





Charles Schwab Cup Series at Ozarks National

Ozarks National Golf Course | Ridgedale, Missouri | August 24-26, 2020

Final-Round Notes

Wednesday, August 26, 2020

Course Setup: Par 71 / 6,931 yards (R3: 69.060, Cumulative: 69.293)

Weather: Partly cloudy with a high of 94. Winds out of the E 6-12 mph.

Summary: Phil Mickelson posted a Tour record-tying 191 total and became the 20th player to win his PGA TOUR Champions debut at the Charles Schwab Cup Series at Ozarks National. He is the fourth player to win his debut by four shots or more, and he is the sixth World Golf Hall of Fame member to win his debut. **Media Contact:** <u>Maureen Radzavicz</u> (607-624-5200)

	Player	To Par	Scores	Money	Schwab Cup
1.	Phil Mickelson	-22	61-64-66 – 191	\$450,000	15th
2.	Tim Petrovic	-18	64-65-66 – 195	\$264,000	16th
3.	Kevin Sutherland	-16	66-68-63 – 197	\$216,000	6th
4.	Robert Karlsson	-15	66-67-65 – 198	\$177,000	10th

Quick Links:

- <u>Final standings</u>
- <u>PGATOURmedia.com</u> (transcripts and other resources available for download)

Phil Mickelson, 61-64-66-191 (-22)

- Mickelson is the 20th player to win in his PGA TOUR Champions debut. Combined with Jim Furyk's win at The Ally Challenge, this marks the first time two players won their debut in the same season since 2014 (Jeff Maggert/Rapiscan Systems Classic, Miguel Angel Jiménez/Mitsubishi Electric Classic).
- Mickelson is the fourth player to win his debut by at least four shots.
 - o Jack Nicklaus, 1990 Regions Tradition (won by four)
 - o Rod Funseth, 1983 Hall of Fame Tournament (won by nine)
 - o Roberto De Vicenzo, 1980 U.S. Senior Open (won by four)
- Mickelson is the third player to win his debut wire-to-wire.
 - o Miguel Angel Jiménez, 2014 Mitsubishi Electric Classic
 - o Bruce Fleisher, 1999 Royal Caribbean Classic
 - o Rod Funseth, 1983 Hall of Fame Tournament
- Mickelson has three wire-to-wire victories on the PGA TOUR:
 - o 2013 Waste Management Phoenix Open

- o 2006 BellSouth Classic
- o 2005 AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am
- Mickelson becomes the 31st member of the World Golf Hall of Fame to win on PGA TOUR Champions, and he is the sixth to win his debut.
 - o Lanny Wadkins, 2000 Chubb Classic
 - o Jack Nicklaus, 1990 Regions Tradition
 - o Gary Player, 1985 Quadel Seniors Classic
 - o Roberto De Vicenzo, 1980 U.S. Senior Open
 - o Arnold Palmer, 1980 KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship
- In all, World Golf Hall of Fame members have won 345 tournaments.
- Mickelson is the fifth rookie to win this season, joining Brett Quigley (Morocco Champions), Ernie Els (Hoag Classic), Jim Furyk (The Ally Challenge) and Shane Bertsch (Charles Schwab Series at Bass Pro Shops Big Cedar Lodge). This is the sixth time five rookies have won in a season (1989, 1999, 2007, 2013, 2014, 2020).
- On this day (August 26) in 1990, Mickelson became the first left-handed player to win the U.S. Amateur after defeating collegiate rival Manny Zerman at Cherry Hills Country Club.
- Mickelson's 54-hole total of 191 is two shots short of his best opening 54-hole score on the PGA TOUR. Through three rounds at the 2013 Waste Management Phoenix Open, he was 24-under 189.
- Mickelson's 191 total matches the PGA TOUR Champions 54-hole scoring record.

Player	Tournament	Scores
Phil Mickelson	2020 Charles Schwab Series at Ozarks National	61-64-66 – 191 (-22)
Rocco Mediate	2013 Shaw Charity Classic	63-64-64 – 191 (-22)
David Frost	2010 3M Championship	64-66-61 – 191 (-25)
Bernhard Langer	2007 Insperity Invitational	62-65-64 – 191 (-25)
Loren Roberts	2006 Mitsubishi Electric Championship at Hualalai	63-67-61 – 191 (-25)
Bruce Fleisher	2002 RJR Championship	60-64-67 – 191 (-19)

Tim Petrovic, 64-65-66—195 (-18)

- Petrovic recorded his best finish of the 2020 season with his runner-up effort at Big Cedar Lodge. The finish moved him from No. 39 to No. 16 in the Charles Schwab Cup. While the Charles Schwab Cup Playoffs will not be contested normally this year due to the combined 2020-21 season, Petrovic has advanced to the season-ending Charles Schwab Cup Championship each of the last two years.
- Petrovic's 18-under-par total would have won every 54-hole event on PGA TOUR Champions this season, aside from the Cologuard Classic, where Bernhard Langer won with a matching total of 18-under.
- Petrovic, who has yet to win on the Champions Tour, now has seven runner-up finishes in his last three seasons. During his PGA TOUR career, he won the Zurich Classic of New Orleans in 2005, but also accumulated five second-place efforts. In 111 career starts on the Korn Ferry Tour, he went winless with two runner-up finishes.

Kevin Sutherland, 66-68-63—197 (-16)

- Sutherland, winner of the 2017 Charles Schwab Cup, closed with an 8-under 63 and improved from T12 to solo-third.
- The finish tied his best of the 2020 season (T3, Chubb Classic) and pushed him up to No. 6 in the Charles Schwab Cup.

Robert Karlsson, 66-67-65—198 (-15)

- Karlsson, a rookie on Tour this year, notched the third top-10 finish of his season with his solofourth-place effort at Big Cedar Lodge.
- Karlsson, who finished solo-third at the PGA TOUR Champions Qualifying Tournament last December, posted a season-best T2 at the Hoag Classic in March prior to the Tour's pause in play due to Covid-19. He now owns six top-25 finishes in seven starts this year and is one of three rookies to sit inside the top 10 in the Schwab Cup standings, currently at No. 10.
- Karlsson won 11 times during his European Tour career and twice represented Europe in the Ryder Cup (2006, 2008). He never won in 132 career starts on the PGA TOUR, but posted back-to-back playoff losses at the FedEx St. Jude Classic in 2010 and 2011.

Other Notes

- In his PGA TOUR Champions debut, 2002 PGA Championship winner Rich Beem finished T70 at even-par.
- Coming off four straight rounds in the 70s, Steve Flesch posted the best score of the final round, a 9-under 62, and improved from 78th to T36.
- Shane Bertsch, winner of last week's Charles Schwab Series at Bass Pro Shops Big Cedar Lodge, finished T64 at 1-under.