



2016 Travelers Championship
(The 40th of 42 events in the PGA TOUR Season)

Cromwell, Conn.
TPC River Highlands

August 1-7, 2016
Par/Yardage: 35-35—70/6,841

FedExCup Points: 500 to the winner
Purse: \$6,600,000 (\$1,188,000)

Final-Round Notes – Sunday, August 6, 2016

Weather: Sunny. High of 87. Wind WNW at 10-15 mph.

Final-Round Leaderboard

Russell Knox	67-67-64-68—266 (-14)
Jerry Kelly	64-70-69-64—267 (-13)
Justin Thomas	68-69-69-62—268 (-12)
Patrick Rodgers	68-66-66-68—268 (-12)

Russell Knox

Russell Knox shot a Sunday 68 at the Travelers Championship, highlighted by a par putt of 12 feet, 1 inch on the 72nd hole, for a one-shot victory over Jerry Kelly. The win is the second in his career in his 110th PGA TOUR start at the age of 31 years, 1 month and 17 days. He won his first PGA TOUR title earlier this season at the World Golf Championships-HSBC Champions in Shanghai, China.

With his second win of the season, Knox joins Jason Day, Jordan Spieth, Dustin Johnson and Adam Scott as the only multiple winners in 2015-16.

Knox earns 500 FedExCup points to move from seventh to fourth in the FedExCup standings with 2,001 points. It took 458 points to qualify for the first event of FedExCup Playoffs, The Barclays, in 2014-15, 554 to qualify for Deutsche Bank Championship, 692 for BMW Championship and 1,062 for the TOUR Championship by Coca-Cola.

Knox's win ends the American domination at the Travelers Championship. Since 1996, Knox (2016), Freddie Jacobson (2011) and Marc Leishman (2012) are the only international winners of the Travelers Championship.

This is Knox's fifth start at the Travelers Championship (MC-2012, T13-2013, T61-2014, WD-2015, W-2016).

With his 68, Knox posted all four rounds in the 60s for the second time in five Travelers Championship starts (2013, 2016).

Knox began the day down three shots to Daniel Berger, but was able to make up the gap with Berger's 74 (+4) in the final round. In his only other victory at the HSBC Champions, was tied for the lead entering the final round.

In 21 starts this season, Knox has recorded two wins, two runner-up finishes (P2-OHL Classic at Mayakoba, T2-RBC Heritage), and four top-10s.

Knox's Cumulative Strokes Gained stats:

Stat	Rank
Strokes Gained: Off the Tee	16
Strokes Gained: Tee to Green	5
Strokes Gained: Approach the Green	T34
Strokes Gained: Around the Green	24
Strokes Gained: Putting	T30

Knox's 2015-16 PGA TOUR Season starts-made cuts-top 10s-wins: 21-17-4-2

Knox's career PGA TOUR starts-made cuts-top 10s-wins: 110-77-12-2

About Russell Knox

FULL NAME: Russell Colin Knox

HEIGHT: 5-10

WEIGHT: 155

BIRTHDATE: June 21, 1985
BIRTHPLACE: Inverness, Scotland
RESIDENCE: Jacksonville Beach, Florida
FAMILY: Wife; Andrea
EDUCATION: Jacksonville University (2007, Business Management)
SPECIAL INTERESTS: Soccer, movies, ping-pong
TURNED PROFESSIONAL: 2007
CLUB AFFILIATION: TPC Sawgrass (Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida)
Web.com Tour Graduate (2011, 2013)
JOINED TOUR: 2012

Jerry Kelly

Jerry Kelly, a Madison, Wis., native went to college at nearby University of Hartford and finished runner-up to Russell Knox. He came up one shot short of his bid for victory, which would have come at the age of 49 years, 8 months and 15 days. The oldest winner at the Travelers Championship is Peter Jacobson, winning in 2003 at the age of 49 years, 4 months and 23 days.

The runner-up finish was the seventh of his career in his 603rd career start.

