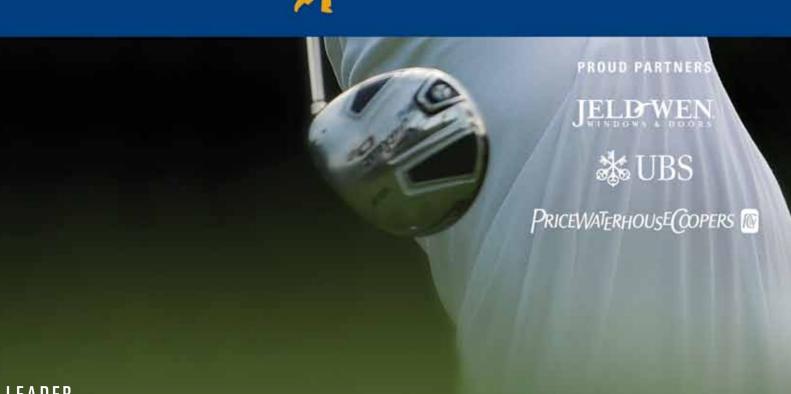
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BEN CRANE
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String of Birds Gives Crane the Lead

"Keep it simple," says the 33-year-old Oregonian

en Crane's mantra for taking the first-round lead in THE PLAYERS Championship was one every golfer should take to heart.

"Keep it simple and just play golf," Crane said after a 7-under-par 65 gave him a one-stroke lead Thursday at TPC Sawgrass.

Crane, a 33-year-old Portland, OR, native and two-time PGA TOUR winner, had no sign of a good round on the horizon entering this week. He had missed the cut in three of his last four tournaments and was hyper-focused on supposed problems with his swing.

"I was sending my teacher, Greg Rose, videos of my swing and was just getting so technical with my game," Crane said. "He got mad at me and said, 'You need to just play golf. Stop worrying about your swing and your technique. Just relax.'"

When Crane came to what he calls "one of my favorite courses and tournaments of all time" this week, he devised a new strategy during practice rounds. Crane and his caddie studied all of the hole locations and where they wanted to attack from the fairways. That created another fresh approach.

"It was really the first time we've

strategized that way," Crane said.
"And it saved us some shots, which was really exciting."

Crane responded with nine birdies and two bogeys on a PLAYERS Stadium Course softened by overnight rain. He began with a back-nine 33 then made consecutive birdies on Nos. 2-5 and another on No. 7 before a bogey from the front bunker on No. 8. His holed putts totaled 171 feet, including four birdie putts in excess of 20 feet.

"You're like, Yeah, this is why I play golf right here," Crane said of his putting prowess.



Second Round

6:30 a.m.

Gates open

7:15-9:15 a.m., 12:15-2:15 p.m. Threesomes off Nos. 1, 10

1-7 p.m. (9 p.m.-Midnight, Replay) GOLF CHANNEL coverage



6-10 p.m.

THE PLAYERS Downtown Experience-Jacksonville Landing

Tickets

Call (904) 285-7888 or visit PGATOUR.COM/THEPLAYERS or Jacksonville-area Publix groceries.

Island Upgrade:

For \$20, fans on site can upgrade their daily tickets to The Island Club, located adjacent to No. 10 tee. Upgrades are available at the front entrance where a variety of food and beverages are available in a sports bar atmosphere.

Family Plan/Youth Policy

The new Youth Policy allows all children age 16 and under to be admitted free all week with a ticketed adult. The Family Plan includes two Adult Grounds Admission tickets, two Youth Ground Admission tickets and one on-site parking pass for \$149.

Weather:

High of 87. Partly cloudy with 10-15 mph SW wind shifting to S.





FIRST-ROUND LEADERBOARD

Finish	Player	Score	Finish	Player	Score
1.	Ben Crane	32-33 — 67	T5.	David Toms	35-32 — 67
T2.	John Mallinger	33-33 — 66	T5.	lan Poulter	34-33 — 67
T2.	Richard S. Johnson	34-32 — 66	T5.	Brad Adamonis	35-32 — 67
T2.	Alex Cejka	34-32 — 66	T5.	Camilo Villegas	35-32 — 67
T5.	Jonathan Byrd	34-33 — 67	T5.	Bubba Watson	34-33 — 67
T5.	Scott Verplank	35-32 — 67	T5.	Jason Dufner	34-33 — 67
T5.	Retief Goosen	36-31 — 67			

Big Three Poised to Make Move Heading into Second Round

ith the top three players in the Official World Golf Ranking all playing at TPC Sawgrass this week, attention was heavy on No. 1 Tiger Woods, No. 2 Phil Mickelson and defending champion Sergio Garcia, ranked third.

Although none of the trio is near the top of the leaderboard after the first round of THE PLAYERS Championship, the Woods-Mickelson-Garcia triumvirate didn't do anything to knock themselves out of contention heading into the final 54 holes.

