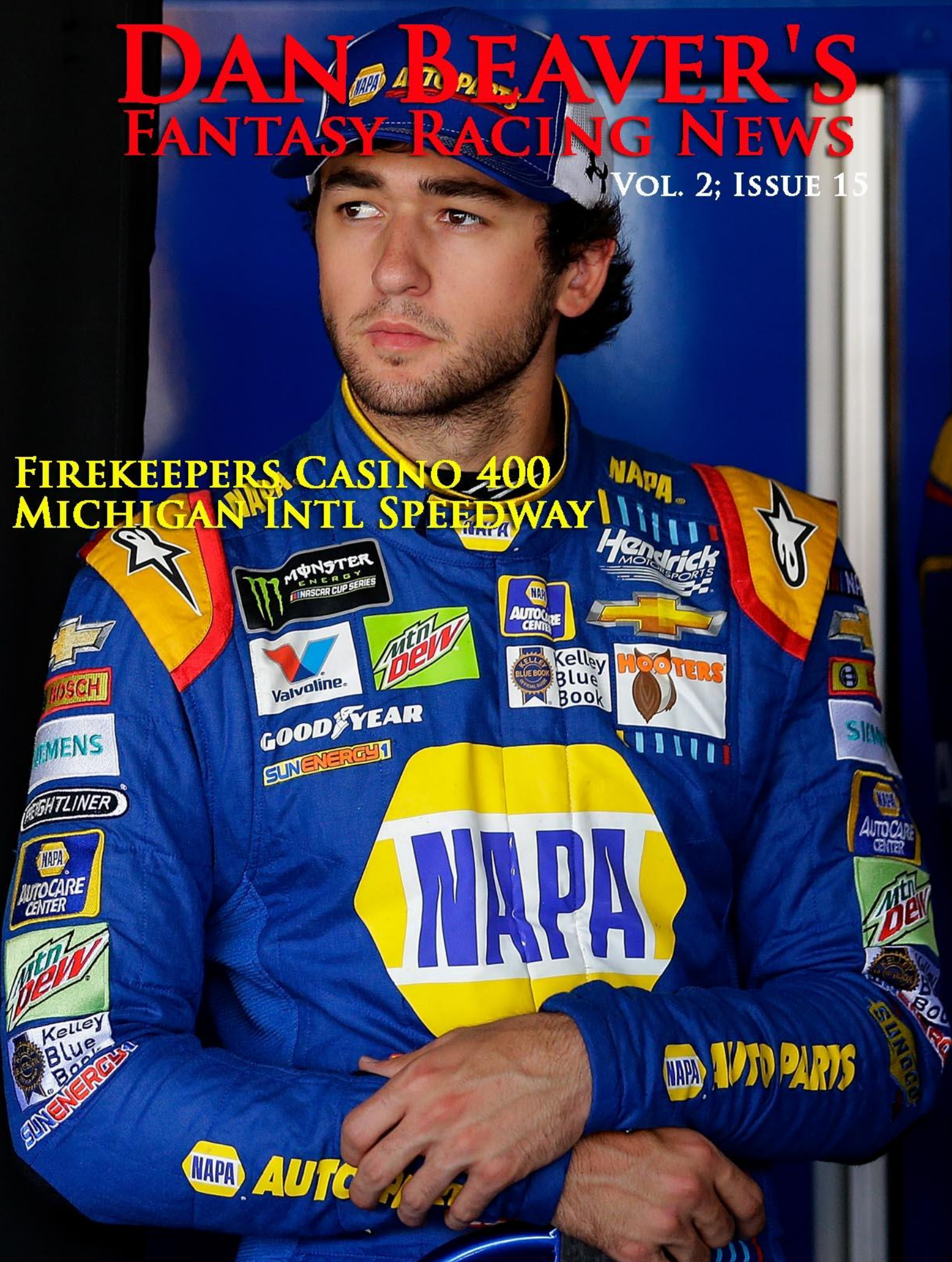


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OVERVIEW

It is certainly a matter of subjectivity, but the two-mile tracks may be among the best NASCAR offers.

The radiuses of the corners at Michigan International Speedway and Auto Club Speedway compared to the track length most often contribute to two- and three-abreast racing.

al Raceway, so that short track can also be used as a comparative.

Qualification is important—but not prohibitively so. Poor track position can be overcome if a driver has a superior car. Given the length of the race, strategy often plays an important role, but the speeds obtained on this speedway type means that pitting is going to cost a lap, so one must

ual segment bonus point is going to matter, it is a wild card that cannot be ignored.

SUCCESS PREDICTS SUCCESS

Michigan and the two-mile tracks host a lot of sweeps. Most notably, four drivers swept the top five last year at Michigan including the summer winner Kyle Larson who finished third in the spring.



Those multiple grooves mean drivers have an opportunity to move around and find the line that works best for them.

The balance of maneuverability and speed seems to be replicated on the similarly shaped, three-fourths-mile oval of Richmond International-

be careful.

These traits are going to be even more important with the addition of segments. There are now three opportunities per race to be in the top 10 when points are on the line. And since no one truly knows how big a factor each individ-

Chase Elliott finished second in both Michigan races last year, Brad Keselowski was fourth in the spring and third in the summer, while Kevin Harvick posted identical fifth-place finishes.

June's winner Joey Logano finished 10th in the summer

and was joined by Jamie McMurray as the only other driver to sweep the top 10, but there were several more who posted two top-15s.

The pattern is supported when Auto Club is factored in.

Keselowski and Logano both have current nine-race, top-10 streaks. Elliott has been perfect in that regard over four career starts. The other drivers already mentioned also have long streaks to their credit that are either perfect or have barely been interrupted.

Finally, if one looks back through the record books, this pattern repeats itself over and again—and it is not always the most powerful drivers and teams that find the secret to this track.

For a long time, Greg Biffle was great on this course type and more recently Paul Menard earned six straight top-10s.

Success predicts success, so make these drivers with their strong history anchors.

With so many rookies in the field, they cannot be ignored either. First-time drivers can do well on this course and Joe Gibbs Racing's Daniel Suarez and the Furniture Row affiliate Erik Jones might not only contend for top-10s, but poten-

Driver	Wins
Kurt Busch	3
Matt Kenseth	3
Dale Earnhardt Jr	2
Denny Hamlin	2
Joey Logano	2
Ryan Newman	2
Kyle Busch	1
Kevin Harvick	1
Jimmie Johnson	1
Kasey Kahne	1
Kyle Larson	1

tially the win.

