

2014-15 Humana Challenge Broadcast Window & Pre-Tournament Notes



ShotLink Keys to Victory for Patrick Reed

Patrick Reed held the lead after every round at the Humana Challenge becoming just the second wire-to-wire winner of the event (Rik Massengale/1977). In the first 3 rounds, Reed got off to an amazing start posting 3 straight rounds of 63 coming within 1 shot of the PGA TOUR low 54-hole score of 188 recorded by Steve Stricker at the 2010 John Deere Classic and broke the 54-hole scoring record (score to par) at 27-under (best by 2 shots).

Reed shattered his career best 54-hole total by 11 shots (previous best was 200 at both the 2013 JDC & Wyndham Championship). Reed finished off the week with a 1 under par 71 in the final round, winning by 2 over Ryan Palmer.

Patrick Reed had all facets of his game working combining solid play tee-to-green with consistent putting and scoring. Reed averaged 305 yards off the tee (8th) and hit 57 of 72 greens in regulation ranking T-12. His play tee-to-green set up his scoring opportunities with his putter and his domination of the par 4's.

Patrick Reed vs. The Field

| Stat | Reed | Field Average |
|-----------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Driving Distance | 305.4 (8th) | 290.9 |
| Greens In Regulation | 79.17% (T12) | 71.54% |
| SG: Putting (Palmer Course) | +1.776 (11th) | --- |
| One-Putts | 48.61% (T14) | 42.45% |
| Birdie Average | 7.50 (1st) | 4.84 |
| Par 4 Performance | -11 (T1) | -3 |
| Par 4 Birdie % | 41.67% (1st) | 19.19% |
| Birdie or Better % | 44.44% (1st) | 28.17% |

Reed ranked 11th in strokes gained: putting outperforming the field by +1.776 strokes per round with his putter. Reed also 1-putted nearly 50% of his holes played (35 of 72).

Patrick averaged over 7 birdies per round ranking 1st in the field in birdie average. His average of 7.5 birdies was over 2 more than the field average of 4.84.

Par 4 Birdie or Better Leaders 2014 Humana Challenge

| Rank | Player | % | Par 4 Birdies or Better | Par 4 Holes |
|------|----------------|------|-------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | Patrick Reed | 41.7 | 15 | 36 |
| 2 | Chad Collins | 36.1 | 13 | 36 |
| 3 | Ryan Palmer | 33.3 | 12 | 36 |
| 3 | Justin Leonard | 33.3 | 12 | 36 |
| 3 | Ben Crane | 33.3 | 12 | 36 |

Reed dominated the par 4's making birdie on 15 of 36 par 4's played (41.7%) and played the par 4's a combined 11 under par ranking T-1st with Ben Crane (8 shots better on the par 4's than the field average of -3).

Field Average 19.19%

2013-14 Course & Hole Statistics

Palmer Course, Nicklaus Course & La Quinta CC

Courses with the Easiest Greens to Hit

| Rank | Course | % |
|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | Plantation Course at Kapalua | 77.8 |
| 2 | PGA West (Nicklaus) | 75.3 |
| 3 | TPC Summerlin | 74.8 |
| 4 | Torrey Pines (North) | 73.6 |
| 5 | PGA West (Palmer) | 71.7 |

Courses with the Easiest Greens to Hit Inside 125 Yards

| Rank | Course | % |
|------|------------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | PGA West (Palmer) | 88.68 |
| 2 | Plantation Course at Kapalua | 87.75 |
| 3 | Sedgefield CC | 87.21 |
| 4 | TPC Summerlin | 85.86 |
| 5 | Valhalla GC | 84.96 |

Courses with the Shortest Proximity to the Hole

| Rank | Course | Avg |
|------|--------------------------|---------------|
| 1 | PGA West (Palmer) | 32' 0" |
| 2 | CordeValle GC | 32' 4" |
| 3 | TPC Deere Run | 32' 5" |
| 4 | Muirfield Village GC | 32' 6" |
| 5 | Firestone CC (South) | 32' 7" |