"I hit the ball well today, I really did. I didn't capitalize on my opportunities," said Woods, who is tied for 37th after a 1-under 71 that included an eagle-3 on No. 16. "I didn't get a whole lot out of my round."

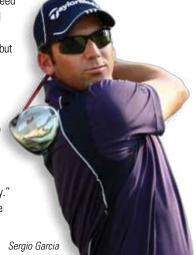
Mickelson, the 2007 PLAYERS champion who at one time was 3-under through four holes, gave four strokes back over his final 14 on his way to a 1-over 73.

"I'm playing well even though the score doesn't show it," explained Mickelson, who hasn't had a round in the 60s since his final-round 69 in 2007. "I'm not too worried. I just need to get in a good frame of mind and put together a good round."

Like Woods, Garcia is at 1-under but was unhappy with how his Thursday round played out.

"I was hitting the ball very poorly," he said of his five-birdie round that also saw him make two bogeys and a double bogey. "[It] feels like I'm trying to steer everything to make it go the right way, and it didn't go the right way today."

All three expect to move up the leaderboard today.







The First Cut is the Deepest for Those Who Are Closest

ometimes on the PGA TOUR, the work week is shorter than others. The phenomenon is something the players call trunk slammin', the slang term they use to describe a missed cut. They know the drill when the week hasn't gone well. Following their second rounds, they clean out their lockers, put their clubs into courtesy cars and slam the trunks, the airport their destination.

Some players even have their departures delayed as their scores hover around the cutline. Will they play the weekend? Won't they?

Later today, nearly half the field at the 2009 PLAYERS Championship will be trunk slammin' because of scores that, unfortunately, are just too high.

It can be especially excruciating

when you miss by a stroke. In PLAYERS history, missing the cut by one has happened to a who's who of golf: Seve Ballesteros, Ernie Els, Sergio Garcia, Hale Irwin (three times), Johnny Miller (twice), Jack Nicklaus (twice), and Arnold Palmer all narrowly missed the cut. Last year, 64 players from the original 147 who started THE PLAYERS went home early. Seven of those 64 – including Vijay Singh – missed by one stroke, meaning a made putt here or a better drive there might have made the difference.

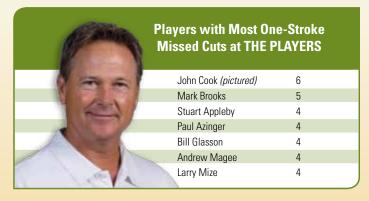
Since THE PLAYERS moved to TPC Sawgrass in 1982, 228 players have missed the cut by one stroke 332 times, led by John Cook, who suffered the one-stroke disappointment at six separate tournaments.

"It's not a good record to have. I'm

not proud of that one," laughed Cook when told of his dubious honor. Cook didn't bother mentioning his success at the tournament, but it should also be noted that he enjoyed two tie-for-third finishes (1983 and 1991) and a tie for seventh (1987) among his 22 appearances at THE PLAYERS.

"I never went to a tournament

trying to make a cut," continued Cook, an 11-time TOUR winner between 1981 and 2001 who joined the Champions Tour when he turned 50 in 2007. "That's not for me. It's not how I learned. But that's the nature of that course. It can jump up and get you. It got me more than once."



Dress Sergio In Kumquat

Defending champion Sergio Garcia will wear the winning kumquat shirt and outfit in today's second round after fans voted for the outfit in the "Dress Sergio" campaign. The outfit was unveiled in the Stadium Village on Thursday afternoon with the help of the "Sergio"







About TPC Sawgrass

For 51 weeks, when THE PLAYERS Championship isn't contested here, TPC Sawgrass offers golfers a great opportunity:

- TPC Sawgrass is OPEN TO THE PUBLIC to enjoy dining and golf access.
- TPC Sawgrass offers a variety of Annual Passes to create the complete clubhouse experience.
- A Dye's Valley Course Annual Pass holder pays a cart fee only on the Dye's Valley Course year round and has access to THE PLAYERS Stadium Course for discounted greens fees.

For more information, go to tpc.com/sawgrass

Storing the Tools of the Trade

While the locker room inside the TPC Sawgrass clubhouse is opulent, with its imported-wood lockers and tile floors, another room in the building, well, isn't. Adjacent to the Tunnel of Champions, the passageway in the clubhouse's basement that gives players access from the locker room to the course, is a 15-foot-by-20-foot room that is about as ordinary as it gets.

Yet despite the ho-hum beige paint adorning the walls, the place is pretty colorful due to the rows and rows of

golf bags stored on green, steel racks. The bags are the property of PGA TOUR players and are full of clubs, balls, rain gear, umbrellas and anything else a player needs during his round. A chart is taped to each rack, showing whose bags are whose, but the players' names stitched on the front of each bag are also obvious identifying traits. After all, you haven't truly arrived as a TOUR player unless



you have a golf bag roughly the same size as a Smart Car.