Top-10 Drivers

1. Chase Elliott

Yahoo! Group: B
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/2
Top-fives: 2 (1.000)
Top-10s: 2 (1.000)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 2.00
Yahoo! Points: 98.00
NASCAR.com Points: 78.00
Draft Kings Points: 72.75
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 20.14

The question of who would win first between sophomores Ryan Blaney and Elliott was answered last week in favor of Blaney. He might only beat Elliott by a single weekend, however, because the two-mile tracks and Michigan in particular have been extremely kind to the driver of the No. 24 – no matter who that driver is.

Elliott's pair of runner-up finishes were already mentioned in the overview of this newsletter and he showed strength start to finish with qualification efforts that landed in the top 10 as well. Elliott has also swept the top 10 at Auto Club with a sixth last year and a

Driver	Top-5s
Matt Kenseth	14
Kevin Harvick	10
Dale Earnhardt Jr	8
Kasey Kahne	8
Denny Hamlin	6
Kurt Busch	5
Jimmie Johnson	5
Brad Keselowski	5
Ryan Newman	5
Martin Truex Jr	5
Kyle Busch	4
Joey Logano	4
Paul Menard	4
Chase Elliott	2
Kyle Larson	2
Ryan Blaney	1
Clint Bowyer	1
Austin Dillon	1
Jamie McMurray	1
David Ragan	1
Reed Sorenson	1

10th this spring. In all four of his previous two-mile races, he has earned positive place-differential points in games that offer them and that makes him a double threat.

2. Kyle Larson

Yahoo! Group: B
Wins at Track/Attempts: 1/6
Top-fives: 2 (.333)
Top-10s: 3 (.500)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 14.17
Yahoo! Points: 72.00
NASCAR.com Points: 56.00
Draft Kings Points: 39.04
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 11.43

Larson got off to a great start on two-mile tracks in his rookie season. He finished second in the 2014 Auto Club 400 and then scored an eighth in his first Michigan attempt.

After that, he hit upon hard times with a crash-induced 43rd in summer 2014 and a string of results outside the top 10.

Another accident in the 2016 Auto Club 400 seemed to reverse his fortune again, because he has swept the top-three in his last three starts.

Driver	Top-10s
Matt Kenseth	20
Kevin Harvick	15
Dale Earnhardt Jr	14
Jimmie Johnson	12
Clint Bowyer	11
Kurt Busch	11
Joey Logano	11
Denny Hamlin	10
Kasey Kahne	10
Brad Keselowski	8
Ryan Newman	8
Jamie McMurray	7
Martin Truex Jr	7
Kyle Busch	6
Paul Menard	6
Derrike Cope	3
Kyle Larson	3
Austin Dillon	2
Chase Elliott	2
David Ragan	2
Reed Sorenson	2
Trevor Bayne	1
Ryan Blaney	1

He got his first career win in in his 100th NASCAR start in the most recent Michigan race and scored his second win this March in California.

3. Kevin Harvick

Yahoo! Group: A
Wins at Track/Attempts: 1/32
Top-fives: 10 (.313)
Top-10s: 15 (.468)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 7.50
Yahoo! Points: 89.67
NASCAR.com Points: 53.88
Draft Kings Points: 53.92
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 7.57

Harvick was one of four drivers who swept the top five at Michigan last year; in fact, he swept that mark on the two-mile tracks combined. His other strong showing on this track type was a runner-up finish in California last spring—a position to which he was extremely familiar.

Beginning with a second-place finish in Michigan's spring race of 2013 he finished exactly there in seven of nine races on the two-milers.



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4. Brad Keselowski

Yahoo! Group: A
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/15
Top-fives: 5 (.333)
Top-10s: 8 (.533)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 5.50
Yahoo! Points: 89.83
NASCAR.com Points: 51.25
Draft Kings Points: 47.92
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 18.17

Keselowski shares the record for the longest active streak of top-10s on two-mile tracks with teammate Logano. Since both Penske pals are at the top of their game on this track type, that suggests the organization knows something about finding the perfect setup.

Keselowski has gotten even stronger in the past three races with a three-race, top-five streak that culminated in a second to Larson this spring at Auto Club.

In that streak of nine races, Keselowski's highs have been stellar with a win and more than half of them at the very head of the pack in the top five. He has an average finish of fifth in those events and should be able to get another this week.

5. Martin Truex Jr.

Yahoo! Group: A
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/22
Top-fives: 5 (.227)
Top-10s: 7 (.318)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 18.50
Yahoo! Points: 67.00
NASCAR.com Points: 44.50
Draft Kings Points: 29.13
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 9.43

Truex is in the top five this week because of his current 2017 momentum. Beginning with his GoBowling.com 400 victory at Kansas Speedway, he has accumulated four consecutive results of sixth or better with an average of 3.25.

The two-mile tracks have not

been his strong suit, nor has Michigan in particular. He seems to take them by waves, however, and since 2012 he has posted back-to-back top-10s twice on this course. His latest success came in 2015 when he finished third in both races. Given his strength in recent weeks, it is a fair bet he will challenge for a top-five.

6. Jamie McMurray

Yahoo! Group: B
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/28
Top-fives: 1 (.036)
Top-10s: 7 (.250)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 11.00
Yahoo! Points: 71.67
NASCAR.com Points: 38.88
Draft Kings Points: 36.83
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 12.00

McMurray's brakes failed last week at Pocono and sent him hard into the wall. That snapped a seven-race streak of top-12 finishes. Another incident at Martinsville Speedway has kept him from being perfect since leaving Daytona, but the vast majority of his efforts this season have been consistent top-15s.

The same pattern can be found on two-mile tracks. McMurray finished sixth this spring in the Auto Club 400. That was his fifth top-10 in the last six races on this track type with one other 16th-place result as the dissenting effort. He also swept the top 15 in 2014 and that means he has finished 16th or better in nine of his last 10 races on this course type.

7. Joey Logano

Yahoo! Group: A
Wins at Track/Attempts: 2/16
Top-fives: 4 (.250) / Top-10s: 11 (.688)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 5.83
Yahoo! Points: 96.00
NASCAR.com Points: 66.38
Draft Kings Points: 59.25
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 20.57

The encumbered Richmond win is looming ever larger. Since incurring that penalty, he has not finished in the front half of the pack a single time in five starts.

He has an average result of 27.6 and a best of 21st. If he cannot turn his performance around and if NASCAR continues to welcome new, unique winners to Victory Lane, he could legitimately be in danger of failing to qualify for the playoffs.

By his two-mile track numbers, he should easily be one

Michigan is often kind to rookies. Elliott's second-place finish in this race last year is supported by another runner-up in Kasey Kahne's inaugural run and a like finish by Jeff Gordon when he was just getting started. Several other active drivers have top-10s in their first attempt.

