0	2