Courses with the Highest Birdie or Better % - Inside 125 Yards

| Rank | Course | % |
|------|--------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | PGA West (Palmer) | 30.6 |
| 2 | Ridgewood CC | 27 |
| 3 | CordeValle GC | 26.4 |
| 4 | Muirfield Village GC | 26.2 |
| 5 | TPC Summerlin | 25.7 |

Courses with the Highest Birdie or Better % - Fairway

| Rank | Course | % |
|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | PGA West (Palmer) | 30.7 |
| 2 | Plantation Course at Kapalua | 27.4 |
| 3 | TPC Summerlin | 25.5 |
| 4 | Muirfield Village GC | 25.2 |
| 5 | TPC Deere Run | 24.2 |

Courses with the Highest Birdie or Better % - Rough

| Rank | Course | % |
|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | PGA West (Palmer) | 26.8 |
| 2 | Plantation Course at Kapalua | 20.8 |
| 3 | TPC Louisiana | 18.8 |
| 4 | TPC Summerlin | 18.2 |
| 5 | Riviera CC | 18 |

Courses with the Highest GFG - Birdie or Better %

| Rank | Course | % |
|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | PGA West (Palmer) | 68.3 |
| 2 | Waialae CC | 66.4 |
| 3 | Sedgefield CC | 65.4 |
| 4 | Plantation Course at Kapalua | 65.2 |
| 5 | Firestone CC (South) | 63.6 |

Courses with the Highest One-Putt %

| Rank | Course | % |
|------|------------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | JW Marriott, TPC San Antonio | 43.5 |
| 2 | La Quinta CC | 43.4 |
| 3 | TPC Southwind | 43.3 |
| 4 | PGA West (Palmer) | 43.2 |
| 5 | Harbour Town Golf Links | 42.7 |

Courses with the Shortest Scrambling Proximity to Hole

| Rank | Course | % |
|------|--------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | PGA West (Palmer) | 6' 5" |
| 2 | TPC Southwind | 7' 0" |
| 3 | Harbour Town Golf Links | 7' 2" |
| 4 | Waialae CC | 7' 8" |
| 5 | PGA National (Champion) | 7' 9" |

Courses with the Lowest Putts Per Green in Regulation

| Rank | Course | % |
|------|----------------------------|--------------|
| 1 | PGA West (Palmer) | 1.69 |
| 2 | PGA West (Nicklaus) | 1.704 |
| 3 | La Quinta CC | 1.71 |
| 4 | Muirfield Village GC | 1.727 |
| 5 | Sheshan International GC | 1.731 |

2013-14 Course & Hole Statistics

Palmer Course, Nicklaus Course & La Quinta CC

Easiest Courses on TOUR

| Rank | Course | Par | Yds | Avg Score | Avg O/U Par |
|------|------------------------------|-----|------|-----------|-------------|
| 1 | PGA West (Nicklaus) | 72 | 6924 | 68.819 | -3.181 |
| 2 | PGA West (Palmer) | 72 | 6950 | 68.962 | -3.038 |
| 3 | Plantation Course at Kapalua | 73 | 7452 | 70.583 | -2.417 |
| 4 | La Quinta CC | 72 | 7060 | 69.768 | -2.232 |
| 5 | Torrey Pines (North) | 72 | 7052 | 70.242 | -1.758 |

Courses with Most Eagles

| Rank | Course | Par | Yds | Avg Score | Eagle |
|------|--------------------------|-----|------|-----------|-------|
| 1 | TPC Deere Run | 71 | 7268 | 69.764 | 56 |
| 2 | PGA West (Palmer) | 72 | 6950 | 68.962 | 54 |
| 3 | TPC Summerlin | 71 | 7243 | 69.546 | 53 |
| 4 | Muirfield Village GC | 72 | 7392 | 71.898 | 51 |
| 5 | Royal Liverpool GC | 72 | 7312 | 72.767 | 48 |

Easiest Holes on TOUR

| Rank | Course | Hole | Par | Yds | Avg Score |
|------|------------------------------|------|-----|-----|-----------|
| 1 | Plantation Course at Kapalua | 5 | 5 | 532 | -0.85 |
| 2 | PGA West (Palmer) | 11 | 5 | 512 | -0.75 |
| 3 | PGA West (Nicklaus) | 13 | 5 | 528 | -0.74 |
| 4 | Riviera CC | 1 | 5 | 503 | -0.74 |
| 5 | PGA West (Nicklaus) | 4 | 5 | 538 | -0.7 |

