

Stewart-Haas Racing: NASCAR Timeline

April 25, 2008	During a media session at Talladega (Ala.) Superspeedway, Tony Stewart acknowledges that he has offers from other teams to drive that include acquiring an equity stake in the organization when his contract with Joe Gibbs Racing comes to an end.
July 9, 2008	Stewart and Joe Gibbs Racing officials announce that they will part ways at the end of the 2008 NASCAR Cup Series season.
July 10, 2008	In a press conference at Chicagoland Speedway in Joliet, Illinois, Stewart announces that in 2009 he will serve as driver/owner of Stewart-Haas Racing (SHR). The team will be co-owned by Stewart and Gene Haas, founder of Oxnard, California-based Haas Automation, which owned Haas CNC Racing. The team will receive chassis, engines and technical support from Hendrick Motorsports.
July 25, 2008	Stewart announces he will drive the No. 14 Chevrolet in 2009 with sponsorship from Office Depot and Old Spice. The press conference takes place at the IMS Productions studios across from Indianapolis Motor Speedway.
Aug. 15, 2008	In a press conference at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn, Stewart announces that Ryan Newman will be his teammate at SHR and drive the No. 4 Chevrolet beginning in 2009.
Aug. 19, 2008	Stewart announces on SIRIUS' "Tony Stewart Live" that Newman will drive the No. 39 Chevrolet instead of the No. 4. Morgan-McClure Motorsports, which had used the No. 4 for several years in NASCAR competition, asked to keep the number for future use. Stewart and Newman opted for No. 39, the number Newman used to score his first United State Auto Club (USAC) victory.
Sept. 5, 2008	Hendrick Motorsports' veteran engineer Darian Grubb is named Stewart's crew chief for the No. 14 Office Depot/Old Spice Chevrolet.
Oct. 9, 2008	U.S. Army officials announce they will sponsor Newman in the No. 39 Chevrolet for 22 point-paying races in 2009, along with the non-point NASCAR All-Star race at Charlotte (N.C.) Motor Speedway. The announcement is made in a press conference at Charlotte Motor Speedway.
Nov. 14, 2008	Bobby Hutchens is announced as director of competition for SHR, while Tony Gibson is named Newman's crew chief for the No. 39 team.

Nov. 17, 2008	Grubb, Gibson and Hutchens begin working at SHR.
Dec. 17, 2008	Newman and Gibson test at North Carolina Speedway in Rockingham. It is the first-ever on-track activity for SHR.
Jan. 14, 2009	Stewart and Newman test at New Smyrna (Fla.) Speedway. It marks the first test for Stewart and Grubb at SHR, and the first test where the Nos. 14 and 39 teams test together.
Jan. 21, 2009	SHR officials announce that Burger King will sponsor Stewart's No. 14 Chevrolet in two races in 2009.
Feb. 4, 2009	SHR's two transporters leave the team's Kannapolis, N.Cbased shop at exactly 1:08 p.m. EST bound for Daytona (Fla.) International Speedway.
Feb. 6, 2009	Stewart drives the No. 14 Old Spice/Office Depot Chevrolet during Budweiser Shootout practice at Daytona International Speedway. It marks the first official on-track activity for SHR.
Feb. 7, 2009	Stewart and Newman participate in Daytona 500 practice. Stewart finishes third in the non-points Budweiser Shootout.
Feb. 8, 2009	Newman and Stewart place both SHR cars within the top-10 during Daytona 500 time trials. Newman posts the third-quickest time and Stewart notches the 10 th -fastest time.
Feb. 12, 2009	Stewart finishes second in his Gatorade Duel race at Daytona, earning the best finish for SHR.
Feb. 15, 2009	Stewart and Newman finish eighth and 36 th , respectively, in the Daytona 500 – SHR's first points-paying race.
March 29, 2009	SHR places both of its cars among the top-10 in a race for the first time. Stewart finishes third and Newman finishes sixth in the Goody's Fast Pain Relief 500 at Martinsville (Va.) Speedway.
May 2, 2009	SHR places both of its cars among the top-five in a race for the first time. Stewart finishes second and Newman finishes fourth in the Crown Royal 400 at Richmond (Va.) International Raceway.
May 16, 2009	Stewart scores first NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR in the non-points NASCAR All-Star race at Charlotte Motor Speedway.
May 21, 2009	Newman scores first NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte Motor Speedway (28.651 seconds at 188.475 mph). It is Newman's eighth Cup Series pole at Charlotte and his 44 th career Cup Series pole.

