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Christopher Bell Secures Victory at Circuit of the Americas with Military Trades Programs on Display

AUSTIN, TX – On **Sunday, March 2, 2025**, Christopher Bell and the No. 20 DEWALT Toyota Camry XSE captured an impressive victory at the **EchoPark Automotive Grand Prix at Circuit of the Americas (COTA)** in Austin, Texas. This win marked Bell’s **10th career NASCAR Cup Series victory** and his first at the 2.3-mile road course, further solidifying his reputation as one of the sport’s top drivers.

Bell’s strong performance not only delivered a milestone win for **Joe Gibbs Racing** but also highlighted **Helmets to Hardhats** and other military trades programs displayed on his car. The victory was broadcast live on **FOX** and covered on **PRN Radio and SiriusXM NASCAR Radio**, reaching millions of fans across the country.

Driving for Military Trades Programs

The No. 20 DEWALT Toyota Camry XSE proudly featured organizations dedicated to helping veterans transition into skilled trade careers, including **Helmets to Hardhats, Flags of Valor, United Association of Veterans in Piping, UBC Military Veterans Program, SMART Heroes, and Patriot Scholarships**. These programs provide critical career pathways for active-duty service members and veterans, ensuring they have access to quality training and opportunities in the union construction industry.

“This win is special, but it means even more to represent these incredible organizations that support our nation’s veterans,” said Bell. “Having Helmets to Hardhats and other military trades programs on the car is an honor, and I hope this helps bring more awareness to the opportunities available for those who have served.”

A Champion on a Hot Streak

With this victory, Bell continues his dominant run in the NASCAR Cup Series. Since August 2024, he has amassed **nine top-five finishes and 11 top-10s in the last 14 races**, leading all drivers in consistency and performance.

Helmets to Hardhats is proud to be part of this moment, continuing our mission to connect military service members with fulfilling careers in the skilled trades. Congratulations to **Christopher Bell and Joe Gibbs Racing** on an outstanding win at Circuit of the Americas!

Stay tuned for more updates and be sure to follow Helmets to Hardhats for the latest news on our efforts to support veterans in the skilled trades.



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About H2H/CMRAVE: Helmets to Hardhats (H2H) is a national program that connects veterans, transitioning active-duty military service members, National Guard, and Reservists with skilled training and quality career opportunities in the construction industry. The program was created by the Center for Military Recruitment, Assessment, and Veterans Employment, a 501(c)(3) non-profit, joint labor-management driven entity. The program is designed to help military service members successfully transition back into civilian life by offering them the means to secure a quality career in the construction industry. Over the last twenty years, Helmets to Hardhats has built a solid network of relationships and communication lines that are unique and invaluable to our nation's veterans, transitioning active-duty service members, National Guard, and Reservists. In this time, H2H has helped over 42,000 military service members find quality careers and training in the construction industry. Please visit <https://www.helmetstohardhats.org/> for more information.

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