Like Pocono, this is a type of track that should suit Suarez's driving style. He can be patient when needed, but will find enough room to make aggressive moves when that is called for. Last week he didn't perform quite as well as we

Winning at Pocono was likely just what Blaney needed to open the floodgates. This driver and team have been on the verge of being one of the top contenders. They started with four top-12 finishes in the first seven races, but interspersed among those were three results outside the top 15. As the bad finishes started outweighing the good ones, Blaney got frustrated and slowly slipped down the points' standings. Meanwhile, winners started stacking up and his chances of getting into the playoffs diminished.

Those considerations are gone now and Blaney can concentrate on running well. He has not yet scored back-to-back top-10s in 2017, but we are willing to bet that changes after the FireKeepers Casino 400.

10. Erik Jones

Yahoo! Group: C
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/0
Top-fives: 0 (.000)
Top-10s: 0 (.000)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: NA
Yahoo! Points: NA
NASCAR.com Points: NA
Draft Kings Points: NA
Avg. Last 6 races ^

Cup results: 19.67

Jones was hoping Blaney and Harvick would get side-by-side in the final laps at Pocono. That would have created a huge bubble of air and allowed him to make a move for the lead.

The scenario did not play out that way, but the simple fact that Jones was focused on how to make this a winning opportunity shows fantasy owners how good he is. He earned a career-best finish of third in the Axalta Presents the Po-

of the drivers favored to finish in the top 10. After all, he has done so in his last nine consecutive races to the tune of a 5.7 average finish. Logano won last spring's FireKeepers Casino 400 and finished fifth in this year's Auto Club 400.

8. Daniel Suarez

Yahoo! Group: C
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/0
Top-fives: 0 (.000) / Top-10s: 0 (.000)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: NA
Yahoo! Points: NA
NASCAR.com Points: NA
Draft Kings Points: NA
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 11.67

thought he would, but a 15th-place finish was his fourth consecutive top-15 and easily makes him one of the top drivers in Yahoo!'s Group C or at his salary cap level in other games.

9. Ryan Blaney

Yahoo! Group: B
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/5
Top-fives: 1 (.200)
Top-10s: 1 (.200)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 17.25
Yahoo! Points: 57.50
NASCAR.com Points: 17.88
Draft Kings Points: 19.38
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 24.14



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DAILY FANTASY MOCK DRAFT

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Splurge

Brad Keselowski

Fantasy Power Average: 7.65

Keselowski has finished in the top-10 in his last six attempts at his home track of Michigan. His top-15 streak goes back further to 2011 as sets at 11 races. He bounced back from bad finishes at Charlotte and Dover with a top-five last week at Pocono, raising his total to eight top-five's in the first 14 races of the season.

Keselowski's last three qualifying efforts placed him in the mid-teens, all three ended with top ten finishes with an average place differential of +10.33. Keselowski has led laps in six of the last seven Michigan races, but has not yet won at his home track.

Chase Elliott

Fantasy Power Average: 3.00

Elliott has back-to-back second-place finishes in his first two starts at Michigan.

In those efforts he advanced from his qualification spot in both for an average of 5.5 spots. Last year he led 66 laps at the track. Elliott has two other top-10s at Auto Club, the other two-mile track on the circuit.

He has finished in the top 10 in eight of his 14 attempts this season, Elliott has yet to pull a first or second place finish, with Ryan Blaney becoming the third driver to record their first career win during the season all eyes will be on Elliott to see if he can follow suit.

Kevin Harvick

Fantasy Power Average: 8.85

Harvick has finished in the top five in seven out of eight of his most recent starts at the track. Harvick has a power average of 8.32 at two-mile tracks that's the highest power average at for a veteran driver, only falling behind Chase Elliott and Erik Jones who are helped with the limited starts at the tracks.

Harvick has one win at Michigan back in 2014 and has led in four of his last six

cono 400 and should be able to score another top-10 this week.

SLEEPERS

14. Trevor Bayne

Yahoo! Group: B
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/12
Top-fives: 0 (.000) / Top-10s: 1 (.083)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 21.67
Yahoo! Points: 56.40
NASCAR.com Points: 28.13
Draft Kings Points: 22.92
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 18.43

In its heyday, Roush-Fenway

Racing dominated the two-mile tracks with nearly every driver that climbed behind its wheel. As they faded, the results on these tracks became unreliable and then consistently poor—but the germ of power is still there. The knack for finding the right setup remains and, once implemented, the results are going to return.

Bayne's recent record on two-mile tracks is not good enough to make him a favorite. He has only one top-15 and an average of 20.5 in his last four

starts on this course type. But he is capable of scoring a top-10 and if the No. 6 is strong in practice and qualification, he could get the nod for the final slot on one's roster.

19. Ryan Newman

Yahoo! Group: B
Wins at Track/Attempts: 2/31
Top-fives: 5 (.161)
Top-10s: 8 (.258)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 13.33
Yahoo! Points: 70.33
NASCAR.com Points: 30.13
Draft Kings Points: 34.21
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 16.14

Since 2012, Newman has nev-

starts at the track. His place differential over the last three races at Michigan is +9.33.

Harvick is also coming off of his best finish of the season with a second-place finish at Pocono. He's still looking for his first win, which is becoming more important as drivers behind him in points win and virtually secure their spot in the chase. Drivers like Harvick, Logano, and Busch will all be bringing their A-game to try to secure their spot.

Steals

Ryan Blaney

Fantasy Power Average: 14.42

Blaney gained his fifth top-10 of the season when he battled hard for the win last week at Pocono. This win came after two bad finishes and stopped a potential slump, instead we're now hopefully looking at a driver hungry for another great finish.

Blaney finished fourth at Michigan last fall, this has been his best finish in his

current four starts at the track as they've improved in each try from 24th in his first appearance.

Paul Menard

Fantasy Power Average: 12.71

Menard may only have two top tens this season, but it keeps him cheap and he has a average within the top-15 at Michigan.

Menard has advanced from his starting position in the last seven runnings of the race, for during those races an average of place differential of +8.14. Which is insanity good over that many races.

Matt Kenseth

Fantasy Power Average: 11.57

Kenseth had been one of the most reliable racers of the season. He's in the middle of a four race, top-15 finish streak at Michigan which includes his fall 2015 win. He's led in three of the last four races with an overwhelming majority during the race of his win.

er finished worse than 20th in 16 races on two-mile tracks. Nearly one-third of these effort netted top-10s and all but four were top-15s.

The odds are great that he is going to finish somewhere between 11th and 17th this week and knowing that allows fantasy players to plan accordingly. The likelihood of a top-10 is low, however, because he has not finished that well at Michigan or Auto Club since summer 2015.

