



# 2013 Farmers Insurance Open

(The 4<sup>th</sup> of 36 events in the PGA TOUR Season)

La Jolla, Calif. Torrey Pines Golf Course South Course (Host) North Course Jan. 21-27, 2013

Purse: \$6,100,000 (\$1,098,000 to the winner)

500 FedExCup points to winner Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,668 Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,052

# Final-Round Notes – Monday, January 28, 2013

Weather: Mostly sunny, breezy and cool. Wind NE 5-10 mph and shifting W 10-20 mph. High of 58.

The final round resumed at 11:10 a.m. with all 87 players scheduled to continue play.

#### **Final-Round Leaderboard**

Tiger Woods	274 (-14)
Brandt Snedeker	278 (-10)
Josh Teater	278 (-10)
Jimmy Walker	279 (-9)
Nick Watney	279 (-9)

### **Tiger Woods**

With his win today, Woods becomes the first player in TOUR history to win on the same golf course eight times. Woods has seven victories in the Farmers Insurance Open and one U.S. Open win at Torrey Pines. Sam Snead won the Greater Greensboro Open eight times between 1938 and 1965 but those wins came at different courses – four at Starmount Forest CC and four at Sedgefield CC.

Woods has now converted 50 of 54 third-round leads/co-leads on TOUR. He has converted his last three third-round leads: 2009 BMW Championship, 2012 Arnold Palmer Invitational and 2013 Farmers Insurance Open.

The largest winning margin in tournament history is eight shots by Tiger Woods in 2008. Tom Watson (1977) and Fuzzy Zoeller (1979) own the next-largest victory margin of five shots. Wood's victory margins in this event:

1999 2 strokes

2003 4 strokes

2005 3 strokes

2006 playoff

2007 2 strokes

2008 8 strokes

**2013** 4 strokes

In the years that Woods has won this event, he has gone on to record multiple wins in each of those years:

1999 8 wins

2003 5 wins

2005 6 wins

2006 8 wins

2007 7 wins

2008 4 wins

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Woods has never missed a cut in 13 starts at the Farmers Insurance Open. Through 54 rounds at Torrey Pines now, Woods is 51/54 at par-or-better and 47/54 for sub-par rounds. Of his 47 sub-par rounds, 37 have been in the 60s.

Woods has won seven times at the Farmers Insurance Open, and has held the 54-hole lead four times (1999, 2003, 2008 and 2013).



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This week was the second time that Woods has held the 36-hole lead in the Farmers Insurance Open. In 2008, he led by four after 36 holes, before winning by eight over Ryuji Imada.

For the week, Woods played the par-3's in 4-under par, the par-4's in 2-over par and the par-5's in 12-under par.

With his win this week, the Farmers Insurance Open becomes the third event on the PGA TOUR which he has won seven times. The others are the World Golf Championships-Bridgestone Invitational and the Arnold Palmer Invitational.

Woods' average winning margin of victory in his seven wins at the Farmers Insurance Open is 3.285 strokes.

Woods collects his 75<sup>th</sup> career win on TOUR. Sam Snead is the all-time leader with 82 wins.

This is Woods' first start of the year on TOUR. Prior to this year, Woods has won his first start of the PGA TOUR season six times from 1997-2012 (1997, 2000, 2003, 2006, 2007, 2008). In those six seasons he went on to win 37 total events (average 6.16 wins per season). He won a major championship in five of those six years (2003).

### **ADDITIONAL FINAL-ROUND NOTES:**

#### **Brandt Snedeker**

Snedeker, a first-round co-leader, fired back-to-back 69s on the weekend and moved into a tie for second.

Snedeker has made seven starts in this event and has five top-10 finishes, including the past four years. Snedeker was solo third in his first start here in 2007 and then missed the cut in 2008. He then tied for 42<sup>nd</sup> in in 2009. Since then he has finished T2 (2010), T9 (2011), 1<sup>st</sup> (2012) and T2 this year.

Snedeker fired a 3-under 69 to finish at 10-under 278. In his seven career starts in this event, he has a scoring average of 69.88.

### **Nick Watney**

Watney birdied the final hole for a back nine 39 and a 1-under 71. The birdie putt moved him to 9-under for the week and T4. Watney, the 2009 champion, now has five top-10 finishes in nine starts in this event. In addition to his win, he finished T9 in 2007 and 2010 and T6 in 2011.

#### Jimmy Walker

Walker missed a 13-foot birdie putt on his final hole and posted a 1-under 71 to win up T4, one place off his career-best finish - T3 at the 2010 Valero Texas Open.

Walker is off to the best start of his TOUR career. He finished T26 at the Sony Open in Hawaii and was T23 at the Humana Challenge last week.

