



2016 CareerBuilder Challenge in partnership with the Clinton Foundation
(The 10th of 45 events in the PGA TOUR Season)

La Quinta, Calif. Jan. 18-24, 2016 Purse: \$5,800,000 (\$1,044,000 to the winner)
500 FedExCup points to winner

(SC) TPC Stadium/PGA West	Par/Yards: 72/7,113
(TC) Nicklaus Tournament/PGA West	Par/Yards: 72/7,159
(LQ) La Quinta Country Club	Par/Yards: 72/7,060

Final-Round Notes – Sunday, January 24, 2016

Weather: Mostly sunny, with N winds 5-10 mph. Afternoon high reached 72 degrees.

Final-Round Leaderboard

Jason Dufner	64-65-64-70—263 (-25) (won on second hole of sudden death)
David Lingmerth	68-68-62-65—263 (-25)
Phil Mickelson	68-65-66-68—267 (-21)
Andrew Loupe	66-66-67-68—267 (-21)
Kevin Na	71-66-62-68—267 (-21)

The longest playoff in tournament history came in 1985, when Lanny Wadkins beat Craig Stadler on the fifth extra hole.

Jason Dufner PGA TOUR Victories:

2012 Zurich Classic of New Orleans
2012 AT&T Byron Nelson
2013 PGA Championship
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Jason Dufner, who held a share of the 18-hole lead with Jerry Kelly at 8-under 64, had solo command of the top spot in rounds two and three. The Auburn, Alabama resident's final-round, 2-under 70 resulted in sudden death with a hard-charging David Lingmerth. On the first extra hole, Dufner sank a clutch, seven foot putt for par at No. 18 to send the duo back to the tee. On that hole, Dufner emerged victorious with a par, following Lingmerth's errant approach shot into the hazard.

With the win, Dufner moves to (1-3) in playoffs. En route to his first win on the PGA TOUR, Dufner bettered Ernie Els in sudden death at the 2012 Zurich Classic of New Orleans.

Dufner's win at the 2016 CareerBuilder Challenge marks his fourth career PGA TOUR title at the age of 38 years, 10 months in his 241st TOUR start.

With the win, Dufner jumps from No. 30 in the FedExCup standings to No. 8 with 700 points. It took 458 points to qualify for the PGA TOUR Playoffs for the FedExCup in 2014-15, 554 to qualify for Deutsche Bank Championship, 692 for BMW Championship and 1,062 for the TOUR Championship by Coca-Cola. The last two winners of the CareerBuilder Challenge, Bill Haas in 2015 and Patrick Reed in 2014, earned berths into The TOUR Championship by Coca-Cola the year of their win in the Coachella Valley.

Dufner wins in his seventh start in the CareerBuilder Challenge start, marking his first top-10 showing. His previous-best finish in the event was T12 in 2012.

Dufner continues to ride the wave of momentum this season. Before this week, he finished T9 in his last two starts at The RSM Classic and last week's Sony Open in Hawaii.



Since joining the PGA TOUR in 2004, this marks just the second occasion on which Dufner has amassed three-consecutive top-10 finishes. In 2012, he followed his win at the AT&T Byron Nelson with a second-place finish at the Colonial National Invitation Tournament and T4 honors at the U.S. Open.

Through six events this season (22 rounds), Dufner is 65-under-par. Of those 22 rounds, 17 have been sub-par scores.

At 38 years, 10 months, Dufner becomes the oldest winner of the CareerBuilder Challenge since Brian Gay in 2013, at the age of 41 years, 1 month and 6 days.

With his win, Dufner extends the streak of American winners of the CareerBuilder Challenge to five straight. The last international winner was Jhonattan Vegas in 2011.

Dufner has now converted a 54-hole lead/co-lead three (of six) times. He previously won the 2012 Zurich Classic of New Orleans and the 2012 AT&T Byron Nelson with at least a share of the lead heading into the final round.

En route to his 2013 PGA Championship victory at Oak Hill CC, Dufner came from one stroke back after 54 holes to beat Jim Furyk by two strokes.

Through the first 10 events of the 2015-16 PGA TOUR Season, five players have now carried the third round lead/co-lead onto victory: Justin Thomas (CIMB Classic), Russell Knox (WGC-HSBC Champions), Kevin Kisner (The RSM Classic), Jordan Spieth (Hyundai Tournament of Champions) and Jason Dufner (CareerBuilder Challenge).

