

## 2015 The Honda Classic Broadcast Window & Pre-Tournament Notes



### ShotLink Keys to Victory for Russell Henley

Henley was solid from tee to green ranking 10th in driving distance averaging 298 yards off the tee (13 yards further than field average of 285 yards) and ranked T-26th in greens in regulation hitting 47 of 72 (65.28%) for the week. In round 3, Henley holed out from 150 yards for eagle 2 on the par 4 – 14<sup>th</sup> hole marking just the 2<sup>nd</sup> player to make eagle on the 14<sup>th</sup> hole at PGA National (Brett Quigley in the 3<sup>rd</sup> round of the 2008 Honda Classic) since 2007.

**Back 9 vs Front 9 PGA National:** The front 9 at PGA National played to an average score of 35.00 strokes and the back 9 played nearly a half a stroke more at 35.41 strokes. However, Russell Henley played the back 9 at PGA National 8 strokes better than his front 9.

#### Russell Henley Front 9 vs Back 9 at PGA National (Champion)

Stat	Front 9	Back 9
Eagles	0	1
Birdies	3	12
SG: Putting Total	-2.667	+4.280
One-Putts	11	16
Total Feet of Putts Made	110'6"	161'3"
Score to Par (RTP)	E	-8

On the front 9, Henley made 3 birdies and 3 bogeys playing the front 9 at Even par. However, on the back 9 Henley made 1 eagle and 12 birdies playing the inward 9 at 8 under par.

In strokes gained: putting he lost over 2 strokes to the field with his putter and made 110' 6" of total putts on the front 9. On the back 9, Henley was nearly 7 strokes better than his front 9 in strokes gained: putting +4.280.

Russell Henley outperformed the field at the Honda Classic by over 8 shots on the back 9 averaging 33.00 compared to the field average of 35.41. His 8 under par total matched Rory McIlroy's 2012 total on the back 9 at PGA National for the lowest back 9 cumulative score of 132 (since 2007).

#### Back 9 Scoring Leaders 2014 The Honda Classic

Rank	Player	Avg	RTP
1	Russell Henley	33.00	-8
2	Stuart Appleby	33.50	-6
T3	Sergio Garcia	33.75	-5
T3	Daniel Summerhays	33.75	-5

#### Most Under Par on the Back 9 The Honda Classic Since 2007

Year	Player	Back 9 RTP
2014	Russell Henley	-8
2012	Rory McIlroy	-8
2014	Stuart Appleby	-6
2012	Tom Gillis	-6
2011	Y.E. Yang	-6

## 2013-14 Course & Hole Statistics PGA National (Champion)

### Courses with the Lowest % of Drives Over 300 Yards

Rank	Course	%
1	Harbour Town Golf Links	2.6
2	Pebble Beach Golf Links	8.39
3	Seaside Course	8.63
4	<b>PGA National (Champion)</b>	<b>9.86</b>
5	PGA West (Palmer)	10.9

### 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	<b>PGA National (Champion)</b>	<b>7' 9"</b>

### Courses with the Easiest Greenside Bunkers

Rank	Course	%
1	East Lake GC	59.9
2	Royal Montreal GC(Blue Course)	58.5
3	Colonial CC	58.3
4	<b>PGA National (Champion)</b>	<b>58.0</b>
5	La Quinta CC	57.2

### 2013-14 PGA TOUR On the Green Stats PGA National (Champion)

Stat	Rank	Value
Lowest 3-Putt %	<b>3rd</b>	2.1%
Highest % 5-10'	<b>1st</b>	59.5%
Highest % Inside 10'	<b>2nd</b>	88.8%
Highest Putting % 5-15'	<b>2nd</b>	49.3%
Highest Putting % 15-20'	<b>2nd</b>	21.9%

PGA National Champion Course ranked in the top 3 in a number of on the green statistics last season, including putting from 5 to 10 feet (59.5%).

