

**NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES RACE No. 2
AUTO CLUB 500
AUTO CLUB SPEEDWAY**

Fontana, Calif. – Feb. 22, 2009
2-Mile Oval
500 M – 250 L – Purse: \$6,192,388

Fin	St	Car#	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bonus Pts	Money Won	Status
1	24	17	Matt Kenseth	Carhartt Ford	250	195	** 10	\$346,615	Running
2	6	24	Jeff Gordon	DuPont Chevrolet	250	175	* 5	240,926	Running
3	10	18	Kyle Busch	Interstate Batteries Toyota	250	165		211,648	Running
4	5	16	Greg Biffle	3M Ford	250	165	* 5	161,200	Running
5	4	2	Kurt Busch	Miller Lite Dodge	250	160	* 5	133,900	Running
6	23	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Freight Toyota	250	150		129,025	Running
7	25	99	Carl Edwards	Aflac Ford	250	151	* 5	155,181	Running
8	11	14	Tony Stewart	Old Spice/Office Depot Chevrolet	250	147	* 5	139,748	Running
9	2	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's/KOBALT Tools Chevrolet	250	143	* 5	160,526	Running
10	1	83	Brian Vickers	Red Bull Toyota	250	134		141,473	Running
11	15	42	Juan Pablo Montoya	Target Chevrolet	250	135	* 5	139,323	Running
12	22	9	Kasey Kahne	Budweiser Dodge	250	127		139,398	Running
13	38	12	David Stremme	Penske Dodge	250	129	* 5	131,690	Running
14	7	00	David Reutimann	Aaron's Dream Machine Toyota	250	121		123,223	Running
15	42	55	Michael Waltrip	NAPA Auto Parts Toyota	250	118		106,250	Running
16	3	26	Jamie McMurray	Crown Royal Ford	250	115		104,550	Running
17	13	6	David Ragan	UPS Ford	249	112		103,400	Running
18	37	28	Travis Kvapil	Farmers Insurance Ford	249	109		94,700	Running
19	21	33	Clint Bowyer	Cheerios/Hamburger Helper Chevrolet	249	106		94,000	Running
20	16	96	Bobby Labonte	ASK.com Ford	249	103		122,679	Running
21	17	43	Reed Sorenson	Charter Communications Dodge	249	100		129,951	Running
22	14	47	Marcos Ambrose	Little Debbie/Kingsford/Clorox Toyota	249	97		106,473	Running
23	26	77	Sam Hornish Jr.	Auto Club Dodge	249	94		109,960	Running
24	29	07	Casey Mears	Jack Daniel's Chevrolet	249	91		106,325	Running
25	20	19	Elliott Sadler	Best Buy Dodge	249	88		98,350	Running
26	34	20 #	Joey Logano	The Home Depot Toyota	249	85		135,001	Running
27	33	1	Martin Truex Jr.	Bass Pro Shop/Tracker Boats Chevrolet	249	82		123,540	Running
28	28	39	Ryan Newman	Haas Automation Chevrolet	248	79		115,579	Running
29	8	44	AJ Allmendinger	Charter Communications Dodge	248	76		87,250	Running
30	12	7	Robby Gordon	Jim Beam Toyota	248	73		104,760	Running
31	40	34	John Andretti	WindowWorld.com Chevrolet	248	75	* 5	92,325	Running
32	41	31	Jeff Burton	Caterpillar Chevrolet	247	67		130,931	Running
33	32	71	David Gilliland	TRG Motorsports Chevrolet	246	64		84,850	Running
34	39	41	Jeremy Mayfield	All Sport Toyota	245	61		83,700	Running
35	31	8	Aric Almirola	Guitar Hero Chevrolet	242	58		91,475	Engine
36	36	36	Scott Riggs	Red Bank Outfitters Toyota	240	55		83,325	Running
37	27	98	Paul Menard	Quaker State/Menards Ford	221	52		113,506	Running
38	19	29	Kevin Harvick	Shell/Pennzoil Chevrolet	207	49		120,203	Accident
39	35	88	Dale Earnhardt Jr.	Amp Energy/National Guard Chevrolet	205	46		100,730	Engine
40	18	5	Mark Martin	CARQUEST/Kellogg's Chevrolet	179	48	* 5	90,575	Engine
41	9	82 #	Scott Speed	Red Bull Toyota	172	40		94,498	Engine
42	30	66	Dave Blaney	Prism Motorsports Toyota	50	37		82,335	Fuel Pump
43	43	87	Joe Nemechek	NEMCO Motorsports Toyota	36	34		82,690	Fuel Pump

Raybestos Rookie of the Year Contender. ** Includes race leader/most laps led bonus. * Includes race leader bonus.

