



Race Fast Facts
Talladega Superspeedway
51st Annual GEICO 500



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Race Winner: Ryan Blaney

Age: 26

Team : No. 12 - Menards/Sylvania Ford

Owner: Team Penske

Crew Chief: Todd Gordon

- ▶ Ryan Blaney won the 51st Annual GEICO 500, his fourth victory in 175 NASCAR Cup Series races.
- ▶ This is his first victory and seventh top-10 finish in 2020.
- ▶ This is his second victory and fourth top-10 finish in 12 races at Talladega Superspeedway.
- ▶ Ricky Stenhouse Jr (second) posted his ninth top-10 finish in 14 races at Talladega Superspeedway. It is his third top-10 finish in 2020.
- ▶ Aric Almirola (third) posted his ninth top-10 finish in 21 races at Talladega Superspeedway.
- ▶ John Hunter Nemechek (eighth) was the highest finishing rookie.
- ▶ Ryan Blaney (2019-2020) becomes the eighth different driver to win consecutive races at Talladega in the NASCAR Cup Series - Pete Hamilton (1970 sweep), Buddy Baker (1975 sweep, 1976), Darrell Waltrip (1982 sweep), Dale Earnhardt (1990, 1993-94, 1999 sweep), Sterling Marlin (1995-96), Dale Earnhardt Jr. (2001-2003), Jeff Gordon (2007 sweep).
- ▶ This is Team Penske's ninth victory at Talladega Superspeedway in the NASCAR Cup Series (third-most all-time).
- ▶ This is Ford's 30th win at Talladega Superspeedway in the NASCAR Cup Series (second-most all-time).