### Toughest Par 4's on TOUR (Non-Majors)

Rank	Course	Hole	Yds	Avg Score
1	Cherry Hills CC	5	526	4.483
2	Congressional CC	11	489	4.482
3	Pebble Beach Golf Links	10	446	4.463
4	Quail Hollow Club	18	493	4.452
5	<b>PGA National (Champion)</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>4.442</b>

### Holes with the Easiest Greenside Bunkers (Min of 10 Attempts)

Rank	Course	Hole	Par	Yardage	%
1	Sedgefield CC	3	3	174	90
2	TPC River Highlands	17	4	420	90
3	Sheshan International GC	14	5	594	81.8
4	TPC River Highlands	2	4	341	79
5	<b>PGA National (Champion)</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>78.8</b>

## Broadcast Window Notes

### 2015 The Honda Classic *(featured groups)*

#### Rory McIlroy

2013-14 PGA TOUR Player of the Year, Rory McIlroy makes his 2014-15 PGA TOUR season debut at the Honda Classic. The 2012 Honda Classic Champion and 2014 runner-up is set to make his 7th appearance at this event.

#### Rory McIlroy Career at Honda Classic

Year	Finish	Score to Par
2014	T2	-8
2013	W/D	--
<b>2012</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-12</b>
2011	T70	+16
2010	T40	+4
2009	T13	-2
Scoring Average	69.9	

Since 2009, Rory has played 6 events playing 21 rounds: 1 win, 1 second and 3 top twenty-five place finishes.

Rory McIlroy has the 10th lowest scoring average (69.9) among players with 12 or more rounds since 2009 at PGA National (Champion).

In 21 rounds on the Champion Course at PGA National, Rory McIlroy has a combined score of 13 over par on the "Bear Trap" (holes 15-17).

#### Rory McIlroy Career on the Bear Trap

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	15 of 21	14 of 21	9 of 21	38/63 (60.3%)
Balls In Water	3	2	3	8
Score to Par	+2	+3	+8	+13

#### Rory McIlroy Years 2009-2011 vs 2012-2014 on the Bear Trap

Stat	2009-2011	2012-14
Rounds	12	<b>9</b>
Birdies	2	<b>6</b>
Pars	23	<b>19</b>
Bogeys	6	<b>1</b>
Doubles+	5	<b>1</b>
<b>Score to Par</b>	<b>+16</b>	<b>-3</b>

Rory had a rough start on the Bear Trap in his first few years making 5 doubles or worse in 12 rounds playing the Bear Trap a combined 16 over par. However, since his first 12 rounds he has only made 1 double or worse and has played the Bear Trap a combined 3 under par.

Rory has played a total of 756 different holes in his career on the PGA TOUR. Of those 756 holes he is over par on only 267 of them.

#### Rory McIlroy Toughest Holes on TOUR

Course	Hole	Score to Par
Augusta National GC	10	+12
<b>PGA National (Champion)</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>+10</b>
<b>PGA National (Champion)</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>+8</b>
Turnberry (Ailsa)	8	+7
TPC Blue Monster at Doral	4	+7
Augusta National GC	7	+7
Augusta National GC	1	+7

Rory is 10 over par on the 6th hole and 8 over par on the 17th hole at PGA National (Champion).

Holes 6 and 17 at PGA National (Champion) are two of his top three toughest holes on the PGA TOUR. He has played these two holes at a combined 18 over par.

## 2013-14 Approach the Green Analysis

Rory McIlroy's greens in regulation numbers improved over the past 3 years on the PGA TOUR. Last season marked the first time in Rory's career where he ranked inside the top 10 for greens in regulation for a single season.

Stat	2014		2013		2012	
	Rank	Stat	Rank	Stat	Rank	Stat
Greens in Regulation Percentage	6 <sup>th</sup>	69.44%	86 <sup>th</sup>	65.5%	60 <sup>th</sup>	66.4%
Proximity to Hole	T-31	34' 4"	T-115	35' 6"	T-5	33' 0"
Birdie or Better Pct – From Fairway	1 <sup>st</sup>	28.8%	9 <sup>th</sup>	25.5%	1 <sup>st</sup>	29.4%
Birdie or Better Pct – From Rough	1 <sup>st</sup>	23.2%	3 <sup>rd</sup>	22.1%	22 <sup>nd</sup>	17.8%
Approaches from > 200 yards	3 <sup>rd</sup>	44' 0"	T-83	50' 0"	2 <sup>nd</sup>	42' 2"
Birdie Pct – from > 200 yards	1 <sup>st</sup>	40.8%	T-27	33.3%	3 <sup>rd</sup>	39.2%

