



Top 5

1. Greg Biffle

2. Clint Bowyer

3. Jimmie Johnson

4. Casey Mears

5. Jeff Gordon

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Kansas twister



TOP: Tony Stewart (20) collected Carl Edwards (99) in a late spin as Jeff Burton drives past. Burton suffered from lost fuel pressure. All three lost positions in the Chase.
ABOVE: Greg Biffle celebrates his win.

Biffle wins as Chase field shuffles

The Associated Press

KANSAS CITY, Kan. — Darkness finally ended the disaster at Kansas Speedway, where the Chase for the championship field imploded and the finish of Sunday's event was in question long after winner Greg Biffle crossed the finish line.

Biffle scored his first win of the season by winning a race that was stopped twice for rain delays, was shortened 85 miles because of darkness, ended under caution and saw six Chase drivers finish 20th or worse.

And when Biffle's sputtering car slowed before the finish

line, title contenders Clint Bowyer and Jimmie Johnson passed him and both believed they finished ahead of him.

"I don't know what happened, (he) didn't cross it the way I thought you were supposed to," said Kansas native Bowyer, who had to settle for second place on his homestate track.

"I know they're not going to pull him out of Victory Lane," Johnson, who finished third to reclaim the points lead, said Biffle wasn't the winner.

"The biggest question mark right now is what goes on with (Biffle)," he said. "He clearly ran

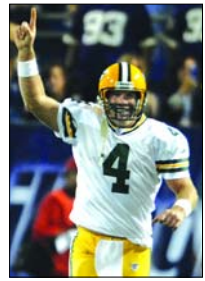
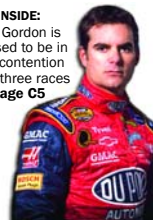
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Standings

- +2 1. Jimmie Johnson 5506
- 1 2. Jeff Gordon -6
- +2 3. Clint Bowyer -9
- 2 4. Tony Stewart -117
- +4 5. Kevin Harvick -126
- 2 6. Kyle Busch -136
- 1 7. Carl Edwards -142
- 1 8. Martin Truex Jr. -158
- +2 9. Kurt Busch -177
- 2 10. Jeff Burton -186
- 1 11. Matt Kenseth -219
- 12. Denny Hamlin -258

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Favre celebrates his record TD.

Favre breaks record

Throws 421st touchdown, passes Marino

The Associated Press

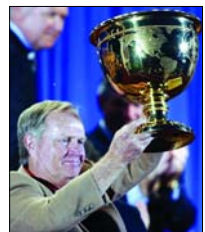
MINNEAPOLIS — Brett Favre is No. 1 — with a bullet.

Favre broke Dan Marino's record for career touchdown passes Sunday, zipping No. 421 to Greg Jennings in the first quarter of Green Bay's 23-16 victory over the Minnesota Vikings.

He hit Jennings on a 16-yard slant for the score with 4:56 left in the quarter, and like most of his touchdown throws through his brilliant 17-year career, this one had plenty of steam on it.

Ever the jubilant celebrator, Favre sprinted to the end zone
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Golf



U.S. team captain Jack Nicklaus hoists the Presidents Cup.

USA hangs on to Cup

Weir tops Woods in match play for International team

The Associated Press

MONTREAL — The United States won the Presidents Cup. Mike Weir gave Canada quite a consolation prize.

The Americans won enough of the singles matches Sunday to capture the Presidents Cup for the second straight time, giving them an international victory in cup competition for the first time since 1993.

That didn't stop the relentless cheers that rocked Royal Montreal on a spectacular autumn day, especially when Weir won the final two holes to beat Tiger Woods and send his country home feeling like a winner.

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Major League Baseball Playoffs

AL playoff matchups set; NL to play extra innings

American League

vs.
(94-68) (96-66)
Game 1: Wed. TBA, TBS

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(94-68) (96-66)
Game 1: Thur. TBA, TBS

San Diego, Colorado play for final spot today

The Associated Press

Jimmy Rollins backed up his boast and buoyed by a historic collapse, the Philadelphia Phillies can relax. Jake Peavy and the San Diego Padres can hardly afford to rest — they've got a date at Coors Field.

A wild finish Sunday gave fans an extra treat: A one-game tiebreaker between the Padres and Colorado Rockies for the NL wild-card spot.

Hours after one final failure by the New York Mets gave the Phillies the NL East title, the Padres missed a chance to clinch the majors' last playoff

slot. Now, they hope their All-Star ace can outpitch Josh Fogg on Monday night.

"I think the spirits and the mood right now is a little down-trodden, but we're going to get it up," Peavy said. "I'm not going to let this happen tomorrow. I can promise you it'll be a new day, the boys will be excited. I mean, this is why we play the game."

Had the Mets won, there would've been a lot more games. That would have left four teams tied with the same record, and caused a crazy three days of tiebreakers.

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National League

vs.
(85-77) (90-72)
Game 1: Wed. TBA, TBS

vs.
(89-73) (89-73)
Game 1: Wed., TBA, TBS

INGE'S SEASON
SUNDAY VS. WHITE SOX
2-5, 1 RBI
IN 13-3 WIN

FINAL SEASON STATS
AVG. HR RBI
.235 14 71

Detroit Tigers third baseman Brandon Inge is a Brookville High School graduate.

Major League Baseball

The Phillies celebrate winning the NL East title
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Today's **TOP** TV games

MLB: Padres @ Rockies
7:30 p.m., TBS
NFL: Patriots @ Bengals
8:30 p.m., ESPN