



## 2019 Hero World Challenge

New Providence, The Bahamas  
Albany, Bahamas

December 4-7, 2019  
Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,309

Purse: \$3,500,000  
Winner: \$1,000,000

### Final-Round Notes – Saturday, December 7, 2019

*Weather: Mostly sunny. High of 79. Wind N 5-10 mph.*

#### Final Leaderboard

Henrik Stenson	69-67-68-66—270 (-18)
Jon Rahm	70-66-69-66—271 (-17)
Patrick Reed	66-66-74-66—272 (-16)
Tiger Woods	72-66-67-69—274 (-14)
Justin Rose	69-70-71-65—275 (-13)
Justin Thomas	69-69-67-70—275 (-13)

#### Things to Know

- Henrik Stenson wins the Hero World Challenge by one shot over Jon Rahm
- Stenson has finished in the top five six times in seven starts at the event
- Stenson recorded four scores in the 60s, the only player in the field to do so
- Five-time winner and tournament host Tiger Woods finished fourth at 14-under
- Defending champion Jon Rahm earns a runner-up; only Woods has won back-to-back at the Hero World Challenge

#### Henrik Stenson (Winner/-18)

- Recorded four scores in the 60s (69-67-68-66), the only player in the field to do so
- Back-nine 32 included an eagle at the par-5 15<sup>th</sup>
- Has finished in the top five in six of his seven starts at the Hero World Challenge (4<sup>th</sup>/2006, T5/2007, 2<sup>nd</sup>/2014, 2<sup>nd</sup>/2016, 17<sup>th</sup>/2017, 4<sup>th</sup>/2018, Won/2019)
- Made two starts in the fall portion of the 2019-20 season (MC/Houston Open, T20/World Golf Championships-HSBC Champions)
- Finished 90<sup>th</sup> in the 2018-19 FedExCup standings with three top-10s in 15 starts
- Last official PGA TOUR victory came at the 2017 Wyndham Championship (Hero World Challenge is unofficial)

#### Jon Rahm (2<sup>nd</sup>/-17)

- Finishes runner-up in title defense; only Tiger Woods has won back-to-back at the event (2006, 2007)
- Has recorded under-par scores in each of his first eight rounds at Albany
- Had two bogey-free rounds (66/R2, 66/R4); the rest of the field had just one combined
- At No. 3, was the highest ranked player in the field in the Official World Golf Ranking
- Did not make a start in the fall portion of the 2019-20 PGA TOUR schedule
- Finished tied for 12<sup>th</sup> in the final 2018-19 FedExCup standings; earned a victory at the 2019 Zurich Classic of New Orleans with partner Ryan Palmer, one of 12 top-10s on the season

#### Tiger Woods (4<sup>th</sup>/-14)

- A five-time winner, finishes fourth to earn his best result in the event since 2014 (2<sup>nd</sup>)
- Captured record-tying 82<sup>nd</sup> PGA TOUR victory at the ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP in the fall portion of the season
- Will serve as Captain for the United States in next week's Presidents Cup and will compete as a playing captain

**Scoring averages**

	<b>Front 9</b>	<b>Back 9</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>
<b>R1:</b>	35.99	35.21	71.20	---
<b>R2:</b>	35.80	33.49	69.29	70.25
<b>R3:</b>	34.94	34.83	69.77	70.09
<b>R4:</b>	34.57	34.34	68.91	69.81

**Bogey-free rounds**

**R1:** None

**R2 (2):** Jon Rahm (66), Tiger Woods (66)

**R3:** None

**R4 (1):** Jon Rahm (66)

**Hero World Challenge/ONE Bahamas Fund**

- As part of ongoing relief and rebuilding efforts following Hurricane Dorian, the Hero World Challenge announced that additional donations will be made to the ONE Bahamas Fund through a charity challenge to the players
- The tournament will make a donation of \$500 for each birdie, \$1,000 for each eagle and \$2,500 for each hole-in-one made during competition rounds
- In all, there were 337 birdies (\$168,500) and 16 eagles (\$16,000)
- The ONE Bahamas Fund was created to support relief and rebuilding efforts in The Bahamas and to support its residents who were affected by Hurricane Dorian
- Founders Justin Timberlake, Tiger Woods, NEXUS Luxury Collection, Royal Bank of Canada and members from the Albany community collectively pledged \$6 million as a challenge gift, matching donations by the public dollar-for-dollar for the next \$6 million – with a goal of raising a minimum of \$12 million