May 31, 2009	With a second-place finish in the Autism Speaks 400 at Dover (Del.) International Speedway, Stewart takes the lead in the NASCAR Cup Series championship standings by 46 points over second-place Jeff Gordon. It marks the first time a driver/owner has led the points since Alan Kulwicki beat Bill Elliott for the championship on Nov. 15, 1992 at Atlanta Motor Speedway – a span of 556 races. Newman is fifth in points, marking the first time both SHR drivers have been in the top-five in points.
June 7, 2009	Stewart scores first points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Pocono 500 at Pocono (Pa.) Raceway by 2.004 seconds over second-place Carl Edwards. It marks the first time a driver/owner has won a points-paying Cup Series race since Ricky Rudd on Sept. 27, 1998 at Martinsville. Stewart extends his lead in the championship point standings to 71 points over second-place Gordon.
July 4, 2009	Stewart scores second point-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Coke Zero 400 at Daytona International Speedway by .110 of a second over second-place Jimmie Johnson. It marks the first time a driver/owner has won multiple races in a season since Rudd in 1997 when he won at Dover International Speedway and Indianapolis Motor Speedway. Stewart extends his lead in the championship point standings to 180 points over second-place Gordon.
Aug. 10, 2009	Stewart scores third points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Heluva Good! 355k at The Glen by 2.969 seconds over second-place Marcos Ambrose. It marks the fifth win for Stewart at the Watkins Glen (N.Y.) International road course, making him the winningest driver in the track's 61-year history – a record that is unsurpassed in NASCAR, IndyCar, Formula One and sports cars. Stewart extends his lead in the championship point standings to 260 points over second-place Jimmie Johnson.
Aug. 16, 2009	By simply starting the CARFAX 400 at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn, Stewart clinches a spot in the 12-driver Chase for the Championship three races <i>before</i> the Chase begins Sept. 20 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway in Loudon. It marks the fifth time since the advent of the Chase in 2004 that Stewart has secured a spot in the Chase.
Sept. 12, 2009	By virtue of his 10 th -place finish in the Chevy Rock & Roll 400 at Richmond (Va.) International Raceway – the cutoff race for the Chase for the Championship – Newman secures a spot in the Chase for the third time in his career, but first since 2005. With Stewart having already secured a spot in the Chase, SHR becomes the only organization to place all of its teams in the Chase. Stewart is seeded second in the Chase standings, 10 points behind series leader Mark Martin. Newman slots in at 10 th , 40 points out of first.
Oct. 4, 2009	Stewart scores fourth points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Price Chopper 400 presented by Kraft Foods at Kansas Speedway in Kansas City, Kan., by .894 of a second over second-place Gordon. It is Stewart's second Cup Series win at Kansas and his 37 th career Sprint Cup win.

Oct. 23, 2009	Newman scores second NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the TUMS Fast Relief 500 at Martinsville Speedway (19.563 seconds at 96.795 mph). It is Newman's third Cup Series pole at Martinsville and his 45 th career Cup Series pole.
Nov. 22, 2009	In its inaugural season, SHR places both of its cars among the top-10 in the season-ending point standings. Stewart and the No. 14 team finish sixth in points, while Newman and the No. 39 team finish ninth in points.
March 7, 2010	Newman makes 300 th career NASCAR Cup Series start in Kobalt Tools 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway.
April 10, 2010	Newman scores fifth points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Subway Fresh Fit 600k at Phoenix International Raceway by .130 of a second over second-place Gordon. It is Newman's first Cup Series win at Phoenix, his 14 th career Cup Series win and his first since winning the 2008 Daytona 500 – a span of 77 races. It is also Tony Gibson's first win as a crew chief.
April 16, 2010	Stewart scores third NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Samsung Mobile 500 at Texas Motor Speedway in Fort Worth (28.224 seconds at 191.327 mph). It is Stewart's first Cup Series pole at Texas, his 11 th career Cup Series pole and his first since Oct. 21, 2005 at Martinsville Speedway – a span of 155 races.
April 19, 2010	Stewart makes 400 th career NASCAR Cup Series start in Samsung Mobile 500 at Texas Motor Speedway.
May 27, 2010	Newman scores fourth NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte Motor Speedway (28.793 seconds at 187.546 mph). It is the 46 th Cup Series pole of Newman's career, and the quick time placed Newman in a tie with inaugural NASCAR Hall of Fame inductee Junior Johnson for 10 th on the all-time Cup Series pole list.
July 30, 2010	Stewart scores fifth NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Sunoco Red Cross Pennsylvania 500 at Pocono Raceway (52.511 seconds at 171.393 mph). It is Stewart's second Cup Series pole at Pocono and the 12 th of his Cup Series career.
Sept. 5, 2010	Stewart scores sixth points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Emory Healthcare 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway by 1.316 seconds over second-place Carl Edwards. It is Stewart's third Cup Series win at Atlanta and his 38 th career Cup Series win. It also secured Stewart's spot in the Chase for the Championship one race <i>before</i> the Chase begins Sept. 19 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway. It marks the sixth time since the advent of the Chase in 2004 that Stewart has secured a spot in the Chase.
Oct. 10, 2010	Stewart scores seventh points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Pepsi Max 400 at Auto Club Speedway in Fontana, California, by .466 of a second over second-place Clint Bowyer. It is Stewart's first Cup Series win at Fontana and his 39 th career Cup Series win.