Jim Furyk

Jim Furyk became the first player in PGA TOUR history to shoot 58, achieving the feat in the final round of the Travelers Championship at TPC River Highlands. His round included 10 birdies and a hole-out eagle on the par-4 third hole from 135 yards for a 12-under-par total. He moved from T-70 to T5 with the round and beat the final-round scoring average by 10.66 strokes.

Furyk's historic 58 comes just a week after Stephen Jaeger recorded the first 58 on the Web.com Tour at the Ellie Mae Classic at TPC Stonebrae.

After making eagle at the third, Furyk made five more birdies on the front side en route to a 27, which is one off the TOUR record for nine holes, 26 set by Corey Pavin on the front nine of the first round of the 2006 U.S. Bank Championship in Milwaukee. The front-nine 27 bested the tournament record for the front nine by two shots, previously held by six players, and is the lowest nine holes in tournament history by one over Vijay Singh, Charley Hoffman and Kevin Streelman, who all recorded 28s on the back nine. The 27 on the front nine for Furyk was the first 27 recorded on nine holes since Ryan Palmer at the 2015 CareerBuilder Challenge on the back nine in the second round.

From holes 6 through 12, Furyk made seven straight birdies, matching Fabian Gomez for the longest birdie streak of the season (Sony Open in Hawaii, fourth round, holes 6-12, won in a playoff). The seven consecutive birdies or better is a career-best for Furyk.

With a back-nine 31, Furyk put the finishing touches on the lowest round in the history of the PGA TOUR. Furyk is one of six players to record 59 on the PGA TOUR, and also the most recent, recording 59 in the second round of the 2013 BMW Championship. With his 58 in the final round of the Travelers Championship, he is now the only player in history to break 60 twice on the PGA TOUR. Interestingly, Furyk did not win the tournament in either tournament where he recorded a sub-60 score, finishing third at the BMW Championship in 2013 and T5 at the Travelers Championship. Furyk recorded his 58 1,059 days after his 59 at the BMW Championship.

Prior to today's 58, the lowest score on the PGA TOUR this season was 60, recorded by Jhonattan Vegas (Barbasol Championship) and Sung Kang (AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am).

The tournament record for lowest 18 holes at the Travelers Championship prior to today was 60, shot by Tommy Bolt (1954, R2) and Patrick Cantlay (2011/R2).

Round stats:

Fairways	13/14
Greens	18/18
Total Putts	24
Distance putts made	116 feet, 11 inches

This is the ninth time in Furyk's career that he has hit all 18 greens in a round. Furyk has also recorded the most bogey-free rounds since 1994 with 207.

Sub-60 rounds on the PGA TOUR:

Name	Event/Rd.	Par	Finish
Al Geiberger	1977 FedEx St. Jude Classic/R2	72	Won
Chip Beck	1991 Shriners Hospitals for Children Open/R3	72	T3
David Duval	1999 CareerBuilder Challenge/R4	72	Won
Paul Goydos	2010 John Deere Classic/R1	71	2
Stuart Appleby	2010 Greenbrier Classic/R4	70	Won
Jim Furyk	2013 BMW Championship/R2	71	3
Jim Furyk	2016 Travelers championship/R4	70	T5

Detailed breakdown of sub-60 rounds on PGA TOUR:

