

## 2009 FedExCup Notes – Week 18 The PLAYERS Championship

### Tight at the Top

- Although the leader Geoff Ogilvy has won twice in the first half of the season, he is only 24 points ahead of Phil Mickelson, who currently occupies the second spot. Additionally, Ogilvy is a mere 51 points ahead of the player in third, Sean O'Hair.
- Sean O'Hair's victory last week means that Steve Stricker is the lone player in the top 10 without a victory.
- The average difference between positions in the top 10 is about 54 points with five of the positions separated by less than 30 points.
- Tiger Woods moved into the top 10 after finishing fourth at Quail Hollow, but he is a scant three points ahead of Retief Goosen who currently occupies the 11<sup>th</sup> position.
- Due to the increased points available at the PLAYERS Championship there are 12 players who have a chance to move into first with a victory, and four players could pass Ogilvy with a solo third or better finish.

### Players Who Could Move to the Top at the PLAYERS Championship

2009 PLAYERS Championship FedExCup Standings - By Points								
Player	FEC Rank	FEC Points	Points with Win	Possible Rank	Points with 2nd	Possible Rank	Points with 3rd	Possible Rank
Geoff Ogilvy	1	1,387	1,987	1	1,717	1	1,597	1
Phil Mickelson	2	1,363	1,963	1	1,693	1	1,573	1
Sean O'Hair	3	1,336	1,936	1	1,666	1	1,546	1
Nick Watney	4	1,236	1,836	1	1,566	1	1,446	1
Kenny Perry	5	1,228	1,828	1	1,558	1	1,438	1
Zach Johnson	6	988	1,588	1	1,318	4	1,198	6
Paul Casey	7	968	1,568	1	1,298	4	1,178	6
Brian Gay	8	927	1,527	1	1,257	4	1,137	6
Steve Stricker	9	911	1,511	1	1,241	4	1,121	6
Tiger Woods	10	855	1,455	1	1,185	6	1,065	6
Retief Goosen	11	852	1,452	1	1,182	6	1,062	6
Dustin Johnson	12	789	1,389	1	1,119	6	999	6
Pat Perez	13	788	1,388	1	1,118	6	998	6

### Changes in the Standings

- Lucas Glover moved from 34<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> place in the standings after his tie for second at Quail Hollow.
- The player tied with Glover last week was Bubba Watson, who was the week's biggest mover jumping 47 places in the standings from 79<sup>th</sup> to 32<sup>nd</sup>.
- Jonathan Byrd's tie for fifth last week moved him up 39 places in the standings from 108<sup>th</sup> to 69<sup>th</sup>.