Shortest Par 3 Proximity to the Hole

| Rank | Course | Hole | Par | Yardage | Avg |
|------|--------------------------|------|-----|---------|---------|
| 1 | PGA West (Palmer) | 17 | 3 | 130 | 19' 6" |
| 2 | Ridgewood CC | 15 | 3 | 155 | 20' 2" |
| 3 | PGA West (Palmer) | 15 | 3 | 156 | 22' 11" |
| 4 | Royal Montreal GC | 17 | 3 | 160 | 22' 7" |
| 5 | TPC Deere Run | 16 | 3 | 158 | 23' 2" |

Par 5's with the Highest Going for the Green Pct

| Rank | Course | Hole | Par | Yardage | % |
|------|------------------------------|------|-----|---------|------|
| 1 | Plantation Course at Kapalua | 5 | 5 | 532 | 100 |
| 2 | Riviera CC | 1 | 5 | 503 | 98.2 |
| 3 | Sedgefield CC | 5 | 5 | 529 | 91 |
| 4 | PGA West (Palmer) | 11 | 5 | 512 | 90.4 |
| 5 | PGA West (Palmer) | 2 | 5 | 514 | 89.5 |

Broadcast Window Notes

2014-15 Humana Challenge *(featured groups)*

Webb Simpson

Webb Simpson is making his 6th start at the Humana Challenge. Webb currently ranks 37th in the race for the FedExCup.

Webb Simpson Tee-to-Green Stats 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season

| Stat | Rank | Value |
|----------------------|------|--------|
| Strokes Gained: T2G | 8th | +1.87 |
| Greens In Regulation | T12 | 76.85% |
| Total Driving | 14th | 137 |
| Ball Striking | 2nd | 26 |

Webb Simpson currently ranks inside the top 15 in a number of different stats, including strokes gained: tee-to-green. Webb ranks 8th in strokes gained: tee-to-green, outperforming the TOUR by nearly 2 shots per round (+1.87).

2014-15 PGA TOUR Ball Striking Leaders

| Rank | Player | Value |
|----------|---------------------|-----------|
| 1 | Kevin Chappell | 9 |
| 2 | Webb Simpson | 26 |
| 3 | Francesco Molinari | 33 |
| 4 | Robert Allenby | 38 |
| 5 | Paul Casey | 40 |

Webb Simpson has improved his ball striking since the 2013-14 PGA TOUR season, going from 72nd to 2nd this season.

Chris Kirk

Chris Kirk makes his 5th appearance of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season and his 4th start at the Humana Challenge.

Chris Kirk Career in FedExCup

| Year | FedExCup Rank |
|-------------|-----------------------|
| 2014 | 2nd |
| 2013 | 34 th |
| 2012 | 49 th |
| 2011 | 42 nd |

Chris Kirk is coming off his best performance in the FedExCup. Chris finished 2nd in the FedExCup standings in 2014 making it to the TOUR Championship for the first time.

Kirk currently ranks 25th in the race for the FedExCup.

Chris Kirk has put together two solid final rounds in his last two starts shooting a final round 62 at the Hyundai TOC and a 64 at the Sony Open in Hawaii.

Chris Kirk Last 2 Events Final Round Scoring

| Event | Final Round Score | Movement From Round 3 to 4 |
|-------------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| Hyundai TOC | 62 | 33rd to T-14th |
| Sony Open | 64 | T-61st to T-26th |

Bill Haas

2010 Humana Challenge Champion, Bill Haas is making his 11th appearance at this event with 3 top 10's and 6 top 25 finishes at this event.

In 2 starts of the 2014-15 FedExCup season, Haas has 1 top 25 finish (T-22nd The McGladrey Classic) and currently ranks 127th in the FedExCup standings. Haas has played his last **31** rounds at the Humana Challenge under par.

