

NASCAR Cup Series Race Number 1

Race Results for the DAYTONA 500 - Sunday, February 15, 2026

Daytona International Speedway - Daytona Beach, FL - 2.5 - Mile Paved

Total Race Length - 200 Laps - 500. Miles



Provided by NASCAR Statistics - Sunday, 2/15/2026 @ 06:42 PM Eastern

Fin	Str	Car	Driver	Team	Laps	Stage 1		Stage 2		Pts	Status	Tms	Playoff	
						Pos	Pos	Pos	Pos				Laps	Pts
1	26	45	Tyler Reddick	Chumba Casino Toyota	200			8		58	Running	1	1	
2	16	47	Ricky Stenhouse Jr.	Chef Boyardee Chevrolet	200					35	Running	2	4	
3	3	22	Joey Logano	Shell Pennzoil Ford	200				9	36	Running	5	9	
4	4	9	Chase Elliott	NAPA Auto Parts Chevrolet	200					33	Running	2	2	
5	9	6	Brad Keselowski	Castrol Ford	200					32	Running			
6	30	38	Zane Smith	Speedy Cash Ford	200		1			41	Running	1	9	
7	41	17	Chris Buescher	Body Guard Ford	200		6	7		39	Running	1	4	
8	28	35	Riley Herbst	Monster Energy Zero Sugar Toyota	200			5		35	Running			
9	14	21	Josh Berry	Motorcraft/Quick Lane Ford	200					28	Running			
10	27	23	Bubba Wallace	Xfinity Toyota	200			1		37	Running	9	40	
11	25	4	Noah Gragson	Rush Truck Centers Ford	200		10			27	Running			
12	39	24	William Byron	Raptor Chevrolet	200					25	Running			
13	15	7	Daniel Suarez	Freeway Insurance Chevrolet	200		5	10		31	Running			
14	34	10	Ty Dillon	Grizzly Nicotine Pouches Chevrolet	200					23	Running	1	3	
15	1	8	Kyle Busch	zone Jalapeno Lime Chevrolet	200			4		29	Running	7	19	
16	8	5	Kyle Larson	HendrickCars.com Chevrolet	200					21	Running	4	7	
17	33	51	Cody Ware	Jacob Construction Chevrolet	200					20	Running	1	2	
18	6	77	Carson Hocevar	Spectrum Chevrolet	200		4			27	Running	1	1	
19	35	16	AJ Allmendinger	Celsius Chevrolet	200					18	Running	1	1	
20	37	1	Ross Chastain	Busch Light Chevrolet	200					17	Running	4	12	
21	24	43	Erik Jones	AdventHealth Toyota	200					16	Running			
22	10	71	Michael McDowell	Modo Casino Chevrolet	200		7			19	Running	1	10	
23	20	54	Ty Gibbs	Monster Energy Toyota	200					14	Running			
24	23	41	Cole Custer	HaasTooling.com Chevrolet	200					13	Running			
25	19	60	Ryan Preece	Kroger/Viva Towels Ford	200		8			15	Running			
26	11	42	John Hunter Nemechek	Dollar Tree Toyota	199			3		19	Accident	4	19	
27	5	12	Ryan Blaney	Menards/Peak Ford	199		3	2		27	Accident	1	2	
28	29	67	* Corey Heim(i)	Robinhood Toyota	199			6		0	Running	4	8	
29	31	84	* Jimmie Johnson	Carvana Toyota	199					0	Accident			
30	13	97	Shane Van Gisbergen	SuperFile Chevrolet	199					8	Running	1	3	
31	22	11	Denny Hamlin	National Debt Relief Toyota	198					7	Running	2	3	
32	17	66	* Casey Mears	SI Yachts/Gracie Foundation Ford	195					6	Running			
33	32	88	Connor Zilisch #	Red Bull Chevrolet	195					5	Running			
34	36	2	Austin Cindric	Discount Tire Ford	193		2			13	Running	2	5	
35	12	20	Christopher Bell	DEWALT/Interstate Batteries Toyota	191					3	Accident	6	9	
36	2	19	Chase Briscoe	Bass Pro Shops Toyota	188					2	Running	1	23	
37	7	3	Austin Dillon	Bass Pro Shops/Winchester Chevrolet	137					1	Accident			
38	40	40	* Justin Allgaier(i)	Traveller Whiskey Chevrolet	123					0	Accident	3	3	
39	18	34	Todd Gilliland	Love's Travel Stops Ford	123					1	Accident	1	1	
40	21	48	Alex Bowman	Ally Chevrolet	123		9			3	Accident			
41	38	78	* BJ McLeod	Superior Logistics Chevrolet	4					1	Accident			

