



# 2026 TALLADEGA SUPERSPEEDWAY

## OFFICIAL EVENT SCHEDULE

NCS, NOAPS, AMS

REVISED as of February 11, 03:06 PM



<b>WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22</b>			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
<b>THURSDAY, APRIL 23</b>			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	TRACK OPS	STEM BUS PARADE (TALLADEGA SUPERSPEEDWAY)
12:00 PM	5:30 PM	BROADCAST	BROADCAST SET UP TRACK COLD
1:00 PM	3:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK TEXTURE SCANNING (GOODYEAR)
5:00 PM		NCS, NOAPS	DRIVER / CREW CHIEF MEETING (SENT ELECTRONICALLY)
5:30 PM	6:00 PM	BROADCAST	BROADCAST CALIBRATION TRACK HOT
<b>FRIDAY, APRIL 24</b>			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
5:30 AM	2:30 PM	AMS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
6:30 AM	7:30 AM	AMS	HAULERS ENTER (PARKING ONLY)
7:00 AM	9:00 AM	NOAPS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
7:30 AM	4:00 PM	AMS	GARAGE HOURS
7:35 AM		AMS	CREW CHIEF MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
8:30 AM	5:30 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
9:00 AM	9:30 AM	NOAPS	TEAM ACCESS FOR EQUIPMENT SET UP PERMITTED
9:30 AM	11:30 AM	NCS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
9:30 AM	6:30 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
11:00 AM	12:00 PM	TRACK OPS	PRE-RACE STAGE PARKING & ROUTING REHEARSAL TRACK COLD
11:30 AM	5:30 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
11:30 AM		AMS	DRIVER / SPOTTER MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
11:45 AM		AMS	ROOKIE MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
12:00 PM	1:30 PM	RACE CONTROL	DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK (NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES AUTHORIZED) TRACK COLD
12:30 PM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (FIRE COMPOUND)
1:30 PM	1:45 PM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE CALIBRATION (COMPETITION) TRACK HOT
1:30 PM	2:30 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	AMS	PRACTICE (IMPOUND) (GROUPS) TRACK HOT
3:30 PM	4:00 PM	BROADCAST	TELEVISION EXHIBITION RUNS TRACK HOT
4:30 PM	6:00 PM	NOAPS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) TRACK HOT

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NASCAR CUP SERIES (NCS), NASCAR O'REILLY AUTO PARTS SERIES (NOAPS), ARCA MENARDS SERIES (AMS)

**SATURDAY, APRIL 25**

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:00 AM	3:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			<i>MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS</i>
<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK (NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES AUTHORIZED)</b> <b>TRACK COLD</b>
7:30 AM	11:30 AM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
7:30 AM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (FIRE COMPOUND)
7:30 AM	11:00 AM	AMS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)</b>
8:30 AM	4:00 PM	AMS	GARAGE HOURS
<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>	<b>NCS</b>	<b>QUALIFYING (IMPOUND)</b> <b>TRACK HOT</b>
9:30 AM	11:00 AM	NOAPS	TEAM ACCESS TO HAULERS PERMITTED
10:00 AM		TRACK OPS	PIT ROAD TRACK SERVICES MEETING
11:00 AM	9:00 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
11:15 AM		AMS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS (DRIVERS STANDING BY CARS)
<b>11:30 AM</b>		<b>AMS</b>	<b>RACE (76 LAPS, 202.16 MILES)</b> <b>TRACK HOT</b>
2:15 PM		NOAPS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALLED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
2:20 PM		NOAPS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS
<b>3:00 PM</b>		<b>NOAPS</b>	<b>RACE (STAGES 25/50/113 LAPS = 300.58 MILES)</b> <b>TRACK HOT</b>

**SUNDAY, APRIL 26**

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:45 AM	8:45 AM	RACE CONTROL	NASCAR VIP TRACK LAPS <b>TRACK HOT</b>
8:45 AM	9:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE LAPS (COMPETITION OPERATIONS) <b>TRACK HOT</b>
<b>9:00 AM</b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>	<b>RACE CONTROL</b>	<b>TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)</b>
9:15 AM	10:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	PRE-RACE STAGE PARKING & SET UP PERMITTED <b>TRACK COLD</b>
9:30 AM	2:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			<i>MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS</i>
10:00 AM	1:45 PM	TRACK OPS	FAN TRACK ACCESS (FRONTSTRETCH) <b>TRACK COLD</b>
10:00 AM	11:00 AM	NCS	TEAM ACCESS TO HAULERS PERMITTED
10:30 AM	2:00 PM	NCS	GARAGE & PIT PASS HOLDER - GARAGE ACCESS PERMITTED
11:00 AM	9:00 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
12:00 PM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (FIRE COMPOUND)
12:30 PM		NCS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALLED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
<b>12:55 PM</b>		NCS	<b>THE DRIVERS MEETING (O'REILLY SERIES GARAGE MEETING ROOM)</b>
<b>1:25 PM</b>		NCS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS
<b>2:00 PM</b>		<b>NCS</b>	<b>RACE (STAGES 60/120/188 LAPS = 500.08 MILES)</b> <b>TRACK HOT</b>

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