



2026 POCONO RACEWAY
 OFFICIAL EVENT SCHEDULE
 NCS, NOAPS, AMS

REVISED as of April 16, 04:06 PM



WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
THURSDAY, JUNE 11			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
6:00 AM		TRACK OPS	CROSS-OVER GATE OPEN TRACK COLD
7:30 AM	7:30 PM	TRACK OPS	EVENT OPERATIONS SET UP
12:00 PM	5:30 PM	BROADCAST	BROADCAST SET UP TRACK COLD
1:00 PM	3:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK TEXTURE SCANNING (GOODYEAR)
2:00 PM	5:00 PM	AMS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
4:00 PM	6:00 PM	AMS	HAULERS ENTER (PARKING ONLY)
5:00 PM		NCS, NOAPS	DRIVER / CREW CHIEF MEETING (SENT ELECTRONICALLY)
6:00 PM	8:00 PM	TRACK OPS	FAN TRACK WALK (POCONO RACEWAY)
FRIDAY, JUNE 12			
START	END	SERIES	EVENT
6:00 AM	11:30 AM	TRACK OPS	CROSS-OVER GATE OPEN TRACK COLD
6:30 AM	2:00 PM	AMS	CREDENTIALING HOURS
7:30 AM	6:00 PM	AMS	GARAGE HOURS
7:35 AM		AMS	CREW CHIEF MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
8:30 AM	10:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK (NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES AUTHORIZED) TRACK COLD
9:00 AM	11:00 AM	NOAPS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
10:00 AM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (CLUB POCONO)
10:30 AM	12:30 PM	NCS	HAULERS ENTER (EQUIPMENT UNLOADING)
10:30 AM		AMS	DRIVER / SPOTTER MEETING (POCONO PENTHOUSE CLUB)
10:45 AM		AMS	ROOKIE MEETING (SERIES INSPECTION TRAILER)
11:00 AM	12:00 PM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
12:00 PM	12:45 PM	AMS	PRACTICE (TIMED - 45 MINUTES) TRACK HOT
12:00 PM	5:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
12:30 PM	1:00 PM	NOAPS	TEAM ACCESS FOR EQUIPMENT SET UP PERMITTED (GARAGE AREA)
1:00 PM	6:00 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
1:00 PM	1:20 PM	AMS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) (TIMED - 20 MINUTES) TRACK HOT
1:30 PM	2:00 PM	BROADCAST	TELEVISION EXHIBITION RUNS TRACK HOT
1:30 PM		TRACK OPS	PIT ROAD TRACK SERVICES MEETING
2:45 PM		AMS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS (STANDING AT CARS)
3:00 PM		AMS	RACE (60 LAPS, 150 MILES) TRACK HOT
5:15 PM	Approx	TRACK OPS	CROSS-OVER GATE OPEN TRACK COLD

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 NASCAR CUP SERIES (NCS), NASCAR O'REILLY AUTO PARTS SERIES (NOAPS), ARCA MENARDS SERIES (AMS)

SATURDAY, JUNE 13

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:00 AM	10:00 AM	TRACK OPS	CROSS-OVER GATE OPEN TRACK COLD
7:00 AM	4:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
7:30 AM	3:30 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
8:00 AM	9:30 AM	RACE CONTROL	DRIVER/TEAM TRACK WALK (NO MOTORIZED VEHICLES AUTHORIZED) TRACK COLD
8:30 AM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (CLUB POCONO)
9:00 AM	9:30 PM	NOAPS	GARAGE HOURS
9:30 AM	10:30 AM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
9:30 AM	10:00 AM	BROADCAST	TELEVISION EXHIBITION (CONTENT CAPTURE) TRACK COLD
9:30 AM	9:45 AM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE CALIBRATION (COMPETITION) TRACK HOT
10:30 AM	11:20 AM	NOAPS	PRACTICE TRACK HOT
11:35 AM	12:30 PM	NOAPS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) TRACK HOT
1:00 PM	2:00 PM	NCS	PRACTICE TRACK HOT
2:10 PM	3:00 PM	NCS	QUALIFYING (IMPOUND) TRACK HOT
2:30 PM		TRACK OPS	PIT ROAD TRACK SERVICES MEETING
3:20 PM		NOAPS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALLED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
3:30 PM		NOAPS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS (VICTORY LANE)
4:00 PM		NOAPS	RACE (STAGES 25/50/100 LAPS = 250 MILES) TRACK HOT
6:45 PM	Approx	TRACK OPS	CROSS-OVER GATE OPEN TRACK COLD

SUNDAY, JUNE 14

START	END	SERIES	EVENT
7:30 AM	8:30 AM	TRACK OPS	CROSS-OVER GATE OPEN TRACK COLD
8:30 AM	9:45 AM	RACE CONTROL	NASCAR VIP TRACK LAPS TRACK HOT
8:30 AM	9:45 AM	TRACK OPS	TRACK LAPS (POCONO RACEWAY) TRACK HOT
9:45 AM	10:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	PACE VEHICLE LAPS (COMPETITION OPERATIONS) TRACK HOT
10:00 AM	11:00 AM	RACE CONTROL	TRACK PREPARATION (COMPETITION OPERATIONS)
10:00 AM	2:30 PM	TRACK OPS	CROSS-OVER GATE OPEN TRACK COLD
10:15 AM	10:30 AM	RACE CONTROL	PRE-RACE STAGE PARKING & SET UP PERMITTED (FRONTSTRETCH) TRACK COLD
10:30 AM	2:45 PM	TRACK OPS	FAN TRACK ACCESS (FRONTSTRETCH) (POCONO RACEWAY) TRACK COLD
10:30 AM	3:00 PM		NASCAR CREDENTIALING HOURS
			MINOR RESTRICTIONS ENFORCED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO HOT TRACK STATUS
11:00 AM	12:00 PM	NCS	TEAM ACCESS TO HAULERS PERMITTED
11:30 AM	3:00 PM	NCS	GARAGE & PIT PASS HOLDER - GARAGE ACCESS PERMITTED
12:00 PM	9:30 PM	NCS	GARAGE HOURS
12:15 PM	12:25 PM	TRACK OPS	SPONSOR PARADE LAP (POCONO RACEWAY)
1:00 PM		TRACK OPS	TRACK SERVICES MEETING (CLUB POCONO)
1:30 PM		NCS	GRID ACCESS OPEN TO PROPERLY CREDENTIALLED GUESTS (UNTIL END OF ANTHEM) (PIT ROAD)
2:05 PM		NCS	THE DRIVERS MEETING (NASCAR O'REILLY AUTO PARTS SERIES GARAGE AREA)
2:30 PM		NCS	DRIVER INTRODUCTIONS (VICTORY LANE)
3:00 PM		NCS	RACE (STAGES 30/95/160 LAPS = 400 MILES) TRACK HOT
6:45 PM	Approx	TRACK OPS	CROSS-OVER GATE OPEN TRACK COLD

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