



COLE CUSTER

Haas Automation Team Report

Round 3 of 36 - Auto Club 400 - Fontana

Car No.: 41 – Haas Automation/Production Alliance Group Ford Mustang

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Primary Team Members:

Driver: Cole CusterCrew Chief: Mike Shiplett **Hometown: Ladera Ranch, California**Hometown: Amherst, Ohio

Car Chief: Tony Cardamone Engine Builder: Roush-Yates Engines
Hometown: Bristol, Virginia Headquarters: Mooresville, North Carolina

Engine Specialist: Evan Cupples Spotter: Andy Houston

Hometown: Hudson, Illinois Hometown: Hickory, North Carolina

Over-The-Wall Crew Members:

Gas Man: Chad Emmons

Front Tire Changer: Josh Leslie
Hometown: Tyler, Texas

Hometown: Mount Clemens, Michigan

Jackman: Brett Morrell

Rear Tire Changer: Coleman Dollarhide
Hometown: Windham, Maine

Hometown: Hickory, North Carolina

Tire Carrier: Dwayne Moore Hometown: Griffin, Georgia

Road Crew Members:

Truck Drivers: Eddie DeGroot and Scott Robbins

Hometowns: Baldwinsville, New York and Woodfield, N.H.

Tire Specialist: Thomas Gagliano

Hometown: East Hampton, Connecticut

Shock Specialist: Aaron Kuehn Engineers: Scott Bingham and Davin Restivo

Hometown: Kensington, Connecticut

Hometowns: Lawrenceville, Georgia and Ashboro, N.C.

Mechanic: Nick McIntosh Mechanic: Joe Zanolini

Hometown: Havre, Montana Hometown: Sybertsville, Pennsylvania

Auto Club Speedway Notes of Interest:

- Cole Custer will make his first Auto Club Speedway Cup Series start at his home track on Sunday to bring his total of career Cup Series starts to six.
- The 22-year-old finished 19th last weekend at Las Vegas Motor Speedway.
- The California native has three Xfinity Series starts at **Fontana and earned one win in March 2018** after leading 29 laps. All of his Xfinity Series starts at the 2-mile rack were from inside the top-five.
- 2020 mark's Custer's first full-time season in the Cup Series and he is contending for Rookie of the Year honors along with four other Cup Series competitors.
- The Haas Automation driver will **sign autographs at the SHR merchandise hauler** located in the fan midway Sunday beginning at 8:10 a.m. PST.
- No. 41 team crew chief Mike Shiplett has two wins at Auto Club in the Xfinity Series, earned in March 2017 and March 2019.

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