20. Paul Menard

Yahoo! Group: B
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/21
Top-fives: 4 (.190)
Top-10s: 6 (.286)

Last 3 Years
Current Track: 10.67
Yahoo! Points: 72.33
NASCAR.com Points: 38.00
Draft Kings Points: 40.71
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 21.57

For a long time, the two-mile tracks were extremely kind to Menard. Starting with a ninth-place finish in the 2012 Pure Michigan 400 and culminating in a 12th in that same event in summer 2015, he scored eight top-10s and had a perfect record of top-15s in 10 races. He started to slip last year with a 15th at Auto Club and then a pair of 18ths at Michigan. He finished 28th this spring in California, but

there is still the potential that this team could reverse their fortune and get back in the top 10.

23. Dale Earnhardt Jr.

Yahoo! Group: A
Wins at Track/Attempts: 2/34
Top-fives: 8 (.235)
Top-10s: 14 (.412)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 12.60
Yahoo! Points: 73.40
NASCAR.com Points: 27.17
Draft Kings Points: 37.01
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 24.14

Last week at Pocono, Earnhardt seemed a little frightened by the fact that he missed two shifts and broke his motor twice during the

Top-fives and Top-10s					
By Car Owner, Last Three Years					
Owner	Attempts	Top-5s		Top-10s	
Roger Penske	13	6	46%	12	92%
Barney Visser	6	2	33%	2	33%
Rick Hendrick	24	7	29%	12	50%
Tony Stewart	24	6	25%	8	33%
Chip Ganassi	12	2	17%	6	50%
Wood Bros	6	1	17%	1	17%
Richard Childress	19	3	16%	6	32%
Joe Gibbs	22	3	14%	8	36%
Michael Waltrip	9			3	33%
Jack Roush	18			2	11%
BK Racing	16				
Front Row Motorsports	14				
Petty Enterprises	12				
Harry Scott	10				
Tommy Baldwin	9				
Jay Robinson	7				
Frank Stoddard	6				
Germain Bros	6				
Tad Geschickter	6				
Michael Hillman	4				
Mike Curb	4				
Joe Falk	3				
Bob Leavine	2				
Curtis Key	2				
Johnathan Cohen	1				

weekend. He did not come out and say it, but he was probably questioning whether the loss of muscle memory had something to do with his concussions. Fantasy players have to be a little concerned as well.

Earnhardt achieves the status of sleeper because this has been a good track to him in the past. He has won on speed and strategy both and could very well find the right balance this week to shock the field and challenge for a third win.

BUSTS

16. Kyle Busch

Yahoo! Group: A
Wins at Track/Attempts: 1/25
Top-fives: 4 (.160)
Top-10s: 6 (.240)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 32.17
Yahoo! Points: 33.20
NASCAR.com Points: -0.50
Draft Kings Points: -5.25
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 12.29

Busch won the 2011 Pure Michigan 400 in a season when he swept the top five on this track.

He has added only one more top-10 to his tally in the 10 races that followed and has two other top-15s. That is not a good record for a driver of his caliber and it means that he needs to be rested for the week.

Most of his poor Michigan results have been due to bad luck and on-track incidents, but that is part of this sport and five sub-30th-place results in the past seven races gives him an average finish of 32nd.

21. Jimmie Johnson

Yahoo! Group: A
Wins at Track/Attempts: 1/30
Top-fives: 5 (.167) / Top-10s: 12 (.400)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 15.00
Yahoo! Points: 69.50
NASCAR.com Points: 20.75
Draft Kings Points: 38.13
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 14.00

Johnson took a hard hit last week at Pocono after a catastrophic brake failure. That was the third time in the past four races that he failed to crack the top 15.

Michigan has been kind to him in stages, but he has not shown consistency there. After several close calls while he watched his teammates win, Johnson finally found Victory Lane in 2014. That is his only top-five on this track since spring 2012 and one of only three top-10s. Neither his three-year average of 14th or four-year average of 20th recommends him at his salary cap level or in Yahoo!'s Group A.

28. Clint Bowyer

Yahoo! Group: B
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/22
Top-fives: 1 (.045)
Top-10s: 11 (.500)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 21.67
Yahoo! Points: 50.33
NASCAR.com Points: 12.00
Draft Kings Points: 24.54
Avg. Last 6 races ^
Cup results: 14.57

Bowyer entered the summer Pure Michigan 400 with a nine-race streak of top-10s. He sustained crash damage in that race and finished 41st. Last summer, he had a vibration that sent him four laps off the pace to 40th and his best Michigan effort in 2016 was 23rd. Things are different in 2017, but Bowyer has not been entirely bullet proof. He has fallen out of the top 15 in his last two starts and that should raise some concern for fantasy owners.

29. AJ Allmendinger

Yahoo! Group: B
Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/18
Top-fives: 0 (.000)
Top-10s: 0 (.000)
Last 3 Years
Current Track: 23.17
Yahoo! Points: 45.67
NASCAR.com Points: 16.38

Draft Kings Points: 22.83
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 26.57

Increasing to a two-car team has certainly helped Chris Buescher, but it has done little for Allmendinger. This organization shows promise, but the No. 47 has not scored a top-15 since Martinsville nine weeks ago.

With Sonoma Raceway and Watkins Glen International still on the schedule, there are opportunities to start 'Dinger, but one should wait until he gains momentum before activating him on an oval.

Other Drivers

11. Denny Hamlin

Yahoo! Group: A
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 2/22
 Top-fives: 6 (.273)
 Top-10s: 10 (.455)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 15.67
 Yahoo! Points: 62.17
 NASCAR.com Points: 20.38
 Draft Kings Points: 25.67
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 10.29

12. Matt Kenseth

Yahoo! Group: A
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 3/35
 Top-fives: 14 (.400)
 Top-10s: 20 (.571)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 14.00
 Yahoo! Points: 74.00
 NASCAR.com Points: 69.50
 Draft Kings Points: 44.71
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 12.86

13. Kurt Busch

Yahoo! Group: B
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 3/32
 Top-fives: 5 (.156)
 Top-10s: 11 (.344)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 14.50
 Yahoo! Points: 59.71
 NASCAR.com Points: 42.38
 Draft Kings Points: 34.21
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 15.00

3 Year Avg. Finish on Two-mile Tracks			
Rank	Driver	Avg.	Attempts
1	Brad Keselowski	5.00	9
2	Chase Elliott	5.00	4
3	Joey Logano	5.67	9
4	Kevin Harvick	6.89	9
5	Jamie McMurray	11.44	9
6	Dale Earnhardt Jr	12.00	8
7	Paul Menard	12.33	9
8	Ryan Newman	12.67	9
9	Jimmie Johnson	13.44	9
10	Denny Hamlin	15.44	9
11	Kasey Kahne	15.89	9
12	Kurt Busch	16.00	9
13	Austin Dillon	16.78	9
14	Kyle Larson	16.78	9
15	Martin Truex Jr	17.22	9
16	Ty Dillon	18.67	3
17	Ryan Blaney	18.83	7
18	Matt Kenseth	18.89	9
19	Clint Bowyer	20.11	9
20	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	21.22	9
21	AJ Allmendinger	22.00	9
22	Trevor Bayne	22.44	9
23	Danica Patrick	22.56	9
24	David Ragan	26.33	9
25	Chris Buescher	26.60	5
26	Kyle Busch	28.25	8
27	Cole Whitt	28.33	9
28	Landon Cassill	29.22	9
29	Michael McDowell	31.67	3
30	Matt DiBenedetto	33.29	7
31	Reed Sorenson	35.57	7
32	Jeffrey Earnhardt	36.75	4
33	Timmy Hill	39.00	2