Nov. 21, 2010	Stewart and the No. 14 team finish seventh in points, while Newman and the No. 39 team finish 15 th in points.
March 6, 2011	With a second-place finish in the Kobalt Tools 400 at Las Vegas Motor Speedway, Stewart jumps to the lead in the NASCAR Cup Series championship standings, but shares it with Kurt Busch. After three races, both Stewart and Busch have an average finish of 7.3. Newman is fifth in points, marking the first time both SHR drivers have been in the top-five in
	points since June 14, 2009.
June 6, 2011	Matt Borland is promoted to vice president of competition, replacing former director of competition Bobby Hutchens.
July 15, 2011	Newman scores sixth NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Lenox Industrial Tools 301 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway in Loudon (28.165 seconds at 135.232 mph). It is a new track record and Newman's fifth Cup Series pole at New Hampshire and the 47 th of his Cup Series career.
	Stewart qualifies second to mark first time in SHR's history where drivers sweep the front row of a Cup Series race.
July 17, 2011	Newman scores eighth points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Lenox Industrial Tools 301 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway by .773 of a second over second-place Stewart. It is Newman's third Cup Series win at New Hampshire and his 15 th career Cup Series win.
	The 1-2 finish is the first in SHR's history. The last time a team started 1-2 and finished 1-2 was Hendrick Motorsports in the 1989 Daytona 500. However, the last time a team started 1-2 and finished 1-2 with the <i>same</i> drivers in the <i>same</i> order was back on April 7, 1957 at North Wilkesboro (N.C.) Speedway with DePaolo Engineering. There, Fireball Roberts won from the pole, while teammate Paul Goldsmith started second and finished second. In Hendrick's instance, Darrell Waltrip won, but started second. Ken Schrader started from the pole and finished second.
Aug. 25, 2011	It is announced that IndyCar Series driver Danica Patrick will run a limited NASCAR Cup Series schedule with SHR in 2012. Details regarding Patrick's car number and slate of races are not yet known.
Aug. 26, 2011	Newman scores seventh NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Irwin Tools Night Race at Bristol (Tenn.) Motor Speedway (15.624 seconds at 122.811 mph). It is Newman's third Cup Series pole at Bristol and the 48 th of his Cup Series career.
Sept. 6, 2011	By finishing 20 th in the AdvoCare 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway, Newman clinches a spot in the 12-driver Chase for the Championship one race <i>before</i> the Chase begins Sept. 19 at Chicagoland Speedway. It marks the fourth time since the advent of the Chase in 2004 that Newman has secured a spot in the Chase.

Sept. 10, 2011	By virtue of his seventh-place finish in the Wonderful Pistachios 400 at Richmond International Raceway – the cutoff race for the Chase for the Championship – Stewart secures a spot in the Chase for the seventh time in his career. With Newman having already secured a spot in the Chase, SHR becomes one of just two organizations to place all of its teams in the Chase, the other being Penske Racing. Newman is seeded eighth in the Chase standings, nine points behind series leader Kyle Busch. Stewart slots in at ninth, 12 points out of first.
Sept. 19, 2011	Stewart scores ninth points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Geico 400 at Chicagoland Speedway by .941 of a second over second-place Kevin Harvick. It is Stewart's series-leading third Cup Series win at Chicagoland and his 40 th career Cup Series win.
Sept. 23, 2011	Newman scores eighth NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Sylvania 300 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway (28.213 seconds at 135.002 mph). It is Newman's series-leading sixth Cup Series pole at New Hampshire and the 49 th of his Cup Series career. The fast time also gave Newman a sweep of the Cup Series poles at New Hampshire in 2011, as he broke the track record with his pole run for July's Lenox Industrial Tools 301.
Sept. 25, 2011	Stewart scores 10 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Sylvania 300 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway by 7.225 seconds over second-place Brad Keselowski. It is Stewart's third Cup Series win at New Hampshire and his 41 st career Cup Series win. And with the victory at Chicagoland Speedway on Sept. 19, it marked the eighth time Stewart has scored back-to-back wins in his Cup Series career, with the previous occurrence coming in July 2007 when he won back-to-back races at Chicagoland Speedway and Indianapolis Motor Speedway. And by winning the first two races of the Chase, Stewart became just the second driver in the eight-year history of the Chase to open the Chase with consecutive wins. Greg Biffle was the first, winning at New Hampshire Motor Speedway and Dover International Speedway in 2008.
	With Stewart's September win and Newman's July win at New Hampshire Motor Speedway, SHR sweeps the track's 2011 slate of Cup Series races. It marks the first time in SHR's history where the team has completed a sweep. Making the achievement even more impressive is that with Newman having swept the track's two Cup Series poles 2011, SHR made a clean sweep of each of New Hampshire's Cup Series race weekends.
Oct. 13, 2011	Stewart scores ninth NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Bank of America 500 at Charlotte Motor Speedway (28.131 seconds at 191.959 mph). It is Stewart's first Cup Series pole at Charlotte and the 13 th of his Cup Series career.
Oct. 30, 2011	Stewart scores 11 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the TUMS Fast Relief 500 at Martinsville Speedway by .170 of a second over second-place Jimmie Johnson. It is Stewart's third Cup Series win at Martinsville and his 42 nd career Cup Series win.
Nov. 4, 2011	In a press conference at Texas Motor Speedway, Stewart announces Patrick's 10-race NASCAR Cup Series schedule for 2012 and unveils her car number (10).