Most Rounds in the 60's Since 2005 at Humana Challenge

| Player | # of Rounds |
|-----------------|-------------|
| Haas, Bill | 34 |
| Senden, John | 33 |
| Leonard, Justin | 30 |
| Davis, Brian | 27 |
| Gay, Brian | 26 |
| Na, Kevin | 25 |

Since 2005, Bill Haas has played 46 rounds at the Humana Challenge of those 46 rounds 34 of them have been in the 60's.

His 34 rounds in the 60's are the most of any player at this event.

Brandt Snedeker

Brandt is making his 7th start at the Humana Challenge. Snedeker has finished inside the top 10 in 2 of his last 5 starts at this event.

Brandt is coming off back-to-back top 10 finishes in his last 2 TOUR events. This is the first time he has finished inside the top 10 in back-to-back events since finishing 2nd at the WMPO and winning the AT&T Pebble Beach National Pro-am in the 2013 PGA TOUR season.

Brandt Snedeker is known for being one of the best putters on the PGA TOUR. Since his Rookie season in 2007, he has ranked inside the top 30 in Strokes Gained-Putting in 7 of his 8 years on TOUR. Snedeker is only 1 of just 4 players to have ranked inside the top 30 in this category in 7 of the last 8 seasons.

Brandt Snedeker Career SG-Putting Ranks

| Year | Rank |
|------|------|
| 2014 | 27th |
| 2013 | 4th |
| 2012 | 1st |
| 2011 | 10th |
| 2010 | 20th |
| 2009 | 4th |
| 2008 | 75th |
| 2007 | 12th |

Most years ranked inside top 30 in Strokes Gained: Putting since 2007

| Player | # of Years |
|------------------|------------|
| Snedeker, Brandt | 7 |
| Gay, Brian | 7 |
| Baddeley, Aaron | 7 |
| Donald, Luke | 7 |

Zach Johnson

Zach Johnson is making his 5th appearance at the Humana Challenge and is yet to finish outside of the top 25 in his 4 starts at this event.

Best Driving Accuracy Percentage at Humana Challenge Since 2012 (min 110 attempts)

| Player | % |
|----------------------|--------------|
| Duke, Ken | 80.5% |
| Johnson, Zach | 79.6% |
| Maggert, Jeff | 79.2% |
| Campbell, Chad | 75.7% |
| Toms, David | 75.2% |

Since 2012, Zach Johnson has hit 129 of a possible 162 (79.6%) fairways at the Humana Challenge. His 79.6% driving accuracy ranks 2nd during this timeframe.

Zach has been one of the most accurate players in driving accuracy in the last 11 seasons. Zach has ranked inside the top 30 in driving accuracy in 10 of the last 11 PGA TOUR seasons and has ranked inside the top 10 in 7 of the 11 seasons. The only year he was ranked outside of the top 30 was his 2nd year on TOUR in 2005 ranking 47th.

Ranked inside Top 10 in Driving Accuracy Since 2004

| Player | # of Years Ranked Inside Top 10 |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Slocum, Heath | 8 |
| Johnson, Zach | 7 |
| Durant, Joe | 7 |
| Furyk, Jim | 6 |

Ranked inside Top 30 in Driving Accuracy Since 2004

| Player | # of Years Ranked Inside Top 30 |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Johnson, Zach | 10 |
| Slocum, Heath | 10 |
| Furyk, Jim | 9 |
| Durant, Joe | 8 |
| Mayfair, Billy | 8 |
| Davis, Brian | 8 |

Luke Donald

Luke Donald is making his 1st Humana Challenge appearance and 3rd start of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season. Luke finished T-41st at the WGC-HSBC Champions & T-51st at the Sony Open in his first 2 starts.

Players Perfect (100%) in Putting from 3 Feet Since 2013 (min 300 attempts)

| Player | Total Putts | Putts Made |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Woodland, Gary | 1,681 | 1,681 |
| Donald, Luke | 1,008 | 1,008 |
| Wilcox, Will | 508 | 508 |
| Park, Jin | 473 | 473 |

Since 2013, Luke Donald is 1 of 4 players to be perfect inside of 3 feet. Donald has gone 1,008 putts from inside 3 feet without a miss.