### Birdie Pct - From Fairway 2013-14 Season

Rank	Player	%
1	Rory McIlroy	28.79
2	Adam Scott	27.14
3	Paul Casey	25.90
4	Dustin Johnson	25.78
5	Robert Garrigus	25.24

TOUR Average: 20.8%

### Birdie Pct - From Rough 2013-14 Season

Rank	Player	%
1	Rory McIlroy	23.24
2	Henrik Stenson	21.00
3	Angel Cabrera	20.80
4	Ryan Palmer	19.85
5	Jimmy Walker	19.75

TOUR Average: 13.5%

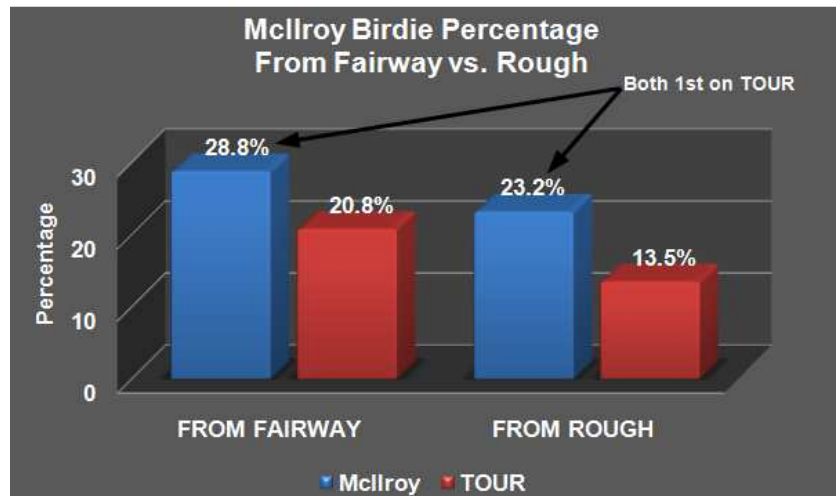
### Birdie Pct - Outside 200 yards 2013-14 Season

Rank	Player	%
1	Rory McIlroy	40.77
2	Adam Scott	37.25
3	Jimmy Walker	36.72
4	Charl Schwartzel	35.98
5	Charley Hoffman	35.28

TOUR Average: 26.5%

**1<sup>st</sup> from both Fairway & Rough:** Rory McIlroy ranked 1<sup>st</sup> on TOUR in 2013-14 for birdie or better percentage from both the rough and the fairway becoming the first player in the ShotLink Era to accomplish this feat.

From the fairway, Rory made birdie or better nearly 29% of the time. From the rough, he made birdie or better over 23% of the time during the 2013-14 season.



## 2013-14 Around the Green Analysis

During the 2013-14 PGA TOUR season, Rory McIlroy was the 3<sup>rd</sup> best player on TOUR when scrambling from the rough.

### Scrambling from the Rough 2013-14 Season

Rank	Player	%
1	Jim Furyk	70.21
2	Jason Day	70.11
3	Rory McIlroy	66.00
4	Justin Leonard	64.77
5	Zach Johnson	63.89

Rory McIlroy missed 100 greens in regulation that found greenside rough during his 2013-14 season. He successfully salvaged par or better 66 times ranking 3<sup>rd</sup> on TOUR when scrambling from the rough.

## 2013-14 On the Greens Analysis

### Highest % of Putts Made Over 25 Feet (PGA TOUR Since 2003)

Year	Player	% Made
2014	Mcllroy, Rory	11.7%
2012	Crane, Ben	10.9%
2003	Damron, Robert	10.8%
2005	Anderson, Chris	10.6%
2008	Pavin, Corey	10.5%

Rory Mcllroy made 22 of 188 attempts from outside 25 feet during the 2013-14 PGA TOUR season. His 11.7% make percentage marks the highest single season performance recorded in the ShotLink Era (since 2003).