Nov. 7, 2011	Stewart scores 12 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the AAA Texas 500 at Texas Motor Speedway by 1.092 seconds over second-place Carl Edwards. It is Stewart's second Cup Series win at Texas and his 43 rd career Cup Series win. And with the victory at Martinsville Speedway on Oct. 30, it marked the ninth time Stewart has scored back-to-back wins in his Cup Series career, with the previous occurrence coming just a month earlier when he won back-to-back races at New Hampshire Motor Speedway and Chicagoland Speedway.
Nov. 20, 2011	Stewart scores 13 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the season-ending Ford 400 at Homestead-Miami Speedway by 1.306 seconds over second-place Carl Edwards. It is Stewart's third Cup Series win at Homestead and his 44 th career Cup Series win. With the victory, Stewart ends the season in a numerical tie with Edwards, as each driver has 2,403 points. But Stewart wins the 2011 title by virtue of a tiebreaker, as his five wins on the season trump Edwards' one. It is the closest Cup Series championship battle in NASCAR history. It is Stewart's third Cup Series championship, but his first as a driver/owner and the first for SHR. The last driver/owner to win a Cup Series title was Alan Kulwicki in 1992.
Nov. 28, 2011	Steve Addington is announced as the new crew chief for Stewart and the No. 14 team, replacing Darian Grubb.
Dec. 2, 2011	Stewart and the No. 14 team of SHR are officially recognized as the 2011 NASCAR Cup Series champions during the annual awards banquet at the Wynn Resort and Casino in Las Vegas.
Dec. 16, 2011	Greg Zipadelli named competition director, joining SHR after a 13-year tenure with Joe Gibbs Racing, where he served as Stewart's NASCAR Cup Series crew chief from 1999 through 2008.
Feb. 23, 2012	Stewart wins the non-points Gatorade Duel race at Daytona International Speedway.
March 11, 2012	Stewart scores 14 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Kobalt Tools 400 at Las Vegas Motor Speedway by .461 of a second over second-place Jimmie Johnson. It is Stewart's first Cup Series win at Las Vegas and his 45 th career Cup Series win.
March 22, 2012	Brett Frood, executive vice president at SHR, named to the 2012 Forty Under 40 Class at a gala dinner and awards program at the Ritz-Carlton, Laguna Niguel following the IMG World Congress of Sports. The Forty Under 40 Awards program was initiated in 1999 by Street & Smith's <i>SportsBusiness Journal</i> and <i>SportsBusiness Daily</i> to identify and honor the most promising young executives in sports business under the age of 40. A committee of <i>SportsBusiness Journal</i> and <i>SportsBusiness Daily</i> editors and writers select the 40 executives from among hundreds of nominations received each year.
March 25, 2012	Stewart scores 15 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Auto Club 400 at Auto Club Speedway in Fontana, California, in a race shortened by rain. It is Stewart's second Cup Series win at Fontana and his 46 th career Cup Series win, tying him with 1956 and 1957 Cup Series champion Buck Baker for 14 th on the all-time series win list.

April 1, 2012	Newman scores 16 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Goody's Fast Relief 500 at Martinsville Speedway by .342 of a second over second-place A.J. Allmendinger. It is Newman's first Cup Series win at Martinsville and his 16 th career Cup Series win.
July 7, 2012	Stewart scores 17 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Coke Zero 400 at Daytona International Speedway under caution over second-place Jeff Burton. It is Stewart's fourth points-paying Cup Series win at Daytona and his 47 th career Cup Series win.
Aug. 31, 2012	Stewart scores 10 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the AdvoCare 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway (29.787 seconds at 186.121 mph). It is Stewart's first Cup Series pole at Atlanta and the 14 th of his Cup Series career.
Sept. 8, 2012	By virtue of his fourth-place finish in the Federated Auto Parts 400 at Richmond International Raceway – the cutoff race for the Chase for the Championship – Stewart secures a spot in the Chase for the eighth time in his career.
Oct. 19, 2012	It is announced that Tony Gibson will move from the No. 39 team to the No. 10 team to serve as crew chief for Patrick. Matt Borland will add to his duties as vice president of competition by becoming crew chief of the No. 39 team and Newman.
Oct. 21, 2012	Newman makes 400 th career NASCAR Cup Series start in Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas Speedway.
Oct. 28, 2012	Matt Borland's first race as crew chief for No. 39 team and Newman – the TUMS Fast Relief 500 at Martinsville Speedway.
Nov. 4, 2012	Tony Gibson's first race as crew chief for No. 10 team and Patrick – the AAA Texas 500 at Texas Motor Speedway.
Nov. 18, 2012	Stewart makes 500 th career NASCAR Cup Series start in Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead-Miami Speedway. Stewart and the No. 14 team finish ninth in points, while Newman and the No. 39 team finish 14 th in points.
Feb. 17, 2013	Patrick scores 11 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the 55 th Daytona 500 at Daytona International Speedway (45.817 seconds at 196.434 mph). It is Patrick's first career Cup Series pole and the first Cup Series pole earned by a woman.
June 2, 2013	Stewart scores 18 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the FedEx 400 benefiting Autism Speaks at Dover International Speedway by .788 of a second over second-place Juan Pablo Montoya. It is Stewart's third Cup Series win at Dover and his 48 th career Cup Series win.