Season Leaders – Strokes Gained: Putting In the ShotLink Era

| Year | Season Leader – SG: Putting | SG | TOUR Average |
|-------------|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2014 | McDowell, Graeme | +0.89 | --- |
| 2013 | Chalmers, Greg | +0.86 | --- |
| 2012 | Snedeker, Brandt | +0.86 | --- |
| 2011 | Donald, Luke | +0.84 | --- |
| 2010 | Donald, Luke | +0.87 | --- |
| 2009 | Donald, Luke | +0.93 | --- |
| 2008 | Pavin, Corey | +0.97 | --- |
| 2007 | Parnevik, Jesper | +0.97 | --- |
| 2006 | Crane, Ben | +0.99 | --- |
| 2005 | Crane, Ben | +0.93 | --- |
| 2004 | Scott, Adam | +0.88 | --- |

Luke Donald is the only player who has led in 3 seasons of Strokes Gained: Putting.

Donald has led 5 events in his career on TOUR in strokes gained: putting (since 2004).

Harris English

Harris English is making his 4th appearance at the Humana Challenge. Harris is making his 6th appearance of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season and currently ranks 30th in the FedExCup standings.

Par 5 Performance Leaders 2015 Sony Open

| Rank | Player | RTP |
|----------|-----------------------|-----------|
| 1 | Gary Woodland | -9 |
| 2 | Justin Thomas | -8 |
| 2 | Harris English | -8 |
| 2 | J.J. Henry | -8 |
| 2 | John Peterson | -8 |
| 2 | Jimmy Walker | -8 |

Harris English finished in T-3rd at last week's Sony Open in Hawaii. English played the 2 par 5's at Waialae CC at a combined 8 under par for the week ranking T-2nd in the field in par 5 performance.

Harris English made several improvements in his game in the 2014 PGA TOUR season. English went from 63rd in greens in regulation to 17th in the 2014 PGA TOUR season. English also improved his strokes gained: tee-to-green performance going from gaining a tenth of a stroke to nearly a full stroke on the TOUR in 2014.

Harris English 2013 vs 2014 PGA TOUR Season

| Stat | 2014 Rank | 2014 Stat | 2013 Rank | 2013 Stat |
|------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| Driving Distance | T26th | 299.2 | 35th | 295.2 |
| Greens in Regulation | 17th | 68.36% | 63rd | 66.02% |
| Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green | 26th | +0.704 | 87th | +0.077 |
| Scoring Average | 20th | 70.09 | 40th | 70.44 |
| Total Driving | 33rd | 132 | T64th | 164 |
| Ball Striking | 19th | 50 | 58th | 127 |

Keegan Bradley

Keegan is making his 2nd appearance of the 2014-15 FedExCup Season and his 3rd at the Humana Challenge. Last season Keegan finished T-18th at the Humana Challenge. Keegan currently ranks 207th in the 2014-15 FedExCup standings.

Since his Rookie season on TOUR in 2011, Keegan Bradley has ranked inside the top 15 in Total Driving in all 4 seasons. (Keegan is also 1 of 6 players to rank inside the top 20 in driving distance in the last 4 seasons (R. Garrigus, B. Watson, D. Johnson, J. Day, G. Woodland)).

Keegan Bradley Total Driving Since 2011

| Year | Driving Distance | Driving Accuracy | Total Driving Rank |
|------|------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| 2014 | 302.2 | 62.36% | 8th |
| 2013 | 300.6 | 62.82% | 2nd |
| 2012 | 302.7 | 61.65% | T11 |
| 2011 | 300.7 | 61.50% | T12 |

Keegan is 1 of 2 players on TOUR to rank inside the top 15 in Total Driving the last 4 seasons (Boo Weekley).

Par 5 Performance (from 2011-2014)

| Player | RTP |
|------------------------|-------------|
| de Jonge, Brendon | -512 |
| Howell III, Charles | -510 |
| Tringale, Cameron | -442 |
| Simpson, Webb | -438 |
| Bradley, Keegan | -434 |

Since 2011, Keegan Bradley has played the par 5's on TOUR a combined 434 under par. His 434 under par relative to par score ranks 5th best during this timeframe.

Jason Dufner

In his 2 starts of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season, Jason Dufner finished T-26th at the CIMB Classic & T-10th at the WGC-HSBC Champions. Dufner currently ranks 81st in the FedExCup standings.

