



### 2015-16 Shriners Hospitals Broadcast Window &

### **Pre-Tournament Notes**



### **ShotLink Keys to Victory for Ben Martin**

Ben Martin picked up his 1<sup>st</sup> career victory on the PGA TOUR in his 56<sup>th</sup> career start earning 500 FedExCup points to T-lead (with Sang-Moon Bae) in the race for the FedExCup.

Front 9 vs Back 9: Ben Martin played his outward 9 holes at 3 under par compared to his inward 9 holes of 17 under for the week.

#### Strokes Gained: Total Leaders Shriners Hospitals

Rank	Player	SG: Total
1	Ben Martin	+14.00
2	Kevin Streelman	+12.00
3	Russell Knox	+10.00
4	Webb Simpson	+9.00
4	Brooks Koepka	+9.00
4	Jimmy Walker	+9.00

Ben Martin beat the field by +1.86 strokes per round with his tee-to-green and +1.64 in strokes gained: putting en route to victory.

For the week, Martin beat the field by a total of +14.00 strokes at TPC Summerlin. Martin's +14.00 strokes gained: total were 2 strokes better than the next best player.

#### Ben Martin Front 9 vs Back 9

Stat	Front 9	Back 9
Birdies or Better	10	18
Bogeys or Worse	6	3
SG: Tee-to-Green	+.04	+7.37
SG: Putting	+1.91	+4.67
Score to Par	-3	-17

Ben Martin made 2 eagles, 16 birdies & only 3 bogeys on his back 9 at TPC Summerlin for a combined 17 under par. Martin made 8 more birdies or better, 3 less bogeys or worse, 7 strokes better tee-to-green and nearly 3 strokes better on the greens than the front 9. His 17 under par on the back 9 was 14 shots better than his score to par on the front 9.

#### Ben Martin On the Green Stats Shriners Hospitals

Stat	Martin Rank	Martin Value	Field Avg.
Strokes Gained: Putting	2 <sup>nd</sup>	+1.64	
Putting Average	1 <sup>st</sup>	1.576	1.764
Putting - Inside 6'	T1	100%	95.5%
Putting > 25'	T4	15.0%	6.25%
Average Distance of Putts made	5 <sup>th</sup>	101' 7"	78' 1"

Ben Martin ranked 1st in putting average only needing 93 putts in 59 greens hit in regulation for an average of 1.576 for the week.

Players Perfect Inside 6 Feet at Shriners Hospitals (players playing all 4 rounds)

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Player	<b>Putts Made</b>	<b>Attempts</b>	
Martin, Ben	54	54	
Compton, Erik	53	53	
Randolph, Jonathan	57	57	
Saunders, Sam	61	61	

Ben Martin was 1 of only 4 players to play all 4 rounds and be perfect from inside 6 feet. Martin went a perfect 54 of 54 from inside 6 feet at TPC Summerlin.



# Advantages of Playing Early PGA TOUR Wrap-Around Season

#### First 7 Winners 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season

Event	Winner	<b>FEC Finish</b>
Frys.com Open	Sangmoon Bae	26 <sup>th</sup>
Shriners Hospitals for Children Open	Ben Martin	35 <sup>th</sup>
CIMB Classic	Ryan Moore	39 <sup>th</sup>
Sanderson Farms Championship	Nick Taylor	101 <sup>st</sup>
WGC-HSBC Champions	Bubba Watson	5 <sup>th</sup>
OHL Classic at Mayakoba	Charley Hoffman	10 <sup>th</sup>
The McGladrey Classic	Robert Streb	18 <sup>th</sup>

Last season, all 7 winners of the first 7 events of the season qualified for the FedExCup Playoffs. 4 of the 7 winners of the season qualified for the TOUR Championship.

**2013-14 Wrap-Around: 186** players earned FedExCup points before the start of the new calendar year in the 2013-14 PGA TOUR season. Of those 186 players, 115 made the 2014 FedExCup Playoffs, 92 made it to the Deutsche Bank Championship, 63 made it to the BMW Championship and 26 made it to the TOUR Championship by Coca Cola.

**2014-15 Wrap-Around: 206** players earned FedExCup points before the start of the new calendar year in the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season. Of those 206 players, 118 made the 2015 FedExCup Playoffs, 94 made it to the Deutsche Bank Championship, 64 made it to the BMW Championship and 25 made it to the TOUR Championship by Coca Cola.