### Highest Birdie Conversion Percentage in a Single Season (PGA TOUR Since 2003)

Year	Player	%	# Birdies	Greens Hit
2014	Mcllroy, Rory	36.84	294	798
2005	Woods, Tiger	36.56	340	930
2009	Kim, Anthony	35.77	298	833
2005	Mickelson, Phil	35.70	317	888
2006	Mickelson, Phil	35.66	302	847

Mcllroy converted 294 birdies after hitting 798 greens in regulation last season. His 36.84% birdie conversion percentage is the highest single season performance in the ShotLink era (since 2003).

## 2013-14 Scoring Analysis

Rory led the 2013-14 PGA TOUR for round 1 scoring average for the 2<sup>nd</sup> time in the last 3 years on TOUR.

**Par 4 Dominance:** Mcllroy led the TOUR for both par 4 scoring average and par 4 birdies or better percentage during the 2013-14 PGA TOUR season.

Stat	2014		2013		2012	
	Rank	Stat	Rank	Stat	Rank	Stat
Par 4 Scoring Average	1 <sup>st</sup>	3.94	T-81	4.06	T-16	4.02
Par 4 Birdie or Better Leaders	1 <sup>st</sup>	22.69%	6 <sup>th</sup>	19.32%	9 <sup>th</sup>	18.75%
Par 5 Scoring Average	T-5	4.55	T-91	4.69	1 <sup>st</sup>	4.49
Par 5 Birdie or Better Leaders	3 <sup>rd</sup>	50.98%	71 <sup>st</sup>	42.22%	1 <sup>st</sup>	53.05%

### Going for the Green % 2013-14 Season

Rank	Player	%
1	Mcllroy, Rory	76.14
2	Johnson, Dustin	71.83
3	Lovemark, Jamie	69.74
4	Watson, Bubba	67.51
5	Scott, Adam	66.84

**Most Aggressive Player on TOUR:** Rory Mcllroy ranked 1<sup>st</sup> on TOUR during the 2013-14 season going for the green 76.14% of the time.

## Dustin Johnson

Dustin Johnson is coming off a T-4th at the AT&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am and a T-2nd place finish (lost in 3 man playoff) at last week's Northern Trust Open.

In his last 8 rounds on TOUR, Dustin is a combined 23 under par and has played 7 of the 8 rounds under par and 6 of the 8 in the 60's.

Dustin Johnson led the field in several categories at the Northern Trust Open including driving distance strokes gained: tee-to-green and proximity to the hole. Dustin outperformed the field by over 3 shots per round in strokes gained: tee-to-green and averaged 10 feet closer to the hole (30' 8") than the field average of 40' 8" in proximity to the hole.

### **Dustin Johnson Stats AT&T Pebble Beach and Northern Trust Open**

Stat	Pebble Rank	Pebble Value	NTO Rank	NTO Value
Driving Distance	6th	313.6	<b>1st</b>	<b>314.9</b>
Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green	15th	+1.16*	<b>1st</b>	<b>+3.15</b>
Proximity to Hole	29th	28' 5"	<b>1st</b>	<b>30' 8"</b>

\*2 rounds without lasers

In 6 rounds on the Champion Course at PGA National, Dustin Johnson has a combined score of 7 over par on the "Bear Trap" holes 15-17.

### **Dustin Johnson Career on the Bear Trap**

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	4 of 6	2 of 6	2 of 6	8/18 (44.4%)
Balls In Water	0	1	0	1
Score to Par	Even	+5	+2	+7

## Brooks Koepka

Brooks Koepka currently ranks 10th in the race for the FedExCup on the strength of 1 win (WMPO) and 3 top 10 finishes. Brooks is set to make his 2nd Honda Classic appearance.

### **Brooks Koepka Career on the Bear Trap**

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	3 of 4	3 of 4	4 of 4	10/12 (83.3%)
Balls In Water	0	0	0	0
Score to Par	Even	-1	-1	-2

Brooks Koepka currently ranks 2nd in scoring average on TOUR with a 69.3 average in his 16 rounds played. In strokes gained: tee-to-green, Brooks is outperforming the field by +1.62 strokes per round.