Since the event went to 72 holes in 2012, four of the five winners have now done so after holding at least a share of the 54-hole lead. In 2013, Scott Stallings lost a five-stroke lead after 54 holes to Brian Gay.

Dufner led the field in birdies for the week, with 30. He was four clear of David Lingmerth and Andrew Loupe. The 72-hole tournament record is 32 by Patrick Reed in 2014.

Dufner becomes the seventh Web.com Tour grad (2003, 2006) to win on the PGA TOUR through 10 events this season.

2015-16 PGA TOUR Season starts-made cuts-top 10s-wins: 6-5-3-1

R1 at a glance (TC): 12 of 14 fairways, 16 of 18 greens, 26 putts

R2 at a glance (SC): 6 of 14 fairways, 12 of 18 greens, 22 putts

R3 at a glance (LQ): 13 of 14 fairways, 15 of 18 greens, 28 putts

R4 at a glance (SC): 11 of 14 fairways, 11 of 18 greens, 28 putts

Full Name: Jason Christopher Dufner

Height: 5-10 **Weight:** 180

Birthday: March 24, 1977

Birthplace: Cleveland Ohio

Residence: Auburn, Alabama

Family: Single

Turned professional: 2000

Web.com Tour Graduate: 2003, 2006

Joined PGA TOUR: 2004

David Lingmerth (2)

Sweden's David Lingmerth made seven birdies and no bogeys in the final round to overcome a five-stroke deficit and force sudden death with 54-hole leader Jason Dufner.

With Lingmerth's loss on the second extra hole (No. 18), he drops to 1-2 in playoffs. Lingmerth claimed his first career PGA TOUR title via sudden death over Justin Rose at last year's Memorial Tournament.



En route to his win at Muirfield Village, Lingmerth came from three strokes back in the final round, before beating Rose in sudden death.

Lingmerth's weekend scores of 62-65 contained 15 birdies, one eagle and no bogeys.

Lingmerth was making his fourth start in the CareerBuilder Challenge start, marking his second top-10 showing. His previous-best finish in the event was T2 in 2013.

Lingmerth continues to ride the wave of momentum, as he closed last week's Sony Open in Hawaii with a 6-under 64 to claim T13 honors.

Lingmerth continues to enjoy success on Pete Dye designs. Prior to his win at Muirfield Village, Lingmerth's best finish was T2 at the 2013 PLAYERS Championship on the Dye-designed TPC Sawgrass Players Stadium Course.

Phil Mickelson (T3)

Making his first start of the 2015-16 PGA TOUR Season, 2002 and 2004 CareerBuilder Challenge winner Phil Mickelson posted scores of 68-65-66-68—267 (-21) this week, marking the first time he posted four consecutive rounds in the 60s in a single event since the 2014 PGA Championship (2nd). The last time he posted four straight rounds in the 60s in the CareerBuilder Challenge was rounds 1-4 of the 2006 event, when it was a five-round tournament (T5).

Since becoming a 72-hole event, Mickelson's best score was 17-under 271 in 2013 (T37). He finished T24 last year at 15-under 273.

The 2016 CareerBuilder Challenge marked the ninth time Phil Mickelson has started his season in the Coachella Valley. His previous finishes when starting the season at the CareerBuilder Challenge: 2000 (T16); 2002 (P1); 2004 (P1); 2006 (T5); 2007 (T45); 2012 (T49); 2013 (T37); 2015 (T24)

This marked Mickelson's 13th start in the event, dating to a missed cut in 1993.

The 2016 CareerBuilder Challenge was Mickelson's first start on the PGA TOUR since finishing T32 at the BMW Championship last September.

Mickelson, a 42-time winner on the PGA TOUR and member of the World Golf Hall of Fame, was in search of his first TOUR win since the 2013 Open Championship. Since joining the TOUR in 1992, he had never previously endured consecutive, winless seasons.

Andrew Loupe (T3)

Louisiana native Andrew Loupe followed scores 6-under 66s in rounds one and two with weekend scores of 67-68 to finish T3, his best showing on the PGA TOUR in 44 starts. His previous-best was T4 at the 2014 Valero Texas Open.