Players who Earned at Least 1 FEC Point during the Wrap-Around Season (Last 2 Seasons)

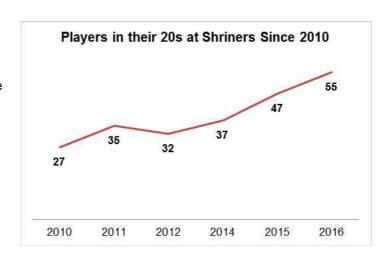
Stat	2013-14	2014-15
Earned FEC Points before Calendar Year	186	206
Qualified for FedExCup Playoffs	115	118
Qualified for Deutsche Bank Championship	92	94
Qualified for BMW Championship	63	64
Qualified for TOUR Championship	26	25

#### Age Breakdown of Shriners Hospitals Field:

In the last 5 years of the Shriners Hospitals for Children Open there has been a climb in the number of players in their 20's. In 2010, 27 players playing in this event were in there 20s and this season 55 (38.2% of field) players in there 20's will be teeing it up this week.

The average age of the 2016 Shriners Hospitals for Children Open is **32.2**, marking the youngest average age of this event since 1989.

The last 4 Champions at this event have been in there 20s marking the most consecutive streak of players in their 20s at this event since 1983.





# Course & Hole Statistics TPC Summerlin

## Courses With the Most Birdies 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season

TPC Summerlin yielded 1,739 birdies last season, ranking 4<sup>th</sup> on TOUR for courses with the most birdies.

Rank	Course	# of Birdies
1	TPC Louisiana	1,895
2	Glen Abbey GC	1,874
3	TPC Deere Run	1,803
4	TPC Summerlin	1,739
5	St. Andrews GC (Old Course)	1,696

### Courses with the Most Drives Over 300 Yards 2014-15 PGA TOUR

Rank	Course	Total Drives Over 300+
1	Glen Abbey GC	3,087
2	TPC Summerlin	2,637
3	Firestone CC (South)	2,416
4	Quail Hollow Club	2,346
5	Waialae CC	2,009

Last season, there were 2,637 drives over 300 yards at TPC Summerlin. TPC Summerlin had the 2nd highest number of drives over 300 yards on TOUR.

#### 15th Hole Par 4 TPC Summerlin 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season

Stat	Rank	Value
Easiest Par 4's on TOUR	2nd	3.627
Par 4's Most Eagles	2nd	10
Par 4's Most Birdies	1st	179

The par 4, 15th hole at TPC Summerlin is one of the easiest holes on TOUR. Playing at 341 yards, the 15th hole ranks 2<sup>nd</sup> easiest on TOUR (3.627) and had the 2<sup>nd</sup> most eagles with 10. The 15th hole also ranks 1st on TOUR for most birdies with 179.

### Most Eagles on Par 4's PGA TOUR Since 2003

Course	Hole	# of Eagles
TPC River Highlands	15	87
TPC Summerlin	15	76
TPC Boston	4	69
TPC Scottsdale	17	60
TPC Deere Run	14	43

Since 2003, the 15<sup>th</sup> hole at TPC Summerlin has accumulated 76 Eagles marking the 2<sup>nd</sup> most eagles on a par 4 on TOUR.

### Courses with the Most Putts Made Over 10 Feet 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season

Rank	Course	# of Putts
1	TPC Deere Run	820
2	TPC Summerlin	802
3	The Old White TPC	792
4	Sea Island Resort (Seaside)	781
5	Whistling Straits	776

In the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season, TPC Summerlin had the 2<sup>nd</sup> most putts made over 10 feet with 802. Players made 16% of their putts from outside of 10 feet at TPC Summerlin.



# **Broadcast Window Notes 2015-16 Shriners Hospitals** (featured groups)

#### **Keegan Bradley**

Keegan Bradley finished 60<sup>th</sup> in the FedExCup standings last season marking the 2<sup>nd</sup> time he has finished outside of the top 30 in the FedExCup standings.

### Keegan Bradley Career FedExCup Finishes

Year	Finish
2015	60 <sup>th</sup>
2014	33 <sup>rd</sup>
2013	18 <sup>th</sup>
2012	21 <sup>st</sup>
2011	20 <sup>th</sup>

Keegan made the top 30 in the FedExCup standings in his first 3 seasons on TOUR, however has failed to make the top 30 in his last 2 seasons.