15. Austin Dillon

Yahoo! Group: B
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/9
 Top-fives: 1 (.111)
 Top-10s: 2 (.222)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 16.67
 Yahoo! Points: 63.83
 NASCAR.com Points: 32.50
 Draft Kings Points: 24.17
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 15.86

17. Ricky Stenhouse Jr.

Yahoo! Group: B
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/8
 Top-fives: 0 (.000)
 Top-10s: 0 (.000)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 24.83
 Yahoo! Points: 42.33
 NASCAR.com Points: 14.38
 Draft Kings Points: 18.00
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 12.86

18. Ty Dillon

Yahoo! Group: C
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/2
 Top-fives: 0 (.000)

Top-10s: 0 (.000)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 19.00
 Yahoo! Points: 54.00
 NASCAR.com Points: 27.00
 Draft Kings Points: 28.50
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 19.43

22. Kasey Kahne

Yahoo! Group: B
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 1/26
 Top-fives: 8 (.308)
 Top-10s: 10 (.385)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 13.00
 Yahoo! Points: 72.67
 NASCAR.com Points: 26.75
 Draft Kings Points: 31.92
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 21.29

24. Chris Buescher

Yahoo! Group: B
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/2
 Top-fives: 0 (.000)
 Top-10s: 0 (.000)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 27.50
 Yahoo! Points: 37.00
 NASCAR.com Points: 7.75
 Draft Kings Points: 10.75
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 21.57

25. Danica Patrick

Yahoo! Group: B
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/8
 Top-fives: 0 (.000)

Top-10s: 0 (.000)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 20.00
 Yahoo! Points: 53.67
 NASCAR.com Points: 22.75
 Draft Kings Points: 25.92
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 25.57

26. Michael McDowell

Yahoo! Group: C
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/6
 Top-fives: 0 (.000)
 Top-10s: 0 (.000)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 31.00
 Yahoo! Points: NA
 NASCAR.com Points: 14.00
 Draft Kings Points: 17.00
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 23.43

27. Darrell Wallace Jr.

Yahoo! Group: C
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/0
 Top-fives: 0 (.000)
 Top-10s: 0 (.000)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: NA
 Yahoo! Points: NA
 NASCAR.com Points: NA



Top-fives: 0 (.000)
 Top-10s: 0 (.000)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: NA
 Yahoo! Points: NA
 NASCAR.com Points: NA
 Draft Kings Points: NA
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 29.20

35. Gray Gaulding

Yahoo! Group: C
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/0
 Top-fives: 0 (.000)
 Top-10s: 0 (.000)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: NA
 Yahoo! Points: NA
 NASCAR.com Points: NA
 Draft Kings Points: NA
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 27.50

36. Jeffrey Earnhardt

Yahoo! Group: C
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/2
 Top-fives: 0 (.000)
 Top-10s: 0 (.000)
 Last 3 Years
 Current Track: 37.00
 Yahoo! Points: 18.00
 NASCAR.com Points: 6.00
 Draft Kings Points: 9.00
 Avg. Last 6 races ^
 Cup results: 32.00

37. Matt DiBenedetto

Yahoo! Group: C
 Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/4

Top-fives: 0 (.000)

Top-10s: 0 (.000)

Last 3 Years

Current Track: 33.75

Yahoo! Points: 24.50

NASCAR.com Points: 10.00

Draft Kings Points: 11.50

Avg. Last 6 races ^

Cup results: 27.86

^ The last six races average is from the last six races of this season; the driver may not have run in all of those events.

This statistic and the average finish for the last three years include failures to qualify (DNQ) as if they were actually finishes; i.e. the first non-qualifier is credited with a 44th-place finish. This is true for the statistics at all levels of the game, but is more like to skew the numbers in Group

Draft Kings Points: NA

Avg. Last 6 races ^

Cup results: 26.00

30. Cole Whitt

Yahoo! Group: C

Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/6

Top-fives: 0 (.000)

Top-10s: 0 (.000)

Last 3 Years

Current Track: 28.83

Yahoo! Points: 34.33

NASCAR.com Points: 19.50

Draft Kings Points: 24.00

Avg. Last 6 races ^

Cup results: 25.14

31. Landon Cassill

Yahoo! Group: C

Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/13

Top-fives: 0 (.000)

Top-10s: 0 (.000)

Last 3 Years

Current Track: 32.50

Yahoo! Points: 27.33

NASCAR.com Points: 7.38

Draft Kings Points: 12.92

Avg. Last 6 races ^

Cup results: 27.71

32. Reed Sorenson

Yahoo! Group: C

Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/15

Top-fives: 1 (.067)

Top-10s: 2 (.133)

Last 3 Years

Current Track: 34.00

Yahoo! Points: 29.00

NASCAR.com Points: 13.50

Draft Kings Points: 20.75

Avg. Last 6 races ^

Cup results: 31.17

33. David Ragan

Yahoo! Group: C

Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/20

Top-fives: 1 (.050)

Top-10s: 2 (.100)

Last 3 Years

Current Track: 27.67

Yahoo! Points: 36.67

NASCAR.com Points: 15.00

Draft Kings Points: 16.17

Avg. Last 6 races ^

Cup results: 21.00

34. Corey LaJoie

Yahoo! Group: C

Wins at Track/Attempts: 0/0

C where DNQs are a more frequent way of life.