Approximately 95 percent of the players here this week keep their clubs in the bag room, which opens every morning at 5:30 a.m. and is manned at all times. For the other 51 weeks, TPC Sawgrass members use the room to store their clubs in bags that are a little less colorful and not quite as big.

Thanks for Shopping

Two new merchandise facilities are on site this year. A larger version is at the entrance to the Stadium Village near the clubhouse and a new location is now on the hillside left of the 17th tee.



THE AREA Did You Know?

- Recreational opportunities are available on a number of bodies of water in the area: the Atlantic Ocean, the St. Johns River, the Intracoastal Waterway and numerous marshes and lakes, such as the Guana Reserve, located in South Ponte Vedra Beach.
- College football is one of the area's most popular sports. The annual Florida-Georgia Football Classic and the Konica Minolta Gator Bowl are played at the Jacksonville Municipal Stadium.

For more information, visit jacksonville.com or pontevedrachamber.org













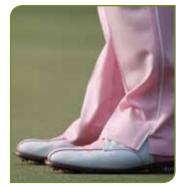
hile a golf course is measured in yards, today we look at feet ... and shoes and sandals. The footwear choices at THE PLAYERS Championship

come in all shapes, sizes and



at THE PLAYERS can be a feat

to behold.



























Hope's Hall of **Golf and Laughter**



World Golf Hall of Fame member Bob Hope shared his love of golf with millions in many different ways.

The Hall of Fame is now paying tribute to his life in a special exhibition, "Bob Hope: Shanks for the Memory." Featuring the largest collection of Hope memorabilia on display in one exhibition, "Shanks" is on display through 2009.

Hall of Fame member Arnold Palmer narrates an "Opening Monologue" video presentation in the Bob Hope Theater, which features some of Hope's best-known golf stand-ups and skits. That video is followed by more than two hours of video on 12 screens throughout the full exhibition.

The World Golf Village is conveniently located 20 minutes south of Jacksonville and 8 miles north of historic St. Augustine off Interstate 95 at exit 323. Admission is \$19.50 for adults (discounts for seniors, students and military). For more information, visit wav.com.



Stadium Village

HE PLAYERS Stadium Village is a place where fans can once again attempt to hit the 17th green on the UBS 17th Challenge, try some of THE PLAYERS' famous final putts on a replica of the 18th green or have their photos taken with a photo of 2008 champion Sergio Garcia as he eyes a putt all at no charge. This year, all fans enter the area through "THE

PLAYERS Shop" that includes a strong retail presence. An array of dining will also be available inside the area - which will include shaded seating for the first time - including new features such as Morton's steak sandwiches. A bag check and shipping center is also available. Also new this year is a business center where fans can stay connected by checking their e-mail.



Going Downtown

As part of this week's PLAYERS Championship, THE PLAYERS Downtown Experience returns to Downtown Jacksonville through Sunday. This year's six-day festivities center around The Jacksonville Landing on the St. Johns River in Downtown Jacksonville. Festivities include hands-on golf activities, telecasts from THE PLAYERS on The Landing's jumbotron, live music in the courtyard, drink specials and family entertainment on Saturday.

For more information and event updates, visit jaxdowntownexperience.com.



DOWNTOWN EXPERIENCE

Please Keep Hydrated!



After one of the warmest events in PLAYERS history last year, officials have

announced two initiatives aimed to give fans easy and affordable access to water. The price of bottled water, available at all concession stands, will be \$2.50. In addition, there will be numerous drinking fountains (also known as Hydration Stations)

available for the public to use free of charge throughout the course.

Approximately 60 volunteers donate more than 150 hours of first aid and medical services every year at THE PLAYERS. Volunteers typically treat around 75-100 patients during the tournament week, with about 12 percent of those patients being transported to the Baptist Medical Center Beaches Emergency Center for further treatment.

"Whenever you feel hungry throughout the day, remind yourself to drink a full glass of water 15-30 minutes before your meal. About half the time you get hunger pains, they are actually thirst pains....and a candy bar will never quench your thirst."

- Dr. Jeffrey Smowton, Baptist Medical Center Beaches Emergency Medicine, Director and THE PLAYERS Championship Medical Services Director.

The PGA TOUR Network will offer an exciting new service to enrich THE PLAYERS Championship experience over all 18 holes. THE PLAYERS Stadium Radio is a special-event radio that allows you to hear the live shot-by-shot commentary from the PGA TOUR Network on SIRIUS XM Radio (XM 146) and the audio from GOLF CHANNEL and NBC. It fits comfortably on your ear with a lanyard for hands-free use on a regular FM scan radio. The cost is

\$10. Look for the Stadium Radio at tournament entrances, concession stands and THE PLAYERS shops on-course.