### **Keegan Bradley Driving Distance Since 2011**

Year	Rank	Distance
Last Season	10 <sup>th</sup>	306.1
2013-14	17 <sup>th</sup>	302.2
2013	11 <sup>th</sup>	300.6
2012	16 <sup>th</sup>	302.7
2011	20 <sup>th</sup>	300.7

Keegan Bradley is 1 of 6 players who have ranked inside the top 20 in Driving Distance since 2011 (Gary Woodland, Dustin Johnson, Bubba Watson, Jason Day & Robert Garrigus). Keegan's 306.1 yards off the tee last season was his longest average on TOUR in his career.

Since the 2013 PGA TOUR Season, only 3 players have ranked inside the top 10 in **Total Driving** each of the last 3 seasons. Keegan combined distance and accuracy ranking 10<sup>th</sup> in Driving Distance and 52<sup>nd</sup> in Driving Accuracy in the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season.



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Henrik Stenson

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#### **Jason Dufner**

Jason Dufner is set to make his 236<sup>th</sup> start on the PGA TOUR. In his career he has 3 wins, 35 top 10's and 67 top 25 finishes on TOUR. Dufner has proven to be one of the TOUR's consistent ball strikers ranking inside the top 20 in Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green each of the last 3 PGA TOUR seasons.

#### Jason Dufner Statistical Ranks - Last 3 PGA TOUR Seasons

Stat	2013	2013-14	2014-15
Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green	20 <sup>th</sup>	13 <sup>th</sup>	16 <sup>th</sup>
Driving Accuracy	41 <sup>st</sup>	59 <sup>th</sup>	27 <sup>th</sup>
Greens In Regulation	26 <sup>th</sup>	59 <sup>th</sup>	24 <sup>th</sup>
Fairway Proximity	T112	T60	T31
Approaches From 200-225 Yards	117 <sup>th</sup>	70 <sup>th</sup>	29 <sup>th</sup>
Putting From Outside 25 Feet	126 <sup>th</sup>	114 <sup>th</sup>	T24

Jason Dufner had a consistent year in a number of statistical categories including approach shots from 200 to 225 yards. In 2013, Dufner ranked 117<sup>th</sup> in this category averaging 42' 9" however last season he ranked 29<sup>th</sup> averaging 37' 7".

#### **Webb Simpson**

2014 Shriners Hospitals for Children Open Champion Webb Simpson is in search for his 5<sup>th</sup> PGA TOUR win in his 190<sup>th</sup> start on TOUR. In his 2014 victory at TPC Summerlin, Webb Simpson hit 62 of 72 greens in regulation (86.11%) and had a dominating performance on the greens ranking 1<sup>st</sup> in strokes gained: putting.

*Greens in Regulation:* Simpson ranked T-2<sup>nd</sup> in greens in regulation for the week, hitting his mark 62 of 72 times at TPC Summerlin. His 62 greens hit marked his 2<sup>nd</sup> most greens in regulation in a 4 round event on TOUR (63, 2012 Hyundai TOC).

#### Most Greens in Regulation by a Winner Since Start of 2013

Season	Event	Player	<b>Greens Hit</b>
2013	Waste Management Open	Phil Mickelson	63
2014-15	Barbasol Championship	Scott Piercy	63
2013-14	John Deere Classic	Brian Harman	63
2013-14	Shriners Hospitals	Webb Simpson	62
2013	Deutsche Bank Champ	Henrik Stenson	61
2013-14	WGC-HSBC Champions	Dustin Johnson	61

Since the start of 2013, there have been 127 stroke play event winners. Simpson hit the 4<sup>th</sup> most greens in regulation by a winner in this timeframe.

## Strokes Gained: Putting 2013-14 Shriners Hospitals for Children Open

Rank	Player	<b>Average</b>	<b>Total SG</b>
1	Webb Simpson	+2.456	+9.822
2	Jason Bohn	+1.671	+6.684
3	Charles Howell III	+1.505	+6.020
4	Stephen Ames	+1.392	+5.567
5	William McGirt	+1.349	+5.395

Simpson's total strokes gained were more than 3 strokes better than the next best player Jason Bohn (+6.684). This also marked Simpson's best career strokes gained: putting performance in his PGA TOUR career.

In 2013-14 Webb Simpson ranked inside the top 40 for both Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green and Putting. However, while improving from tee-to-green he dropped in the standings in Strokes Gained: Putting this past season. Simpson was 10<sup>th</sup> from the bottom of the PGA TOUR standings for Strokes Gained: Putting losing -0.646 strokes per round with the putter.

