



**2020 Workday Charity Open**

*(The 27<sup>th</sup> of 36 events in the 2019-20 PGA TOUR Season)*

**Dublin, Ohio**  
**Muirfield Village Golf Club**

**July 9-12, 2020**  
**Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,456**

**FedExCup Points: 500**  
**Purse: \$6,200,000/\$1,116,000**

**Third-Round Notes – Saturday, July 11, 2020**

*Weather: Partly cloudy, with a high of 87. WNW wind 12-22 mph.*

**Third-Round Leaderboard**

Justin Thomas	68-66-66—200 (-16)
Viktor Hovland	69-67-66—202 (-14)
Collin Morikawa	65-66-72—203 (-13)
Sam Burns	69-66-70—205 (-11)
Kevin Streelman	70-64-71—205 (-11)

**Things to Know**

- Justin Thomas holds 54-hole lead/co-lead for 13<sup>th</sup> time on PGA TOUR, converting eight of previous 12
- Fifteen third-round leaders/co-leaders have converted for the win on the PGA TOUR in 2019-20 (Most recently Webb Simpson/RBC Heritage)
- Justin Thomas is bogey-free thru 54 holes; Last player to win bogey-free for 72 holes – J.T. Poston/2019 Wyndham Championship
- Last player to go bogey-free for 72 holes and not win; Scott Piercy/2019 AT&T Byron Nelson
- After notching a birdie on his 36<sup>th</sup> hole Saturday morning to make the cut on the number, Monday qualifier MJ Daffue (No. 1,373 in OWGR) posts 7-under 65 to sit T8
- Bronson Burgoon aced the 8<sup>th</sup> hole, the third hole-in-one this week

**Final Grouping Comparison (entering the week)**

Player	Justin Thomas	Viktor Hovland	Collin Morikawa
Age	27 (4/29/1993)	22 (9/18/1997)	23 (2/6/1997)
FedExCup	2	35	21
OWGR	5	42	29
PGA TOUR starts	148	23	25
PGA TOUR wins	12	1	1
Starts in 2019-20	11	13	14
Top-10s in 2019-20	7	2	4

**Justin Thomas (1<sup>st</sup>/-16)**

- With a birdie at No. 11, reached 14-under to take the lead; Added two additional birdies to hold two-stroke lead
- Marks first time in his career to go bogey-free in the opening three rounds of a PGA TOUR event
- Recorded 79<sup>th</sup> round of 66 or better since the start of the 2014-15 PGA TOUR Season (most of any player)
- Since 1983, only two players have gone bogey-free through 54 holes at Muirfield Village (Scott Hoch/1987, Jim Furyk/1997/\*54-hole event)
- Third player to go bogey-free through the first three rounds this season (Tyler Duncan/The RSM Classic/Won, Troy Merritt/Rocket Mortgage Classic/T8)
- Sits second in the FedExCup standings, 117 points behind Webb Simpson, who is not in the field this week
- 16-under 200 is two strokes shy of lowest opening 54-hole score at Muirfield Village (198/Scott Hoch/1987)
- This marks his 13<sup>th</sup> 54-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR, most recently 2020 WGC-Mexico Championship (T6)
- Went on to win eight of his previous 12 54-hole leads/co-leads, most recently 2019 THE CJ CUP @ NINE BRIDGES
- Has made all 46 of 46 record on putts from inside 8 feet this week

### Viktor Hovland (2<sup>nd</sup>/-14)

- Ranks No. 1 in Strokes Gained: Off The Tee through 54 holes (5.166)
- PGA TOUR rookie seeks second victory in 19<sup>th</sup> PGA TOUR start as a professional; Notched a one-stroke win at the 2020 Puerto Rico Open
- With 20, has made most birdies of any player in the field
- Sits at No. 35 in FedExCup standings, 83 points behind leading rookie Scottie Scheffler (No. 23/697 points), who missed the cut this week

### Additional Notes

- 18- and 36-hole leader **Collin Morikawa** (3<sup>rd</sup>/-13) hit 11 of 18 greens after hitting 14 of 18 in each of the first two rounds en route to 72 (E) and slipped to T3, three strokes back
- 2017 Nicklaus Award recipient **Sam Burns** (T4/-11) posts his 11<sup>th</sup> consecutive sub-par score
- **Kevin Streelman** (T4/-11) will be making his 12<sup>th</sup> start at the Memorial Tournament presented by Nationwide next week after finishing fourth at Muirfield Village in 2019
- Monday qualifier **MJ Daffue** posted a bogey-free 7-under 65 following a final-hole birdie to complete the second round earlier in the day to make the cut on the number; joined leader Justin Thomas with the only bogey-free third rounds
- **Rickie Fowler's** (T8/-9) eagle at No. 7 marks his second of the week (No. 15/R2); has current streak of 16 rounds at Muirfield Village in par or better
- **Bronson Burgoon** (T29/-5) aced No. 8 with an 8-iron from 166 yards, the third hole-in-one this week (Jason Kokrak/No. 16/R1, Keegan Bradley/No. 4/R1)

### Hole statistics

	<b>Toughest hole</b>	<b>Easiest hole</b>
<b>R1</b>	Par-3 16 <sup>th</sup> (3.318)	Par-5 5 <sup>th</sup> (4.611)
<b>R2</b>	Par-3 16 <sup>th</sup> (3.265)	Par-5 5 <sup>th</sup> (4.536)
<b>R3</b>	Par-3 4 <sup>th</sup> (3.343)	Par-5 7 <sup>th</sup> (4.478)

### Scoring Averages

	<b>Front 9</b>	<b>Back 9</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Cumulative</b>
<b>R1</b>	35.465	36.656	72.121	--
<b>R2</b>	36.053	36.212	72.265	72.193
<b>R3</b>	35.119	36.194	71.313	72.035

### Bogey-free rounds

**R1** (2): Nick Taylor (67), Justin Thomas (68)

**R2** (4): Sam Burns (66), Justin Thomas (66), Hideki Matsuyama (68), Russell Henley (70)

**R3** (2): MJ Daffue (65), Justin Thomas (66)