### **2014-15 PGA TOUR Scoring Average Leaders**

Rank	Player	Avg
1	Webb Simpson	69.23
<b>2</b>	<b>Brooks Koepka</b>	<b>69.34</b>
3	Dustin Johnson	69.37
4	Jason Day	69.41
5	Bubba Watson	69.46

### **2014-15 PGA TOUR Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green Leaders**

Rank	Player	Average
1	Will MacKenzie	+1.99
2	Lee Westwood	+1.94
3	Dustin Johnson	+1.83
4	Charl Schwartzel	+1.71
<b>5</b>	<b>Brooks Koepka</b>	<b>+1.62</b>

## Justin Rose

Justin Rose is set to make his 3rd start of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season. Justin has finished inside the top 5 in his last 3 starts of the Honda Classic.

In his 18 rounds on PGA National (Champion) he has played the Bear Trap at a combined 6 over par. The most success he has had on the Bear Trap is the 16th hole making 3 birdies, 14 pars and 1 double bogey.

### Justin Rose Career on the Bear Trap

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	9 of 18	14 of 18	7 of 18	30/54 (55.5%)
Balls In Water	2	1	0	3
Score to Par	+3	-1	+4	+6

In the 2013 PGA TOUR season, Justin Rose made a total of 3 eagles making 1 eagle per 360 holes played on TOUR. However, in the 2013-14 PGA TOUR season Rose made a total of 12 eagles making 1 eagle in every 102 holes played on TOUR.

### Justin Rose Total Eagles 2013 vs 2013-14

Stat	2013	2013-14
Total Eagles	3	12
Eagles (holes per)	360	102

**Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green:** Known as one of the best ball strikers on TOUR. Justin Rose has ranked 1st (2013 season) and 4th (2013-14 season) in strokes gained: tee-to-green in the last 2 PGA TOUR seasons. In the last 2 TOUR seasons, Rose has outperformed the TOUR by **+1.70** strokes per round in strokes gained: tee-to-green (+166.28 total strokes in 98 measured rounds).

### Best Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green Average 2013 thru 2013-14 PGA TOUR Season

Player	Average	Measured Rounds
Justin Rose	<b>+1.70</b>	<b>98</b>
Tiger Woods	+1.60	43
Rory McIlroy	+1.57	89
Jim Furyk	+1.48	130
Hideki Matsuyama	+1.47	64



### **Patrick Reed**

The #16 player in the world, Patrick Reed currently ranks 11th in the race for the FedExCup. After Reed's victory at the Hyundai TOC he has made 3 straight cuts with his highest finish being a T-24th at the Humana Challenge.

Patrick is set to make his 3rd start at the Honda Classic finishing T-24th in 2014 & T-58th in 2013. In 8 rounds at PGA National (Champion) he has played holes 15-17 at a combined 8 over par. Reed has hit 62.5% of his greens in regulation on the Bear Trap hitting 15 of 24.

#### **Patrick Reed Career on the Bear Trap**

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	5 of 8	5 of 8	5 of 8	15/24 (62.5%)
Balls In Water	1	2	1	4
Score to Par	+3	+3	+2	+8

Since the start of the 2013 PGA TOUR season, Patrick Reed has ranked no better than 157th on TOUR in driving accuracy. However, he has found a way to make birdie or better from the rough over 30% of the time this season.

#### **Patrick Reed Driving Accuracy and Birdie or Better % from Rough since 2013**

Stat	2013	2014	This Season
Driving Accuracy	56.1% (157th)	55.6% (158th)	<b>54.8% (170th)</b>
Birdie or Better % from Rough	17.6% (25th)	15.6% (39th)	<b>31.7% (1st)</b>

### **Billy Horschel**

The 2014 FedExCup Champion Billy Horschel is set to make his 4th Honda Classic appearance. In his 3 starts he has 2 missed cuts (2011 & 2014) and a T-46th place finish in 2013.