#### Strokes Gained Statistics Webb Simpson – Last 2 Seasons

Strokes Gained:	2013-14	2014-15
Tee-to-Green	+0.57 (37 <sup>th</sup> )	+1.35 (7 <sup>th</sup> )
Putting	+0.39 (34 <sup>th</sup> )	-0.65 (174 <sup>th</sup> )
Total	+0.88 (23 <sup>rd</sup> )	+0.70 (30 <sup>th</sup> )



#### **Emiliano Grillo**

Emiliano Grillo picked up his 1<sup>st</sup> career victory on the PGA TOUR in his 8<sup>th</sup> career start earning 500 FedExCup points to take the initial lead in the race for the FedExCup. Grillo became the 6<sup>th</sup> player from Argentina to win on TOUR and the **47<sup>th</sup>** of 93 (51%) winners on TOUR in there 20's since the start of the 2013-14 PGA TOUR season.

**Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green:** Grillo outperformed the field by +3.183 strokes from Tee-to-Green en route to his 1<sup>st</sup> PGA TOUR title. Grillo's performance in Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green was the best performance by a winner since Jason Day at the PGA Championship (+4.075).

Emiliano Grillo lost **-0.376** in Strokes Gained: Putting ranking 61<sup>st</sup> in the field. Grillo is just the 25<sup>th</sup> player to loose strokes to the field in the history of Strokes Gained: Putting (since 2004) and still go onto victory. Emiliano marks the first player to loose strokes in this category and still go onto win since Steven Bowditch **-0.618** strokes per round at the 2014 Valero Texas Open.

### Largest Gap (Rank) Between Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green & Strokes Gained: Putting By a Winner on TOUR Since 2010

Year	Event	Player	SG: Tee-to-Green	SG: Putting	Rank Difference
2014	Valero Texas Open	Bowditch, Steven	1	65	64
2014	John Deere Classic	Harman, Brian	1	63	62
2015-16	Frys.com Open	Grillo, Emiliano	1	61	60
2011	RBC Canadian Open	O'Hair, Sean	1	60	59
2012	AT&T Byron Nelson	Dufner, Jason	1	57	56

## Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green Leaders Frys.com Open

Rank	Player	Average / Round
1	Emiliano Grillo	+3.183
2	Kevin Na	+2.883
3	Patrick Rodgers	+2.670
4	Jason Bohn	+2.389
5	Rory McIlroy	+2.381

Emiliano Grillo beat the field by over 3 strokes per round with his tee-to-green game en route to victory. He was also three-quarters of a stroke per round better than the next best player from tee-to-green.

Over the course of the week, Grillo beat the field by a total of +12.733 strokes from tee-to-green.

Most of Grillo's tee-to-green success came from his approach game. He ranked inside the top 10 in several key approach statistics, including fairway proximity averaging over 5 feet closer than the field. Emiliano Grillo Tee-to-Green Statistics Frys.com Open

Stat	<b>Grillo Rank</b>	<b>Grillo Value</b>	Field
Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green	1 <sup>st</sup>	+ 3.183	
Driving Accuracy	T8	64.29%	53.94%
Proximity to Hole	3 <sup>rd</sup>	30' 0"	35' 9"
Fairway Proximity	2 <sup>nd</sup>	25' 7"	30' 11"
Approaches 225-250 Yards	3 <sup>rd</sup>	24' 4"	57' 0"
Scrambling	T3	84.21%	60.87%



#### **Charley Hoffman**

Charley Hoffman took advantage of the season opening events in the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season carding 1 win (OHL Mayakoba) and a T-35<sup>th</sup> finish at Sanderson Farms Championship. Hoffman ranked 6<sup>th</sup> in the FedExCup standings after the season opening events last season.

## Charley Hoffman Last 5 FedExCup Seasons

Year	Finish
2015	10 <sup>th</sup>
2014	53 <sup>rd</sup>
2013	61 <sup>st</sup>
2012	69 <sup>th</sup>
2011	41 <sup>st</sup>
2010	4 <sup>th</sup>

Charley Hoffman made it back to the TOUR Championship for the first time since 2010 (finished 4<sup>th</sup>). Hoffman finished 10<sup>th</sup> in the FedExCup standings last season on the strength of 1 win 7 top 10's and 12 top 25's. Hoffman's 12 top 25's was his most in a season on TOUR.

