



KEVIN HARVICK: Career Highlights

2018

- Finished third in Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series point standings as a member of the 16-driver playoffs. Advanced to the Championship 4 for the fourth time in five years. Finished in the top-five in the standings for the 10th time in his career.
- Won a career-high eight Cup Series point races, which tied him with Kyle Busch for the most wins in 2018. Scored victories Feb. 25 at Atlanta Motor Speedway, March 4 at Las Vegas Motor Speedway, March 11 at ISM Raceway near Phoenix, May 6 at Dover (Del.) International Speedway, May 12 at Kansas Speedway in Kansas City, July 22 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway in Loudon, August 12 at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn, and November 4 at Texas Motor Speedway in Fort Worth.
- Harvick's win at Las Vegas was the 100th of his career in NASCAR's top three series and his 100th top-10 since joining Stewart-Haas Racing (SHR) in 2014.
- Victory at Phoenix was Harvick's 40th career Cup Series win and it marked only the 24th time in NASCAR's modern era (1972 to present) where a driver has won three consecutive races.
- By winning at Kansas Speedway, Harvick's notched his fifth win and became the first driver to notch five wins in the first 12 races of the season since Jeff Gordon in 1997.
- Harvick's win at Texas was his 45th career Cup Series wins and it put him 17th on the all-time NASCAR win list.
- Captured four Cup Series poles April 28 at Talladega (Ala.) Superspeedway, May 11 at Kansas, September 21 at Richmond (Va.) Raceway and Nov. 9 at Phoenix to elevate his total to 25 career pole positions.
- Won the NASCAR All-Star Race at Charlotte (N.C.) Motor Speedway on May 20. It marked the second All-Star win of Harvick's career. He also won the 2007 All-Star Race. He became the seventh driver to win more than one All-Star race.
- Harvick led his 1,000th lap of the season at Chicagoland Speedway in Joliet, Illinois, on July 1. It marked the fourth time he led at least 1,000 laps in a season since joining SHR.
- Harvick led the 13,000th lap of his career on Nov. 11 at Phoenix. He has led 13,081 laps in his career, which puts him 12th all-time and just 129 laps behind Bobby Isaac for 11th-place.
- Finished in the top-five 23 times and in the top-10 29 times. Set a career record for top-10 finishes and tied his 2015 mark of top-five results.
- Won NASCAR Xfinity Series race Feb. 24 at Atlanta Motor Speedway. The win was his first for Stewart-Haas Racing with Fred Biagi, his series-best fifth at Atlanta and the 47th of his Xfinity Series career.

2017

- Finished third in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings as a member of the 16-driver playoffs. Advanced to the Championship 4 for the third time in four years.
- Won two NASCAR Cup Series point races – June 25 at Sonoma (Calif.) Raceway and Nov. 5 at Texas. Harvick's win at Texas was the 37th of his Cup Series career and tied him with Bobby Isaac for 21st on the all-time win list.
- Cup Series wins at Texas and Sonoma were his first at each track, leaving Pocono (Pa.) Raceway and Kentucky Speedway in Sparta as the only active tracks where Harvick has yet to record a Cup Series victory.
- Led 149 laps at Charlotte on Oct. 7 to become the 17th Cup Series driver to lead 11,000 laps.
- Made 600th career Cup Series start on Sept. 9 at Richmond (Va.) Raceway.
- Finished ninth in the Southern 500 at Darlington (S.C.) Raceway on Sept. 3 to record 300th top-10 finish of his Cup Series career, becoming only the 17th driver in Cup Series history to accomplish the feat.
- Won four Cup Series poles – March 3 at Atlanta, April 7 at Texas, May 26 at Charlotte and Sept. 2 at Darlington.
- Won the NASCAR K&N Pro Series West Carneros 200 race at Sonoma on June 24. It was Harvick's second win at Sonoma in the K&N Pro Series West, with his first coming in 1998.
- Led 292 laps in the Cup Series race at Atlanta on March 5 – a new single-race best at the 1.54 mile oval.

