



2026 KANSAS SPEEDWAY  
TENTATIVE EVENT SCHEDULE  
NCS, NOAPS, AMS



REVISED as of December 02, 01:34 PM

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15**

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP

**THURSDAY, APRIL 16**

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:00 AM	5:30 PM	BROADCAST	BROADCAST SET UP    TRACK COLD
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
1:00 PM	3:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK TEXTURE SCANNING (GOODYEAR)
2:00 PM	5:00 PM	AMS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	AMS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
4:00 PM	6:00 PM	AMS	GARAGE HOURS
5:00 PM		NOAPS	DRIVER / CREW CHIEF MEETING (SENT ELECTRONICALLY)
5:30 PM	6:00 PM	BROADCAST	BROADCAST CALIBRATION    TRACK HOT

**FRIDAY, APRIL 17**

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
6:00 AM	6:00 PM	AMS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
6:30 AM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (MEDIA CENTER MEETING ROOM)
7:00 AM	11:30 PM	AMS	GARAGE HOURS
7:00 AM	9:00 AM	NOAPS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
7:05 AM		AMS	CREW CHIEF MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
7:30 AM	8:30 AM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
7:45 AM		AMS	DRIVER / SPOTTER MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
8:00 AM	8:15 AM	AMS	ROOKIE ON-TRACK ORIENTATION (SLOW MOVING VEHICLES ONLY)
8:30 AM	12:30 PM	AMS	OPEN PRACTICE (OPTIONAL)    TRACK HOT
12:00 PM	8:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
12:30 PM	1:00 PM	NOAPS	TEAM ACCESS FOR EQUIPMENT SET UP PERMITTED
1:00 PM	8:30 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
2:30 PM		AMS	DRIVER / SPOTTER MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
2:45 PM		AMS	ROOKIE MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
3:00 PM	4:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
4:00 PM	4:45 PM	AMS	PRACTICE    TRACK HOT
5:00 PM	5:20 PM	AMS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) (TIMED - 20 MINUTES)    TRACK HOT
5:00 PM		NCS	DRIVER / CREW CHIEF MEETING (SENT ELECTRONICALLY)
5:30 PM	5:45 PM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE CALIBRATION (COMPETITION)    TRACK HOT
6:00 PM	6:50 PM	NOAPS	PRACTICE    TRACK HOT
7:05 PM	8:00 PM	NOAPS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND)    TRACK HOT

**SATURDAY, APRIL 18**

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	10:30 AM	AMS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
7:30 AM	9:30 AM	NCS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
8:30 AM	2:30 PM	AMS	GARAGE HOURS
9:00 AM	6:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			<i>MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS</i>
9:30 AM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (MEDIA CENTER MEETING ROOM)
9:30 AM	2:00 PM	NOAPS	TEAM ACCESS TO HAULERS PERMITTED
<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK (NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES AUTHORIZED)</b> <span style="color: blue;">TRACK COLD</span>
9:30 AM	5:30 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>11:15 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)</b>
11:20 AM		AMS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS (DRIVERS STANDING BY CARS)
<b>11:30 AM</b>		<b>AMS</b>	<b>RACE (100 LAPS, 150 MILES)</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
2:00 PM	11:45 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
<b>3:00 PM</b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	<b>NCS</b>	<b>PRACTICE</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
<b>4:10 PM</b>	<b>5:00 PM</b>	<b>NCS</b>	<b>QUALIFYING (IMPOUND)</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
4:30 PM		TRACK OPS	PIT ROAD TRACK SERVICES MEETING
5:30 PM		NOAPS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
5:40 PM		NOAPS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS
<b>6:00 PM</b>		<b>NOAPS</b>	<b>RACE (STAGES 45/90/200 LAPS = 300 MILES)</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>

**SUNDAY, APRIL 19**

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	8:30 AM	RACE CONTROL	NASCAR VIP TRACK LAPS <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>8:45 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>PACE VEHICLE LAPS (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>
8:30 AM	1:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			<i>MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS</i>
<b>8:45 AM</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)</b>
9:00 AM	10:00 AM	NCS	TEAM ACCESS TO HAULERS PERMITTED
9:30 AM	10:15 AM	RACE CONTROL	PRE-RACE STAGE PARKING & SET UP PERMITTED <span style="color: blue;">TRACK COLD</span>
9:30 AM	1:00 PM	NCS	GARAGE & PIT PASS HOLDER - GARAGE ACCESS PERMITTED
10:00 AM	7:30 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
10:15 AM	12:45 PM	TRACK OPS	FAN TRACK ACCESS (FRONTSTRETCH) <span style="color: blue;">TRACK COLD</span>
11:00 AM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (OUTSIDE OF INFIELD CARE CENTER)
11:30 AM		NCS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
12:00 PM		NCS	THE DRIVERS MEETING (TENT BEHIND MEDIA CENTER)
12:25 PM		NCS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS
<b>1:00 PM</b>		<b>NCS</b>	<b>RACE (STAGES 80/165/267 LAPS = 400.5 MILES)</b> <span style="color: red;">TRACK HOT</span>