Charley Hoffman improved in a number of different statistical categories in the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season including his performance on par 5's.

#### Charley Hoffman Par 5 Scoring 2013-14 vs 2014-15

Stat	2013-14	Last Season
Par 5 Scoring Avg.	4.70 T111)	4.62 (T40)
Par 5 Performance	-93 (T38)	-115 (T18)
Par 5 Birdie or Better %	42.48% (65 <sup>th</sup> )	46.00% (35 <sup>th</sup> )

Charley Hoffman ranked T-18<sup>th</sup> in par 5 performance last season playing the par 5's on TOUR at a combined 115 under par.

#### **Rvan Moore**

Ryan Moore finished 39<sup>th</sup> in the FedExCup standings for the 2<sup>nd</sup> consecutive season. Moore has 1 win in each of the last 2 seasons on the PGA TOUR both coming by way of the CIMB Classic. The 2012 Shriners Hospitals for Children Open Champion is set to make his 10<sup>th</sup> start at this event.

**2012 Shriners Hospitals Victory:** Moore was solid in nearly all facets of his game ranking T10 for driving accuracy, T4 for greens in regulation, 2<sup>nd</sup> for strokes gained: putting, 1<sup>st</sup> when putting inside 10 feet and 2<sup>nd</sup> for total birdies.

**Nearly Perfect Iron Play on Back 9:** With his irons he hit 60 of 72 greens for the week ranking T-10<sup>th</sup> in the field. However, on the back 9, Ryan missed just 1 green hitting 35 of 36 greens in regulation for the week (only miss – 12<sup>th</sup> green in 3<sup>rd</sup> round).

#### Ryan Moore On the Greens 2012 Shriners Hospitals

Stat	Rank	Value
Strokes Gained: Putting	3 <sup>rd</sup>	+2.00
Putting Average	1 <sup>st</sup>	1.567
3-Putt Avoidance	T1	0
Putting Inside 10 Feet	1st	95.24%
Putting From 20-25 Feet	4 <sup>th</sup>	40.00%

Ryan Moore outperformed the field by 2 strokes per round in Strokes Gained: Putting. His strokes Gained: putting total of +8.0 for the week is his 4<sup>th</sup> best performance in an event on TOUR.

Ryan Moore is coming off a T-10<sup>th</sup> place finish at last week's Frys.com Open. Ryan ranked 5<sup>th</sup> in fairway proximity, averaging 26' 5" on approach shots. Ryan also ranked 7<sup>th</sup> in strokes gained: putting outperforming the field by +1.293 strokes per round with his putter.



#### **Davis Love III**

Davis is coming off his 21<sup>st</sup> career victory of his career at the Wyndham Championship which qualified him for the FedExCup Playoffs last season. Davis made the FEC Playoffs for the first time since the 2012 PGA TOUR season. Davis Love III became the 3<sup>rd</sup> oldest winner in PGA TOUR history (51 years, 4 months, and 10 days) when he won the 2015 Wyndham Championship. Love posted rounds of 64-66-69-64 marking just the 2<sup>nd</sup> time in his career where he's had 2 rounds of 64 in the same week (2008 Children's Miracle Network).

Davis moved from 186<sup>th</sup> to 76<sup>th</sup> in the FedExCup standings with his 21<sup>st</sup> victory on TOUR marking the biggest move in the FedExCup in tournament history.

#### **PGA TOUR victories spanning 4 Decades**

**Davis Love III** won the 2015 Wyndham Championship for his 21<sup>st</sup> career victory on the PGA TOUR. Love also became just the 3<sup>rd</sup> player on record with PGA TOUR victories spanning 4 decades. He joined Raymond Floyd (60s', 70's, 80's 90's) & Sam Snead (30's, 40's, 50's 60's) as the only 3 players to accomplish this feat.

**PGA TOUR Victories Spanning 4 Decades** 

Player	Decades	# of Wins
Davis Love III	80's, 90's, 00's, 10's	21
Raymond Floyd	60s', 70's, 80's, 90's	22
Sam Snead	30's, 40's, 50's, 60's	82

**Performance on the Greens:** Davis Love III put on a strong performance on the greens at Sedgefield Country Club ranking inside the top 10 for a number of key putting stats including T-1<sup>st</sup> for most putts made over 10 feet (13 total).