July 12, 2013	It is announced that Kevin Harvick will join SHR beginning in 2014, driving the No. 4 Chevrolet. It is also announced that Newman will not return to the organization in 2014.
July 27, 2013	Newman scores 12 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the 20 th Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis Motor Speedway (47.992 seconds at 187.531 mph). Newman sets a new track qualifying record en route to earning his milestone 50 th career Cup Series pole. It is his first pole at Indianapolis.
July 28, 2013	Newman scores 19 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis Motor Speedway from the pole by 2.657 seconds over second-place Jimmie Johnson. It is Newman's first Cup Series win at Indianapolis and his 17 th career Cup Series win.
Aug. 5, 2013	Stewart sustains a broken right tibia and fibula in a sprint car crash at Southern Iowa Speedway in Oskaloosa, Iowa, putting him out of the No. 14 car for an indefinite period of time.
Aug. 8, 2013	Max Papis is named interim driver of the No. 14 car for the Aug. 11 355k at The Glen at Watkins Glen International.
Aug. 11, 2013	Papis starts 29 th and finishes 15 th in the No. 14 car in the 355k at The Glen at Watkins Glen International. Stewart's consecutive streak of NASCAR Cup Series starts ends at 521 races.
Aug. 12, 2013	Austin Dillon is named interim driver of the No. 14 car for the Aug. 18 Pure Michigan 400 at Michigan International Speedway.
Aug. 18, 2013	Dillon starts 27 th and finishes 14 th in the No. 14 car in the Pure Michigan 400 at Michigan International Speedway.
Aug. 19, 2013	Mark Martin is named interim driver of the No. 14 car for 12 of the 13 remaining races on the 2013 NASCAR Cup Series schedule. Dillon will drive No. 14 car Oct. 20 at Talladega Superspeedway. Stewart officially out for remainder of 2013 season as he recovers from a broken right tibia and fibula suffered in a sprint car crash Aug. 5 at Southern Iowa Speedway in Oskaloosa, Iowa.
Aug. 24, 2013	Martin starts 11 th and finishes 20 th in the No. 14 car in the Irwin Tools Night Race at Bristol Motor Speedway.
Aug. 27, 2013	In a press conference at SHR, co-owner Gene Haas announces the formation of a fourth NASCAR Cup Series team beginning in 2014, with 2004 Cup Series champion Kurt Busch the driver.

Sept. 9, 2013	NASCAR finds that Michael Waltrip Racing (MWR) violated Section 12-4 (actions detrimental to stock car racing) during the Sept. 7 Federated Auto Parts 400 at Richmond International Raceway, where the team attempted to manipulate the outcome of the race. NASCAR penalizes all three MWR cars (Nos. 15, 55 and 56) with the loss of 50 championship driver points and 50 championship owner points. The point penalties are assessed following the season's 26 th race and before the seeding for the Chase for the Championship. Therefore, the point total for the No. 56 car driven by Martin Truex Jr. is reduced to 691, putting him in 17 th position and eliminating him from the second wild-card berth for the Chase field. Newman moves into the Chase as the second wild-card participant. This is Newman's fifth Chase appearance.
Sept. 20, 2013	Newman scores 13 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Sylvania 300 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway (27.904 seconds at 136.497 mph). Newman sets a new track qualifying record en route to earning his 51 st career Cup Series pole. It is his series-leading seventh pole at New Hampshire.
Oct. 21, 2013	Construction begins on land adjacent to the team's existing 140,000-square foot facility for a building that will house research and development, a state-of-the-art pit fitness and training center, and multipurpose space for SHR partners.
Nov. 17, 2013	Newman finishes 17 th in the Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead-Miami Speedway, his final race with SHR. Newman and the No. 39 team finish 11 th in points. Patrick and the No. 10 team finish 27 th in points. The No. 14 team finishes 18 th in points, while Stewart finishes 29 th in points after missing the last 15 races of the season.
Nov. 19, 2013	SHR reorganizes its competition department. Zipadelli is named vice president of competition, managing all four NASCAR Cup Series teams. Borland is named vice president of engineering, overseeing all of the team's technical initiatives and various research and development projects. Crew chiefs for the 2014 season are officially named. Rodney Childers is paired with Harvick and the No. 4 team. Gibson remains with Patrick and the No. 10 team. Chad Johnston joins Stewart and the No. 14 team. Daniel Knost is promoted from race engineer to crew chief for Busch and the No. 41 team.
Dec. 11, 2013	Harvick and Busch hit the track for the first time as SHR drivers via a NASCAR test session at Charlotte Motor Speedway.
March 2, 2014	Harvick scores 20 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning The Profit on CNBC 500k at Phoenix International Raceway by .489 of a second over second-place Dale Earnhardt Jr. It is Harvick's fifth Cup Series win at Phoenix and his 24 th career Cup Series win.
March 30, 2014	Busch scores 21 st points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the STP 500 at Martinsville Speedway by .263 of a second over second-place Jimmie Johnson. It is Busch's second Cup Series win at Martinsville and his 25 th career Cup Series win.

