



# **KEVIN HARVICK** Mobil 1 Racing Team Report Round 32 of 36 – Bank of America Roval 400 – Charlotte

## Car No.: 4 - Mobil 1 Racing Ford Mustang

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#### **Primary Team Members:**

Driver: Kevin Harvick Hometown: Bakersfield, California

Car Chief: Robert Smith Hometown: Whitewater, Wisconsin

Engine Specialist: Robert Brandt Hometown: Mobile, Alabama

#### **Over-The-Wall Crew Members:**

Gas Man: Evan Marchal Hometown: Westfield, Indiana

Jackman: Stan Dolittle Hometown: Ninety Six, South Carolina

Windshield: Shawn Hopkins Hometown: Chesterfield, Virginia Crew Chief: Rodney Childers Hometown: Mooresville, North Carolina

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

Spotter: Tim Fedewa Hometown: Holt, Michigan

Front Tire Changer: Shayne Pipala Hometown: Frankfort Square, Illinois

#### Rear Tire Changer: Daniel Smith Hometown: Concord, North Carolina

Tire Carrier: Mike "Shrek" Morneau Hometown: Oxford, Maine

#### **Charlotte Roval Notes of Interest:**

- **Dynamic Duo:** While this is Harvick's 20<sup>th</sup> year in the NASCAR Cup Series, it's his seventh with crew chief Rodney Childers, which is the longest pairing of any current driver-crew chief combination. Since joining forces at Stewart-Haas Racing (SHR) in 2014, Harvick and Childers have combined to produce 35 points-paying victories, a victory in the non-points 2018 NASCAR All-Star Race at Charlotte (N.C.) Motor Speedway, 25 Busch poles, 125 top-five finishes and 178 top-10s while leading 11,026 laps. They won the 2014 championship, finished runner-up in the 2015 title chase to champion Kyle Busch, finished eighth in 2016 and third in 2017, 2018 and 2019.
- Harvick has career totals of 58 wins, 31 poles, 225 top-fives, 387 top-10s and 15,452 laps led in 713 starts.
  - > His most recent Cup Series wins came Sept. 19 at Bristol (Tenn.) Motor Speedway.
  - His most recent Busch Pole came in November 2019 at Texas Motor Speedway in Fort Worth (Pole qualifying has not taken place since May 23 at Charlotte due to the abbreviated weekend schedules during the COVID-19 pandemic.)
- Harvick is ninth on the all-time NASCAR Cup Series wins list with 58 victories and is 18 wins behind the late Dale Earnhardt, who is eighth with 76 checkered flags. Harvick is second on the active driver list behind Jimmie Johnson, who has 83 victories.
- More than 15,000 Laps Led: On Aug. 23 at Dover (Del.) International Speedway, Harvick led the 15,000<sup>th</sup> lap of his NASCAR career. He is 11<sup>th</sup> all-time, has led 15,452 laps, and trails 10<sup>th</sup>-place Busch, who has led 17,845, and Johnson, who is ninth with 18,937 laps led. Harvick has led 11,026 laps as an SHR driver. He led his 10,000<sup>th</sup> lap as an SHR driver when he took the lead on lap 37 on June 7 at Atlanta Motor Speedway and his 11,000<sup>th</sup> lap on September 20 at Bristol on lap 476.
- **Roval Numerology** This is the only the third race on the Charlotte roval. In 2018, Harvick started 19<sup>th</sup> and finished ninth and last year he started sixth, led 34 laps before finishing third. In 39 combined Cup Series races on the Sonoma (Calif.) Raceway, Watkins Glen (N.Y.) International and Daytona (Fla.) International Speedway road courses, Harvick has scored two wins, nine top-five finishes, 20 top-10s and led 161 laps.
- **Points Position:** Harvick arrives at the Charlotte roval second in the NASCAR Cup Series standings with 3,121 points and is 68 markers ahead of the Round of 8 cutoff with just Sunday's race left in the Round of 12.

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# Charlotte Roval Notes of Interest (continued):

- Let's Win Two: When Harvick won the doubleheader in August at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn, he became the first driver in more than 50 years to win NASCAR Cup Series races on consecutive days. Richard Petty won the Albany-Saratoga 250 on July 14, 1971 at Albany-Saratoga Speedway in Malta, New York, and the next day won the Islip 250 at Islip (N.Y.) Speedway. Islip closed in 1984, but Albany-Saratoga is still in operation.
- Laps Completed: Harvick is 14<sup>th</sup> all-time in laps completed with 203,583 after Sunday's race at Talladega (Ala.) Superspeedway. He reached 200,000 laps completed on lap 222 of the July 19 race at Texas. Harvick is the leader among active drivers and could pass 1989 Cup Series champion Rusty Wallace, who is 13<sup>th</sup> with 204,818, before season's end.
- Second Place: By finishing second June 28 at Pocono (Pa.) Raceway, Harvick now has 56 runner-up finishes and passed Buck Baker for ninth on the all-time list. He can tie Darrell Waltrip for eighth with another runner-up finish.
- 119 and Counting Harvick scored his 100<sup>th</sup> career win in NASCAR's top three series with his March 2018 Las Vegas win. He now has 118 total victories 58 in the Cup Series, 47 in the Xfinity Series and 14 in the Truck Series. Only three other drivers in NASCAR history have passed 100 wins in NASCAR's top three series: Busch (212), Petty (200) and David Pearson (106).

### Kevin Harvick's Charlotte Roval Performance Profile:

Year	Event	Start	Finish	Status/Laps	Laps Led	Earnings
2019	Bank of America Roval 500	6	3	Running, 109/109	34	N/A
2018	Bank of America Roval 500	19	9	Running, 109/109	0	N/A

\* Race cut short due to weather. × Race length extended due to green-white-checkered finish. † Qualifying canceled due to weather, starting position set via car owner points.