#### Josh Teater

Teater, now in his fourth season on TOUR, tapped in a short birdie putt at No. 18 for a 3-under 69. His 10-under 278 total moved him into a tie for second place – his career-best finish on Tour. This was Teater's 96<sup>th</sup> career start. His previous best was a T3 at the 2010 Turning Stone Championship in his rookie year.

### **Rickie Fowler**

Fowler fired a 4-under 68 in the final round to wind up T6. Fowler has finished in the top-20 in each of his four appearances at Torrey Pines. He was T5 in 2010, T20 in 2011 and T13 last year.

Fowler's opening 77 was the highest first-round score of any player who made the 36-hole cut this week. The next highest scores of those who made the cut were 74s by Brendon de Jonge (T15) and Boo Weekley (T34).

Fowler's opening-round 77 matched his fourth-highest opening round score on TOUR but this was the first time he bounced back to make the cut. He carded a 79 in the first round of the 2010 British Open, a 78 to begin the 2009 U.S. Open and a 77 on the first day at THE PLAYERS Championship in 2011 but missed the cut in all of



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those events. His previous best "bounce back" came after an opening 75 at the 2012 Northern Trust Open, where he finished T62.

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### **Aaron Baddeley**

Baddeley closed with rounds of 68-69 to move into a tie for sixth place. His 7-under score over the final 36 holes was the best in the field this week.

#### **Brad Fritsch**

Fritsch, a Canadian-born TOUR rookie who now lives in North Carolina, birdied his final hole to finish T9 and earn a spot in next week's Waste Management Open in Phoenix. This was Fritsch's eighth career start on TOUR and his first top-10 finish. He started his year with a T36 at the Sony Open in Hawaii and a T65 at the Humana Challenge last week.

#### **Adam Hadwin**

Hadwin withdrew prior to the resumption of play Monday. He receives last-place money but it will not be "official" money.

# **Best Rounds - Round 4**

66 - Jason Day

67 - Robert Garrigus

68 - James Driscoll, Rickie Fowler, Jerry Kelly, Chez Reavie

### **Scoring Averages**

	R1	R2	R3	R4	Cumulative
North Course	70.064	71.293	-		70.667
South Course	71.731	73.117	73.287	72.442	72.655

### MISC. TOURNAMENT NOTES

On Saturday, the start of the third round was delayed three hours from 7:20 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. due to heavy fog. The fog rolled back in after five minutes and play was suspended at 10:25 a.m. Only two groups (six players) teed off on Saturday, one of the groups finished their first hole before play was suspended. Play was suspended for the day at 4 p.m. due to heavy fog and pending darkness.

On Sunday, the third round resumed as scheduled at 7 a.m. There was no repairing or 54-hole cut between the third and fourth rounds, even though 87 players made the 36-hole cut. The third-round was completed at 2:31 p.m. on Sunday. The final round began at 12:50 p.m. on Sunday. The final round was suspended due to darkness at 4:57 p.m. with all 87 players still on the course. The final round resumed Monday at 11:10 a.m.

#### Final-Round Leaderboard after play was suspended Sunday evening:

Tiger Woods -17, through 7 holes Brandt Snedeker -11, through 13 holes Nick Watney -11, through 8 holes

#### **Weather Notes**

There were no fog delays on TOUR in 2012, but there were five events that had fog delays in 2011 including the Tampa Bay Championship, Shell Houston Open, Wells Fargo Championship, Greenbrier Classic and Frys.com Open.

The last time the Farmers Insurance Open had a suspension of any kind was in 2005 when play was suspended from 12:47-4:15 p.m. on Friday due to fog. Play was halted for the day at 5:13 pm due to darkness. Fog prevented play from beginning until 10 a.m. on Saturday. Play was suspended again due to fog 12:45-2:46 p.m.

Going back to 1975, the Farmers Insurance Open has never had a 72-hole tournament finish on a day other than Sunday.

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In its history, the Farmers Insurance Open has had three weather-shortened events:

- In 1986, the Farmers Insurance Open was shortened to 54 holes after Saturday rain forced postponement of the third round. Officials elected to schedule 18 holes only Sunday (Bob Tway defeated Bernhard Langer with a par on the second playoff hole)
- In 1992, dense fog forced the cancellation of Saturday's third round of the Farmers Insurance Open. Weather permitted only 18 holes of play Sunday, and officials opted against a Monday finish (Steve Pate by 1 stroke over Chip Beck)
- Because of rain delays, players couldn't complete Friday's second round of the 1998 Farmers Insurance
  Open, with 146 players still on the course when officials called play for the day at 2:25 p.m. The second
  round ended Saturday at 11 a.m., with players playing four hours of golf Saturday. Seventy-five players
  still were on the course, needing to complete their rounds. Additional rain Sunday forced officials to
  shorten the event to 54 holes, with all players completing their rounds by mid-afternoon (Scott Simpson
  defeated Skip Kendall with a birdie on the first playoff hole).

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