2016

- Finished eighth in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings as a member of the 16-driver playoffs.
- Won four Cup Series point races – March 13 at Phoenix, Aug. 21 at Bristol (Tenn.) Motor Speedway, Sept. 25 at New Hampshire and Oct. 16 at Kansas.
- Harvick's .010 of a second margin of victory over Carl Edwards at Phoenix was the closest in series history at the venue.
- The victory at New Hampshire came in Harvick's 100th Cup Series start with Stewart-Haas Racing.
- Won two Cup Series poles – Oct. 6 at Charlotte and Nov. 18 at Homestead-Miami Speedway.
- Scored his 150th career Cup Series top-five finish Sept. 10 at Richmond.
- Led 214 laps at Darlington to surpass 1,000 laps led for the season. It marked the third consecutive season in which he led 1,000 laps or more.
- Led his 10,000 lap in Cup Series competition at Darlington on Sept. 4.

2015

- Finished runner-up in the NASCAR Cup Series championship point standings by a single point to champion Kyle Busch.
- Won three Cup Series point races – March 8 at Las Vegas, March 15 at Phoenix and Oct. 4 at Dover. The successive wins at Las Vegas and Phoenix marked the third time Harvick scored back-to-back Cup Series victories.
- Won Cup Series pole March 13 at Phoenix.
- Started the season with seven straight top-10 finishes, including six finishes in the top-two. Became the first Cup Series driver to start a season with five consecutive top-two finishes.
- Scored eighth straight finishes of second or better, a streak that began at Texas in November 2014 and ended at Martinsville (Va.) Speedway in March.
- Established his new single-season career-high by leading 2,294 laps in the Cup Series.
- Recorded 22 top-five finishes to set a new single-season career-high, eclipsing his 16 top-fives earned in 2010.
- Recorded 27 top-10 finishes to set a new single-season career-high, besting his 26 top-10s in 2010.
- Led 355 laps at Dover on Oct. 4, setting a new personal record for laps led in a single Cup Series event.
- Led his 2,000th lap of the season at Dover on Oct. 4, becoming the first driver since Jeff Gordon in 1995 and 1996 to lead more than 2,000 laps in consecutive seasons.
- Became the 10th Cup Series driver to score double-digit runner-up finishes in a single season (13).
- Scored his 250th career top-10 finish in 526th career Cup Series starts at Bristol on Aug. 22.
- Won the ESPY "Best Driver" award.
- On April 22, Harvick and the No. 4 team were honored by President Barack Obama on the South Lawn of the White House for their 2014 NASCAR Cup Series championship.
- Bakersfield, California, mayor Harvey Hall proclaimed Wednesday, March 18, 2015 as "Kevin Harvick Day" in hometown. Also on March 18, The Kevin Harvick Foundation, in partnership with the Cal Ripken Sr. Foundation, announced a plan to renovate and remodel the gymnasium and outdoor play area of the Boys & Girls Club of Kern County.

2014

- Earned first NASCAR Cup Series championship by one point over Ryan Newman. Harvick won back-to-back Cup Series races at Phoenix and Homestead to finish the season and secure the championship.
- Joined Bobby Labonte and Brad Keselowski as the only drivers to earn both a NASCAR Cup Series championship and a NASCAR Xfinity Series championship.
- Won five Cup Series point races – March 2 at Phoenix, April 12 at Darlington, Oct. 12 at Charlotte, Nov. 9 at Phoenix and Nov. 16 at Homestead-Miami.
- Won eight Cup Series poles – April 11 at Darlington, May 9 at Kansas, June 13 at Michigan, July 26 at Indianapolis Motor Speedway, Aug. 22 at Bristol, Aug. 29 at Atlanta, Sept. 26 at Dover and Oct. 3 at Kansas.
- Swept Cup Series races at Phoenix by winning races on March 2 and Nov. 9.
- Swept Cup Series poles at Kansas by winning poles on May 9 and Oct. 3
- Set the Cup Series qualifying record at Kansas on Oct. 3 (Round 2: 27.304 seconds at 197.773 mph)
- Set the Cup Series qualifying record at Bristol on Aug. 22 (Round 2: 14.607 seconds at 131.362 mph)
- Set the Cup Series qualifying record at Indianapolis on July 26 (Round 1: 47.753 seconds at 188.470 mph)
- Set the Cup Series qualifying record at Michigan on June 13 (Round 3: 35.198 seconds at 204.557 mph). It was the fastest pole-winning speed since April 1987 when Bill Elliott set the all-time Cup Series qualifying record of 212.809 mph at Talladega.