Number of Top-10s Backed up With Another

This is the number of times in 2017 that a driver backed up one top-10 with another finish of 10th or better, (total number of top-10s for the season in parenthesis):

Brad Keselowski: 7 (10)
 Martin Truex Jr.: 6 (10)
 Joey Logano: 6 (8)
 Kyle Larson: 5 (9)
 Kevin Harvick: 5 (9)
 Chase Elliott: 5 (8)
 Kyle Busch: 4 (7)
 Jamie McMurray: 3 (8)
 Denny Hamlin: 3 (6)
 Kurt Busch: 2 (7)
 R Stenhouse Jr.: 2 (5)
 Matt Kenseth: 1 (6)
 Jimmie Johnson: 1 (5)
 Ryan Newman: 1 (5)
 Clint Bowyer: 1 (5)
 Daniel Suarez: 1 (4)
 Kasey Kahne: 1 (3)
 Aric Almirola: 1 (3)
 Ryan Blaney: 0 (5)
 Erik Jones: 0 (3)
 Austin Dillon: 0 (2)
 AJ Allmendinger: 0 (2)
 Paul Menard: 0 (2)
 D Earnhardt Jr.: 0 (2)
 Trevor Bayne: 0 (2)
 Michael Waltrip: 0 (1)
 Matt DiBenedetto: 0 (1)
 David Ragan: 0 (1)
 Danica Patrick: 0 (1)
 Chris Buescher: 0 (0)
 Ty Dillon: 0 (0)
 Michael McDowell: 0 (0)
 Landon Cassill: 0 (0)
 Cole Whitt: 0 (0)
 Jeffrey Earnhardt: 0 (0)
 Gray Gaulding: 0 (0)
 Corey LaJoie: 0 (0)
 Reed Sorenson: 0 (0)
 Timmy Hill: 0 (0)
 Derrike Cope: 0 (0)
 Cody Ware: 0 (0)

Track Sweeps (Drivers Sweeping Top-5, -10, and -15s in a season)			
Track	top-5s	10s	15s
2016 Michigan	4	7	10
2016 Texas	3	7	11
2016 Road Courses	3	5	9
2016 Phoenix	2	6	7
2016 Kansas	2	5	10
2016 Richmond	1	7	10
2016 Dover	2	5	8
2016 Martinsville	2	4	9
2016 New Hampshire	2	3	8
2016 Charlotte	1	5	7
2016 Pocono	1	4	9
2016 Daytona	1	4	6
2016 Bristol	0	3	6
2016 Talladega	0	2	6

Previous Seasons

2015 Road Courses	4	7	11
2015 Texas	3	8	9
2012 New Hampshire	3	7	13
2015 Daytona	4	5	7
2014 Dover	3	6	11
2013 Martinsville	3	6	10
2014 Michigan	2	8	10
2011 Pocono	3	6	9
2012 Charlotte	3	5	10
2011 Texas	3	5	10
2013 Pocono	2	7	10
2014 Phoenix	3	5	9
2010 Pocono	3	5	8
2010 Phoenix	2	6	11
2012 Phoenix	2	6	9
2011 Richmond	2	6	9
2013 Dover	2	6	8
2012 Talladega	2	6	7
2011 Kansas	2	5	11
2011 Dover	1	7	11
2015 Dover	2	5	10
2015 Michigan	2	5	9
2012 Texas	2	5	9
2015 Kansas	2	5	8
2014 Charlotte	2	5	8
2013 Road Courses	2	5	8
2010 Richmond	1	6	13
2011 Road Courses	1	6	12
2013 New Hampshire	1	6	11
2012 Kansas	2	4	10
2013 Michigan	1	6	10
2014 Richmond	2	4	9
2014 Martinsville	2	4	9
2012 Michigan	2	4	9
2015 Charlotte	1	6	9
2012 Road Courses	2	4	7
2012 Daytona	2	4	7
2011 Michigan	1	6	7
2010 Michigan	1	4	10

Brendan Gaughan: 0 (0)
 Elliott Sadler: 0 (0)
 Joey Gase: 0 (0)
 DJ Kennington: 0 (0)

Ross Chastain: 0 (0)
 Ryan Sieg: 0 (0)
 Darrell Wallace Jr.: 0 (0)
 JJ Yeley: 0 (0)

Laps in Top-10 at Michigan (L 3Yrs)				
Rank	Driver	Laps	%	Possible Laps
1	Chase Elliott	363	90.8%	400
2	Kevin Harvick	912	80.1%	1,138
3	Joey Logano	911	80.1%	1,138
4	Brad Keselowski	874	76.8%	1,138
5	Dale Earnhardt Jr	516	55.0%	938
6	Kyle Larson	571	50.2%	1,138
7	Denny Hamlin	512	45.0%	1,138
8	Jimmie Johnson	502	44.1%	1,138
9	Matt Kenseth	499	43.8%	1,138
10	Kurt Busch	489	43.0%	1,138
11	Paul Menard	488	42.9%	1,138
12	Martin Truex Jr	483	42.4%	1,138
13	Ryan Blaney	301	40.8%	738
14	Kasey Kahne	404	35.5%	1,138
15	Ryan Newman	386	33.9%	1,138
16	Austin Dillon	379	33.3%	1,138
17	Jamie McMurray	345	30.3%	1,138
18	Ty Dillon	73	21.6%	338
19	Kyle Busch	243	21.4%	1,138
20	Clint Bowyer	236	20.7%	1,138
21	AJ Allmendinger	58	5.1%	1,138
22	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	38	3.3%	1,138
23	Danica Patrick	29	2.5%	1,138
24	David Ragan	24	2.1%	1,138
25	Trevor Bayne	20	1.8%	1,138
26	Landon Cassill	14	1.2%	1,138
27	Chris Buescher	4	1.0%	400
28	Cole Whitt	9	0.8%	1,138
29	Michael McDowell	1	0.5%	200
30	Reed Sorenson	-	0.0%	800
31	Matt DiBenedetto	-	0.0%	738
32	Jeffrey Earnhardt	-	0.0%	400
33	Timmy Hill	-	0.0%	200

DRIVER PERFORMANCE

Here are the top performances by driver so far this season. The full list can be found each week by clicking on the "Driver Performance" link in the "Research" section of your team roster:

Yahoo! Group A:

(5) Martin Truex Jr.: Las Vegas (week 3), Auto Club (week 5), Kansas 1 (week 11), Charlotte 1 (week 12), Dover 1 (week 13)

(4) Kyle Busch: Phoenix (week 4), Martinsville 1 (week 6), Talladega 1 (week 10), Pocono 1 (week 14)

(2) Kevin Harvick: Atlanta

(week 2), Texas 1 (week 7)

(2) Joey Logano: Daytona 1 (week 1), Richmond 1 (week 9)

(1) Jimmie Johnson: Bristol 1 (week 8)

Yahoo! Group B:

Top two each week.

