



BMW Championship

2019 BMW Championship

(The second of three events in the FedExCup Playoffs)

Medinah, Illinois August 12-18, 2019
Medinah Country Club (Course No. 3) Par/Yards: 72/7,613

FedExCup Points: 2,000 (winner)
Purse: \$9,250,000 (\$1,665,000)

Final-Round Notes – Sunday, August 18, 2019

Weather: Sunday: Mostly cloudy with isolated showers. Wind WSW 13-18 mph with gusts of 25. Overnight and morning rainfall totaled 0.80" bringing the weekly rainfall total to 1.94".

Final-Round Leaderboard

| | |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| Justin Thomas | 65-69-61-68—263 (-25) |
| Patrick Cantlay | 66-67-68-65—266 (-22) |
| Hideki Matsuyama | 69-63-73-63—268 (-20) |
| Tony Finau | 67-66-68-69—270 (-18) |
| Jon Rahm | 68-69-66-69—272 (-16) |
| Brandt Snedeker | 66-71-67-68—272 (-16) |

TOUR Championship

The following players moved **inside** top 30 and will advance to the TOUR Championship: Hideki Matsuyama, Lucas Glover, Jason Kokrak

- Hideki Matsuyama has never missed a TOUR Championship since joining the PGA TOUR in 2014
- Lucas Glover qualifies for the TOUR Championship for second time and first since 2009
- Jason Kokrak birdied the 72nd hole to move into the top 30 and will make his TOUR Championship debut

The following players fell **outside** top 30 and will not advance to the TOUR Championship: Shane Lowry, Andrew Putnam, Harold Varner III

- Open Championship winner Shane Lowry dropped from 25th to 33rd
- A season after finishing 33rd in the FedExCup, Andrew Putnam finishes 34th
- Harold Varner III ends season 38th in the FedExCup, marking his best Playoffs run in four seasons on TOUR

Additional TOUR Championship notes

- BMW Championship winner Justin Thomas moves to No. 1 in the FedExCup; seeks second FedExCup (2017) to join Tiger Woods (2007, 2009) as the only multiple winners of the FedExCup
- Tiger Woods finished T37 in the BMW Championship and No. 42 in the FedExCup standings and will not advance to the TOUR Championship where he is the defending champion; this marks the 16th time in his career he did not defend a title (reasons include did not choose to play, injury, tournament no longer played, etc.)
- Woods is the second player not to defend a title in 2018-19 (Andrew Putnam, Barracuda Championship)
- Dustin Johnson (14th in FedExCup) qualifies for his 11th TOUR Championship; marks the most seasons qualifying for TOUR Championship by a player in FedExCup era
- Jordan Spieth (44th in FedExCup) misses second consecutive TOUR Championship (31st in 2017-18); prior to last season, the 2015 FedExCup winner qualified for every TOUR Championship since joining the PGA TOUR in 2013
- At No. 24, Sungjae Im is the only rookie to qualify for the TOUR Championship in 2018-19; he becomes the 13th PGA TOUR rookie to qualify for the TOUR Championship in the FedExCup era. Since the inception of the FedExCup, the rookie who finishes the highest in the FedExCup has been voted Rookie of the Year.

| FedExCup Rank | Name | TOUR Championship Starting Strokes |
|---------------|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1 | Justin Thomas | -10 |
| 2 | Patrick Cantlay | -8 |
| 3 | Brooks Koepka | -7 |
| 4 | Patrick Reed | -6 |
| 5 | Rory McIlroy | -5 |
| 6 | Jon Rahm | -4 |
| 7 | Matt Kuchar | -4 |
| 8 | Xander Schauffele | -4 |
| 9 | Webb Simpson | -4 |
| 10 | Abraham Ancer | -4 |
| 11 | Gary Woodland | -3 |
| 12 | Tony Finau | -3 |
| 13 | Adam Scott | -3 |
| 14 | Dustin Johnson | -3 |
| 15 | Hideki Matsuyama | -3 |
| 16 | Paul Casey | -2 |
| 17 | Justin Rose | -2 |
| 18 | Brandt Snedeker | -2 |
| 19 | Rickie Fowler | -2 |
| 20 | Kevin Kisner | -2 |
| 21 | Marc Leishman | -1 |
| 22 | Tommy Fleetwood | -1 |
| 23 | Corey Connors | -1 |
| 24 | Sungjae Im | -1 |
| 25 | Chez Reavie | -1 |
| 26 | Bryson DeChambeau | Even |
| 27 | Louis Oosthuizen | Even |
| 28 | Charles Howell III | Even |
| 29 | Lucas Glover | Even |
| 30 | Jason Kokrak | Even |