2013

- Finished third in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings as a member of the 13-driver playoffs.
- Won four Cup Series point races – April 27 at Richmond, May 26 at Charlotte, Oct. 6 at Kansas and Nov. 10 at Phoenix.
- Won Cup Series pole Oct. 4 at Kansas, breaking a 254-race pole drought dating back to New Hampshire in September 2006.
- Won the non-points Sprint Unlimited Feb. 16 at Daytona (Fla.) International Speedway for the third time in his career.
- Won the non-points Duel at Daytona Feb. 21 at Daytona to earn a third-place starting spot in the Daytona 500.
- Won NASCAR Xfinity Series race Aug. 31 at Atlanta.

2012

- Finished eighth in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings as a member of the 12-driver playoffs.
- Won Cup Series race Nov. 11 at Phoenix.
- Won two Xfinity Series races – Sept. 7 at Richmond and Nov. 3 at Texas.
- Won Xfinity Series pole April 27 at Richmond.
- Won NASCAR Truck Series race March 31 at Martinsville.
- Won two Truck Series poles – March 31 at Martinsville and June 1 at Dover.

2011

- Finished third in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings for the second consecutive year as a member of the 12-driver playoffs.
- Won four Cup Series point races – March 27 at Auto Club Speedway in Fontana, California, April 3 at Martinsville, May 29 at Charlotte and Sept. 10 at Richmond.
- Harvick's successive wins at Fontana and Martinsville marked the second time he won back-to-back Cup Series races in career.
- Won Xfinity Series pole July 1 at Daytona.
- Won four Truck Series races – Aug. 7 at Pocono, Aug. 20 at Michigan, Aug. 24 at Bristol and Nov. 4 at Texas. Three of those wins – Pocono, Michigan and Bristol – came in successive races.
- Earned his Truck Series pole Aug. 6 at Pocono.
- Won third Truck Series championship as an owner with driver Ron Hornaday Jr.

2010

- Finished third in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings as a member of the 12-driver playoffs.
- Won three Cup Series point races – April 25 at Talladega, July 3 at Daytona and Aug. 15 at Michigan.
- Won the non-points Sprint Unlimited race on Feb. 6 at Daytona for the second straight time.
- Won three Xfinity Series races – Feb. 27 at Las Vegas, April 3 at Nashville (Tenn.) Superspeedway and Sept. 10 at Richmond.
- Won three Xfinity Series poles – April 23 at Talladega, July 9 at Chicagoland Speedway and Sept. 10 at Richmond.
- Won three Truck Series races – March 6 at Atlanta, March 27 at Martinsville and July 17 at Gateway Motorsports Park in Madison, Illinois.
- Harvick's successive wins at Atlanta and Martinsville marked the first time he won back-to-back Truck Series races.
- Earned his first career Truck Series pole July 16 at Gateway.

2009

- Finished 19th in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings.
- Earned two second-place finishes – Feb. 15 at Daytona and Nov. 16 at Homestead. Scored five top-five finishes.
- Won the non-points Sprint Unlimited race on Feb. 7 at Daytona.
- Won two Xfinity Series races – March 21 at Bristol and Sept. 5 at Atlanta.
- Won two Xfinity Series poles – Feb. 13 at Daytona and Aug. 8 at Watkins Glen (N.Y.) International.
- Won three Truck Series races – March 30 at Martinsville, Nov. 13 at Phoenix and Nov. 20 at Homestead.
- Won second Truck Series championship as an owner with driver Ron Hornaday Jr.

2008

- Finished fourth in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings as a member of the 12-driver playoffs.
- Earned two second-place finishes – March 16 at Bristol and Sept. 6 at Atlanta. Scored seven top-five finishes.
- Earned eight top-five finishes in 22 Xfinity Series races.
- Won Truck Series race Nov. 7 at Phoenix.