### Most Putts Made over 10 Feet 2015 Wyndham Championship

Player	Putts Made
Davis Love III	13
Cameron Smith	13
Jason Gore	13
William McGirt	12
Carl Pettersson	12
Martin Kaymer	12

### Davis Love III vs. The Field on the Greens 2015 Wyndham Championship

Stat	Rank	Value	Field
Strokes Gained: Putting	3 <sup>rd</sup>	+2.273	
Putting Inside 10'	9 <sup>th</sup>	92.2%	87%
Putts Made Over 10'	T-1	13	4.9
Total Feet of Putts Made	7 <sup>th</sup>	96' 0"	75'
One-Putt Percentage	T-8	42%	35%
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**2 Eagles in Final Round:** Davis Love III made eagles on both par 5's in the final round marking the 13<sup>th</sup> time in his PGA TOUR career where he's had 2 or more eagles in the same round and the first time since the 3<sup>rd</sup> round of the 2008 Shriners Hospitals for Children Open.

Davis Love III is set to make his 22<sup>nd</sup> start at the Shriners Hospitals for Children Open. Love III has a career scoring average of 68.3 at TPC Summerlin.

#### Most Rounds of 66 or Better at TPC Summerlin

Player	# of Rounds	
Love III, Davis	13	
Furyk, Jim	13	
McCarron, Scott	12	
Watney, Nick	12	

Davis has a total of 13 rounds of 66 or better at TPC Summerlin ranking T-1<sup>st</sup> for most rounds of 66 or better at this course.

#### Davis Love III Ranks 2013-14 vs 2014-15

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Stat	2013-14	Last Season	
Driving Accuracy	124 <sup>th</sup>	51 <sup>st</sup>	
Total Driving	70 <sup>th</sup>	14 <sup>th</sup>	
Approaches From 225-250 Yards	T124	T1	
Final Round Scoring Avg.	157 <sup>th</sup>	21 <sup>st</sup>	

Davis Love III improved in several statistical categories in the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season, including Total Driving going from 70<sup>th</sup> in the 2013-14 TOUR season to 14<sup>th</sup> last season.



#### **Rickie Fowler**

Rickie Fowler is coming off his best FedExCup season in his career. In the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season, Fowler carded 2 wins (THE PLAYERS & Deutsche Bank Championship) 7 top 10's and 10 top 25's in 21 events on TOUR. Fowler had his highest FedExCup finish in his least amount of events played on TOUR in a season.

**Rickie Fowler Career on TOUR Since 2010** 

Year	<b>Events</b>	Wins	Top 10s	Top 25s	FEC Rank
2015	21	2	7	10	4
2014	26		10	14	9
2013	22		5	10	38
2012	23	1	5	8	28
2011	24		4	11	43
2010	28		7	10	32

Putting From 15-20 Feet: Rickie Fowler was dialed in from 15-20 feet last season than in the 2013-14 PGA TOUR season. Fowler ranked 122<sup>nd</sup> on TOUR in the 2013-14 TOUR season making only 16% of his putts from 15-20 feet. However, last season Rickie made 29 of 115 putts from this distance ranking 5<sup>th</sup> on TOUR.

Rickie Fowler Putting From 15-20 Feet 2013-14 vs. 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season

Stat	2013-14	Last Season
Made	17	29
Attempts	104	115
Make %	16.35%	25.22%
Rank	122 <sup>nd</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>

#### **Jimmy Walker**

In the last 2 seasons on TOUR, Jimmy Walker has his two best years accumulating 5 victories and has ranked inside the top 30 of the FedExCup rankings in both seasons.

**Jimmy Walker Career Wins on TOUR** 

Stat	First 187 Events	Last 51 Events
PGA TOUR Victories	0	5

#### Most Weeks Ranked #1 in FedExCup Standings last 2 PGA TOUR Seasons

Player	# of Weeks
Jimmy Walker	48
Jordan Spieth	21
Robert Streb	4
Jason Day	3
Sangmoon Bae	3

## Most Weeks Ranked Inside Top 30 of FedExCup Standings last 2 PGA TOUR Seasons

Player	Weeks Inside Top 30		
Jimmy Walker	84		
Ryan Moore	75		
Bubba Watson	73		
Patrick Reed	72		
Hideki Matsuyama	71		

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

Rank	Player	Average
1	Aaron Baddeley	+0.717
2	Jimmy Walker	+0.690
3	Daniel Summerhays	+0.642
4	Lee Westwood	+0.598
5	Brandt Snedeker	+0.586

Jimmy Walker ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> on TOUR in the 2014-15 PGA TOUR season in Strokes Gained: Putting. Walker outperformed by over a half a stroke per round (+0.690) with his putter last season.



