

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: September 27, 2020

CONTACT: Sean Wildhack, seanwildhack@pgatourhq.com, 315-243-2751

Final-Round Leaderboard

Pos.	Name	Scores
1	Jared Wolfe	63-65-65-71 – 264 (-16)
2	Taylor Pendrith	65-62-69-69 – 265 (-15)
Т3	Dawson Armstrong	70-66-65-65 – 266 (-14)
T3	Brad Hopfinger	64-67-67-68 – 266 (-14)

Full Leaderboard

Jared Wolfe earns second win of the season at Wichita Open Supporting Wichita's Youth

WICHITA, Kansas – Jared Wolfe survived a windy final round at Crestview Country Club to earn his second Korn Ferry Tour title of the season at the Wichita Open Supporting Wichita's Youth. The 32-year-old carded a final-round 71 to finish the week at 16-under 264. Taylor Pendrith finished solo-second at 15-under 265.

"It's huge," Wolfe said of his win. "I feel like I've been playing great all year. These last six or seven events, I've been playing good and just had a couple of bad holes here and there. To pull through today was pretty cool."

Wolfe, who began the final round with a three-stroke lead, stumbled out of the gate with a bogey on the par-4 first dropping his lead to one. Despite the setback, he settled into the round carding five consecutive pars on Nos. 2-6 maintaining the lead. As he played the par-4 seventh, the weather began to turn as rain and heavy winds delayed play for an hour and 18 minutes.

"That was incredible," he said of the weather. "Whatever hit with that wind and everything came out of nowhere. I tried to just stay calm and relax."

Battling difficult conditions as players returned to the course, Wolfe remained steady keeping his lead after pars on Nos. 7-13.

Pendrith, who played in the final group with Wolfe, made the turn two strokes off the lead. On the par-3 12th, he converted his second birdie of the round to reach 15-under and pull within one.

Entering the final stretch with a one-stroke advantage, Wolfe drained a 10-foot eagle putt on the par-5 14th to give himself a three-stroke lead with four holes to play.



Immediately after the eagle, Wolfe dropped a shot with his second bogey of the day on the par-4 15th. As Wolfe moved back to 17-under, Pendrith tallied his third birdie of the day on No. 15 to cut the lead to one. Both Wolfe and Pendrith dropped a shot on the par-4 16th, giving Wolfe a one-stroke lead with two holes to play.

After both players made par on No. 17, Wolfe teed off on the 72nd hole with a one-stroke advantage. After his approach shot came up short of the green, Pendrith stuck his second shot to within 15-feet leaving himself a chance for birdie. Despite his best effort, Pendrith's putt slid past the hole leaving him a short par putt. With the tournament on the line, Wolfe converted his up-and-down and secured his second win of the season.

"Taylor (Pendrith) was playing some great golf," Wolfe said. "Him and I were going back-andforth which made it a lot of fun. I've known Taylor for a while, and he's been so close all year too. It was just a fun day."

With the win, Wolfe moved to fourth on the season-long Korn Ferry Tour points list and is one win away from the three-win "Battlefield Promotion" to the PGA TOUR. The feat has only been accomplished 11 times in the Tour's history, most recently by Wesley Bryan in 2016. The Murray State University product joined Davis Riley as the only players to win twice on Tour this season.

"I'm going to go home and celebrate with my daughter and my wife," Wolfe said. "My parents are in town too so; I get to hang out with them for a day. Then, it's off to Savannah and we'll try to go get (win) number three."

Pendrith's runner-up was good for his fourth second-place finish of the season. With the result, he moved to second on the Korn Ferry Tour points list but is still in search of his first Korn Ferry Tour victory.

Next week, the Korn Ferry Tour travels to Savannah, Georgia, for the Savannah Golf Championship.

SUNDAY NOTES:

- * Sunday's weather: Most cloudy with showers with a high of 69. Wind N/NE at 20-25 mph with gusts up to 35 mph. Play was suspended at 12:52 p.m. due to inclement weather and resumed at 2:10 p.m.
- * This week's purse was \$600,000 with \$108,000 going to the winner Jared Wolfe. He also received 500 Korn Ferry Tour points.
- * With the victory, Jared Wolfe joined Davis Riley (Panama Championship, TPC San Antonito Championship at the Oaks) as the only two-time winners on Tour this season.
- * Wolfe's second victory came 16 starts after his first win at The Bahamas Great Abaco Classic at Baha Mar earlier this year.
- * Wolfe's 1-over 71 was the highest finish by a winner in tournament history.
- * With the victory, Wolfe moved to fourth on the Korn Ferry Tour points list with 1,374 points.



- * With his runner-up finish, Taylor Pendrith moved to second on the points list with 1,595 points.
- * Competing as an amateur this week, Noah Norton finished T8 at 12-under 268. With the top-25 result, he earned a spot in next week's Savannah Golf Championship.
- * Ollie Schniederjans, who won the 2016 Wichita Open, finished the week T8 at 12-under 268.
- * Spurred by a final-round 65, Dawson Armstrong (T3, -14) earned the best finish of his Korn Ferry Tour career.
- * The combined 2020-21 Korn Ferry Tour schedule will conclude with 25 PGA TOUR cards awarded at the 2021 WinCo Foods Portland Open presented by KraftHeinz, with an additional 25 cards awarded at the conclusion of the 2021 Korn Ferry Tour Finals.
- * The par-4 sixth hole (495 yards) played as the hardest hole on Sunday with a scoring average of 4.233.
- * The par-5 14th hole (501 yards) played as the easiest hole on Sunday with a scoring average of 4.192.

*Crestview Country Club Scoring Average:

	Front	Back	Total	Cumulative
R1	34.590	34.282	68.872	
R2	34.763	34.009	68.862	68.870
R3	34.342	34.384	68.726	68.822
R4	35.411	34.137	69.548	69.004

For highlights from today's round, or any 2019 event visit http://bit.ly/kornferry2019video

For the latest information and updates on the Korn Ferry Tour visit www.pgatourmedia.com

Scores available at www.pgatour.com or on the Associated Press wire

Follow the Korn Ferry Tour on Twitter at https://twitter.com/kornferrytour on Facebook at www.facebook.com/kornferrytour/ and on Instagram at https://www.instagram.com/kornferrytour/?hl=en