



**2025 DARLINGTON RACEWAY
TENTATIVE EVENT SCHEDULE
NCS, NCTS**



REVISED as of December 11, 09:13 AM

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
8:00 AM	6:00 PM	TRACK OPS	TIMING & SCORING SET UP TRACK COLD
THURSDAY, AUGUST 28			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
12:00 PM	5:30 PM	BROADCAST	BROADCAST SET UP TRACK COLD
4:00 PM		NCTS	DRIVER / CREW CHIEF MEETING (VIRTUAL)
5:00 PM		NCS	DRIVER / CREW CHIEF MEETING (VIRTUAL)
5:30 PM	6:00 PM	BROADCAST	BROADCAST CALIBRATION TRACK HOT
5:30 PM	6:30 PM	RACE CONTROL	FRICITION TESTING (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
6:00 PM	6:30 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PROFILE SCANNING (COMPETITION)
FRIDAY, AUGUST 29			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
8:00 AM	10:00 AM	NCTS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
9:30 AM	10:00 AM	NCTS	TEAM ACCESS FOR EQUIPMENT SET UP PERMITTED (GARAGE AREA)
10:00 AM	6:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
10:00 AM	5:30 PM	NCTS	GARAGE HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
10:00 AM	4:00 PM	NCTS	TECHNICAL INSPECTIONS
10:00 AM	12:00 PM	NCS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
10:30 AM		NCTS	ROOKIE MEETING
1:00 PM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (FIRE & SAFETY BUILDING)
1:00 PM	2:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK (NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES AUTHORIZED) TRACK COLD
1:00 PM	6:00 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
1:00 PM	6:00 PM	NCS	TECHNICAL INSPECTIONS
1:30 PM	2:00 PM	BROADCAST	TELEVISION EXHIBITION (CONTENT CAPTURE) TRACK COLD
2:00 PM	2:30 PM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE CALIBRATION (COMPETITION) TRACK HOT
2:00 PM	3:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
2:45 PM	3:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	FRICITION TESTING (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
3:05 PM	4:00 PM	NCTS	PRACTICE (TIMED - GROUP 1 25 MINS. 5 MIN. BREAK GROUP 2 25 MINS.) TRACK HOT
4:10 PM	5:00 PM	NCTS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) (ALL ENTRIES: SINGLE VEHICLE / 1 LAP) TRACK HOT
SATURDAY, AUGUST 30			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:00 AM	12:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
7:00 AM	11:30 AM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
7:00 AM	8:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK (NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES AUTHORIZED) TRACK COLD
7:00 AM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (FIRE & SAFETY BUILDING)
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
8:30 AM	9:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	PIT ROAD EQUIPMENT TRANSITION IN PROGRESS
8:45 AM	9:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	FRICITION TESTING (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
9:05 AM	10:00 AM	NCS	PRACTICE (TIMED - GROUP 1 25 MINS. 5 MIN. BREAK GROUP 2 25 MINS.) TRACK HOT
10:00 AM	5:30 PM	NCTS	GARAGE HOURS
10:10 AM	11:00 AM	NCS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) (ALL ENTRIES: SINGLE VEHICLE / 1 LAP) TRACK HOT
11:00 AM	11:30 AM	RACE CONTROL	PIT ROAD EQUIPMENT TRANSITION IN PROGRESS
11:15 AM		NCTS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALLED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
11:20 AM		NCTS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS
12:00 PM		NCTS	RACE (STAGES 45/90/147 LAPS = 200.8 MILES) TRACK HOT
4:00 PM	Approx	NCTS	HAULERS EXIT

ALL TIMES LISTED ARE LOCAL TRACK TIME -

SUNDAY, AUGUST 31

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:00 AM	8:00 AM	TRACK OPS	TRACK ACCESS (SCOUT WALK - PIT ROAD) TRACK COLD
8:30 AM	6:00 PM	TRACK OPS	.25 MIDGET SERIES (YOUTH RACING) (OUTSIDE TURNS 1-2)
12:00 PM	1:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	NASCAR VIP TRACK LAPS TRACK HOT
1:00 PM	1:15 PM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE LAPS (COMPETITION OPERATIONS) TRACK HOT
1:15 PM	2:15 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
1:30 PM	2:30 PM	RACE CONTROL	PRE-RACE STAGE PARKING & SET UP PERMITTED (TRACK ACCESS) TRACK COLD
1:30 PM	6:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			<i>MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS</i>
2:00 PM	3:00 PM	NCS	TEAM ACCESS TO HAULERS PERMITTED
2:00 PM	2:15 PM	RACE CONTROL	FRICITION TESTING (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
2:30 PM	5:45 PM	TRACK OPS	FAN TRACK ACCESS (FRONTSTRETCH) (DARLINGTON RACEWAY) TRACK COLD
3:00 PM	11:55 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
3:00 PM	6:00 PM	NCS	<i>THE DRIVERS MEETING (SPACE OPEN) (CUP SERIES GARAGE AREA TENT)</i>
4:00 PM		TRACK OPS	<i>TRACK SERVICES MEETING (FIRE & SAFETY BUILDING)</i>
4:30 PM		NCS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALLED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
5:00 PM		NCS	<i>THE DRIVERS MEETING (CUP SERIES GARAGE AREA TENT)</i>
5:10 PM	5:25 PM	NCS	RED CARPET WALK (ALL DRIVERS) (STAGGERED EXIT VIA ROUTE TO STAGE)
5:15 PM		NCS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS
6:00 PM		NCS	RACE (STAGES 115/230/367 LAPS = 501.32 MILES) TRACK HOT
11:45 PM	Approx	NCS	HAULERS EXIT
NASCAR CUP SERIES (NCS)			
NASCAR CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES (NCTS)			
TRACK OPERATIONS			
BROADCAST			
RACE CONTROL			

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