Driving Accuracy Leaders 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season

| Rank | Player | % |
|----------|---------------------|--------------|
| 1 | David Toms | 78.57 |
| 2 | K.J. Choi | 75.89 |
| 2 | Jason Dufner | 75.89 |
| 2 | Jason Knutzon | 75.89 |
| 2 | Steven Alker | 75.89 |

Jason Dufner currently ranks T-2nd in driving accuracy in the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season hitting 75.89% of his fairways.

Patrick Reed

Defending Champion Patrick Reed makes his 3rd appearance at the Humana Challenge and currently ranks 7th in the FedExCup standings. Patrick is coming off of his 4th PGA TOUR victory at the Hyundai Tournament of Champions.

Patrick Reed ranked 1st in strokes gained: tee-to-green, marking the 4th straight winner of the Hyundai TOC to accomplish this feat. Reed outperformed the field by an average of +1.988 strokes per round in strokes gained: tee-to-green.

Last 4 Hyundai TOC Champions Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green Stats

| Year | Player | Rank | Average |
|-------------|---------------------|----------|---------------|
| 2015 | Patrick Reed | 1 | +1.988 |
| 2014 | Johnson, Zach | 1 | +2.316 |
| 2013 | Johnson, Dustin | 1 | +3.488 |
| 2012 | Stricker, Steve | 1 | +2.467 |

Patrick Reed Career Fewest # of Bogeys in a PGA TOUR Event (when making cut)

| Year | Tournament | Finish Position | # of Bogeys |
|-------------|----------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| 2015 | Hyundai TOC | Won | 3 |
| 2014 | Humana Challenge | Won | 6 |
| 2014 | The Barclays | 9th | 6 |
| 2014 | Wyndham Championship | 24th | 7 |
| 2013 | AT&T Pebble Beach | 7th | 7 |

Patrick Reed only made 3 bogeys en route to victory at the Hyundai TOC, including a streak of 44 consecutive holes without a bogey heading into the 17th hole in round 4.

In 2013-14 PGA TOUR season, Patrick Reed ranked 4th in putting from inside 10 feet. Reed went 1,192 of 1,332 from this distance (89.49%).

Putting Inside 10 Feet Leaders 2013-14 PGA TOUR Season

| Rank | Player | % Made |
|----------|---------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Luke Donald | 90.48 |
| 2 | Greg Chalmers | 90.08 |
| 3 | Graeme McDowell | 89.57 |
| 4 | Patrick Reed | 89.49 |
| 5 | Billy Horschel | 89.37 |

Matt Kuchar

Matt Kuchar makes his 5th start of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season. Matt makes his 8th start at the Humana Challenge carding 2 top 10's (2010 & 2011) and 5 top 25's in Palm Springs.

Matt Kuchar had his best finish in this young 2014-15 PGA TOUR season at last week's Sony Open in Hawaii finishing T-3rd marking his 49th top 10 since the start of the 2010 PGA TOUR season. Kuchar had an unusual final round shooting a 1 over par 71 without carding a single birdie. This marked Kuchar's 20th career round without a single birdie and first since the 2012 Valspar Championship (round 1).

FedExCup Ranks Since 2010

| Year | FEC Finish |
|-----------|------------|
| Currently | 21st |
| 2014 | 8th |
| 2013 | 6th |
| 2012 | 18th |
| 2011 | 6th |
| 2010 | 2nd |

Matt Kuchar currently ranks 21st in the FedExCup standings and is in search of his 6th consecutive trip to the TOUR Championship.

Kuchar has ranked inside of the top 10 in the FedExCup standings in 4 of the last 5 PGA TOUR seasons.

Matt Kuchar Career Driving Accuracy (Since 2007)

| Year | Driving Accuracy |
|-------------|-----------------------|
| 2014 | 67.37% (20th) |
| 2013 | 58.93% (124th) |
| 2012 | 65.06% (42nd) |
| 2011 | 64.75% (52nd) |
| 2010 | 67.89% (39th) |
| 2009 | 65.99% (66th) |
| 2008 | 65.53% (73rd) |
| 2007 | 66.20% (56th) |

Since 2007, Matt Kuchar has not ranked inside the top 25 in driving accuracy on TOUR.