#### **Brooks Koepka**

Brooks Koepka is coming off a T-41<sup>st</sup> place finish at last week's Frys.com Open. Koepka ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in Driving Distance (all drives) last week averaging 301.4 yards off the tee.

### Driving Distance (all) 2015-16 Frys.com Open

Rank	Player	<b>All Drives</b>
1	Rory McIlroy	301.8
2	Brooks Koepka	301.4
3	Jamie Lovemark	301.2
4	Andrew Loupe	301.1
5	Smylie Kaufman	300.5

Last season Brooks finished 24<sup>th</sup> in the FedExCup standings with 1 win (WMPO), 8 top 10's and 14 top twenty-five finishes. He picked up his 1<sup>st</sup> victory at the age of 24 in his 22<sup>nd</sup> career start on the PGA TOUR at the Waste Management Phoenix Open. Koepka was the 6<sup>th</sup> of 24 total wins by players in their 20's last season.

**Most Eagles on PGATOUR in 13 Years:** Brooks Koepka is just the 6<sup>th</sup> player on PGA TOUR to record at least 20 eagles in a season since 1980. His 20 total eagles are the most of any player on TOUR in the last 13 years.

#### Most Eagles PGA TOUR Last Season

Rank	Player	<b>Eagles</b>
1	Brooks Koepka	20
2	Justin Thomas	16
3	Bubba Watson	15
3	J.B. Holmes	15
3	Dustin Johnson	15

### Most Single Season Eagles PGA TOUR Since 1980

Year	Player	Total
2003	Franco, Carlos	22
1988	Green, Ken	21
2003	Gamez, Robert	21
2014-15	Koepka, Brooks	20
1987	Blackmar, Phil	20
2001	Mickelson, Phil	20

#### Most Eagles Last Season: Brooks Koepka made a TOUR leading 20 eagles last season (4 more than anyone). He's just 2 eagles off the single season PGA TOUR record of 22 by Carlos Franco in 2003.

### Fewest Holes Played Per Eagle PGA TOUR Since 1980 (min 1000 holes played)

Year	Player	Frequency
2000	Woods, Tiger	72.0
2014-15	Koepka, Brooks	72.9
2006	Holmes, J.B.	72.9
2001	Mickelson, Phil	73.8
2011	Kang, Sung	75.6

**1 Eagle every 72.9 Holes:** Koepka played 1,458 holes on TOUR last season and carded 20 total eagles. This works out to 1 eagle every 72.9 holes played (1<sup>st</sup> on TOUR). Only 1 other player has a better single season average than Brooks (Tiger Woods in 2000).

#### Putting 5 to 10 Feet Leaders Last Season

Rank	Player	Percentage
1	Brooks Koepka	65.52
2	Brendon Todd	64.73
3	Harris English	64.66
4	Troy Merritt	64.53
5	Brandt Snedeker	64.15

**Best Putter on TOUR from 5 to 10 Feet:** Last season, Brooke Koepka made 190 of 290 attempts when putting from 5 to 10 feet (65.5% - best on TOUR last season).



#### **Brandt Snedeker**

Brandt Snedeker finished 10 under par at the Frys.com Open last week which was good for a T-17<sup>th</sup> place finish. Snedeker had a tough ball striking week at the Frys.com Open ranking 61<sup>st</sup> in Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green losing a quarter of a stroke per round. What Snedeker lost in ball striking he made up from on and around the greens salvaging par on 20 of 26 missed greens in regulation. Brandt also ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in Strokes Gained: Putting outperforming the field by +1.846 strokes per round.

Brandt Snedeker vs. The Field 2015-16 Frys.com Open

Stat	Snedeker Rank	Snedeker Stat	Field
Driving Distance	29th	302.1	299.2
Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green	61st	289	
Driving Accuracy %	T34th	55.36%	53.94
Greens in Regulation %	T60th	63.89%	67.84
Proximity to Hole	62nd	38' 3"	35' 9"
Sand Save %	T4th	87.50%	52.86
Scrambling	8th	76.92%	60.87
Strokes Gained: Putting	3rd	+1.846	
One-Putt %	T2nd	52.78%	39.75
Putting - Inside 10'	3rd	94.12%	87.41
Putting from - 15-20'	13th	36.36%	19.00