**Fastest Lap Bonus:** #77 ,lap 108 / 45.584

**Time of Race:** 3 Hrs, 23 Mins, 56 Secs.

**Average Speed:** 147.107 MPH

**Margin of Victory:** 0.308 Seconds

**Stage 1 Top 10:** 38, 2, 12, 77, 7, 17, 71, 60, 48, 4

**Stage 2 Top 10:** 23, 12, 42, 8, 35, 67, 17, 45, 22, 7

**Race Comments:** Tyler Reddick has won the DAYTONA 500 at Daytona International Speedway, his ninth victory in the NASCAR Cup Series. Prior to the start of the race, the following vehicle(s) dropped to the rear of the field under penalty: Nos. 1, 7, 17, 24 (backup cars).

**Failed to Qualify:** (4) 99 Corey LaJoie, 62 Anthony Alfredo(i), 36 Chandler Smith(i), 44 JJ Yeley(i).

**Caution Flags:** 5 for 32 laps; Laps: 6-11 (#4, 24, 40, 45, 66, 78 Incident Turn 4 [None]); 67-71 (Stage 1 Conclusion [51]); 86-91 (#1, 3, 19, 34, 40, 51, 54, 67, 88 Incident Frontstretch [21]); 125-135 (#1, 2, 5, 8, 11, 12, 22, 24, 34, 35, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 48, 54, 67, 71, 97 Incident Frontstretch [84]); 193-196 (#11, 20 Incident Frontstretch [97]).

**Lead Changes:** 65 among 25 drivers; K. Busch 1-3; J. Nemechek 4-7; K. Busch 8-11; J. Logano 12-13; J. Nemechek 14-18; J. Logano 19; J. Nemechek 20-28; J. Logano 29; J. Nemechek 30; J. Logano 31-34; C. Briscoe 35-57; C. Elliott 58; T. Gilliland 59; Z. Smith 60-68; A. Allmendinger 69; R. Blaney 70-71; A. Cindric 72-74; D. Hamlin 75-76; B. Wallace 77-79; C. Ware 80-81; R. Chastain 82-83; \*. Allgaier(i) 84; T. Dillon 85-87; \*. Allgaier(i) 88; R. Stenhouse Jr. 89; R. Chastain 90-95; A. Cindric 96-97; R. Chastain 98-100; S. Van Gisbergen 101-103; K. Larson 104; K. Busch 105-108; K. Larson 109-112; K. Busch 113; K. Larson 114; K. Busch 115-116; K. Larson 117; K. Busch 118-121; D. Hamlin 122; \*. Allgaier(i) 123; B. Wallace 124-130; R. Stenhouse Jr. 131-133; B. Wallace 134-136; \*. Heim(i) 137-138; B. Wallace 139; C. Bell 140; \*. Heim(i) 141; B. Wallace 142-144; C. Bell 145; B. Wallace 146; C. Bell 147-148; \*. Heim(i) 149; C. Bell 150-151; B. Wallace 152; \*. Heim(i) 153-156; C. Bell 157; B. Wallace 158-162; C. Bell 163-164; B. Wallace 165-180; C. Buescher 181-184; K. Busch 185; R.

(i) Ineligible for driver points in this series

**Next Race:** February 22, 2026 - Atlanta Motor Speedway

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