



Rapiscan Systems Classic

Fallen Oak | Biloxi, Mississippi | March 29-31, 2019

Final Round Notes

Sunday, March 31, 2019

Course Setup: Par 72 / 7,088 yards (R3: 74.767; Cumulative: 73.718*) *Highest cumulative scoring average in tournament history **Weather:** Mostly cloudy with isolated showers. High of 55 with winds out of the N at 6-12 mph.

Summary: Kevin Sutherland and **Scott Parel** entered a five-hole playoff. They parred the first hole, bogeyed the second, and parred the third, fourth and fifth before losing daylight. They will resume play for the sixth playoff hole on No. 18 at 8 a.m. CT.

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	Player	To Par	Scores
T1.	Kevin Sutherland	-7	65-69-75—209
T1.	Scott Parel	-7	68-72-69—209
3.	Billy Andrade	-6	71-68-71—210
4.	Marco Dawson	-5	65-72-74—211

Quick Links:

- Leaderboard
- PGATOURmedia.com (transcripts and other resources available for download)

Kevin Sutherland, 65-69-75—209 (-7)

- Sutherland entered the final round leading by three (the largest in tournament history), but back-to-back bogeys on Nos. 4 and 5 moved his lead to one. Sutherland bogeyed No. 15 to share the lead with Billy Andrade. Scott Parel birdied the final hole to share a three-way tie with Sutherland and Andrade. Sutherland parred the final hole, as Andrade bogeyed, sending Sutherland and Parel into a two-man playoff.
- Sutherland is making his fifth start at the Rapiscan Systems Classic. His best finish was runner-up in 2015.
- This season, Sutherland has finished in the top 10 three times in five starts. His best was a T4 finish at the Chubb Classic.
- Sutherland won the 2017 Charles Schwab Cup Championship, owns nine runner-up finishes and 50 finishes in the top 10.

Scott Parel, 68-72-69—209 (-7)

- Parel carded five birdies, including a birdie on the final hole to move four places up the leaderboard and into a three-way tie with Kevin Sutherland and Billy Andrade. Parel finished two holes ahead of Sutherland and Andrade. Andrade bogeyed to take third place and Parel and Sutherland moved into a two-man playoff.
- It is Parel's fourth start at the Rapiscan Systems Classic. Prior to this year, his best finish was T3 in 2018.

- This season, Parel owns three finishes in the top 25. His best is T11 at the Coloquard Classic.
- Parel owns one victory (2018 Boeing Classic), five runner-up finishes and 20 finishes in the top 10 on PGA TOUR Champions.

Playoff Notes:

- The playoff is Sutherland's third (0-2) and Parel's second (0-1) on PGA TOUR Champions.
- The last six-hole playoff was when Larry Nelson def. Gil Morgan and Jim Dent at the 2000 Vantage Championship.
- The last time a tournament was completed on a Monday was the 2016 U.S. Senior Open.
- It is just the second playoff in tournament history (2017 Miguel Angel Jimenez def. Gene Sauers).
- It is the third playoff in six events this season.
 - o Chubb Classic (Miguel Angel Jimenez def. Bernhard Langer): One-hole playoff
 - o Hoag Classic (Kirk Triplett def. Woody Austin): Three-hole playoff
- There were three playoffs in 2018:
 - o Mitsubishi Electric Championship (Steve Flesch defeated Bernhard Langer and Scott Parel)
 - Bass Pro Shops Legends of Golf (Paul Broadhurst and Kirk Triplett defeated Bernhard Langer and Tom Lehman)
 - o Constellation SENIOR PLAYERS Championship (Vijay Singh defeated Jeff Maggert)

Billy Andrade, 71-68-71—210 (-6)

- Andrade opened with a birdie on the first hole followed by four more, including back-to-back birdies on Nos. 14 and 15 to take the lead by one headed into the 16th hole. Andrade bogeyed the 16th hole, falling back into a three-way tie with Scott Parel and Kevin Sutherland. Andrade then parred No. 17 and bogeyed the final hole, pulling himself out of the three-way tie and into a third-place finish.
- Andrade's third-place finish is his sixth in his career on PGA TOUR Champions, his best this season and best since finishing runner-up at the Rapiscan Systems Classic last year.
- In six starts at the Rapiscan Systems Classic, Andrade now owns four finishes in the top-10, including two runner-up finishes.
- Andrade owns three victories, five runner-up finishes and 35 finishes in the top 10 on PGA TOUR Champions.

Marco Dawson, 65-72-74—211 (-5)

- Dawson carded a 2-over 73 to add to an even-par 72 in the second round and his lowest round of the year in the opening round (6-under 65) for a 5-under 211 fourth-place finish.
- In six starts this season, it is Dawson's third finish in the top 10.
- Dawson ranked T2 in the field this week in putting (1.22 GIR) and T3 in scrambling (10 of 14).
- In six years on PGA TOUR Champions, Dawson now owns two victories (2015 Cologuard Classic; 2015 The Senior Open Championship), three runner-up finishes and 29 finishes in the top 10.

Other Notes

- The field includes six members of the World Golf Hall of Fame:
 - o **Fred Couples:** Even-par 216 (T17)
 - o **Bernhard Langer:** 4-under 212 (T5)
 - o Colin Montgomerie: 2-under 214 (T11)
 - o **Larry Nelson:** 15-over 231 (T66)
 - o Mark O'Meara: WD
 - o **Vijay Singh:** 2-under 214 (T11)
- The field includes six past champions of the Rapiscan Systems Classic.
 - o **Steve Stricker (2018):** 4-under 212 (T5)
 - o **David Frost (2015):** 11-over 227 (**T58**)
 - o **Jeff Maggert (2014):** 2-over 218 (T25)
 - o **Michael Allen (2013):** 2-over 218

- o **Fred Couples (2012):** Even-par 216 (T17)
- o **Tom Lehman (2011):** 9-over 225 (T55)
- Mark O'Meara withdrew after his first drive in the final round due to a hamstring injury.
- Paul Goydos withdrew following his 11th hole. He was 7-over in the final round.