#### Brandt Snedeker Ranks Comparison Over Last 2 Seasons

Player	2013-14	2014-15	Improvement
Putting from 5-10'	154 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	+149
Birdie or Better % < 125 yards	109 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	+106
Sand Save Percentage	117 <sup>th</sup>	21 <sup>st</sup>	+96
Final Round Scoring Average	124 <sup>th</sup>	51 <sup>st</sup>	+73
Scrambling	66 <sup>th</sup>	15 <sup>th</sup>	+51
Bogey Average	101 <sup>st</sup>	51 <sup>st</sup>	+50

Brandt Snedeker moved up 50+ spots in the standings in each of the key statistics to the left. Most notably he moved up over 100+ spots in both putting 5 to 10 feet and birdie or better percentage inside 125 yards.

#### Most Improved Putting 5 to 10 Feet Last Season on PGA TOUR

Player	2013-14	2014-15	Improvement
Snedeker, Brandt	154 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	+149
DeLaet, Graham	172 <sup>nd</sup>	38 <sup>th</sup>	+134
Harman, Brian	149 <sup>th</sup>	22 <sup>nd</sup>	+127
Garcia, Sergio	155 <sup>th</sup>	33 <sup>rd</sup>	+122
Merritt, Troy	125 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	+121

**Most Improved on TOUR:** Snedeker was the most improved player on the PGA TOUR when putting from 5 to 10 feet. In 2013-14 he ranked 154<sup>th</sup> on TOUR from this distance converting 52.3% of his efforts. Last season he jumped up to 5<sup>th</sup> on TOUR converting a career best 64.2% of his efforts from this distance.



#### **Hunter Mahan**

Finishing 49<sup>th</sup> in the 2014-15 FedExCup, Hunter Mahan snapped his TOUR leading streaks of both qualifying for every FedExCup Playoff event and reaching the TOUR Championship in each of the first 8 years of the FedExCup. Mahan carded just 7 top twenty-five finishes last season marking his fewest in a season since 2006.

#### Strokes Gained: Ranks Hunter Mahan on PGA TOUR

Year	Putting	Tee-to-Green	Separation
2014-15	21 <sup>st</sup>	135 <sup>th</sup>	114
2013-14	58 <sup>th</sup>	75 <sup>th</sup>	17
2013	27 <sup>th</sup>	27 <sup>th</sup>	0
2012	116 <sup>th</sup>	47 <sup>th</sup>	69
2011	14 <sup>th</sup>	37 <sup>th</sup>	23
2010	87 <sup>th</sup>	42 <sup>nd</sup>	45
2009	32 <sup>nd</sup>	23 <sup>rd</sup>	9
2008	40 <sup>th</sup>	31 <sup>st</sup>	9
2007	62 <sup>nd</sup>	66 <sup>th</sup>	4
2006	80 <sup>th</sup>	76 <sup>th</sup>	4
2005	73 <sup>rd</sup>	128 <sup>th</sup>	55
2004	37 <sup>th</sup>	154 <sup>th</sup>	117

This past season Hunter Mahan ranked 135<sup>th</sup> on TOUR for Strokes Gained: Tee-to-Green marking his first season outside the top 100 in the standings in 11 years on the PGA TOUR.

However, this past season also marked just the 3<sup>rd</sup> time he's ranked inside the top 30 for Strokes Gained: Putting on the PGA TOUR.

### Lowest Par 3 Birdie % PGA TOUR Last Season

Player	Pct.
Hunter Mahan	8.84
Derek Ernst	8.90
Adam Scott	9.14
Luke Donald	9.25
Jamie Donaldson	9.34

Last season, there were 184 players statistically ranked on the PGA TOUR. Hunter Mahan made 29 birdies on 328 total par 3's on the PGA TOUR (8.84%) marking the lowest par 3 birdie percentage on TOUR last season.

Hunter Mahan kicked off his 2015-16 PGA TOUR campaign with a T-32<sup>nd</sup> place finish at the Frys.com Open. Mahan led the field in Strokes Gained: Putting, outperforming the field by +2.478 strokes per round on the greens. This marked just the 4<sup>th</sup> time in his career where he has led the field in this category.

## Hunter Mahan PGA TOUR Events Ranking 1st in Strokes Gained: Putting

Year	Tournament	Value
2015-16	Frys.com Open	+2.478
2009	HP Byron Nelson Championship	+1.811
2007	Travelers Championship	+2.742
2004	Buick Open	+2.218