



KEVIN HARVICK

Busch Light Racing Team Report Round 36 of 36 – Season Finale 500k – Phoenix

Car No.: 4 – Busch Light 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

Crew Chief: Rodney Childers
Hometown: Mooresville, North Carolina

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

Spotter: Tim Fedewa
Hometown: Holt, Michigan

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

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

Phoenix Notes of Interest:

- **Dynamic Duo:** While this is Harvick’s 20th 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, 126 top-five finishes and 179 top-10s while leading 11,111 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, 226 top-fives, 388 top-10s and 15,565 laps led in 717 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 15,000th lap of his NASCAR career.** He is 11th all-time, has led 15,565 laps, and trails 10th-place Busch, who has led 17,942, and Johnson, who is ninth with 18,937 laps led. **Harvick has led 11,111 laps as an SHR driver. He led his 10,000th lap as an SHR driver when he took the lead on lap 37 on June 7 at Atlanta Motor Speedway and his 11,000th lap on September 20 at Bristol on lap 476.**
- **Harvick in the Cup Series at Phoenix:** The Season Finale 500k will mark Harvick’s 36th career Cup Series start at Phoenix. He has nine wins, two Busch poles, 18 top-fives, 25 top-10s and has led a total of 1,662 laps in his 35 career NASCAR Cup Series starts at Phoenix. His average start is 14.4, his average finish is 9.0 and he has a lap-completion rate of 99.8 percent (10,906 of 10,927) laps available.
- **Topping the All-Time NASCAR Cup Series Win List at Phoenix:** Harvick’s series-high nine career NASCAR Cup Series wins at Phoenix tops a list that shows Jimmie Johnson next-best with four career wins, followed by Busch with three and then Davey Allison, Jeff Burton, Dale Earnhardt Jr., Jeff Gordon, Carl Edwards, Mark Martin, Matt Kenseth, Ryan Newman, Denny Hamlin and Joey Logano with two wins each.

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Phoenix Notes of Interest (continued):

- **Winner of Seven of the Last 16 at Phoenix:** Harvick has won seven of the last 15 NASCAR Cup Series races at Phoenix. He is the only driver to win four in a row. He won the November 2013 race, swept the 2014 races and won in March 2015 before ending his streak with a runner-up finish in November 2015. Johnson is the only other driver with a three-race streak at Phoenix when he won the November 2007 race and swept the 2008 races. Only five drivers have won consecutive NASCAR Cup Series races at Phoenix and Harvick is the only driver to win consecutive races twice. Harvick also swept both races in 2006.
- **Perfection at Phoenix:** Harvick has scored a perfect 150.0 driver rating at Phoenix on three occasions. His first was in November 2006, when he started second, led 252 of 312 laps and reached victory lane. His second was during his November 2014 win, when he started third and led 264 of 312 laps. His third came during his March 2015 win, when he started first and led 224 of 312 laps.
- **Xfinity, Truck Series Wins:** Harvick won the April 2006 NASCAR Xfinity Series race at Phoenix, as well as pole in November 2003. He has 17 top-five finishes in 23 career Xfinity starts. **And in the NASCAR Gander RV & Outdoors Truck Series,** Harvick has raced at Phoenix 10 times and won four races, but has not driven in a Truck Series race since his last victory in November 2009.
- **Second Place:** By finishing second Oct. 18 at Kansas Speedway, Harvick has 58 runner-up finishes and is tied with Darrell Waltrip for eighth place all time. Cale Yarborough is seventh with 59 second-place finishes.
- **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 14th all-time in laps completed with 204,792 after Sunday's race at Martinsville (Va.) Speedway. 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 13th with 204,818, at Phoenix by getting to lap 27. If he gets to lap 208, he will surpass 205,000 lap completed.
- **119 and Counting** – Harvick scored his 100th career win in NASCAR's top three series with his March 2018 Las Vegas Motor Speedway win. He 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 (213), Petty (200) and David Pearson (106).

Kevin Harvick's Phoenix Performance Profile:

Year	Event	Start	Finish	Status/Laps	Laps Led	Earnings
2020	×Fan Shield 500	2	2	Running, 316/316	67	N/A
2019	Bluegreen Vacations 500k	5	7	Running, 312/312	0	N/A
	TicketGuardian 500k	8	9	Running, 312/312	0	N/A
2018	TicketGuardian 500k	10	1	Running, 312/312	38	N/A
	Can-Am 500k	1	5	Running, 312/312	73	N/A
2017	Camping World 500k	23	6	Running, 314/314	0	N/A
	Can-Am 500k	6	5	Running, 312/312	0	N/A
2016	Good Sam 500k	18	1	Running, 313/313	139	N/A
	Can-Am 500k	6	4	Running, 324/324	0	N/A
2015	CampingWorld.com 500k	1	1	Running, 312/312	224	\$268,090
	Phoenix 500k	8	2	Running, 219/219	143	\$230,380
2014	The Profit on CNBC 500k	13	1	Running, 312/312	224	\$260,048
	Phoenix 500k	3	1	Running, 312/312	264	\$253,498
2013	×Subway Fresh Fit 500k	7	13	Running, 316/316	0	\$125,136
	Advocare 500k	9	1	Running, 312/312	70	\$258,186
2012	Subway Fresh Fit 500k	8	2	Running, 312/312	88	\$222,836
	× Advocare 500k	19	1	Running, 319/319	15	\$244,886
2011	Subway Fresh Fit 500k	17	4	Running, 312/312	1	\$163,996
	Kobalt Tools 500k	27	19	Running, 311/312	0	\$117,036
2010	×Subway Fresh Fit 600k	24	13	Running, 378/378	0	\$119,876
	Kobalt Tools 500k	29	6	Running, 312/312	0	\$140,951

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Year	Event	Start	Finish	Status/Laps	Laps Led	Earnings
2009	Subway Fresh Fit 500k	33	30	Running, 311/312	0	\$107,653
	Checker O'Reilly Auto Parts 500k	31	24	Running, 310/312	0	\$108,928
2008	Subway Fresh Fit 500k	17	19	Running, 311/312	0	\$113,336
	×Checker O'Reilly Auto Parts 500k	19	7	Running, 313/313	0	\$132,211
2007	Subway Fresh Fit 500k	8	10	Running, 312/312	54	\$126,261
	Checker Auto Parts 500k	34	6	Running, 312/312	0	\$136,386
2006	Subway Fresh 500k	15	1	Running, 312/312	10	\$228,486
	Checker Auto Parts 500k	2	1	Running, 312/312	252	\$216,825
2005	Subway Fresh 500k	10	19	Running, 311/312	0	\$109,011
	Checker Auto Parts 500k	8	23	Running, 312/312	0	\$110,286
2004	×Checker Auto Parts 500k	5	4	Running, 315/315	0	\$134,938
2003	Checker Auto Parts 500k	13	34	Running, 297/312	0	\$86,603
2002	Checker Auto Parts 500k	25	17	Running, 311/312	0	\$88,653
2001	Checker Auto Parts 500k	37	17	Running, 312/312	0	\$88,277

* 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.

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