Ask Us: Ambassadors and Volunteers

A group of more than 2,000 volunteers will be on hand this week to support THE PLAYERS Championship. This group (clad in haze blue golf shirts) plays a vital role in running all aspects of the tournament, from transportation to hospitality to the collection of Shot-Link statistics and many other important duties. Tommy Douglas represents these volunteers as the Tournament Chairman this year. In addition, approximately 225 PGA TOUR employees will be on the grounds all week to serve as

Ambassadors, answering questions and directing spectators around the course. They can be identified by their cardinal red golf shirts.





FRIDAY'S PAIRINGS

For Tournament Updates: PGATOUR.COM

Time	Professionals 1st Tee	Caddie Vest Color	Score
7:20	TIM CLARK, Scottsdale, AZ	Red	72 E
	BRAD ADAMONIS, Cumberland, RI	White	67 - 5
7:30	ALEX CEJKA, Germany	Red	66 - 6
	KEVIN NA, Las Vegas, NV	White	71 - 1
7:40	BEN CRANE, Beaverton, OR	Red	65 - 7
	TIM WILKINSON, Palmerston North, New Zealand	White	77 + 5
	ROSS FISHER, London, England	Blue	74 + 2
7:50	MARK WILSON, Chicago, IL	Red	69 - 3
	GREG KRAFT, Belleair, FL	White	74 + 2
	STEPHEN AMES, Calgary, AB, Canada	Blue	70 - 2
8:00	CARL PETTERSSON, Raleigh, NC	Red	74 + 2
	HUNTER MAHAN, Plano, TX	White	73 + 1
	AARON BADDELEY, Melbourne, Australia	Blue	71 - 1
8:10	CAMILO VILLEGAS, Medellin, Colombia	Red	67 - 5
	RORY SABBATINI, Fort Worth, TX	White	81 + 9
	ROBERT ALLENBY, Melbourne, Australia	Blue	73 + 1
8:20	ANGEL CABRERA, Cordoba, Argentina	Red	72 E
	KENNY PERRY, Franklin, KY	White	73 +1
	JIM FURYK, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL	Blue	68 -4
8:30	JERRY KELLY, Madison, WI	Red	73 + 1
	PAUL CASEY, Surrey, England	White	70 - 2
	ANTHONY KIM, Dallas, TX	Blue	73 + 1
8:40	PARKER MCLACHLIN, Waikoloa, HI	Red	75 + 3
	RYUJI IMADA, Tampa, FL	White	72 E
	D.J. TRAHAN, Mount Pleasant, SC	Blue	74 + 2
8:50	MICHAEL LETZIG, Kansas City, MO	Red	71 - 1
	NATHAN GREEN, New Castle, NSW, Australia	White	74 + 2
	STEVE MARINO, Tequesta, FL	Blue	72 E
9:00	ROD PAMPLING, Brisbane, Australia	Red	70 - 2
	BRINY BAIRD, Palm City, FL	White	72 E
	WEBB SIMPSON, Raleigh, NC	Blue	76 + 4
9:10	ERIC AXLEY, Knoxville, TN	Red	72 E
	HEATH SLOCUM, Alpharetta, GA	White	75 +3
	BUBBA WATSON, Bagdad, FL	Blue	67 -5
9:20	JASON DUFNER, Auburn, AL	Red	67 - 5
	JEFF KLAUK, St. Augustine, FL	White	71 - 1
	MATT BETTENCOURT, Greenville, SC	Blue	76 + 4

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12:20	MICHAEL ALLEN, Scottsdale, AZ	Red	71 - 1
	MARTIN LAIRD, Glasgow, Scotland	White	71 - 1
	JEEV M. SINGH, Chandigarh, India	Blue	68 - 4
12:30	JOHN ROLLINS, Dallas, TX BOB ESTES, Austin, TX GRAEME MCDOWELL, Portrush, Northern Ireland	Red White Blue	68 - 4 75 + 3 71 - 1
12:40	PETER LONARD, Sydney, Australia	Red	77 +5
	CHARLIE WI, Westlake Village, CA	White	74 +2
	CLIFF KRESGE, Heathrow, FL	Blue	72 E
12:50	BOO WEEKLEY, East Milton, FL	Red	73 + 1
	TREVOR IMMELMAN, Cape Town, South Africa	White	73 + 1
	FRED FUNK, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL	Blue	73 + 1
1:00	RICHARD S. JOHNSON, Stockholm, Sweden	Red	66 - 6
	JOHNSON WAGNER, Charlotte, NC	White	69 - 3
	SCOTT VERPLANK, Edmond, OK	Blue	67 - 5
1:10	TIGER WOODS, Windermere, FL	Red	71 - 1
	JUSTIN LEONARD, Dallas, TX	White	70 - 2
	ERNIE ELS, South Africa	Blue	73 + 1
1:20	DAVIS LOVE III, Sea Island, GA	Red	73 + 1
	MIKE WEIR, Brights Grove, Ontario, CA	White	72 E
	DAVID TOMS, Shreveport, LA	Blue	67 - 5
1:30	ZACH JOHNSON, Cedar Rapids, IA	Red	72 E
	SERGIO GARCIA, Castellon, Spain	White	71 - 1
	K.J. CHOI, The Woodlands, TX	Blue	73 + 1
1:40	GEORGE MCNEILL, Fort Myers, FL	Red	70 - 2
	STEVE FLESCH, Union, KY	White	75 + 3
	STUART APPLEBY, Victoria, Australia	Blue	71 - 1
1:50	TIM PETROVIC, Austin, TX	Red	68 - 4
	BO VAN PELT, Tulsa, OK	White	71 - 1
2:00	BILLY MAYFAIR, Scottsdale, AZ	Red	70 - 2
	MATHEW GOGGIN, Hobart, Australia	White	76 + 4
	THONGCHAI JAIDEE, Thailand	Blue	74 + 2
2:10	STEVE ELKINGTON, Sydney, Australia	Red	73 + 1
	NICHOLAS THOMPSON, Coral Springs, FL	White	73 + 1
	SOREN KJELDSEN, Denmark	Blue	70 - 2

