



# **2016 Hyundai Tournament of Champions** (8<sup>th</sup> of 47 events in the PGA TOUR Season)

Kapalua, Maui, Hl January 7-10, 2016 Purse: \$5,900,000 (\$1,180,000)
The Plantation Course, Kapalua Resort Par/Yards: 36-37—73/7,452

## FINAL-Round Notes – Sunday, January 10, 2016

#### Weather

Sunny. High of 81. Winds W 6-12 mph.

## Final-Round Leaderboard

Jordan Spieth	262 (-30)
Patrick Reed	270 (-22)
Brandt Snedeker	271 (-21)
Brooks Koepka	271 (-21)

## Jordan Spieth

Jordan Spieth, who entered the final round of the Hyundai Tournament of Champions with a five-stroke advantage over Brooks Koepka, carded a final-round 6-under 67 for an eight-stroke victory over defending champion Patrick Reed. The eight-stroke win is the largest on TOUR since Jimmy Walker won by nine at the 2015 Sony Open in Hawaii.

Spieth collects his seventh PGA TOUR victory in his 85<sup>th</sup> start at the age of 22 years, 5 months and 14 days. By comparison, the youngest winner of the Hyundai Tournament of Champions is Tiger Woods, winning in 1997 at the age of 21 years and 13 days.

Most wins on TOUR by a player 22 and younger: Horton Smith (14), Tiger Woods (7), Jordan Spieth (7).

Spieth's Career PGA TOUR Victories (7):

2013 - John Deere Classic

2015 - Valspar Championship, Masters Tournament, U.S. Open, John Deere Classic, TOUR Championship

2016 - Hyundai Tournament of Champions

Spieth collects 500 points and moves from No. 87 to No. 7 in the FedExCup standings. In late September, Spieth won the TOUR Championship by Coca-Cola (his fifth victory of the 2014-15 season) to became the youngest FedExCup champion at the age of 22 years and 2 months.

Spieth's winning total of 30-under 262 falls one shy of Ernie Els' record 261 in 2003.

Lowest winning 72-hole scores on the PGA TOUR (in relation to par):

- 31 Ernie Els (2003 Hyundai Tournament of Champions)
- 30 Jordan Spieth (2016 Hyundai Tournament of Champions)

Most strokes under par (72 holes):

- 33 Steve Stricker (2009 CareerBuilder Challenge, first four rounds of 90-hole event)
- 31 Ernie Els (2003 Hyundai Tournament of Champions)
- 30 Jordan Spieth (2016 Hyundai Tournament of Champions)
- 30 Pat Perez (2009 CareerBuilder Challenge, first four rounds of 90-hole event)
- 29 Joe Durant (2001 CareerBuilder Challenge, first four rounds of 90-hole event)
- 29 Tim Herron (2003 CareerBuilder Challenge, first four rounds of 90-hole event)

Spieth's eight-stroke win this week falls one shy of the Hyundai Tournament of Champions record nine-stroke win by David Duval in 1999.

Largest winning margins during the 2015-16 Season:

8 strokes – Jordan Spieth (Hyundai Tournament of Champions)

6 strokes - Kevin Kisner (The RSM Classic)

Spieth becomes the first top-ranked player in the Official World Golf Ranking to win in Kapalua since Tiger Woods in 2000.

Spieth's record when holding the 54-hole lead/co-lead is now five of nine, including five straight victories:

Tournament	After 54 holes	Finish
2014 Hyundai Tournament of Champions	T1	2
2014 Masters	T1	T2
2014 PLAYERS Championship	T1	T4
2015 Shell Houston Open	1	T2
2015 Masters	1	Won
2015 U.S. Open	T1	Won
2015 John Deere Classic	1	Won
2015 TOUR Championship by Coca-Cola	1	Won
2016 Hyundai Tournament of Champions	1	Won

Spieth now has six consecutive rounds in a row in the 60s at the par-73 Hyundai Tournament of Champions dating back to his first appearance in 2014 when he finished solo second behind winner Zach Johnson, where he recorded rounds of 66-70-69-69.