In 2013, Kuchar ranked 124th on TOUR hitting 716 of 1,215 possible fairways. However in 2014, Kuchar made a big improvement in driving accuracy ranking 20th hitting 830 of 1,232 possible fairways.

Most Improved Driving Accuracy Ranks 2013 to 2014

| Player | 2013 Rank | 2014 Rank | Improvement |
|--------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| Shawn Stefani | 164th | 53rd | +111 |
| Matt Kuchar | 124th | 20th | +104 |
| John Merrick | 104th | 15th | +89 |
| Ben Crane | 95th | 29th | +66 |
| Andrew Svoboda | 97th | 31st | +66 |
| Chad Campbell | 100th | 35th | +65 |

Matt Kuchar is the 2nd most improved in driving accuracy on TOUR since the 2013 PGA TOUR season. Kuchar went from 124th on TOUR in 2013 to 20th in 2014 improving 104 positions in driving accuracy.

Billy Horschel

Billy is coming off a T-22nd finish at his last event the Hyundai Tournament of Champions. Horschel makes his 5th Humana Challenge appearance with his best finish coming in 2013, T-10th.

Billy Horschel is playing a little more aggressively at the start of this season compared to last season. Horschel ranked 45th in going for the green last season (55.82%). However, this season Billy is playing more aggressively going for the green 87.88% of the time ranking T-2nd on TOUR.

Billy Horschel Going for the Green 2013-14 vs 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season

| Year | Rank | Value |
|----------------|-----------|---------------|
| 2013-14 | 45th | 55.82% |
| 2014-15 | T2 | 87.88% |

Going for the Green Leaders 2014-15 PGA TOUR

| Rank | Player | % |
|----------|-----------------------|--------------|
| 1 | Gary Woodland | 91.67 |
| 2 | Billy Horschel | 87.88 |
| 2 | Brooks Koepka | 87.88 |
| 4 | Bill Haas | 87.5 |
| 4 | Andy Pope | 87.5 |

Billy Horschel On and Around the Greens Ranks Comparison 2013-14 Season

| Stat | Regular Season | Playoffs |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| Scrambling | 163 rd | 9th |
| Strokes Gained: Putting | 110 th | 4th |
| 3-Putt Avoidance | 145 th | T30 |
| Putting from inside 5 feet | 94 th | 2nd |
| Putting from outside 20 feet | 166 th | 20th |
| Average Distance of Putts made | T144 | 2nd |

Billy Horschel peaked at the right time in the 2013-14 TOUR season. His play improved from on and around the greens in a number of stats from the regular season compared to his Playoff performance.

Phil Mickelson

2-time Humana Challenge Champion (2002 & 20004), Phil Mickelson makes his 12th appearance at this event and hasn't missed a cut in his last 9 starts.

Phil Mickelson Career FedExCup Ranks

| Year | FEC Finish |
|-------------|-------------|
| 2014 | 68th |
| 2013 | 9th |
| 2012 | 5th |
| 2011 | 15th |
| 2010 | 13th |
| 2009 | 2nd |
| 2008 | 7th |
| 2007 | 3rd |

As well documented, Phil Mickelson missed qualifying for the TOUR Championship for the first time in FedExCup existence.

The closest Mickelson has come to claiming the FedExCup trophy was in 2009 where he finished 2nd in the final standings to Tiger Woods.

Phil Mickelson is coming off a season where he had his least number of top 10 finishes in his career as a professional.

Mickelson seeks to get back to the top of a few statistical categories that helped him to 2 wins and 7 top 10's in the 2013 PGA TOUR season.

Phil Mickelson Key Stats 2013 vs 2013-14 PGA TOUR Season

| Stat | 2013 Rank | 2013 Value | 2014 Rank | 2014 Value |
|------------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green | 25th | +.705 | T43 | +.471 |
| Strokes Gained: Putting | T5 | +.656 | 50th | +.249 |
| Birdie Average | 1st | 4.22 | T26 | 3.75 |
| Scoring Average | 12th | 69.74 | 35th | 70.27 |