Time	Professionals 10th Tee	Caddie Vest Score Color
7:20	TROY MATTESON, Buford, GA SCOTT MCCARRON, La Quinta, CA JOHN MERRICK, Long Beach, CA	Red 73 + 1 White 74 + 2 Blue 70 - 2
7:30	J.J. HENRY, Fort Worth, TX KEVIN SUTHERLAND, Sacramento, CA SCOTT PIERCY, Las Vegas, NV	Red 73 + 1 White 73 + 1 Blue 71 - 1
7:40	TOM PERNICE, JR., Murrieta, CA BRETT QUIGLEY, Barrington, RI BRIAN DAVIS, London, England	Red 74 + 2 White 72 E Blue 71 - 1
7:50	MICHAEL BRADLEY, Lithia, FL RYAN PALMER, Amarillo, TX	Red 80 + 8 White 75 + 3
8:00	CAMERON BECKMAN, San Antonio, TX WILL MACKENZIE, Jupiter, FL FRED COUPLES, La Quinta, CA	Red 72 E White 73 + 1 Blue 80 + 8
8:10	GEOFF OGILVY, Melbourne, Australia PADRAIG HARRINGTON, Dublin, Ireland STEVE STRICKER, Madison, WI	Red 70 - 2 White 72 E Blue 71 - 1
8:20	PHIL MICKELSON, Rancho Santa Fe, CA DUSTIN JOHNSON, Myrtle Beach, SC ADAM SCOTT, Queensland, Australia	Red 73 + 1 White 72 E Blue 71 - 1
8:30	SEAN O'HAIR, West Chester, PA BRIAN GAY, Windermere, FL PAT PEREZ, Scottsdale, AZ	Red 73 + 1 White 80 + 8 Blue 72 E
8:40	CHEZ REAVIE, Scottsdale, AZ CHAD CAMPBELL, Colleyville, TX TODD HAMILTON, Westlake, TX	Red 70 - 2 White 75 + 3 Blue 74 + 2
8:50	MATT KUCHAR, Atlanta, GA KEVIN STREELMAN, Wheaton, IL ROBERT KARLSSON, Sweden	Red 72 E White 74 + 2 Blue 74 + 2
9:00	VAUGHN TAYLOR, Augusta, GA JEFF QUINNEY, Scottsdale, AZ MARTIN KAYMER, Germany	Red 72 E White 73 + 1 Blue 71 - 1
9:10	BART BRYANT, Windermere, FL LUCAS GLOVER, Greenville, SC BILL HAAS, Greenville, SC	Red 74 + 2 White 73 + 1 Blue 74 + 2