Failed to qualify: (5) #64 Todd Bodine; #37 Tony Raines; #51 David Starr; #73 Mike Garvey; #09 Sterling Marlin.

Race Comments: Before an estimated crowd of 78,000, Kenseth won the Auto Club 500, his 18th NASCAR Sprint Cup victory. Prior to the green flag the following drivers dropped to the rear for the reasons indicated: #83 Vickers, #00 Reutimann, #55 Waltrip, (engine change); #43 Sorenson (backup car); #88 Earnhardt Jr. (transmission change).

TIME OF RACE: 3 hours, 40 minutes, 51 seconds **AVERAGE SPEED:** 135.839 mph **MARGIN OF VICTORY:** 1.463 seconds

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD: Brian Vickers (183.439 mph, 39.250 secs.)

DIRECTV CREW CHIEF OF THE RACE AWARD: Greg Erwin (crew chief for Greg Biffle)

DOW AUTOMOTIVE "STRATEGIC CALL OF THE RACE" AWARD: Matt Kenseth

EA SPORTS "MOVE OF THE RACE" AWARD: Matt Kenseth

GOODYEAR GATORBACK FASTEST LAP AWARD: Jimmie Johnson (181.087 mph, Lap 2)

MOBIL 1 "COMMAND PERFORMANCE DRIVER OF THE RACE" AWARD: Kurt Busch

MOOG CHASSIS PARTS PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE AWARD: Drew Blickensderfer (crew chief for Matt Kenseth)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP LEADER BONUS: Matt Kenseth (\$20,000)++

O'REILLY "PEOPLE, SERVICE & PERFORMANCE" AWARD: Tony Stewart (301.192 seconds)

RAYBESTOS ROOKIE OF THE RACE AWARD: Joey Logano

SUNOCO DIAMOND PERFORMANCE AWARD: Matt Kenseth

TISSOT "PIT ROAD PRECISION" AWARD: Tony Stewart (260.940 secs.)

WIX FILTERS LAP LEADER AWARD: Tony Stewart (3 laps)

CAUTION FLAGS: 5 cautions for 43 laps. [Beneficiary in Brackets] 7-22 (Rain [None]); 43-46 (Rain [None]); 143-151 (Rain [55]); 171-177 (Rain [83]); 209-215 (Car #29-Accident, Turn 1 [9]).

LAP LEADERS: 19 lead changes among 11 drivers. Vickers-pole, Johnson 1-43, Andretti 44, Ku. Busch 45-46, Johnson 47-77, J. Gordon 78-85, Biffle 86, Edwards 87, J. Gordon 88-127, Biffle 128-142, J. Gordon 143, Montoya 144, Kenseth 145-170, J. Gordon 171, Stewart 172-174, Martin 175, Kenseth 176-195, J. Gordon 196-209, Stremme 210-212, Kenseth 213-250.

++Rollover money awarded at year's end, amount not included in race winnings.

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES TOP 12

	(Wins)
1 –Matt Kenseth	385 (2)
2 –Jeff Gordon	304 (0)
3 –Kurt Busch	294 (0)
4 –Tony Stewart	294 (0)
5 –Greg Biffle	268 (0)
6 –Clint Bowyer	266 (0)
7 –Michael Waltrip	264 (0)
8 –David Ragan	262 (0)
9 –Carl Edwards	260 (0)
10–Juan Pablo Montoya	256 (0)
11–Elliott Sadler	248 (0)
12–David Reutimann	248 (0)

MANUFACTURERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

	Pts	Wins
Ford	18	2
Chevrolet	12	0
Dodge	7	0
Toyota	7	0

MOOG PROBLEM SOLVER OF RACE AWARD

	Car #	Pts.
Drew Blickensderfer	(#17)	1
Pat Tryson	(# 2)	1

DOW AUTOMOTIVE STRATEGIC CALL OF

THE RACE AWARD	Car #	Pts.
Matt Kenseth	(#17)	2

MOBIL 1 COMMAND PERFORMANCE AWARD

	Car #	Pts.
Kurt Busch	(# 2)	1
Michael Waltrip	(#55)	1

WIX FILTERS LAP LEADER AWARD

	Car #	Pts.
Tony Stewart	(#14)	1
Kyle Busch	(#18)	1

DIRECTV CREW CHIEF OF THE YEAR

	Car #	Pts.
Greg Erwin	(#16)	1
Kevin Manion	(# 1)	1

O'REILLY "PEOPLE, SERVICE & PERFORMANCE" AWARD

	Car #	Pts.
Tony Stewart	(#14)	2

SUNOCO DIAMOND PERF. AWARD

	Car #	Pts.
Matt Kenseth	(#17)	2

GOODYEAR GATORBACK FASTEST LAP

AWARD	Car #	Pts.
Jimmie Johnson	(#48)	1
Mark Martin	(# 5)	1

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER AWARD

	Car #	Pts.
Roush Yates	(#17)	35
Hendrick	(#24)	18
Penske	(# 2)	18

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD

Martin Truex Jr.	1
Brian Vickers	1

TISSOT "PIT ROAD PRECISION" AWARD

	Car #	Pts.
Tony Stewart	(#14)	1
Reed Sorenson	(#43)	1

RAYBESTOS ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

Joey Logano	21
Scott Speed	21

NEXT EVENT: March 1 – Shelby 427, Las Vegas Motor Speedway, Las Vegas, N.V. (427.5 M) (285 L)

NOTE: The above figures are based on team winnings and include racing purse and cash contingency awards by participating manufacturers. (2/25/09)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES DRIVER LEADERS
RACE #2: AUTO CLUB 500

LAST RACE DATE: 2/22/09
PRINTOUT DATE: 2/23/09

POS	DRIVER NAME	POINTS	STARTS	WINS	TOP 5	TOP 10	MONEY WON
1	MATT KENSETH	385	2	2	2	2	\$1922003
2	JEFF GORDON	304	2	0	1	1	648861
3	KURT BUSCH	294	2	0	1	2	502613
4	TONY STEWART	294	2	0	0	2	571119
5	GREG BIFFLE	268	2	0	1	1	494063
6	CLINT BOWYER	266	2	0	1	1	726013
7	MICHAEL WALTRIP	264	2	0	0	1	502488
8	DAVID RAGAN	262	2	0	0	1	534563
9	CARL EDWARDS	260	2	0	0	1	528635
10	JUAN PABLO MONTOYA	256	2	0	0	0	464869
11	ELLIOTT SADLER	248	2	0	1	1	639463
12	DAVID REUTIMANN	248	2	0	0	0	467869
13	A J ALLMENDINGER	241	2	0	1	1	923813
14	REED SORENSON	238	2	0	0	1	515775
15	DENNY HAMLIN	235	2	0	0	1	464988
16	KEVIN HARVICK	219	2	0	1	1	1435927
17	MARTIN TRUEx, JR	217	2	0	0	0	474203
18	KYLE BUSCH	215	2	0	1	1	602330
19	JIMMIE JOHNSON	213	2	0	0	1	535175
20	CASEY MEARS	209	2	0	0	0	443163
21	MARCOS AMBROSE	209	2	0	0	0	401719
22	BOBBY LABONTE	205	2	0	0	0	461031
23	KASEY KAHNE	203	2	0	0	0	502244
24	DAVID STREMMER	193	2	0	0	0	469453
25	JOHN ANDRETTI	181	2	0	0	0	379993
26	BRIAN VICKERS	180	2	0	0	1	487644
27	MARK MARTIN	168	2	0	0	0	404163
28	JAMIE MCMURRAY	167	2	0	0	0	479263
29	SAM HORNISH, JR	161	2	0	0	0	399893
30	TRAVIS KVAPIL	146	2	0	0	0	358663
31	JEFF BURTON	146	2	0	0	0	469585
32	SCOTT RIGGS	143	2	0	0	0	356838
33	RYAN NEWMAN	134	2	0	0	0	410831
34	ROBBY GORDON	134	2	0	0	0	409918
35	DALE EARNHARDT, JR	133	2	0	0	0	424793
36	ARIC ALMIROLA	131	2	0	0	0	377763
37	JOEY LOGANO	119	2	0	0	0	469875
38	JEREMY MAYFIELD	104	2	0	0	0	348938
39	PAUL MENARD	101	2	0	0	0	450235
40	REGAN SMITH	100	1	0	0	0	287696
41	SCOTT SPEED	98	2	0	0	0	383261
42	BILL ELLIOTT	94	1	0	0	0	288160
43	TERRY LABONTE	91	1	0	0	0	273963
44	DAVID GILLILAND	64	1	0	0	0	84850
45	DAVE BLANEY	37	1	0	0	0	82335
46	JOE NEMECHK	34	1	0	0	0	104303
47	TODD BODINE	0	0	0	0	0	0
48	TONY RAINES	0	0	0	0	0	21413
49	BORIS SAID	0	0	0	0	0	21113
50	BRAD KESELOWSKI	0	0	0	0	0	21588
51	DAVID STARR	0	0	0	0	0	0
52	MIKE GARVEY	0	0	0	0	0	21163
53	KIRK SHELMEKDINE	0	0	0	0	0	21363
54	MIKE WALLACE	0	0	0	0	0	21563
55	STERLING MARLIN	0	0	0	0	0	0
56	DERRIKE COPE	0	0	0	0	0	21288
57	MIKE SKINNER	0	0	0	0	0	21113
58	KELLY BIRES	0	0	0	0	0	21363
59	CARL LONG	0	0	0	0	0	21463
60	GEOFF BODINE	0	0	0	0	0	21138
61	NORM BENNING	0	0	0	0	0	21238