April 5, 2014	Stewart scores 14 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Duck Commander 500 at Texas Motor Speedway (27.628 seconds at 195.454 mph). It is Stewart's 15 th career Cup Series pole and his second at Texas. Harvick sets a new track qualifying record in the first round with a lap of 27.234 seconds at 198.282 mph. It is the fastest lap at a 1.5-mile oval in NASCAR, as Harvick's quick time bests the previous mark of 28.074 seconds at 197.478 mph set by Geoff Bodine on Nov. 15, 1997 at Atlanta Motor Speedway.
April 11, 2014	Harvick scores 15 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Southern 500 at Darlington (S.C.) Raceway (26.802 seconds at 183.479 mph). It is Harvick's seventh career Cup Series pole and his first at Darlington.
April 12, 2014	Harvick scores 22 nd points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Southern 500 at Darlington Raceway from the pole by .558 of a second over second-place Dale Earnhardt Jr. It is Harvick's first Cup Series win at Darlington and his 25 th career Cup Series win.
May 9, 2014	Harvick scores 16 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the 5-hour Energy 400 at Kansas Speedway (27.799 seconds at 194.658 mph). It is Harvick's eighth career Cup Series pole and his second at Kansas. And by winning the pole April 11 at Darlington Raceway, Harvick wins two poles in a single season for the first time since 2005, which is the only other year where Harvick has won multiple poles.
June 13, 2014	Harvick scores 17 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Quicken Loans 400 at Michigan International Speedway and sets a new track record (35.198 seconds at 204.557 mph). It is Harvick's ninth career Cup Series pole and his first at Michigan.
July 26, 2014	Harvick scores 18 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Brickyard 400 at Indianapolis Motor Speedway and sets a new track record (47.753 seconds at 188.470 mph). It is Harvick's 10 th career Cup Series pole and his second at Indianapolis. This was also the second consecutive Brickyard 400 pole for SHR, as former SHR driver Newman won the Brickyard 400 pole in 2013.
Aug. 22, 2014	Harvick scores 19 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Irwin Tools Night Race at Bristol Motor Speedway and sets a new track record (14.607 seconds at 131.362 mph). It is Harvick's 11 th career Cup Series pole and his first at Bristol.
Aug. 29, 2014	Harvick scores 20 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Oral-B USA 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway (29.118 seconds at 190.398 mph). It is Harvick's 12 th career Cup Series pole and his first at Atlanta. And by winning the pole the week prior at Bristol, it marked the first time in Harvick's Cup Series career where he has scored back-to-back poles.
Sept. 6, 2014	Harvick and Busch officially secure their respective spots in the Chase for the Championship following the Chase cutoff race at Richmond International Raceway. It is Harvick's fifth consecutive Chase appearance and his eighth since the inception of the Chase in 2004. It is Busch's second straight Chase appearance and eighth overall.

Sept. 9, 2014	The pit crews of the Nos. 4 and 14 teams are swapped. "We made this change in the best interests of the entire organization," said Greg Zipadelli, SHR's vice president of competition. "Our primary goal is to win races and championships, and this pit crew swap provides championship experience to the No. 4 team and continued race-winning experience to the No. 14 team."
Sept. 26, 2014	Harvick scores 21 st NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the AAA 400 at Dover International Speedway (22.095 seconds at 162.933 mph). It is Harvick's 13 th career Cup Series pole and his first at Dover.
Sept. 28, 2014	Harvick and Busch came into the AAA 400 at Dover International Speedway representing SHR in the Chase, but Harvick is now SHR's sole representative after Busch missed the cut for the 12-driver Contender Round by a scant six points following the AAA 400.
Oct. 3, 2014	Harvick scores 22 nd NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas Speedway (27.325 seconds at 197.621 mph). It is Harvick's 14 th career Cup Series pole, his third straight at Kansas and his series-leading eighth of the season. Prior to 2014, the most poles Harvick earned in a single season were two (2005). And by winning the pole the week prior at Dover, it marked the second time in Harvick's Cup Series career where he has scored back-to-back poles.
Oct. 11, 2014	Harvick scores 23 rd points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Bank of America 500 at Charlotte Motor Speedway by .571 of a second over second-place Jeff Gordon. It is Harvick's third Cup Series win at Charlotte and his 26 th career Cup Series win. Harvick ties NASCAR Hall of Fame inductee Fred Lorenzen for 25 th on the all-time Cup Series win list. The win automatically advances Harvick into the eight-driver Eliminator Round of the Chase.
Oct. 22, 2014	SHR announces that it will swap crew chiefs and road crews between its Nos. 10 and 41 teams beginning with the AAA Texas 500 race weekend Oct. 31-Nov. 2 at Texas Motor Speedway. Crew chief Tony Gibson will move from the No. 10 team of Patrick to the No. 41 team of Busch. Crew chief Daniel Knost will move from the No. 41 team to serve as the interim crew chief for Patrick and the No. 10 team. The road crews assembled by each crew chief will also make the swap. However, the pit crews for each respective team will not be moved.
	"We made this change to evaluate our program and to get a head start on 2015," Zipadelli said. "With the ban on testing next year, the last three races of this season take on even greater importance. For Tony Gibson and Kurt, they'll get three races together that will provide direction for next year. And for Daniel Knost and Danica, this is an opportunity for them develop a rapport that could potentially continue into 2015."
Oct. 31, 2014	Stewart sets the fastest lap in a stock car at a 1.5-mile oval when he turns a lap of 26.985 seconds at 200.111 mph during NASCAR Cup Series qualifying at Texas Motor Speedway. It is the first time a stock car surpasses the 200 mph mark on a 1.5-mile oval.

