



# COLE CUSTER

## Haas Automation Team Report

Round 1 of 36 – Daytona 500 – Daytona

**Car No.:** 41 – Haas Automation Ford Mustang

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### Primary Team Members:

Driver: Cole Custer  
Hometown: Ladera Ranch, California

Car Chief: Tony Cardamone  
Hometown: Bristol, Virginia

Engine Specialist: Evan Cupples  
Hometown: Hudson, Illinois

Crew Chief: Mike Shiplett  
Hometown: Amherst, Ohio

Engine Builder: Roush-Yates Engines  
Headquarters: Mooresville, North Carolina

Spotter: Andy Houston  
Hometown: Hickory, North Carolina

### Over-The-Wall Crew Members:

Gas Man: Chad Emmons  
Hometown: Tyler, Texas

Jackman: Brett Morrell  
Hometown: Windham, Maine

Front Tire Changer: Josh Leslie  
Hometown: Mount Clemens, Michigan

Rear Tire Changer: Coleman Dollarhide  
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.

Shock Specialist: Aaron Kuehn  
Hometown: Kensington, Connecticut

Mechanic: Nick McIntosh  
Hometown: Havre, Montana

Tire Specialist: Thomas Gagliano  
Hometown: East Hampton, Connecticut

Engineers: Scott Bingham and Davin Restivo  
Hometowns: Lawrenceville, Georgia and Ashboro, N.C.

Mechanic: Joe Zanolini  
Hometown: Sybertsville, Pennsylvania

### Daytona International Speedway Notes of Interest:

- **Cole Custer will make his first career Daytona 500 start Feb. 16** to bring his total of career Cup Series starts to four.
- 2020 mark's Custer's first fulltime season in the Cup Series and he will contend for Rookie of the Year honors along with four other Cup Series competitors.
- The California native has six Daytona starts in the Xfinity Series with a best finish of 14<sup>th</sup>, along with eight laps led. Additionally, he has one start there in the NASCAR Gander RV & Outdoors Truck Series at the 2.5-mile superspeedway.
- The Haas Automation driver will **sign autographs at the SHR merchandise hauler** located in the Daytona midway Friday, Feb. 14 beginning at 3:45 p.m. EST.
- No. 41 team crew chief Mike Shiplett has called the shots atop a pit box for more than 300 combined Xfinity and Cup Series races.

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