POS	CAR #	OWNER NAME	POINTS	STARTS	WINS	TOP 5	QUALIFYING	
							TOP 10	ATTEMPTS
1	17	JOHN HENRY 17	385	2	2	2	2	2
2	24	RICK HENDRICK 24	304	2	0	1	1	2
3	2	WALTER CZARNECKI 2	294	2	0	1	2	2
4	14	MARGARET HAAS 14	294	2	0	0	2	2
5	16	JACK ROUSH 16	268	2	0	1	1	2
6	33	BOBBY GINN, III 33	266	2	0	1	1	2
7	55	MICHAEL WALTRIP 55	264	2	0	0	1	2
8	6	MIKE DEE 6	262	2	0	0	1	2
9	99	JACK ROUSH 99	260	2	0	0	1	2
10	42	TERESA EARNHARDT 42	256	2	0	0	0	2
11	19	GEORGE GILLETT, JR 19	248	2	0	1	1	2
12	00	MICHAEL WALTRIP 00	248	2	0	0	0	2
13	44	GEORGE GILLETT, JR 44	241	2	0	1	1	2
14	43	RICHARD PETTY 43	238	2	0	0	1	2
15	11	J D GIBBS 11	235	2	0	0	1	2
16	29	RICHARD CHILDRESS 29	219	2	0	1	1	2
17	1	TERESA EARNHARDT 1	217	2	0	0	0	2
18	18	JOE GIBBS 18	215	2	0	1	1	2
19	48	JEFF GORDON 48	213	2	0	0	1	2
20	07	RICHARD CHILDRESS 07	209	2	0	0	0	2
21	47	ROB KAUFFMAN 47	209	2	0	0	0	2
22	96	JEFF MOORAD 96	205	2	0	0	0	2
23	9	GEORGE GILLETT, JR 9	203	2	0	0	0	2
24	12	ROGER PENSKE 12	193	2	0	0	0	2
25	34	TERESA EARNHARDT 34	181	2	0	0	0	2
26	83	DIETRICH MATESCHITZ 83	180	2	0	0	1	2
27	5	MARY HENDRICK 5	168	2	0	0	0	2
28	26	GEOFF SMITH 26	167	2	0	0	0	2
29	77	BILL DAVIS 77	161	2	0	0	0	2
30	28	JEFF MOORAD 28	146	2	0	0	0	2
31	31	RICHARD CHILDRESS 31	146	2	0	0	0	2
32	36	TOMMY BALDWIN 36	143	2	0	0	0	2
33	39	TONY STEWART 39	134	2	0	0	0	2
34	7	ROBBY GORDON 7	134	2	0	0	0	2
35	88	RICK HENDRICK 88	133	2	0	0	0	2
36	8	CHIP GANASSI 8	131	2	0	0	0	2
37	66	PHIL PARSONS 66	128	2	0	0	0	2
38	20	JOE GIBBS 20	119	2	0	0	0	2
39	41	JEREMY MAYFIELD 41	104	2	0	0	0	2
40	98	MAX JONES 98	101	2	0	0	0	2
41	78	BARNEY VISSER 78	100	1	0	0	0	1
42	82	DIETRICH MATESCHITZ 82	98	2	0	0	0	2
43	21	GLEN WOOD 21	94	1	0	0	0	1
44	171	KEVIN BUCKLER 171	83	1	0	0	0	2
45	187	ANDREA NEMECHEK 187	65	1	0	0	0	2
46	37	BRAD JENKINS 37	44	0	0	0	0	2
47	09	JAMES FINCH 09	44	0	0	0	0	2
48	73	BARRY HAEFELE 73	35	0	0	0	0	2
49	64	LARRY GUNSELMAN 64	32	0	0	0	0	2
50	51	DAVID BEAN 51	29	0	0	0	0	2
51	08	JOHN CARTER 08	28	0	0	0	0	1
52	127	KIRK SHELMEARDINE 127	22	0	0	0	0	1
53	175	DERRIKE COPE 175	10	0	0	0	0	1
54	123	ROBERT RICHARDSON 123	7	0	0	0	0	1
55	146	DANIELLE LONG 146	1	0	0	0	0	1
56	157	NORM BENNING 157	1	0	0	0	0	1