

**Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series Race Number 24**  
**Unofficial Race Results for the 58th Annual Bass Pro Shops Nra Night Race**  
**- Saturday, August 18, 2018**



**Bristol Motor Speedway - Bristol, TN - .533 Mile Concrete**  
**Total Race Length - 500 Laps - 266.5 Miles**

Fin	Str	Car	Driver	Team	Stage 1		Stage 2		Pts	Status	Tms		Playoff Pts
					Laps	Pos	Pos	Laps					
1	9	41	Kurt Busch	Monster Energy/Haas Automation Ford	500	7	9	46	Running	1	24	5	
2	1	42	Kyle Larson	DC Solar Chevrolet	500	6	3	48	Running	5	17		
3	2	9	Chase Elliott	Kelley Blue Book Chevrolet	500	4	2	50	Running	2	112		
4	19	22	Joey Logano	Shell Pennzoil Ford	500	9	1	45	Running	2	95	1	
5	14	20	Erik Jones	Sport Clips Toyota	500	8	7	39	Running				
6	16	14	Clint Bowyer	Rush Truck Centers/Cummins Ford	500	3	6	44	Running	2	120		
7	10	12	Ryan Blaney	REV Ford	500	1	5	46	Running	3	121	1	
8	22	88	Alex Bowman	Valvoline Chevrolet	500		10	30	Running				
9	13	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's for Pros Chevrolet	500	10	8	32	Running				
10	6	4	Kevin Harvick	Jimmy John's Ford	500	2		36	Running	2	8		
11	23	6	Trevor Bayne	AdvoCare Rehydrate Ford	500			26	Running				
12	24	31	Ryan Newman	Bass Pro Shops/Cabela's Chevrolet	500			25	Running	1	1		
13	18	3	Austin Dillon	Dow NORKOOL Chevrolet	500			24	Running				
14	7	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Freight Toyota	500			23	Running				
15	26	95	Kasey Kahne	Thorne Wellness Chevrolet	500			22	Running				
16	11	2	Brad Keselowski	Miller Lite Ford	499			21	Running				
17	15	38	David Ragan	Shriners Hospital For Children Ford	499			20	Running				
18	21	19	Daniel Suarez	STANLEY Toyota	499			19	Running				
19	28	37	Chris Buescher	Bush's Beans Chevrolet	499			18	Running				
20	3	18	Kyle Busch	M&M's White Chocolate Toyota	497			17	Running				
21	32	13	Ty Dillon	GEICO Chevrolet	496			16	Running				
22	29	32	Matt DiBenedetto	Zynga Poker Ford	496			15	Running				
23	5	24	William Byron #	Liberty University Chevrolet	496			14	Running				
24	12	17	Ricky Stenhouse Jr.	Fastenal Ford	495			13	Running				
25	39	00	Landon Cassill	StarCom Fiber Chevrolet	493			12	Running				
26	35	15	Ross Chastain(i)	LowT Center Chevrolet	492			0	Running				
27	40	23	Blake Jones	KBM Commercial Properties/Planet Fitness Toyota	485			10	Running				
28	37	66	* Timmy Hill(i)	Beef Jerky Outlet Toyota	481			0	Running				
29	20	1	Jamie McMurray	Cessna/McDonald's Chevrolet	435			8	Running				
30	17	78	Martin Truex Jr.	Bass Pro Shops/Ducks Unlimited Toyota	431			7	Accident				
31	8	10	Aric Almirola	Smithfield Anytime Favorites Ford	428	5	4	19	Running	2	2		
32	34	7	* JJ Yeley(i)	Steakhouse Elite Chevrolet	423			0	Accident				
33	36	51	Reed Sorenson	Trading View Chevrolet	338			4	Accident				
34	30	72	Corey LaJoie	ARK io Blockchain Solutions Chevrolet	234			3	Electrical				
35	33	96	* Jesse Little(i)	Gaunt Brothers Racing Toyota	59			0	Accident				
36	4	21	Paul Menard	Menards/Knauf Ford	28			1	Accident				
37	31	34	Michael McDowell	Love's Travel Stops Ford	10			1	Accident				
38	27	43	Bubba Wallace #	Medallion Bank/Petty's Garage Chevrolet	3			1	Accident				
39	25	47	AJ Allmendinger	Kroger ClickList Chevrolet	1			1	Accident				
40	38	99	* Gray Gaulding	StarCom Fiber Chevrolet	1			1	Accident				

**Time of Race:** 2 Hrs, 58 Mins, 35 Secs. **Average Speed:** 89.538 MPH **Margin of Victory:** 0.367 Seconds

**Stage 1 Top 10:** 12,4,14,9,10,42,41,20,22,48

**Stage 2 Top 10:** 22,9,42,10,12,14,20,48,41,88

**Race Comments:** Kurt Busch won the 58th annual Bass Pro Shops NRA Night Race 500 at Bristol Motor Speedway, his 30th victory in the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series. Prior to the start of the race, the following cars dropped to the rear of the field under penalty for the reasons indicated: Nos. 3 (failed pre-race inspection).

**Failed to Qualify:** (1) 52 J McLeod(i).

**Caution Flags:** 9 for 70 laps: Laps: 4-13 (#19, 43, 96, 95, 7, 32, 34, 47, 00, 18, 66, 78, 13, 11, 12 Incident Frontstretch [None]); 62-66 (Competition [31]); 127-136 (Stage 1 Conclusion [78]); 199-203 (#38 Spin Backstretch [None]); 252-261 (Stage 2 Conclusion [18]); 353-359 (#51 Incident Turn 4 [2]); 433-445 (#78, 7 Incident Frontstretch [2]); 473-477 (#2 Spin Backstretch [88]); 483-487 (#37, 18 Incident Turn 4 [95]).

**Lead Changes:** 19 among 9 drivers: K. Larson 1-13; K. Harvick 14-15; K. Larson 16; R. Blaney 17-62; K. Larson 63; R. Blaney 64-130; A. Almirola 131; K. Harvick 132-137; C. Elliott 138-191; R. Blaney 192-199; A. Almirola 200; J. Logano 201-254; K. Larson 255; J. Logano 256-296; C. Elliott 297-354; K. Larson 355; C. Bowyer 356-441; R. Newman 442; C. Bowyer 443-476; Kurt Busch 477-500.

**American Ethanol Green Flag Restart Award:** Kyle Larson, #42

**Busch Pole Award:** Kyle Larson, #42 127.792 mph

**Fastest Lap:** Kyle Busch, #18

**Mahle Clevite Engine Builder of the Race:** Hendrick Engines, #42

**Moog Go the Extra Mile:** Kurt Busch, #41 crew chief Billy Scott, 0.054 seconds

**Sunoco Rookie of the Race:** William Byron, #24

(i) Ineligible for driver points in this series

**Next Race:** Sep. 2, 2018 - Darlington Raceway