2007

- Finished 10th in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings as a member of the 12-driver playoffs.
- Won Daytona 500 on Feb. 18. It was Harvick's 11th career Cup Series victory and his first on a restrictor-plate track.
- Won the non-points All-Star Race May 19 at Charlotte.
- Won six Xfinity Series races – Feb. 17 at Daytona, June 30 at New Hampshire, July 14 at Chicagoland, Aug. 4 at Circuit Gilles Villeneuve in Montreal, Aug. 11 at Watkins Glen and Nov. 3 at Texas.
- Won two Xfinity Series poles – March 9 at Las Vegas and June 30 at New Hampshire.
- Won Truck Series driver and owner championship with driver Ron Hornaday Jr. It was Harvick's first Truck Series championship as an owner.

2006

- Finished fourth in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings as a member of the 10-driver playoffs.
- Won five Cup Series point races – April 22 at Phoenix, Aug. 13 at Watkins Glen, Sept. 9 at Richmond, Sept. 17 at New Hampshire and Nov. 12 at Phoenix.
- The successive wins at Richmond and New Hampshire marked the first time Harvick scored back-to-back Cup Series victories.
- Harvick's Watkins Glen victory was his seventh career Cup Series victory and his first on a road course.
- Scored fifth career Cup Series pole Sept. 15 at New Hampshire.
- Won nine Xfinity Series races – April 15 at Nashville, April 21 at Phoenix, May 5 at Richmond, July 22 at Martinsville, Aug. 5 at Indianapolis Raceway Park, Sept. 8 at Richmond, Sept. 30 at Kansas, Oct. 28 at Memphis (Tenn.) Motorsports Park and Nov. 4 at Texas.
- Earned second Xfinity Series championship Oct. 13. It was the earliest clinching of the championship in Xfinity Series history, as Harvick claimed the title with four races remaining in the season. He ended the season with a record 824-point margin in the final standings.

2005

- Finished 14th in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings for the second consecutive year.
- Won Cup Series race April 3 at Bristol.
- Scored two Cup Series poles – April 29 at Talladega and Sept. 9 at Richmond.
- Won four Xfinity Series races – April 4 at Bristol, July 9 at Chicagoland, Sept. 9 at Richmond and Nov. 5 at Texas.
- Won two Xfinity Series poles – July 1 at Daytona and July 16 at New Hampshire.

2004

- Finished 14th in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings.
- Finished second in Cup Series race Oct. 3 at Talladega, his best result of the season. Scored five top-five finishes.
- Won two Xfinity Series races – March 6 at Las Vegas and Nov. 20 at Homestead.

2003

- Finished fifth in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings.
- Won Brickyard 400 on Aug. 3 at Indianapolis Motor Speedway. Harvick started on the pole and 33 laps en route to his fourth career Cup Series victory. Harvick became the first driver to win the Brickyard 400 from the pole position.
- Won three Xfinity Series races – March 22 at Bristol, May 2 at Richmond and Aug. 16 at Michigan.
- Won five Xfinity Series poles – April 25 at Fontana, May 23 at Charlotte, Aug. 29 at Darlington, Oct. 10 at Charlotte and Oct. 30 at Phoenix.
- Helped Richard Childress Racing (RCR) earn Xfinity Series owner championship.

2002

- Finished 21st in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings.
- Won Cup Series race July 14 at Chicagoland.
- Earned his first career Cup Series pole July 5 at Daytona.
- Driving a Kevin Harvick, Inc. (KHI) truck, won his first career Truck Series race Nov. 8 at Phoenix.
- Became the fifth driver to win at least one race in each of NASCAR's three national series – Cup Series, Xfinity and Truck.
- Secured IROC XXVI championship with a fifth-place finish in the season finale Aug. 3 at Indianapolis. En route to the IROC championship, Harvick scored his first IROC victory April 27 at Fontana. Harvick became the first rookie to win the IROC title since Ricky Rudd in 1992.