Presidents Cup

Following the conclusion of the BMW Championship the top-eight positions on the U.S. and International Teams for the 2019 Presidents Cup were determined.

| United States | | | International | | |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Entering the BMW | | Final Standings | Entering the BMW | | Final Standings |
| 1 | Brooks Koepka | Brooks Koepka | 1 | Marc Leishman | Marc Leishman |
| 2 | Dustin Johnson | Justin Thomas | 2 | Louis Oosthuizen | Hideki Matsuyama |
| 3 | Justin Thomas | Dustin Johnson | 3 | Adam Scott | Louis Oosthuizen |
| 4 | Xander Schauffele | Patrick Cantlay | 4 | Hideki Matsuyama | Adam Scott |
| 5 | Matt Kuchar | Xander Schauffele | 5 | Abraham Ancer | Abraham Ancer |
| 6 | Webb Simpson | Webb Simpson | 6 | HaoTong Li | HaoTong Li |
| 7 | Bryson DeChambeau | Matt Kuchar | 7 | Cameron Smith | C.T. Pan |
| 8 | Patrick Cantlay | Bryson DeChambeau | 8 | C.T. Pan | Cameron Smith |

Notes:

- Needing a solo-third or better to earn automatic spot on first Presidents Cup team, Tony Finau finished fourth
- Xander Schauffele, Bryson DeChambeau, Patrick Cantlay secure their first berths on the U.S. Team
- First-timers on the International team: Abraham Ancer, HaoTong Li, C.T. Pan and Cameron Smith; Abraham Ancer (Mexico), HaoTong Li (China) and C.T. Pan (Chinese Taipei) become first players to represent their countries in the Presidents Cup

| Justin Thomas | |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Age | 26 (April 29, 1993) |
| Country | USA |
| FedExCup | 1 |
| OWGR | 5 th (projected) |
| PGA TOUR starts | 136 |
| PGA TOUR wins | 10 |
| PGA TOUR top-10s | 43 |
| Starts in 2018-19 | 19 |
| Wins in 2018-19 | 1 |
| Top-10s in 2018-19 | 6 |
| BMW Championship starts | 5 |
| BMW Championship top-10s | 1 (win, 2019) |

With this victory: Justin Thomas

- Earns 10th career TOUR victory and first of the season, in 136th career start at age 26 years, 3 months, 20 days
- List of PGA TOUR wins: 2015 CIMB Classic, 2016 CIMB Classic, 2017 Sentry Tournament of Champions, 2017 Sony Open in Hawaii, 2017 PGA Championship, 2017 Dell Technologies Championship, 2017 THE CJ CUP @ NINE BRIDGES, 2018 The Honda Classic, 2018 World Golf Championships-FedEx St. Jude Invitational, 2019 BMW Championship
- Most wins over the last four seasons: Dustin Johnson (11), Justin Thomas (10), Brooks Koepka (6)
- Becomes ninth player in TOUR history to record 10 wins, including a major, before age 27: Ralph Guldahl, Rory McIlroy, Jack Nicklaus, Paul Runyan, Gene Sarazen, Horton Smith, Jordan Spieth, Justin Thomas, Tiger Woods
- Wins second FedExCup Playoffs event (2017 Dell Technologies Championships, 2019 BMW Championship); becomes 13th player to win multiple Playoffs events (Record is 4: Tiger Woods, Rory McIlroy, Dustin Johnson)
- Will attempt to become the fourth player in FedExCup history to win the BMW Championship and the FedExCup in the same season (Tiger Woods in 2007 and 2009, Billy Horschel in 2014)
- En route to winning the 2017 FedExCup, entered the TOUR Championship second in the standings