Player	Jim Furyk	Jim Furyk	Stuart Appleby	Paul Goydos	David Duval	Chip Beck	Al Geiberger
Date	Aug 7 th , 2016	Sept. 13 th , 2013	August 1 st , 2010	July 8 th , 2010	January 24, 1999	October 11, 1991	June 10 th , 1977
DOB	May 12, 1970	May 12, 1970	May 1, 1971	June 20, 1964	November 9, 1971	Sept. 12, 1956	Sept. 1, 1937
Age (years-months-days)	46-2-26	43-4-1	39-3-0	46-0-19	27-2-15	35-0-30	39-9-9
Day of the Week	Sunday	Friday	Sunday	Thursday	Sunday	Friday	Friday
Interval Since last	2 years 10 months, 25 days	3 years, 1 month, 12 days	54 days	11 years, 5 months, 166 days	7 years, 3 months, 105 days	14 years, 4 months, 123 days	NA
Event	Travelers Champ.	BMW Championship	Greenbrier	John Deere	Humana Challenge	Las Vegas Invit.	Memphis Classic
Course	TPC River Highlands	Conway Farms	Old White Course	TPC Deere Run	PGA West (Palmer)	Sunrise GC	Colonial CC
Par	70	71	70	71	72	72	72
Yards	6,841	7149	7031	7268	6950	6914	7282
Round	4	2	4	1	5	3	2
Score in next round	N/A	69	74/R1/WGC Bridgestone	68/R2/John Deere Classic	74/R1/Waste Management Phoenix Open	68/R4/Las Vegas Invitational	72/R3/Memphis Classic
Event Finish	TBD	3 rd	Win	2 nd	Win	T3	Win
Front 9 Score	27	31	28	31	31	NA	NA
Back 9 Score	31	28	31	28	28	NA	NA
Eagles	1	1	1	0	1	NA	NA
Birdies	10	11	9	12	11	NA	NA
Pars	7	5	8	6	6	NA	NA
Bogeys	0	1	0	0	0	NA	NA
Fairways Hit	13 of 14	14 of 14	11 of 14	13 of 14	11 of 13	NA	NA
Greens Hit	18 of 18	17 of 18	15 of 18	16 of 18	17 of 18	NA	NA
Putts	24	23	23	22	23	NA	NA
Last Putt	2' 0" - Par	3' 3" - birdie	10' 10"-birdie	7-foot birdie	6-foot eagle	3-foot birdie	8-foot birdie

Additional player notes

Justin Thomas shot a Sunday 62 to finish T3, his best round since a 61 at the Sony Open in Hawaii. He also shot a 61 in a winning effort at last fall's CIMB Classic in Malaysia. The T3 finish is his best since a T3 at THE PLAYERS in May.

Patrick Rodgers shot a Sunday 68 to finish T3, his best finish of the season.

Miscellaneous Stats

All six players who will compete in next week's Olympics made the cut this week. Here's where they finished: Patrick Reed (T11), Alex Cejka (T11), Matt Kuchar (T17), Bubba Watson (T25), Soren Kjeldsen (T64), Pdraig Harrington (T64).

Seven past champions of the Travelers Championship were in the field: Marc Leishman (T9), Bubba Watson (T25), Hunter Mahan (T70), Freddie Jacobson (MC), J.J. Henry (MC), Kevin Streelman (MC), Ken Duke (MC).

Bogey-free rounds:

R1: Vaughn Taylor (64), Tyrone Van Aswegen (67), Rory Sabbatini (67), Bubba Watson (67), Chad Campbell (68), Alex Cejka (68), Abraham Ancer (68).

R2: Blayne Barber (64), Russell Henley (65), Brian Stuard (65) Tyrone Van Aswegen (66), Jason Kokrak (66), Scott Pinckney (67), Jim Furyk (66), Paul Casey (67), Chad Collins (68), John Senden (68), J.J. Henry (69).

R3: Francesco Molinari (65), Bryce Molder (66), Aaron Baddeley (67), Cameron Percy (67), David Toms (70)

R4: Jim Furyk (58), Shawn Stefani (65), Tyrrell Hatton (66), Patrick Reed (66)

Scoring Averages at the par-70 TPC River Highlands:

	Front 9	Back 9	Total	Cumulative
R1:	35.244	34.833	70.077	---
R2:	34.910	35.301	70.212	70.144
R3:	34.521	34.123	68.644	69.860
R4:	34.027	34.630	68.658	69.668

The par-4 fourth hole played the toughest for the week, yielding a 4.166 average. The par-4 15th was the easiest with a 3.723 average.

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