In his only other start in the CareerBuilder Challenge, Loupe missed the cut in 2014.

Loupe earned his way back onto the PGA TOUR this season by virtue of his eighth-place finish on the 2015 Web.com Tour priority list. On that Tour last season, Loupe won the Nationwide Children's Hospital Championship.

Loupe was making his sixth start of the season. In the previous five, he missed three cuts and claimed a share of 10th place in the Frys.com Open and Sanderson Farms Championship last fall. Loupe came into this week on the heels of two straight missed cuts.

Kevin Na (T3)

The remarkable season of Kevin Na continued this week at the CareerBuilder Challenge. With birdies on his last three holes Sunday, good for a 4-under 68, Na claimed a share of third place with Phil Mickelson and Andrew Loupe. In his first three starts of the season, Na finished second in a playoff loss at the Frys.com Open, T2 at the



Shriners Hospitals for Children Open and T3 at the CIMB Classic. This week marked Na's fourth top-three finish in just six starts this season.

Na remains in search of his second career PGA TOUR win, having first won the 2011 Shriners Hospitals for Children Open.

Miscellaneous Notes

John Hamaliuk, from Cathedral City, California, was named the winner of the PGA TOUR Volunteer Challenge. As such, he was provided a check for \$10,000 to provide to the Boys & Girls Club of Cathedral City. The PGA TOUR Volunteer Challenge is a competition which takes place at 16 tournaments during the 2015-2016 season and builds upon close to \$1 million provided by sponsor Astellas to tournament charities over the course of the PGA TOUR sponsorship.

Twelve past champions of the CareerBuilder Challenge, and each since 2004, competed this week: Bill Haas/2010, 2015, (T9), Phil Mickelson/2002, 2004 (T3), Mark Wilson/2012 (T56), Patrick Reed/2014 (T56), Mark Brooks/1996 (MC), Justin Leonard/2005 (MC), Chad Campbell/2006 (MC), Charley Hoffman/2007 (MC), D.J. Trahan/2008 (MC), Pat Perez/2009 (MC), Jhonattan Vegas/2011 (MC) and Brian Gay/2013 (MC).

Scoring Averages	R1	R2	R3	R4
TPC Stadium Course	71.825	70.218	70.673	70.616
Nicklaus Tournament Course	69.424	68.884	68.498	
La Quinta Country Club	69.596	69.060	68.782	

Bogey-free rounds:

R1 – Blayne Barber (66/LQ), Alex Cejka (67/TC), Graham DeLaet (67/TC), Jason Dufner (64/TC), Adam Hadwin (66/SC), Si Woo Kim (67/SC), Colt Knost (65/TC), Anirban Lahiri (64/LQ), Jamie Lovemark (65/LQ), Bryce Molder (66/LQ), Francesco Molinari (67/LQ) and D.A. Points (67/TC).

R2 – Adam Hadwin (66/LQ), and Francesco Molinari (67/TC).

R3 - Jamie Lovemark (65/SC), David Lingmerth (62/TC), Kevin Na (62/TC), John Huh (66/SC), Phil Mickelson (66/SC), Charles Howell III (66/LQ), Brendon Steele (68/SC), Si Woo Kim (64/TC), Blayne Barber (67/SC), Jim Herman (66/TC), Rod Pampling (68/TC), Kevin Streelman (66/LQ), Matt Jones (67/TC), Smylie Kaufman (67/LQ), Tim Wilkinson (69/LQ), Graham DeLaet (69/LQ), Kevin Chappell (66/SC), Mark Wilson (67/TC), Martin Piller (65/TC), Chez Reavie (65/LQ), Aaron Baddeley (70/LQ), Hudson Swafford (66/LQ), Patrick Reed (68/SC), Derek Ernst (66/TC), Shane Bertsch (65/TC), Hiroshi Iwata (67/TC), John Senden (65/LQ), Chad Campbell (69/LQ), Xander Schauffele (67/SC), Zach Johnson (67/SC), Will Wilcox (67/TC), Chesson Hadley (68/LQ), Rob Oppenheim (67/LQ).

R4 – Jonas Blixt (68), Roberto Castro (71), Bud Cauley (68) Brian Harman (65), David Lingmerth (65), Luke List (66), Phil Mickelson (68), Wes Roach (68) and Kevin Streelman (67).

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