Largest Margin of Victory in the FedExCup Playoffs

| | | | RTP | Margin |
|-------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|------------|----------|
| 2009 | BMW Championship | Tiger Woods | -19 | 8 |
| 2007 | THE TOUR Championship | Tiger Woods | -23 | 8 |
| 2015 | THE NORTHERN TRUST | Jason Day | -19 | 6 |
| 2015 | BMW Championship | Jason Day | -22 | 6 |
| 2017 | BMW Championship | Marc Leishman | -23 | 5 |
| 2010 | Dell Technologies Championship | Charley Hoffman | -22 | 5 |
| 2008 | Dell Technologies Championship | Vijay Singh | -22 | 5 |
| 2018 | THE NORTHERN TRUST | Bryson DeChambeau | -18 | 4 |
| 2019 | BMW Championship | Justin Thomas | -25 | 3 |
| 2017 | Dell Technologies Championship | Justin Thomas | -17 | 3 |
| 2016 | BMW Championship | Dustin Johnson | -23 | 3 |
| 2012 | THE NORTHERN TRUST | Nick Watney | -10 | 3 |
| 2009 | THE TOUR Championship | Phil Mickelson | -9 | 3 |
| 2014 | THE TOUR Championship | Billy Horschel | -11 | 3 |
| 2013 | THE TOUR Championship | Henrik Stenson | -13 | 3 |
| 2012 | THE TOUR Championship | Brandt Snedeker | -10 | 3 |

- Records fourth round of 61 or better on TOUR: 59, 2017 Sony Open in Hawaii/R1; 61, 2015 Sony Open in Hawaii/R2; 61, 2015 CIMB Classic/R2; 61, 2019 BMW Championship/R3
- Round-three 61 marks seventh round of 61 or better in a FedExCup Playoffs event
- Coverts seventh of 10 54-hole lead/co-leads on TOUR

| Justin Thomas' 54-hole leads by three strokes or more | | |
|---|------------------|------------|
| Tournament | Lead | Finish |
| 2017 Sony Open in Hawaii | 7 strokes | Won |
| 2019 BMW Championship | 6 strokes | Won |
| 2019 Genesis Invitational | 4 strokes | Runner-up |
| 2018 WGC-FedEx St. Jude Invitational | 3 strokes | Won |

- Led the field with birdies (27)
- Shared the first-round lead after a bogey-free 5-under 65 in round one
- Did not play from the Masters (April) until the Memorial Tournament presented by Nationwide (June) due to a wrist injury; win marks first top-10 since returning to competition

Course Statistics

| | Toughest Hole | Easiest Hole |
|------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| R1: | Par-4 4 th (4.101) | Par-5 5 th (4.087) |
| R2: | Par-4 6 th (4.217) | Par-5 5 th (4.435) |
| R3: | Par-4 6 th (4.145) | Par-5 5 th (4.290) |
| R4: | Par-3 17 th (3.290) | Par-5 5 th (4.406) |

Scoring Averages

| | Front 9 | Back 9 | Total | Cumulative |
|------------|---------|--------|--------|------------|
| R1: | 34.319 | 34.957 | 69.275 | --- |
| R2: | 35.159 | 35.188 | 70.348 | 69.812 |
| R3: | 34.754 | 34.913 | 69.667 | 69.763 |
| R4: | 34.884 | 35.536 | 70.420 | 69.928 |

Bogey-free rounds

R1 (10): Abraham Ancer (68), Wyndham Clark (69), Corey Connors (69), Joel Dahmen (66), Tommy Fleetwood (70), Jim Furyk (66), Lucas Glover (66), Hideki Matsuyama (69), Rory Sabbatini (67), Justin Thomas (65)

R2 (7): Patrick Cantlay (67), Tony Finau (66), Max Homa (67), Hideki Matsuyama (63), C.T. Pan (67), Rory Sabbatini (68), Xander Schauffele (68)

R3 (10): Paul Casey (67), Wyndham Clark (65), Marc Leishman (67), Louis Oosthuizen (68), Adam Scott (69), Webb Simpson (67), Brandt Snedeker (67), Vaughn Taylor (67), Gary Woodland (64), Tiger Woods (67)

R4 (7): Tommy Fleetwood (69), Sungjae Im (67), Jason Kokrak (67), Shane Lowry (69), Troy Merritt (66), Brandt Snedeker (68), Vaughn Taylor (66)