



## 2026 GRAND PRIX OF ST. PETERSBURG

### TENTATIVE EVENT SCHEDULE

NCTS, MX-5 Cup, NICS, INXT, USF2000

REVISED as of December 03, 06:00 PM

#### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
8:00 AM	5:00 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
8:00 AM		NICS	SANCTIONING BODY HAULER LOAD-IN
12:00 PM		NICS	SANCTIONING BODY HAULER LOAD-IN

#### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
8:00 AM	5:00 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
9:00 AM		NICS	HAULERS ENTER
11:00 AM		NICS	MANUFACTURER LOAD-IN

#### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
9:00 AM	4:00 PM	NICS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
9:00 AM	5:00 PM	INXT	GARAGE HOURS
11:30 AM	11:45 AM	TRACK OPS	EXHIBITION RUNS (INDYCAR) <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
11:45 AM	12:15 PM	TRACK OPS	EXHIBITION RUNS (GREEN SAVOREE RACING PROMOTIONS) <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
12:00 PM	5:30 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
12:00 PM	6:00 PM	NICS	GARAGE HOURS
12:20 PM	12:30 PM	BROADCAST	TELEVISION EXHIBITION RUNS <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
12:30 PM	2:30 PM	NCTS	HAULERS ENTER PIT ROAD (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
12:45 PM	1:30 PM	RACE CONTROL	TWO SEATER RIDES (INDYCAR) <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
2:15 PM	3:15 PM	RACE CONTROL	DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK <span style="color: blue;">TRACK COLD</span>
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	NCTS	HAULERS RELOCATE (GARAGE AREA)
4:00 PM	5:00 PM	TRACK OPS	5K RUN (SET UP) <span style="color: blue;">TRACK COLD</span>
5:00 PM	6:30 PM	TRACK OPS	5K RUN <span style="color: blue;">TRACK COLD</span>

#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
6:00 AM			NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
6:30 AM	8:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK INSPECTION (SLOW MOVING VEHICLES ONLY) <span style="color: blue;">TRACK COLD</span>
6:30 AM	8:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK <span style="color: blue;">TRACK COLD</span>
8:00 AM	8:35 AM	USF2000	PRACTICE <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
8:30 AM	4:30 PM	NICS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
8:30 AM	6:00 PM	INXT	GARAGE HOURS
8:55 AM	9:40 AM	MX-5 Cup	PRACTICE <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
9:00 AM	7:30 PM	NICS	GARAGE HOURS
9:30 AM	10:00 AM	NCTS	TEAM ACCESS FOR EQUIPMENT SET UP PERMITTED
10:00 AM	6:30 PM	NCTS	GARAGE HOURS
10:00 AM	10:30 AM	USF2000	QUALIFYING <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
10:30 AM		NCTS	ROOKIE MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
10:50 AM	11:10 AM	MX-5 Cup	QUALIFYING <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
11:30 AM	12:10 PM	USF2000	RACE <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
12:30 PM	1:15 PM	INXT	PRACTICE 1 <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
1:35 PM	3:00 PM	NICS	PRACTICE 1 <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	NCTS	MOVE VEHICLES TO PIT ROAD
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	PIT ROAD EQUIPMENT TRANSITION IN PROGRESS (GARAGE AREA / PIT ROAD)
4:00 PM	4:50 PM	NCTS	PRACTICE <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
5:05 PM	6:00 PM	NCTS	QUALIFYING <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>

ALL TIMES LISTED ARE LOCAL TRACK TIME - EASTERN STANDARD TIME

NASCAR CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES (NCTS), NTT INDYCAR SERIES (NICS), INDY NXT SERIES (INXT), IMSA WHELEN MAZDA MX-5 CUP PRESENTED BY MICHELIN (MX-5 Cup), USF2000 CHAMPIONSHIP PRESENTED BY CONTINENTAL TIRE (USF2000)

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28**

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
6:00 AM	4:00 PM	NICS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
6:00 AM	6:45 PM	INXT	GARAGE HOURS
<b>6:30 AM</b>	<b>7:30 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>TRACK INSPECTION (SLOW MOVING VEHICLES ONLY)</b> <span style="color: blue;">TRACK COLD</span>
6:30 AM	8:30 PM	NICS	GARAGE HOURS
<b>7:30 AM</b>	<b>8:15 AM</b>	<b>MX-5 Cup</b>	<b>RACE</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
8:30 AM	12:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			<i>MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS</i>
<b>8:35 AM</b>	<b>9:15 AM</b>	<b>INXT</b>	<b>PRACTICE 2</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
9:00 AM	5:00 PM	<b>NCTS</b>	GARAGE HOURS
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	<b>NCTS</b>	TEAM ACCESS TO HAULERS PERMITTED
<b>9:35 AM</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>NICS</b>	<b>PRACTICE 2</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
11:00 AM	12:00 PM	<b>NCTS</b>	MOVE VEHICLES TO PIT ROAD
11:00 AM	12:00 PM	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<i>PIT ROAD EQUIPMENT TRANSITION IN PROGRESS (GARAGE AREA / PIT ROAD)</i>
11:25 AM		<b>NCTS</b>	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM)
11:30 AM		<b>NCTS</b>	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS
<b>12:00 PM</b>		<b>NCTS</b>	<b>RACE (STAGES 20/40/80 LAPS = 144 MILES)</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
2:30 PM	Approx	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<i>PIT ROAD EQUIPMENT TRANSITION IN PROGRESS (GARAGE AREA / PIT ROAD)</i>
<b>3:45 PM</b>	<b>4:15 PM</b>	<b>INXT</b>	<b>QUALIFYING</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
<b>4:35 PM</b>	<b>6:00 PM</b>	<b>NICS</b>	<b>QUALIFYING</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>