



KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship

Harbor Shores | Benton Harbor, Michigan | May 24-27, 2018

Third-Round Notes Saturday, May 26, 2018

Course Setup: Par 71 / 6,838 yards (R3 scoring average: 70.57)

Weather: Sunny and a high in the low-80s. Wind from the SSW at 5-10 mph in the morning, turning to the W at 10-15 mph in the afternoon.

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| | Player | To Par | Scores |
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| T1 | Scott McCarron | -13 | 66-68-66-200 |
| T1 | Tim Petrovic | -13 | 66-69-65 - 200 |
| 3 | Paul Broadhurst | -11 | 72-66-64 - 202 |
| 4 | Miguel Angel Jimenez | -9 | 70-69-65 - 204 |
| T5 | Bob Estes | -8 | 69-71-65 - 205 |
| T5 | Tom Byrum | -8 | 69-69-67 - 205 |
| T5 | Jerry Kelly | -8 | 70-65-70-205 |
| T5 | Kevin Sutherland | -8 | 68-66-71 - 205 |

Ouick Links:

- Leaderboard
- Final-round tee times (TV coverage: 3-6 p.m. ET, NBC)
- Media kits: PGATOURMedia.com | KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship

Scott McCarron, 66-68-66 – 200 (-13)

- This marks the first time McCarron has led/co-led entering the final round of a senior major, and the eighth time he has led/co-led entering the final round on PGA TOUR Champions. Entering this week, he has four wins in seven tries when he starts the final round as a leader/co-leader.
- Sunday will be the second time McCarron plays in the final group this season. It will be the sixth time he has played in Sunday's final group since the start of the 2017 season, and he has won on three of those occasions.
- McCarron has hit 23 consecutive fairways, including all 12 on Saturday. He ranks T7 in the field in fairways hit (35 of 38) and T11 in driving distance (289-yard average).
- This season, McCarron has five top-10s and is No. 9 in the Charles Schwab Cup.
- He has six career wins on PGA TOUR Champions and has finished in the top five of the Charles Schwab Cup each of the last two years (No. 4/2016, No. 3/2017).

Tim Petrovic, 66-69-65 - 200 (-13)

- Petrovic carded a 5-under 31 on the front nine and led by one at 12-under. Despite making bogeys on both par 5s on the back nine, he shot a third-round 65, and he'll begin the final round tied for the lead with McCarron.
- In 410 starts (383 PGA TOUR, 27 PGA TOUR Champions), Petrovic has been a leader/co-leader entering the final round just once before this weekend. He was one of three co-leaders at the 2009 John Deere Classic, and he finished T5 after carding a 2-under 69 in the final round.
- Petrovic will play in Sunday's final group for the first time on PGA TOUR Champions. On the PGA TOUR, he played in four final groups, the most recent being in 2010 at the Memorial Tournament.
- This week, he is T5 in fairways hit (36 of 39) and T2 in greens in regulation (44 of 54).
- At the Chubb Classic in February, he closed with a career-best 64 and posted his best finish, a tie for second. He is currently No. 33 in the Charles Schwab Cup.

Third-Round Lead Notes

- The 54-hole leaders have gone on to win the last two majors (Miguel Angel Jimenez 2018 Regions Tradition, Bernhard Langer 2017 Senior Open Championship presented by Rolex). Before these two tournaments, the previous six 54-hole leaders/co-leaders at majors failed to convert their leads into victories.
- The 54-hole leader/co-leader has won all three times the KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship has been played at Harbor Shores.
 - \circ 2016 Rocco Mediate led by two at 14-under and went on to win by three at 19-under.
 - o 2014 Colin Montgomerie led by one at 7-under and went on to win by four at 13-under.
 - 2012 Roger Chapman led by five at 14-under and went on to win by two at 13-under.

Paul Broadhurst, 72-66-64 – 202 (-11)

- Broadhurst's 7-under 64 matched the tournament's lowest third-round score, joining Marco Dawson (2014), Roger Chapman (2012) and Chandler Harper (1968). It was also Broadhurst's best score in a senior major. When he won the 2016 Senior Open Championship presented by Rolex, he shot a 6-under 66 in the second round.
- He recorded a 12-under 130 (66-64) over the second and third rounds, and that ties for the best 36-hole total (any rounds) on Tour this season.
- In April, he partnered with Kirk Triplett to win the Bass Pro Shops Legends of Golf at Big Cedar Lodge in a playoff over Bernhard Langer and Tom Lehman. The win was his third on PGA TOUR Champions, and he is currently No. 15 in the Charles Schwab Cup.
- His career also includes six wins on the European Tour and four wins on the Staysure Tour.

Miguel Angel Jimenez, 70-69-65 – 204 (-9)

- Last week, Jimenez led or co-led after all four rounds en route to his first PGA TOUR Champions major victory at the Regions Tradition. It was his fifth career win, and he has won once in all five seasons on Tour.
- Jimenez has won in consecutive starts once in his career. In 2014, he won the Mitsubishi Electric Classic in his PGA TOUR Champions debut, and four weeks later he won the Open de Espana on the European Tour.
 - When Jimenez has played the week after a victory, his best result has been runner-up.
 - After winning the 2004 BMW International Open, he finished second at the Omega European Masters.
 - After winning the 1999 Volvo Masters, he lost in a playoff to Tiger Woods at the WGC-American Express Championship at Valderrama (now the WGC-Mexico Championship).

Other Notes

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- **Tom Byrum** shot 4-under 67 and is T5 at 8-under. He made a hole-in-one with a 6-iron on the 184-yard 17th.
 - 15th ace in tournament history, and second at Harbor Shores (2016/Mike Reid/2nd hole)
 - Second ace of Byrum's PGA TOUR Champions career (also made two aces on the PGA TOUR)
 - Fifth ace on Tour this season (individual events only)
- Also tied for fifth are **Jerry Kelly** (2017 PGA TOUR Champions Rookie of the Year) and **Kevin Sutherland** (2017 Charles Schwab Cup champion). **Bob Estes**, a four-time winner on the PGA TOUR, is the fourth player tied for fifth at 8-under.

- Of the 41 PGA Club Professionals that started the week, **Mark Mielke** was the only one to make the cut. He carded a third-round 74 and is T52 at even-par.
- The field's seven highest-ranked players in the Charles Schwab Cup made the cut, and five are in the top 10:
 - 3. **Joe Durant** (T9/-7)
 - 4. Miguel Angel Jimenez (4th/-9)
 - 5. Jerry Kelly (T5/-8)
 - 6. Gene Sauers (T25/-4)
 - 7. Vijay Singh (T22/-5)
 - 8. David Toms (T9/-7)
 - o 9. Scott McCarron (T1/-13)
- This week's winner will receive a lifetime exemption into the KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship, and exemptions into the 2018 PGA Championship, 2018 Senior Open Championship and 2018 U.S. Senior Open.