2001

- Finished ninth in the NASCAR Cup Series point standings and won the Rookie of the Year title.
- Picked to replace Dale Earnhardt after Earnhardt died from injuries suffered in a last-lap crash at the Daytona 500.
- Won his first career Cup Series points race March 11 at Atlanta. Harvick earned the victory in just his third career Cup start.
- Won Cup Series race July 15 at Chicagoland.
- Earned first Xfinity Series championship by 124 points over Jeff Green.
- Won five Xfinity Series races – March 31 at Texas, June 16 at Kentucky Speedway in Sparta, July 21 at Gateway, Aug. 4 at Indianapolis Raceway Park and Aug. 24 at Bristol.
- Won four Xfinity Series poles – March 24 at Bristol, April 14 at Nashville, May 12 at New Hampshire and July 1 at the Milwaukee Mile in West Allis, Wisconsin.
- Voted Xfinity Series Most Popular Driver.
- Became owner of a Truck Series team with driver Rick Carelli.

2000

- Finished third in the Xfinity Series point standings and won the Rookie of the Year title.
- Won first career Xfinity Series race July 29 at Gateway.
- Won two additional Xfinity Series races – Aug. 25 at Bristol and Oct. 29 at Memphis.
- Won first Xfinity Series pole June 2 at Dover in 14th race of the season. Second career pole came Aug. 25 at Bristol.

1999

- Made Xfinity Series debut for RCR on Oct. 23 at North Carolina Speedway in Rockingham. Harvick started 24th and finished 42nd due to an expired engine.
- Competed full time in the Truck Series, scoring six top-five and 11 top-10 finishes in 25 races.
- Competed in two ARCA Series races for RCR – Charlotte and Talladega. Twice finished in the top-five.

1998

- Posted three top-five and five top-10 finishes in 26 Truck Series races.
- Won K&N Pro Series West championship. Won five races (Las Vegas, Altamont (Calif.), Fontana, Pikes Peak (Colo.) and Sonoma and five poles.

1997

- Ran 13 Truck Series races for Wayne Spears. Twice finished in the top-10.
- Competed in three K&N Pro Series West races, scoring two top-10 finishes.

1996

- Made four Truck Series starts for his family-owned team.

1995

- Made Truck Series debut Oct. 15 at Mesa Marin (Calif.) Speedway. Harvick started and finished 27th in his family-owned truck.
- Won first Southwest Tour Series race at Tucson (Ariz.) Raceway Park.
- Named Southwest Tour Series Rookie of the Year.

1993

- Won NASCAR Late Model Championship at Mesa Marin.

1987

- International Karting Federation (IKF) National Champion.

1985

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1982

- Began racing go-karts in Bakersfield, California.

Kevin Harvick's Year-by-Year NASCAR Cup Series Statistics

Year	Owner	Races	Won	Top-5	Top-10	DNF	Poles	Laps Led	Money Won
2018	Tony Stewart	36	8	23	29	4	4	1,990	N/A
2017	Tony Stewart	36	2	14	23	4	4	850	N/A
2016	Tony Stewart	36	4	17	27	3	2	1,384	N/A
2015	Tony Stewart	36	3	23	28	1	1	2,294	\$11,730,460
2014	Tony Stewart	36	5	14	20	2	8	2,137	\$12,762,411
2013	Richard Childress	36	4	9	21	2	1	269	\$6,299,293
2012	Richard Childress	36	1	5	14	2	0	256	\$6,926,597
2011	Richard Childress	36	4	9	19	1	0	403	\$8,072,369
2010	Richard Childress	36	3	16	26	1	0	357	\$9,226,831
2009	Richard Childress	36	0	5	9	2	0	159	\$6,667,905
2008	Richard Childress	36	0	7	19	0	0	192	\$7,619,450
2007	Richard Childress	36	1	4	15	0	0	271	\$8,861,128
2006	Richard Childress	36	5	15	20	1	1	895	\$8,231,406
2005	Richard Childress	36	1	3	10	1	2	326	\$5,630,358
2004	Richard Childress	36	0	5	14	4	0	177	\$5,321,337
2003	Richard Childress	36	1	11	18	0	1	569	\$6,237,119
2002	Richard Childress	35	1	5	8	6	1	178	\$3,849,216
2001	Richard Childress	35	2	6	16	2	0	374	\$4,302,202
Totals		645	45	190	335	34	25	13,023	N/A

Above chart denotes only NASCAR Cup Series point races.

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