

**2020 3M Open***(The 29th of 36 events in the 2019-20 PGA TOUR Season)***Blaine, Minnesota
TPC Twin Cities****July 23-26, 2020****Purse: \$6,600,000 (winner: \$1,188,000)
Par/Yards: 35-36—71/7,431****Second-Round Notes – Friday, July 24, 2020***Weather: Partly cloudy. High of 88. Wind S 13-18 mph, gusting to 25 mph.**Cut: 68 professionals at 2-under 140 from a field of 155 professionals and one amateur.***Second-Round Leaderboard**

Richy Werenski	63-67—130 (-12)
Michael Thompson	64-66—130 (-12)
Tony Finau	65-66—131 (-11)
Talor Gooch	66-65—131 (-11)
Xinjun Zhang	65-67—132 (-10)

Things to Know

- Michael Thompson and Richy Werenski hold 36-hole lead/co-lead for the second time on TOUR
- Tony Finau trails by one after equaling his lowest opening 36-hole score; caddie and instructor, Boyd Summerhays, received good news earlier in the day as son, Preston, won prestigious Sunnehanna Amateur
- Defending champion Matthew Wolff seeking to record first two TOUR wins at same event since Daniel Berger (2016-2017)
- World No. 6 Brooks Koepka misses cut by one shot, while brother, Chase, enters the weekend T33

Second-Round Lead Notes

- 11 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win in 2019-20 (most recent: Collin Morikawa/Workday Charity Open)
- 0 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win the 3M Open
- 128 36-hole scoring record at the 3M Open (DeChambeau/2019)

Comparing the co-leaders (entering the week)

Player	Richy Werenski	Michael Thompson
Age	28 (12/22/1991)	35 (4/16/1985)
FedExCup	95	151
OWGR	248	218
PGA TOUR starts	98	227
PGA TOUR wins	0	1
PGA TOUR top-10s	7	17
Starts in 2019-20	12	15
Top-10s in 2019-20	1	1

Richy Werenski (T1/-12)

- Followed career-low 63 with a 4-under 67, his seventh consecutive second-round score in the 60s
- 130 total represents his best 36-hole score on TOUR (2018 Mayakoba Golf Classic/131)
- Holds his first 36-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR in a stroke-play event; also held the second-round lead at the 2017 Barracuda Championship (lost in a playoff to Chris Stroud in the Modified Stableford Scoring format)
- Leads the field in Strokes Gained: Putting (6.923) and T1 in Sand Saves (2/2)
- In search of second top-10 finish of the season in his 13th start (T3/A Military Tribute at The Greenbrier)
- Seeks first TOUR win in 99th start; two runner ups (P2/2017 Barracuda Championship, T2/2018 Barbasol Championship)

Michael Thompson (T1/-12)

- Followed bogey-free, 7-under 64 with a 5-under 66 to move into a share of the second-round lead
- Marks his second 36-hole lead/co-lead (2011 RBC Canadian Open/T34)

- Seeking second career PGA TOUR victory (2013 The Honda Classic)

Tony Finau (T3/-11)

- With longtime friend and instructor Boyd Summerhays on the bag this week, sits T3 after rounds of 65-66
- 131 total equals his lowest-opening 36-hole score on TOUR (most recently at The American Express in 2020/finished T14)
- Holed out from 81 yards for eagle on the par-5 sixth hole
- Leads the field in Strokes Gained: Tee To Green, Strokes Gained: Approach The Green, Proximity, and Putts (GIR)
- Summerhays' son, Preston, won the prestigious Sunnehanna Amateur earlier on Friday
- Now has six rounds in the 60s in as many attempts at TPC Twin Cities; finished T23 in tournament debut in 2019
- Finished eighth last week at Muirfield Village after holding outright first-round lead and a share of second-round lead

Miscellaneous notes

- **Talor Gooch** (T3/-11) in search of first PGA TOUR victory in 66th start (best finish: T3/2019 Farmers Insurance Open)
- Defending champion **Matthew Wolff** (T6/-9) is hoping to become the first player to win his first two PGA TOUR titles at the same event since Daniel Berger won back-to-back in Memphis (2016, 2017)
- **Bo Van Pelt** (T8/-8) hoping to become the first player to record a hole-in-one (No. 8 in the first round) and go on to win in the same week since Webb Simpson at the 2020 Waste Management Phoenix Open
- **Danny Lee** (T12/-7) celebrated his 30th birthday with a second-round 3-under 68
- World No. 6 **Brooks Koepka** missed the cut by one shot while his brother, **Chase**, will enter the weekend T33 after rounds of 70-68 in his first 3M Open start
- 61-year-old Minnesota native **Tom Lehman** missed the cut by one stroke; consulted on course renovations at TPC Twin Cities where he played the 3M Championship on PGA TOUR Champions eight times with a T2 in 2011 his best result
- University of Minnesota rising senior and reigning Minnesota State Open champion **Angus Flanagan** missed the cut with matching rounds of 2-over 73
- **Seung-Yul Noh** (shoulder) and **Chris Stroud** withdrew during the second round

Bogey-free rounds

R1 (7): Michael Thompson (64), Nick Watney (65), Bo Hoag (65), Patrick Rodgers (66), Bubba Watson (67), Kramer Hickok (67), Tom Lewis (68)

R2 (4): Talor Gooch (65), Russell Knox (67), Matthew Wolff (68), Alex Noren (69)

Scoring averages

	Front 9	Back 9	Total	Cumulative
R1	35.090	35.335	70.426	--
R2	34.803	35.928	70.730	70.577

	Toughest hole	Easiest hole
R1	Par-4 9 th (4.529)	Par-5 12 th (4.277)
R2	Par-4 11 th (4.257)	Par-5 12 th (4.566)