#### **Billy Horschel Career on the Bear Trap**

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	6 of 8	4 of 8	3 of 8	13/24 (54.1%)
Balls In Water	2	1	1	4
Score to Par	+1	+1	+4	+6

Billy Horschel is playing a more aggressively this season compared to last season. In 2013-14, Horschel ranked 45<sup>th</sup> on the PGA TOUR when going for the green (55.82%). However this season, Horschel is playing more aggressively going for the green 76.06% of the time ranking 4th on TOUR in this category.

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

Year	Rank	Value
2013-14	45th	55.82%
<b>2014-15</b>	<b>4th</b>	<b>76.06%</b>

#### **Going for the Green Leaders 2014-15 PGA TOUR**

Rank	Player	%
1	Bubba Watson	80.70
2	Paul Casey	78.38
3	Brooks Koepka	77.05
<b>4</b>	<b>Billy Horschel</b>	<b>76.06</b>
5	Tony Finau	75.68



### Phil Mickelson

Phil Mickelson is set to make his 4th start of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season and 5th at the Honda Classic. Phil has only played 1 event at the Honda classic (missed cut in 2014) since the switch to PGA National (Champion) in 2007.

#### Phil Mickelson Career on the Bear Trap

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	2 of 2	1 of 2	0 of 2	3/6 (50.0%)
Balls In Water	0	0	0	0
Score to Par	Even	+2	Even	+2

#### Highest Birdie Average Since 2012 PGA TOUR Season (min 200 Rounds)

Player	Birdie Average
Mickelson, Phil	4.0
Palmer, Ryan	3.9
Walker, Jimmy	3.9
Simpson, Webb	3.9
Garrigus, Robert	3.9

Since the start of the 2012 PGA TOUR season, no one averages more birdies per round than Phil Mickelson. In 228 rounds on TOUR from (2012 thru 2013-14) Phil has made 907 birdies.

### Sergio Garcia

Sergio Garcia is coming off a T-4th place finish at the Northern Trust Open and is set to make his 5th start at the Honda Classic. In 4 starts at the Honda Classic, Sergio has made all 4 cuts with his best finish coming last season where he finished T-8th.

When facing the Bear Trap, Sergio has hit 31 of 48 (64.5%) greens in regulation.

#### Sergio Garcia Career on the Bear Trap

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	13 of 16	8 of 16	10 of 16	31/48 (64.5%)
Balls In Water	1	1	2	4
Score to Par	+2	+5	+1	+8

#### 2014-15 PGA TOUR Strokes Gained: Putting Leaders

Rank	Player	Average
1	Sergio Garcia	+1.60
2	Freddie Jacobson	+1.50
3	Vaughn Taylor	+1.29
4	Jamie Donaldson	+1.23
5	Aaron Baddeley	+0.92

Sergio currently leads the TOUR in strokes gained: putting outperforming the field by +1.60 strokes per round with his putter.

#### Sergio Garcia Strokes Gained: Putting Since 2010

Year	Rank	Value
2015	1st	+1.60
2014	61st	+0.16
2013	9th	+0.61
2011	26th	+0.39
2010	144th	-0.19
2009	160th	-0.36

Sergio has improved his putting dramatically since 2009, going from losing strokes and ranking 160th to currently 1st this season gaining over a stroke per round on the greens.

### Martin Kaymer

Martin Kaymer is set to make his 2nd appearance of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season and 3rd at the Honda Classic.

In 6 rounds at PGA National (Champion), Martin Kaymer has played the Bear Trap at 3 over par and has hit 55.5% of his greens in regulation.

#### Martin Kaymer Career on the Bear Trap

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	3 of 6	4 of 6	3 of 6	10/18 (55.5%)
Balls In Water	1	0	0	1
Score to Par	+1	+1	+1	+3

### Rickie Fowler

Rickie Fowler had his career best finish in the FedExCup in 2013-14 PGA TOUR season finishing 9th. This season, Rickie got off to a fast start finishing T-3rd at the WGC-HSBC Champions and since has cooled down finishing T-46th at the Waste Management Phoenix Open and T-61st at the Farmers Insurance Open in his three starts this season.