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12:20	DEAN WILSON, Kaneohe, HI	Red	77 + 5
	ROCCO MEDIATE, Los Angeles, CA	White	73 + 1
	RYAN MOORE, Tacoma, WA	Blue	71 - 1
12:30	TIM HERRON, Wayzata, MN	Red	75 + 3
	NICK O'HERN, Perth, Australia	White	68 - 4
	JOHN MALLINGER, Long Beach, CA	Blue	66 - 6
12:40	COREY PAVIN, Dallas, TX	Red	74 + 2
	FREDRIK JACOBSON, Gothenburg, Sweden	White	70 - 2
	KEN DUKE, Palm City, FL	Blue	70 - 2
12:50	JONATHAN BYRD, Sea Island, GA	Red	67 - 5
	WOODY AUSTIN, Derby, KS	White	72 E
	BEN CURTIS, Orlando, FL	Blue	71 - 1
1:00	MARC TURNESA, Rockville Center, NY	Red	76 + 4
	ANDRES ROMERO, Tucuman, Argentina	White	74 + 2
	JOE OGILVIE, Austin, TX	Blue	72 E
1:10	STEWART CINK, Duluth, GA J.B. HOLMES, Campbellsville, KY HENRIK STENSON, Gothenburg, Sweden	Red White Blue	70 - 2 72 E 68 - 4
1:20	RETIEF GOOSEN, Polokwane, South Africa	Red	67 - 5
	Y.E. YANG, Jeju Island, South Korea	White	73 + 1
	NICK WATNEY, Las Vegas, NV	Blue	68 - 4
1:30	VIJAY SINGH, Fiji Islands	Red	71 - 1
	CHARLES HOWELL III, Orlando, FL	White	73 + 1
	CHARLEY HOFFMAN, Las Vegas, NV	Blue	70 - 2
1:40	STEVE LOWERY, Birmingham, AL	Red	81 +9
	DANIEL CHOPRA, Falun, Sweden	White	75 +3
	PAUL GOYDOS, Coto de Caza, CA	Blue	78 +6
1:50	JOHN SENDEN, Brisbane, Australia	Red	72 E
	LUKE DONALD, High Wycombe, England	White	74 + 2
	IAN POULTER, Woburn, England	Blue	67 - 5
2:00	TOMMY ARMOUR III, Las Colinas, TX	Red	74 + 2
	DUDLEY HART, Buffalo, NY	White	73 + 1
	JUSTIN ROSE, London, England	Blue	70 - 2
2:10	JASON BOHN, Acworth, GA	Red	72 E
	JEFF OVERTON, Evansville, IN	White	71 -1
	RORY MCILROY, Northern Ireland	Blue	74 +2

ALPHABETICAL PLAYER LISTING ROUND 2

Tee	Time	Professional	Tee	Time	Professional	Tee	Time	Professional	Tee	Time	Professional
1	7:20	Brad Adamonis	1	12:50	Fred Funk	1	8:50	Michael Letzig	10	9:00	Jeff Quinney
		Michael Allen	1		Jim Furyk			Peter Lonard	10		Chez Reavie
1		Robert Allenby	1		Sergio Garcia	1		Davis Love III	1		John Rollins
1		Stephen Ames	10		Brian Gay	10		Steve Lowery	10	1:00	Andres Romero
1		Stuart Appleby	10		Lucas Glover	10	8:00	Will MacKenzie	10	2:00	Justin Rose
10		Tommy Armour III	1	2:00	Mathew Goggin	1	8:00	Hunter Mahan	1	8:10	Rory Sabbatini
10	12:50	Woody Austin	10	1:20	Retief Goosen	10	12:30	John Mallinger	10	8:20	Adam Scott
1	9:10	Eric Axley	10	1:40	Paul Goydos	1	8:50	Steve Marino	10	1:50	John Senden
1	8:00	Aaron Baddeley	1	8:50	Nathan Green	10	7:20	Troy Matteson	1	9:00	Webb Simpson
1	9:00	Briny Baird	10	9:10	Bill Haas	1	2:00	Billy Mayfair	1	12:20	Jeev M. Singh
10	8:00	Cameron Beckman	10	8:40	Todd Hamilton	10	7:20	Scott McCarron	10	1:30	Vijay Singh
1	9:20	Matt Bettencourt	10	8:10	Padraig Harrington	1	12:30	Graeme McDowell	1	9:10	Heath Slocum
10	2:10	Jason Bohn	10	2:00	Dudley Hart	10	2:10	Rory McIlroy	10	1:10	Henrik Stenson
10	7:50	Michael Bradley	10	7:30	J.J. Henry	1	8:40	Parker McLachlin	10	8:50	Kevin Streelman
10	9:10	Bart Bryant	10	12:30	Tim Herron	1	1:40	George McNeill	10	8:10	Steve Stricker
10	12:50	Jonathan Byrd	10	1:30	Charley Hoffman	10	12:20	Rocco Mediate	10	7:30	Kevin Sutherland
1	8:20	Angel Cabrera	10	1:10	J.B. Holmes	10	7:20	John Merrick	10	9:00	Vaughn Taylor
10	8:40	Chad Campbell	10	1:30	Charles Howell III	10	8:20	Phil Mickelson	1	2:10	Nicholas Thompson
1	8:30	Paul Casey	1	8:40	Ryuji Imada	10	12:20	Ryan Moore	1	1:20	David Toms
1	7:30	Alex Cejka	1	12:50	Trevor Immelman	1	7:30	Kevin Na	1	8:40	D.J. Trahan
1	1:30	K.J. Choi	10	12:40	Fredrik Jacobson	10	1:00	Joe Ogilvie	10	1:00	Marc Turnesa
10	1:40	Daniel Chopra	1	2:00	Thongchai Jaidee	10	8:10	Geoff Ogilvy	1	1:50	Bo Van Pelt
10	1:10	Stewart Cink	10	8:20	Dustin Johnson	10	8:30	Sean O'Hair	1	1:00	Scott Verplank
1	7:20	Tim Clark	1	1:00	Richard S. Johnson	10	12:30	Nick O'Hern	1	8:10	Camilo Villegas
10	8:00	Fred Couples	1	1:30	Zach Johnson	10	2:10	Jeff Overton	1	1:00	Johnson Wagner
1	7:40	Ben Crane	10	8:50	Robert Karlsson	10	7:50	Ryan Palmer	10	1:20	Nick Watney
10	12:50	Ben Curtis	10	9:00	Martin Kaymer	1	9:00	Rod Pampling	1	9:10	Bubba Watson
10	7:40	Brian Davis	1	8:30	Jerry Kelly	10	12:40	Corey Pavin	1	12:50	Boo Weekley
10	1:50	Luke Donald	1	8:30	Anthony Kim	10	8:30	Pat Perez	1	1:20	Mike Weir
1	9:20	Jason Dufner	1	2:10	Soren Kjeldsen	10	7:40	Tom Pernice, Jr.	1	12:40	Charlie Wi
10		Ken Duke	1		Jeff Klauk	1	8:20	Kenny Perry	1	7:40	Tim Wilkinson
1		Steve Elkington	1		Greg Kraft	1		Tim Petrovic	10		Dean Wilson
1	1:10	Ernie Els	1	12:40	Cliff Kresge	1	8:00	Carl Pettersson	1	7:50	Mark Wilson
1		Bob Estes	10		Matt Kuchar	10		Scott Piercy	1		Tiger Woods
1		Ross Fisher	1	12:20	Martin Laird	10		Ian Poulter	10	1:20	Y.E. Yang
1	1:40	Steve Flesch	1	1:10	Justin Leonard	10	7:40	Brett Quigley			