Spieth's best 72-hole scores on TOUR:

262 - 2016 Hyundai Tournament of Champions (won)

264 - 2015 John Deere Classic (won)

265 - 2013 John Deere Classic (won)

Spieth's best opening 54-hole scores on TOUR:

195 – 2016 Hyundai Tournament of Champions (won)

196 – 2015 John Deere Classic (won)

200 - 2013 John Deere Classic (won)

200 – 2015 Masters Tournament (won)

Spieth wins in his second appearance at the Hyundai Tournament of Champions (2-2014, Won-2016).

## Spieth's Statistics for the Week:

Fairways Hit	44 of 60	T12
Driving Distance	283.8	17
Greens in Regulation	60 of 72	T11
Total Putts	111	1
Strokes Gained – Putting	+1.914/round	1
Sand Saves	1 of 1	T1

About Jordan Spieth Birthdate: July 27, 1993

Birthplace/Residence: Dallas, Texas

Family: Single

Height/Weight: 6-1, 185 Education: University of Texas

Turned Pro: 2013

Joined PGA TOUR: 2013

## **Third-Round Leader Notes**

The third-round leader has gone on to win the Hyundai Tournament of Champions 24 of 32 times, with Spieth's win the first since Steve Stricker in 2012.

The third-round leader has won four of the eight PGA TOUR events so far in the 2015-16 Season (Justin Thomas/CIMB Classic; Russell Knox/WGC-HSBC Champions, Kevin Kisner/The RSM Classic, Jordan Spieth/Hyundai Tournament of Champions).

## **Patrick Reed**

Patrick Reed finished solo second in his attempt to become the first player to successfully defend his Hyundai Tournament of Champions title since Geoff Ogilvy in 2009-10. Since the event moved to Kapalua in 1999, Stuart Appleby is the only other player to win in back-to-back starts, doing so in 2004, 2005 and 2006.

The runner-up finish is the second (2015 Valspar Championship) of the four-time winner Reed's career.

Reed's only bogey this week came on the par-5 15<sup>th</sup> hole Sunday (his 69<sup>th</sup> hole of the week). The last player to record no bogeys in 72 holes and not win was Charles Howell at the 2010 Greenbrier Classic (T9). The last player to win without a bogey was Lee Trevino at the 1974 Zurich Classic of New Orleans.

Reed now owns eight consecutive rounds in the 60s at the Hyundai Tournament of Champions, posting scores of 67-69-68-67 en route to winning in a playoff over Jimmy Walker a year ago.

## **Additional Player Notes**

FedExCup leader Kevin Kisner finished ninth this week to maintain his lead in the FedExCup standings.

Rickie Fowler battled a cold Sunday but still managed a 6-under 67 to finish fifth in his second Kapalua start (T6-2013).

Jason Day (T10) carded the best round Sunday with an 8-under 65, moving to T10. Last year, Day finished with a course-record-tying 11-under 62 to finish T3.

### **Miscellaneous Notes**

First-time participants at the Hyundai Tournament of Champions: Brooks Koepka (T3), Peter Malnati (T6), Padraig Harrington (T6), Fabian Gomez (T6), Kevin Kisner (9), Danny Lee (T15), David Lingmerth (T15), Smylie Kaufman (T15), Troy Merritt (T18), Emiliano Grillo (T18), Justin Thomas (T21), Alex Cejka (T21), Russell Knox (27), James Hahn (T31).

## Bogey-free rounds:

R1: Patrick Reed (65), Jordan Spieth (66), Brandt Snedeker (67), Danny Lee (67), Steven Bowditch (69), Jason Day (70)

R2: Jordan Spieth (64), Kevin Kisner (65), Peter Malnati (66), Fabian Gomez (66), Dustin Johnson (67), Rickie Fowler (67), Matt Every (68), Patrick Reed (69), Graeme McDowell (70)

R3: Jimmy Walker (64), Brandt Snedeker (65), Russell Knox (69)

R4: Jason Day (65), Emiliano Grillo (66), Padraig Harrington (67), Alex Cejka (68), Peter Malnati (69), Bill Haas (70)

### Scoring Averages at the par-73 Plantation Course:

	Front 9	Back 9	Total	Cumulative
R1:	34.625	35.969	70.594	
R2:	34.438	35.281	69.719	70.156
R3:	34.438	35.094	69.531	69.948
R4:	34.438	34.938	69.375	69.805

The toughest hole this week was the par-4 first hole, yielding a 4.234 average. The par-5 ninth hole was the easiest, playing to a 4.297 average.