(7) Kyle Larson: Atlanta (week 2), Las Vegas (week 3), Phoenix (week 4), Auto Club (week 5), Texas 1 (week 7), Bristol 1 (week 8), Dover 1 (week 13), Pocono 1 (week 14)

(4) Ryan Blaney: Daytona 1 (week 1), Texas 1 (week 7), Kansas 1 (week 11), Pocono 1 (week 14)

(3) Clint Bowyer: Auto Club (week 5), Bristol 1 (week 8),

Kansas 1 (week 11)

(3) Ryan Newman: Phoenix (week 4), Richmond 1 (week 9), Dover 1 (week 13)

(2) Chase Elliott: Las Vegas (week 3), Martinsville 1 (week 6)

(2) Ricky Stenhouse Jr.: Richmond 1 (week 9), Talladega (week 10)

(2) Kurt Busch: Daytona 1 (week 1), Charlotte 1 (week 12)

(2) Austin Dillon: Martinsville 1 (week 6), Charlotte 1 (week 12)

(1) Kasey Kahne: Atlanta (week 2)

(1) Jamie McMurray: Talladega (week 10)

Yahoo! Group C:

(5) Daniel Suarez: Phoenix (week 4), Auto Club (week 5), Richmond 1 (week 9), Kansas 1 (week 11), Dover 1 (week 13)

(4) Erik Jones: Atlanta (week 2), Martinsville 1 (week 6), Charlotte (week 12), Pocono 1 (week 14)

(3) Ty Dillon: Texas 1 (week 7), Bristol 1 (week 8), Talladega (week 10)

(1) Michael Waltrip: Daytona 1 (week 1)

(1) Michael McDowell: Las Vegas (week 3)

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Top five game finishes

(8) Kyle Larson: Atlanta (week 2), Las Vegas (week 3), Phoenix 1 (week 4), Auto Club (week 5), Texas 1 (week 7),



Track Type: Superspeedway
Track Size: 2 Miles
Banking/Corners: 18 degrees
Banking/Frontstretch: 12 degrees
Banking/Backstretch 3: 5 degrees
Race Length: 200 Laps/400 Miles
Stages 1 & 2: 60 Laps (each)
Stage 3: 80 laps

3 Things to Know

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**Best 3-Year Average Finish
(Chase Elliott)**

35

**Most Wins by a
Manufacturer (Ford)**

5

**Average Number of
Cautions**

- Carol D'Agostino, Skirtsandscuffs.com

Bristol 1 (week 8), Dover 1 (week 13), Pocono 1 (week 14)

(7) Martin Truex Jr.: Las Vegas (week 3), Auto Club (week 5), Texas 1 (week 7 – tied for fifth with Earnhardt), Bristol 1 (week 8), Kansas 1 (week 11), Charlotte 1 (week 12), Dover 1 (week 13)

(7) Kevin Harvick: Atlanta (week 2), Texas 1 (week 7), Bristol 1 (week 8), Richmond 1 (week 9), Kansas 1 (week 11), Dover 1 (week 13), Pocono 1 (week 14)

(7) Chase Elliott: Atlanta (week 2), Las Vegas (week 3), Phoenix 1 (week 4), Auto Club (week 5), Martinsville 1 (week 6), Dover 1 (week 13), Pocono 1 (week 14)

(6) Brad Keselowski: Atlan-

ta (week 2), Las Vegas (week 3), Phoenix 1 (week 4), Martinsville 1 (week 6), Richmond 1 (week 9), Kansas 1 (week 11)

(6) Jimmie Johnson: Las Vegas (week 3), Texas 1 (week 7), Bristol 1 (week 8), Talladega (week 10), Charlotte (week 12), Charlotte 1 (week 12), Dover 1 (week 13)

(6) Kyle Busch: Phoenix 1 (week 4), Martinsville 1 (week 6), Talladega (week 10), Kansas 1 (week 11), Charlotte 1 (week 12), Pocono 1 (week 14)

(5) Joey Logano: Daytona 1 (week 1), Auto Club (week 5), Martinsville 1 (week 6), Bristol 1 (week 8), Richmond 1 (week 9)

(3) Ryan Blaney: Daytona 1 (week 1), Texas 1 (week 7),

Kansas 1 (week 11)

(2) AJ Allmendinger: Daytona 1 (week 1), Martinsville 1 (week 6)

(2) Denny Hamlin: Richmond 1 (week 9), Talladega (week 10)

(1) Paul Menard: Daytona 1 (week 1)

(1) Kurt Busch: Daytona 1 (week 1)

(1) Kasey Kahne: Atlanta (week 2)

(1) Ryan Newman: Phoenix 1 (week 4)

(1) Clint Bowyer: Auto Club (week 5)

(1) Dale Earnhardt Jr.: Texas 1 (week 7 – tied for fifth with

Avg. Start at Michigan			
Rank	Driver	Avg. Start	Attempts
1	Joey Logano	5.67	6
2	Chase Elliott	7.50	2
3	Kevin Harvick	8.17	6
4	Brad Keselowski	10.17	6
5	Austin Dillon	10.50	6
6	Jimmie Johnson	11.83	6
7	Denny Hamlin	12.00	6
8	Kasey Kahne	12.33	6
9	Ryan Blaney	12.80	5
10	Kyle Busch	13.17	6
11	Matt Kenseth	14.00	6
12	Jamie McMurray	14.17	6
13	Ryan Newman	15.33	6
14	Dale Earnhardt Jr	15.60	5
15	Kyle Larson	15.67	6
16	Kurt Busch	16.67	6
17	Martin Truex Jr	17.00	6
18	Paul Menard	17.50	6
19	Chris Buescher	21.50	2
20	Ty Dillon	21.50	2
21	Danica Patrick	21.83	6
22	Trevor Bayne	22.17	6
23	Clint Bowyer	23.17	6
24	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	23.50	6
25	AJ Allmendinger	24.83	6
26	David Ragan	27.50	6
27	Landon Cassill	33.83	6
28	Matt DiBenedetto	35.00	4
29	Cole Whitt	37.67	6
30	Jeffrey Earnhardt	39.00	2
31	Reed Sorenson	39.75	5

Total Top-5s: Season	
Driver	Top-5s
Brad Keselowski	8
Joey Logano	6
Kyle Larson	6
Kevin Harvick	5
Martin Truex Jr	5
Kyle Busch	5
Chase Elliott	4
Jimmie Johnson	3
Matt Kenseth	3
Ricky Stenhouse Jr	3
Ryan Blaney	3
Kurt Busch	2
Ryan Newman	2
Denny Hamlin	2
Clint Bowyer	2
Austin Dillon	2
Aric Almirola	2
Kasey Kahne	2
Paul Menard	1
AJ Allmendinger	1
Jamie McMurray	1
Erik Jones	1
Dale Earnhardt Jr	1

Earnhardt)

(1) Matt Kenseth: Richmond 1 (week 9)

(1) Jamie McMurray: Talladega (week 10)

(1) Ricky Stenhouse Jr.: Talladega (week 10)

(1) Austin Dillon: Charlotte 1 (week 12)

(1) Erik Jones: Pocono 1 (week 14)

Twitter League

It's not too late to join the Dan Beaver Twitter League. Players can join or leave groups throughout the season and your team

can accumulate points in up to three leagues. This is one of the most competitive leagues in the game since most or all

of the players get their excellent information from the pages of these previews. Simply log onto Yahoo! Sports and navigate to the fantasy racing page (<http://racing.fantasysports.yahoo.com/auto>). Click on the "create or join a group" button and follow the instruc-