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Over the span of 37 weeks of competition, players will vie to become the 2009 FedExCup Champion, which will distinguish the one player who

not only performs well during the 33-week PGA TOUR Regular Season, but also excels through the pressure of the four-event PGA TOUR Playoffs for the FedExCup. In 2009, the Playoffs feature a progressive cut narrowing 125 players to 100 and then down to 70 players. A reset takes place, and the top 30 players are seeded for the culminating event where the 2009 FedExCup Champion will be crowned. Tiger Woods won the inaugural FedExCup and Vijay Singh won the title in 2008. The champion of this week's event will receive 600 points. Follow his progress throughout the rest of the season to see if he could be the next to hoist the FedExCup.

CURRENT FEDEXCUP POINT STANDINGS					
Place	Player	FedExCup Points			
1	Geoff Ogilvy	1,387			
2	Phil Mickelson	1,363			
3	Sean O'Hair	1,336			
4	Nick Watney	1,236			
5	Kenny Perry	1,228			



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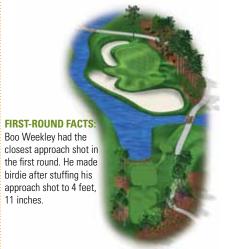
HOLE 423 yards | Par 4 *DIFFICULTY RATING: 10

FIRST-ROUND FACTS: Of the 88 players who hit this green in regulation, 21 (23.9 percent) one-putted.

HOLE 532 yards | Par 5 DIFFICULTY RATING : 17



HOLE 177 yards | Par 3 DIFFICULTY RATING: 11



HOLE 384 yards | Par 4 DIFFICULTY RATING: 13



HOLE 471 yards | Par 4 DIFFICULTY RATING: 3



HOLE 393 yards | Par 4 DIFFICULTY RATING: 12



HOLE 442 yards | Par 4 DIFFICULTY RATING: 4



HOLE 237 yards | Par 3 DIFFICULTY RATING : 5

> FIRST-ROUND FACTS: This was the most-difficult of the four par 3s at TPC Sawgrass. There were only nine birdies there Thursday.

HOLE 583 yards | Par 5 DIFFICULTY RATING: 14 FIRST-ROUND FACTS: There were 61 birdies and 64 pars at the second-easiest hole at TPC Sawgrass on Thursday.

*= Cumulative since 1982

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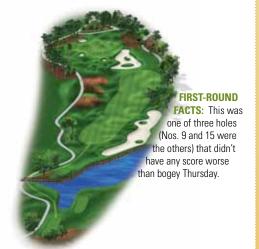
HOLE 424 yards | Par 4 DIFFICULTY RATING: 7



HOLE 558 yards | Par 5 DIFFICULTY RATING: 16



HOLE 358 yards | Par 4 DIFFICULTY RATING: 15



HOLE 181 yards | Par 3 DIFFICULTY RATING: 9



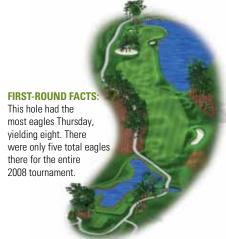
HOLE 481 yards | Par 4 DIFFICULTY RATING: 2



HOLE 449 yards | Par 4 DIFFICULTY RATING: 6











HOLE 462 yards | Par 4 DIFFICULTY RATING:





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TPC SAWGRASS STORYTELLERS:

Boselli Foundation Kids Get a Holiday Treat

The TPC Sawgrass Storytellers welcomed nearly 60 children from the Boselli Foundation Learning Center after-school program for an afternoon of fun and festivities during the 2008 holidays. The December event included a tour of the TPC Sawgrass clubhouse, a holiday party and a visit from Santa.