Nov. 9, 2014	Harvick scores 24 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Phoenix 500k at Phoenix International Raceway by 1.636 seconds over second-place Jeff Gordon. It is Harvick's sixth Cup Series win at Phoenix and his 27 th career Cup Series win. The win also gave Harvick a sweep of the Cup Series races held at Phoenix in 2014. Most importantly, the victory punches Harvick's ticket to the Championship Round of the Chase. Harvick is one of only four drivers from the original field of 16 Chase drivers who made it through three elimination rounds to contend for the title in the series finale Nov. 16 at Homestead-Miami Speedway. Harvick will battle Denny Hamlin, Joey Logano and Ryan Newman, with the highest finishing driver in the 400-mile race at Homestead being crowned 2014 NASCAR Cup Series champion.
Nov. 16, 2014	Harvick scores 25 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the season-ending Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead-Miami Speedway by .500 of a second over second-place Ryan Newman. It is Harvick's first Cup Series win at Homestead and his 28 th career Cup Series win. With the victory, Harvick secures the 2014 Cup Series championship. It is Harvick's first Cup Series title and the second for SHR.
Dec. 5, 2014	Harvick and the No. 4 team of SHR are officially recognized as the 2014 NASCAR Cup Series champions during the annual awards banquet at the Wynn Resort and Casino in Las Vegas.
March 8, 2015	Harvick scores 26 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Kobalt 400 at Las Vegas Motor Speedway by 1.640 seconds over second-place Martin Truex Jr. It is Harvick's first Cup Series win at Las Vegas and his 29 th career Cup Series win.
March 13, 2015	Harvick scores 23 rd NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the CampingWorld.com 500k at Phoenix International Raceway (25.577 seconds at 140.751 mph). It is Harvick's 15 th career Cup Series pole, his first at Phoenix and his first of the season.
March 15, 2015	Harvick scores 27 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the CampingWorld.com 500k at Phoenix International Raceway by 1.153 seconds over second-place Jamie McMurray. It is Harvick's series-leading seventh Cup Series win at Phoenix and his 30 th career Cup Series win. It is Harvick's fourth victory in the last seven races dating back to Texas Motor Speedway in November. It is his seventh straight finish of second or better. The last time a driver scored seven consecutive top-two finishes was NASCAR Hall of Famer Richard Petty in 1975.
March 20, 2015	Busch scores 24 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Auto Club 400 at Auto Club Speedway in Fontana, California (38.889 seconds at 185.142 mph). It is Busch's 17 th career Cup Series pole and his series-leading fourth at Fontana. Harvick qualifies second to give SHR a sweep of the front row. The last time SHR qualified 1-2 was July 15, 2011 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway. Newman won the pole while Stewart qualified second.

April 10, 2015	Busch scores 25 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Duck Commander 500 at Texas Motor Speedway (27.857 seconds at 193.847 mph). It is Busch's 18 th career Cup Series pole and his first at Texas. Harvick qualifies second to give SHR a sweep of the front row for the second time in 2015 and the third time in company history. The last time SHR qualified 1-2 was March 20, 2015 at Auto Club Speedway when Busch won the pole and Harvick qualified second. The first front row sweep happened on July 15, 2011 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway when Newman won the pole and Stewart qualified second.
April 26, 2015	Busch scores 28 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Toyota Owners 400 at Richmond International Raceway by .754 of a second over second-place Kevin Harvick. It is Busch's second Cup Series win at Richmond. The 1-2 finish is the second in SHR's history.
June 5, 2015	Busch scores 26 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Axalta "We Paint Winners" 400 at Pocono Raceway (50.676 seconds at 177.599 mph). It is Busch's 19 th career Cup Series pole, his second at Pocono and his third of the season – matching the second-highest pole total of his career. He had three poles in 2011 and his highest season total was six in 2006.
June 14, 2015	Busch scores 29 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Michigan 400 at Michigan International Speedway under caution over second-place Dale Earnhardt Jr. It is Busch's third Cup Series win at Michigan and his 27 th career Cup Series win.
Sept. 12, 2015	Harvick and Busch officially secure their respective spots in the Chase for the Championship following the Chase cutoff race at Richmond International Raceway. It is Harvick's sixth consecutive Chase appearance and his ninth since the inception of the Chase in 2004. It is Busch's third straight Chase appearance and ninth overall.
Sept. 30, 2015	In a press conference at SHR's headquarters in Kannapolis, Stewart announces that he will retire as a NASCAR driver following the 2016 season. His hand-picked successor to the No. 14 car in 2017 is Clint Bowyer.
Oct. 4, 2015	Harvick scores 30 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the AAA 400 at Dover International Speedway by 2.639 seconds over second-place Kyle Busch. It is Harvick's first win at Dover and his 31 st career Cup Series win. The victory allows Harvick to advance from the Challenger Round into the Contender Round of the Chase. Busch finishes 17 th at Dover, but his points tally during the Challenger Round is strong enough to place him among the top-12 Chase drivers, advancing him to the Contender Round.
Jan. 31, 2016	Stewart sustains a burst fracture of the L1 vertebra in an all-terrain vehicle accident, putting him out of the No. 14 car for an indefinite period of time. Brian Vickers and Ty Dillon split the role of interim driver until Stewart's return.
Feb. 24, 2016	SHR announces that it will switch to Ford in 2017.