Season to Date Grid										
Driver	Starts	Wins	Top-5s	Top-10s	Avg Fin	Start	Laps	Poles	DNFs	DNQs
Kyle Larson	14	1	6	9	8.43	11.93	4,358	1	1	
Martin Truex Jr	14	2	5	10	9.07	7.86	4,443		1	
Kevin Harvick	14		5	9	11.79	9.00	4,264	3	1	
Brad Keselowski	14	2	8	10	12.43	6.71	3,621	1	3	
Clint Bowyer	14		2	5	13.50	14.29	4,379		1	
Kyle Busch	14		5	7	13.57	9.14	4,251		2	
Jamie McMurray	14		1	8	14.00	9.71	3,947		3	
Chase Elliott	14		4	8	14.07	11.21	4,052	1	2	
Joey Logano	14	1	6	8	14.50	11.00	4,363	1	3	
Jimmie Johnson	14	3	3	5	14.86	20.29	4,327		2	
Denny Hamlin	14		2	6	15.14	11.64	4,314		1	
Ricky Stenhouse Jr	14	1	3	5	15.50	15.29	4,049		2	
Daniel Suarez	14			4	15.93	15.71	4,393		1	
Trevor Bayne	14			2	16.57	18.07	4,439		2	
Ryan Newman	14	1	2	5	16.86	13.50	4,327		2	
Kurt Busch	14	1	2	7	17.07	11.14	3,937		2	
Matt Kenseth	14		3	6	17.14	9.43	4,226	1	3	
Aric Almirola	11		2	3	17.27	22.36	3,425		1	
Austin Dillon	14	1	2	2	18.14	18.57	4,423		1	
Erik Jones	14		1	3	18.36	17.50	3,947		4	
Brendan Gaughan	2				18.50	35.50	383			
Elliott Sadler	2				18.50	37.50	390			
Kasey Kahne	14		2	3	18.86	20.57	4,255		3	
Ryan Blaney	14	1	3	5	18.93	9.57	4,325	1	2	
Ty Dillon	14				19.64	22.43	4,247		2	
Paul Menard	14		1	2	21.71	20.00	4,312		2	
AJ Allmendinger	14		1	2	22.00	24.07	4,341		2	
Joey Gase	2				22.00	34.00	387			
Chris Buescher	14				22.64	28.93	3,936		2	
Dale Earnhardt Jr	14		1	2	22.93	16.86	3,899		4	
Michael McDowell	14				23.71	24.79	4,420		1	
David Ragan	14			1	24.43	30.00	4,309		2	
Cole Whitt	14				25.64	31.29	4,270		4	
Danica Patrick	14			1	25.71	23.93	4,094		5	
Landon Cassill	14				26.43	27.79	4,231		2	
JJ Yeley	2				26.50	30.00	725			
Matt DiBenedetto	14			1	27.29	28.43	4,048		3	
Regan Smith	2				28.00	27.50	728		1	
Corey LaJoie	13				30.38	33.38	3,472		3	
Gray Gaulding	13				30.85	33.23	3,962		3	
Reed Sorenson	12				31.58	33.67	3,655		1	1
Timmy Hill	10				33.20	37.60	2,893		3	1
Jeffrey Earnhardt	14				33.50	35.21	3,089		8	
Derrike Cope	9				34.78	36.56	2,413		1	
Cody Ware	3				37.67	38.33	392		3	

tions.

Dan Beaver's Twitter League
Group ID#: 38
Password: FantasyRace

That is also a great place to comment on what you read in the preview and let us know what stats you would like to see in future articles.

ANY LAST MINUTE QUESTIONS?

Follow Dan Beaver on Twitter:
<https://twitter.com/FantasyRace> and chat during the week-end.

3 Yr. Avg. Draft Kings Points at Michigan			
Rank	Driver	Avg. Points	Attempts
1	Chase Elliott	72.75	2
2	Joey Logano	59.25	6
3	Kevin Harvick	53.92	6
4	Brad Keselowski	47.92	6
5	Matt Kenseth	44.71	6
6	Paul Menard	40.71	6
7	Kyle Larson	39.04	6
8	Jimmie Johnson	38.13	6
9	Dale Earnhardt Jr	37.01	6
10	Jamie McMurray	36.83	6
11	Kurt Busch	34.21	6
12	Ryan Newman	34.21	6
13	Kasey Kahne	31.92	6
14	Martin Truex Jr	29.13	6
15	Ty Dillon	28.50	2
16	Danica Patrick	25.92	6
17	Denny Hamlin	25.67	6
18	Clint Bowyer	24.54	6
19	Austin Dillon	24.17	6
20	Cole Whitt	24.00	6
21	Trevor Bayne	22.92	6
22	AJ Allmendinger	22.83	6
23	Reed Sorenson	20.75	4
24	Ryan Blaney	19.38	4
25	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	18.00	6
26	Michael McDowell	17.00	1
27	David Ragan	16.17	6
28	Landon Cassill	12.92	6
29	Matt DiBenedetto	11.50	4
30	Chris Buescher	10.75	2
31	Jeffrey Earnhardt	9.00	2
32	Timmy Hill	1.00	1
33	Kyle Busch	-5.25	6

3 Yr. Avg. Yahoo! Points at Michigan			
Rank	Driver	Avg. Points	Attempts
1	Chase Elliott	98.00	2
2	Joey Logano	96.00	6
3	Brad Keselowski	89.83	6
4	Kevin Harvick	89.67	6
5	Matt Kenseth	74.00	6
6	Dale Earnhardt Jr	73.40	5
7	Kasey Kahne	72.67	6
8	Paul Menard	72.33	6
9	Kyle Larson	72.00	6
10	Jamie McMurray	71.67	6
11	Ryan Newman	70.33	6
12	Jimmie Johnson	69.50	6
13	Martin Truex Jr	67.00	5
14	Austin Dillon	63.83	6
15	Denny Hamlin	62.17	6
16	Kurt Busch	59.71	7
17	Ryan Blaney	57.50	4
18	Trevor Bayne	56.40	5
19	Ty Dillon	54.00	2
20	Danica Patrick	53.67	6
21	Clint Bowyer	50.33	6
22	AJ Allmendinger	45.67	6
23	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	42.33	6
24	Chris Buescher	37.00	2
25	David Ragan	36.67	6
26	Cole Whitt	34.33	6
27	Kyle Busch	33.20	5
28	Reed Sorenson	29.00	4
29	Landon Cassill	27.33	6
30	Matt DiBenedetto	24.50	4
31	Jeffrey Earnhardt	18.00	2
32	Timmy Hill	6.00	1