



2026 WORLD WIDE TECHNOLOGY RACEWAY

TENTATIVE EVENT SCHEDULE

NCS, NOAPS

REVISED as of November 25, 11:30 AM



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

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

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
11:00 AM	1:00 PM	NOAPS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
12:00 PM	5:30 PM	BROADCAST	BROADCAST SET UP TRACK COLD
12:00 PM	5:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
12:30 PM	1:00 PM	NOAPS	TEAM ACCESS FOR EQUIPMENT SET UP PERMITTED
1:00 PM	3:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK TEXTURE SCANNING (GOODYEAR)
1:00 PM	6:00 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
4:00 PM		NCS	HAULER PARADE
5:00 PM	7:00 PM	NCS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
5:00 PM		NCS, NOAPS	DRIVER / CREW CHIEF MEETING (SENT ELECTRONICALLY)
5:30 PM	6:00 PM	BROADCAST	BROADCAST CALIBRATION TRACK HOT
6:00 PM		TRACK OPS	TRACK WALK (WORLD WIDE TECHNOLOGY RACEWAY) TRACK COLD

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
6:00 AM	5:30 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
9:00 AM	5:00 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
9:30 AM	10:30 AM	RACE CONTROL	DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK (NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES AUTHORIZED) TRACK COLD
10:00 AM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (LOGISTICS / RADIO TRAILER)
10:30 AM	11:00 AM	BROADCAST	TELEVISION EXHIBITION RUNS TRACK HOT
10:30 AM	9:30 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
11:00 AM	12:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
11:00 AM	11:15 AM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE CALIBRATION (COMPETITION) TRACK HOT
12:00 PM	12:50 PM	NOAPS	PRACTICE TRACK HOT
1:05 PM	2:00 PM	NOAPS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) TRACK HOT
2:30 PM	3:30 PM	NCS	PRACTICE TRACK HOT
3:40 PM	4:30 PM	NCS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) TRACK HOT
5:00 PM		TRACK OPS	PIT ROAD TRACK SERVICES MEETING
5:50 PM		NOAPS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
6:00 PM		NOAPS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS (FAN ZONE STAGE)
6:30 PM		NOAPS	RACE (STAGES 45/90/180 LAPS = 225 MILES) TRACK HOT

ALL TIMES LISTED ARE LOCAL TRACK TIME - CENTRAL STANDARD TIME
NASCAR CUP SERIES (NCS), NASCAR O'REILLY AUTO PARTS SERIES (NOAPS)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	TRACK OPS	TRACK LAPS (WORLD WIDE TECHNOLOGY RACEWAY) TRACK HOT
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	NASCAR VIP TRACK LAPS TRACK HOT
9:00 AM	9:15 AM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE LAPS (COMPETITION OPERATIONS) TRACK HOT
9:15 AM	10:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
9:30 AM	2:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
10:00 AM	1:45 PM	TRACK OPS	FAN TRACK ACCESS (FRONTSTRETCH) (WORLD WIDE TECHNOLOGY RACEWAY) TRACK COLD
10:00 AM	1:00 PM	TRACK OPS	FAN TRACK ACCESS (TURN 1) (WORLD WIDE TECHNOLOGY RACEWAY) TRACK COLD
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	8:30 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
12:00 PM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (LOGISTICS / RADIO TRAILER)
12:30 PM		NCS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALLED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
1:00 PM		NCS	THE DRIVERS MEETING (THE DRIVERS MEETING ROOM)
1:25 PM		NCS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS (FAN ZONE STAGE)
2:00 PM		NCS	RACE (STAGES 45/140/240 LAPS = 300 MILES) TRACK HOT
5:30 PM	Approx	TRACK OPS	CONCERT SET UP (TRACK ACCESS)
5:30 PM	Approx	TRACK OPS	FAN TRACK ACCESS (TURN 1) (WORLD WIDE TECHNOLOGY RACEWAY) TRACK COLD
6:00 PM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	POST-RACE CONCERT (TURNS 1 & 2)

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