#### Rickie Fowler Career FedExCup Finishes

Year	FEC Finish
Currently	91st
<b>2014</b>	<b>9th</b>
2013	38th
2012	28th
2011	43rd
2010	32nd

Rickie Fowler is set to make his 5th start at the Honda Classic and has had some success in his last 3 starts compared to his first 2.

#### Rickie Fowler Career at The Honda Classic

Year	Finish
<b>2014</b>	<b>T24</b>
<b>2013</b>	<b>T13</b>
<b>2012</b>	<b>T7</b>
2011	CUT
2010	CUT

#### Rickie Fowler First 2 Starts vs Last 3

Stat	First 2 Starts	Last 3 Starts
Top 10	0	1
Top 25	0	3
Missed Cut	2	0
<b>Scoring Average</b>	<b>73.0</b>	<b>69.2</b>

#### Rickie Fowler Career on the Bear Trap

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	9 of 16	8 of 16	6 of 16	23/48 (47.9%)
Balls In Water	1	1	2	4
Score to Par	+4	+6	Even	+10

## Russell Henley

Defending Champion, Russell Henley has played solid at this venue finishing T-13th in his only other start at this event in 2013.

Henley has had a lot of success at PGA National (Champion), especially on the Bear Trap. Henley has played holes 15-17 at a combined 4 under par in 8 rounds.

### Russell Henley Career on the Bear Trap

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	7 of 8	7 of 8	4 of 8	18/24 (75.0%)
Balls In Water	1	0	0	1
Score to Par	Even	-2	-2	-4

### Scoring Leaders - The Bear Trap (2007-2014 min of 6 rounds)

Player	Score to Par	Rounds
<b>Russell Henley</b>	<b>-4</b>	<b>8</b>
Henrik Bjornstad	-4	6
Troy Merritt	-2	6
Arron Oberholser	-2	8
Sang-Moon Bae	-2	6
Padraig Harrington	-2	14

No one (of players with at least 6 competitive rounds) has a better history on holes 15 thru 17 than Russell Henley (-4) and Henrik Bjornstad (-4) since 2007.

Since 2007, 406 different players have at least 1 competitive round on PGA National during the Honda Classic. Just 34 of these players are under par for their careers on these 3 holes (8% of all players).

## Graeme McDowell

In his only start of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season, Graeme McDowell finished T-3rd at the WGC-HSBC Champions and currently ranks 109th in the FedExCup standings. Graeme is set to make his 7th start at the Honda Classic finishing in the top 10 in 3 of his last 4 starts at this event (2011-T6, 2012-T9, 2013-T9, 2014-T46).

### Most Birdies at PGA National (Champion) since 2010

Player	# of Birdies
<b>McDowell, Graeme</b>	<b>75</b>
Jacobson, Freddie	68
Westwood, Lee	64
Points, D.A.	62
Stroud, Chris	61

Since 2010, no one has made more birdies at PGA National (Champion) than Graeme McDowell.

Since 2010, Graeme McDowell has made a total of 75 birdies at PGA National (Champion). His 75 birdies are 7 more birdies than Freddie Jacobson with 68.

### Graeme McDowell Career on the Bear Trap

Stat	15th Par 3	16th par 4	17th par 3	Total
Greens in Regulation	12 of 20	11 of 20	13 of 20	36/60 (60.0%)
Balls In Water	2	0	3	5
Score to Par	+3	+4	+3	+10

### 2013-14 PGA TOUR Strokes Gained: Putting Leaders

Rank	Player	Average	Total Putts Gained
<b>1</b>	<b>Graeme McDowell</b>	<b>+0.89</b>	<b>+40.75</b>
2	Aaron Baddeley	+0.87	+51.51
3	Greg Chalmers	+0.86	+62.4
4	Matt Every	+0.73	+47.77
5	Freddie Jacobson	+0.71	+57.09

Graeme McDowell led the TOUR in strokes gained: putting outperforming the TOUR by nearly a stroke per round (+0.89). During the course of the season, Graeme outperformed the TOUR by over 40 strokes on the greens.