Feb. 26, 2016	Busch scores 27 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Folds of Honor 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway (28.938 seconds at 191.582 mph). It is Busch's 20 th career Cup Series pole and his first at Atlanta.
March 4, 2016	Busch scores 28 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Kobalt 400 at Las Vegas Motor Speedway (27.505 seconds at 196.328 mph). It is Busch's 21 st career Cup Series pole, his second at Las Vegas and his second of the season. Busch's pole-winning time came in the final round of knockout qualifying. However, it was not his fastest lap. Busch set a new track record when he recorded a lap of 27.498 seconds at 196.378 mph in the first round of qualifying. It beat the mark of 27.738 seconds at 194.679 mph set by Jeff Gordon in qualifying for the 2015 Kobalt 400.
March 13, 2016	Harvick scores 31 st points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Good Sam 500k at Phoenix International Raceway by .010 of a second over second-place Carl Edwards. The margin of victory is the closest in series history at Phoenix and it is the seventh closest finish in NASCAR history since the advent of electronic timing and scoring in 1993. It is Harvick's series-leading eighth Cup Series win at Phoenix and his 32 nd career Cup Series win.
April 22, 2016	Stewart returns to his No. 14 car at Richmond International Raceway.
May 29, 2016	For the first time in SHR history, it has drivers 1-2 in the championship point standings. Following the Coca-Cola 600 at Charlotte Motor Speedway, Harvick is first with 547 points and Busch is second with 421 points.
June 6, 2016	Busch scores 32 nd points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Axalta "We Paint Winners" 400 at Pocono Raceway by 1.126 seconds over second-place Dale Earnhardt Jr. It is Busch's third Cup Series win at Pocono, his 28 th career Cup Series win and his first of the season.
June 26, 2016	Stewart scores 33 rd points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Toyota/Save Mart 350k at Sonoma Raceway by .625 of a second over second-place Denny Hamlin. It is Stewart's third Cup Series win at Sonoma, his 49 th career Cup Series victory, his eighth on a road course and his first of the season.
July 25, 2016	SHR announces that it will expand into the NASCAR Xfinity Series in 2017, fielding one full-time team and one part-time team.
Aug. 21, 2016	Harvick scores 34 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Bass Pro Shops NRA Night Race at Bristol Motor Speedway by 1.933 seconds over second-place Ricky Stenhouse Jr. It is Harvick's second Cup Series win at Bristol and his 33 rd career Cup Series victory.
Sept. 10, 2016	Harvick, Busch and Stewart officially secure their respective spots in the Chase for the Championship following the Chase cutoff race at Richmond International Raceway. It is Harvick's seventh consecutive Chase appearance and his 10 th since the inception of the Chase in 2004. It is Busch's fourth straight Chase appearance and 10 th overall. It is Stewart's ninth Chase appearance and first since 2012.

Sept. 16, 2016	SHR names Cole Custer as driver for its full-time Xfinity Series team in 2017 with primary sponsorship from Haas Automation.
Sept. 25, 2016	Harvick scores 35 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Bad Boy Off Road 300 at New Hampshire Motor Speedway by .442 of a second over second-place Matt Kenseth. It is Harvick's second Cup Series win at New Hampshire and his 34 th career Cup Series victory. The win allows Harvick to advance in the Chase from the Round of 16 to the Round of 12.
Oct. 2, 2016	Busch finishes 15 th in the Citizen Soldier 400 at Dover International Speedway, but his points tally during the Round of 16 is strong enough to place him among the top-12 Chase drivers, advancing him into the Round of 12. Stewart finishes 13 th at Dover, but falls 11 points short of advancing to the Round of 12.
Oct. 6, 2016	Harvick scores 29 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Bank of America 500 at Charlotte Motor Speedway (27.547 seconds at 196.029 mph). It is Harvick's 16 th career Cup Series pole and his first at Charlotte.
Oct. 16, 2016	Harvick scores 36 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Hollywood Casino 400 at Kansas Speedway by 1.183 seconds over second-place Carl Edwards. It is Harvick's second Cup Series win at Kansas, his 35 th career Cup Series victory and his fourth of the season. The victory allows Harvick to advance in the Chase from the Round of 12 to the Round of 8.
Oct. 23, 2016	Busch finishes fourth in the Hellmann's 500 at Talladega Superspeedway, but his points tally during the Round of 12 is strong enough to place him among the top-eight Chase drivers, advancing him to the Round of 8.
Nov. 13, 2016	Harvick and Busch finish fourth and fifth, respectively, in the Can-Am 500k at Phoenix International Raceway. It is an elimination race before the Championship 4 Round, and Harvick falls 20 points short of breaking into the top-four while Busch ends up 37 points out of the top-four.
Nov. 18, 2016	Harvick scores 30 th NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Ford EcoBoost400 at Homestead-Miami Speedway (30.399 seconds at 177.637 mph). It is Harvick's 17 th career Cup Series pole, his first at Homestead and his second of the season.
Nov. 20, 2016	Stewart finishes 22 nd in his final NASCAR Cup Series race in the season-ending Ford EcoBoost 400 at Homestead-Miami Speedway. He ends his Cup Series driving career with three championships, 49 points-paying victories, 15 poles, 187 top-fives, 308 top-10s and 12,815 laps led. He stands 11 th on the all-time Cup Series win list.
Feb. 19, 2017	SHR makes its race debut with Ford, with drivers Patrick, Harvick and Busch finishing fourth, fifth and 17 th , respectively, in the non-points Advance Auto Parts Clash at Daytona International Speedway.

Feb. 26, 2017	Busch scores 37 th points-paying NASCAR Cup Series victory for SHR by winning the Daytona 500 at Daytona International Speedway by .228 of a second over second-place Ryan Blaney. It is Busch's first points-paying win at Daytona, his 29 th career Cup Series victory and his first of the season.
March 3, 2017	Harvick scores 31 st NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the Folds of Honor 500 at Atlanta Motor Speedway (29.118 seconds at 190.398 mph). It is Harvick's 18 th career Cup Series pole and his second at Atlanta.
April 7, 2017	Harvick scores 32 nd NASCAR Cup Series pole for SHR in the O'Reilly Auto Parts 500 at Texas Motor Speedway (27.217 seconds at 198.405 mph). It is Harvick's 19 th career Cup Series pole, his first at Texas and his second of the season.