



2020 Memorial Tournament presented by Nationwide

(The 28th of 36 events in the 2019-20 PGA TOUR Season)

Dublin, Ohio July 13-19, 2020 FedExCup Points: 500

Muirfield Village Golf Club Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,456 Purse: \$9,300,000/\$1,674,000

Second-Round Notes – Friday, July 17, 2020

Weather: Mostly sunny. High of 90. Wind W 5-10 mph.

36-hole cut: 74 professionals at 3-over 147 from a field of 130 professionals and one amateur

Second-Round Leaderboard

 Ryan Palmer
 67-68—135 (-9)

 Tony Finau
 66-69—135 (-9)

 Jon Rahm
 69-67—136 (-8)

 Gary Woodland
 68-70—138 (-6)

 Chez Reavie
 71-67—138 (-6)

 Luke List
 70-68—138 (-6)

Things to Know

- In first Memorial Tournament start since 2011, Ryan Palmer in position for first individual TOUR title since 2010
- In sixth start at the Memorial Tournament, Tony Finau moves closer to second career PGA TOUR title 112 starts after his first at the 2016 Puerto Rico Open
- Five-time Memorial Tournament champion Tiger Woods makes the cut on the number to extend streak of made cuts at Muirfield Village to a perfect 18-for-18
- In third place after 36 holes, Jon Rahm is one of four players who could overtake the No. 1 spot with a win this week
- After seven consecutive top-10 finishes, including a win in his most recent start, Bryson DeChambeau made a quintuple-bogey-10 at No. 15 and missed the cut
- The three-over cut ties the highest on TOUR this season with The Honda Classic and Arnold Palmer Invitational presented by Mastercard

Comparing the leaders

Entering this week	Ryan Palmer	Tony Finau
Age	43 (9/19/1976)	30 (9/14/1989)
FedExCup	51	37
OWGR	73	19
PGA TOUR starts	416	157
PGA TOUR wins	4	1
Starts at the Memorial Tournament	5	5
Top-10s at the Memorial Tournament	0	1
Starts in 2019-20	13	13
Top-10s in 2019-20	3	3

Ryan Palmer (-9/T1)

- Takes 36-hole lead/co-lead for the eighth time on the PGA TOUR in individual stroke-play events; converted for the win at the 2008 Ginn sur Mer Classic and 2010 Sony Open in Hawaii
- Making his sixth Memorial Tournament start and first since missing the cut in 2011
- Fourth and most recent TOUR title came at the 2019 Zurich Classic of New Orleans paired with Jon Rahm; making 241st start since earning his most recent individual TOUR title at the 2010 Sony Open in Hawaii;
- Seeks his fourth top-10 finish of the season and second since the TOUR's Return to Golf (T8/RBC Heritage)
- Ranks second in Strokes Gained: Tee To Green (8.465), behind only Jon Rahm (9.873)

Tony Finau (-9/T1)

- Takes 36-hole lead/co-lead on the PGA TOUR for the third time (2017 Valero Texas Open/finished T3, 2018 World Golf Championships-HSBC Champions/finished T2)
- After sinking a total of 114'1" of putts in round one, made 43'11" of putts in round two
- Is making his 112th start since earning his first and only PGA TOUR title at the 2016 Puerto Rico Open
- Seeks his fourth top-10 finish of the 2019-20 season and first since a playoff loss to Webb Simpson at the Waste Management Phoenix Open
- In four starts since the TOUR's Return to Golf, has finished no better than T23 (Charles Schwab Challenge)

Additional Notes

- In search of a record-breaking 83rd PGA TOUR victory, five-time Memorial Tournament winner **Tiger Woods** (T64/+3) extends his streak of made cuts in the event to a perfect 18-for-18
- After bogeys on his first two holes of the day, Nos. 1 and 2, reigning U.S. Open champion Gary Woodland (T4/-6) made six birdies en route to a 2-under 70 as he seeks a third top-10 finish in his 10th Memorial Tournament start; has been unable to crack the top 20 in his last three starts (2019/T52, 2018/T23, 2017/T49)
- Columbus resident Jason Day (7th/-5) rebounded from a 1-over 73 in round one with a 6-under 66 in round two, tying the low 18-hole score through 36 holes
- Following a 2-over 74, 2016 Masters Tournament champion **Danny Willett** (T8/-4) tied the low round of the week in round two with a 6-under 66; finished T27 in his first Memorial Tournament start in 2019
- Viktor Hovland (T8/-4), the only player (of 30) to make the cut in all five events since the TOUR's Return to Golf, followed a 2-over 74 in round one with a 6-under 66 in round two; front-nine 30 tied his lowest nine-hole score on TOUR (most recent of three previous occasions: back nine of the 2020 Travelers Championship in round one)
- Defending champion Patrick Cantlay (T8/-4) opened with back-to-back scores of 2-under 70
- After seven consecutive top-10 finishes, including a win in his most recent start at the Rocket Mortgage Classic,
 Bryson DeChambeau took a quintuple-bogey-10 at No. 15, shot 4-over 76 and missed the cut at 5-over 149;
 marked the highest single-hole score of his career
- **Dustin Johnson** missed the cut following back-to-back scores of 8-over 80 (160), marking the highest 36-hole score of his career
- The 2020 U.S. Open is offering an exemption to the two leading non-exempt players who finish in the top 10 (and ties) of this week's Memorial Tournament; through 36 holes, the two leading non-exempt players are Ryan Palmer and Luke List

Hole statistics

Toughest hole		Easiest hole	
R1	Par-3 16 th (3.531)	Par-5 7 th (4.723)	
R2	Par-3 16 th (3.320)	Par-5 5 th (4.609)	

Scoring Averages

	Front 9	Back 9	Total	Cumulative
R1	36.762	37.162	73.923	
R2	36.156	36.984	73.141	73.532

Bogey-free rounds

R1 (1): Ryan Palmer/67

R2 (4): Matthew Fitzpatrick (66), Justin Thomas (67), Luke List (68), Xander Schauffele (69)

Danny Lee withdrew before round two (ankle injury)