After the tour by the TPC Sawgrass storytellers, golf instructors from the TOUR Academy at TPC Sawgrass held a golf clinic on the clubhouse's event lawn followed by cookies and hot chocolate.

Santa arrived down the 18th fairway in his decorated golf cart sleigh. The TPC Sawgrass storytellers helped unveil 10 full sets of junior US Kids Clubs. The storytellers purchased the clubs using gratuities they received from guests throughout the year. The clubs were donated to the Boselli Foundation Learning Center for the children to use at The First Tee of Jacksonville. THE

PLAYERS Championship provided scholarships for lessons at its local First Tee for one year. "The kids had a great time and the storytellers did an amazing job of combining an educational tour with a lot of fun," said Tony Boselli, the former Jacksonville Jaguars tackle and the founder of the Boselli Foundation Learning Center. "We're also very thankful to have this partnership with THE PLAYERS and our local First Tee."

The TPC Sawgrass storytellers are made up of 60 trained volunteers, who offer complimentary tours of the clubhouse and the last three holes of THE PLAYERS Stadium Course. The storytellers bring to life the history of THE PLAYERS by highlighting great memories through pictures, paintings and memorabilia. Learn more about THE PLAYERS by scheduling your tour with a TPC Sawgrass Storyteller at www.tpcsawgrass.com



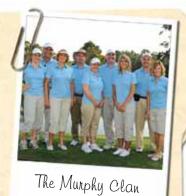
Volunteer Profile:

The Murphys

"It is what it is," Sam Murphy said after receiving a diagnosis of terminal stage-4 melanoma in 2008.

If not for his nephew Trevor's need for a kidney transplant, Sam might never have known he had cancer. "Trevor, my brother Dave's son, was born with one kidney," said Pat Murphy, "and one day we all knew he would need to get another kidney. Sam decided to be tested as a possible donor, and that's when the doctor discovered a mole on his back."

Sam, 40, remained positive throughout his illness. He began making plans. First, he married Lynda, who knew about his diagnosis and lent support to his already strong faith and positive attitude. Next he turned to golf, always high on his list, and volunteered at the 2008 PLAYERS. "He loved life and was so dignified," said his sister, Jane. In memory of Sam, his widow and nine siblings are volunteering at the 16th hole this week.



Front row: (from left) Lauren, Darcee, Jane Mannies, Tammy, Beth. Second row: Pat, Tim, Kevin and Dave (absent Mary, Ann, Tom, Jim and wife, Lynda).

"We wanted to celebrate Sam's life by being here at the tournament he cared so much about and to get out the message on melanoma awareness," said Pat.

Getting plans turned into reality is apparently a Murphy family trait. "Since most of us are from Indiana," said Pat, "we decided to hold a golf tournament there this August called SAM (Swing Against Melanoma). Simply put, we want to continue Sam's positive outlook and his efforts to make people aware that melanoma is treatable if caught early and to raise money for melanoma research."

Patriots' Outpost Honors Military

THE PLAYERS proudly supports the men and women of the armed services throughout the year. During this tournament week, all active and retired military with their families are offered an exclusive hospitality chalet on the hill between the 16th and 18th holes. Known as "The Patriots' Outpost," this chalet provides complimentary food and beverages, television coverage of THE PLAYERS, a special kids' area and interactive activities, including Lockheed Martin F-35 Flight Simulators and Nintendo Wiis.

As part of military appreciation day, former Army Officer Ryan Kules

was awarded an honorary membership to TPC Potomac at Avenel during a ceremony at The Patriots' Outpost. After receiving the PGA TOUR Lifetime Achievement Award, former president George H.W. Bush visited The Patriots' Outpost to meet with military families.

Throughout the year, the PGA TOUR supports members of the military and their families through charity golf tournaments. Birdies for the Brave began as a non-profit organization by 2007 PLAYERS Championship winner Phil Mickelson.



Sixty-eight area charities will benefit from the Birdies for Charity program this year. Monetary pledges are collected for each birdie made during the tournament, with the participant guessing the correct number of birdies made at the 2009 PLAYERS winning a trip to San Francisco and The Presidents Cup in October. There were 1,241 birdies made at the 2008 PLAYERS and more than \$180,000 was raised.

First-round birdies: 548 = \$58,485.60 Total birdies: 548 = \$58.485.60



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