



## Pre-Tournament Notes – Price Cutter Charity Championship presented by Dr Pepper

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**Dates:** July 22-25, 2021

**Where:** Springfield, Missouri

**Course:** Highland Springs Country Club (Par 72/7,115 yards)

**Defending Champion:** Max McGreevy

**Field:** 156 players

**Purse:** \$600,000 (\$108,000/winner)

**Format:** 72-hole stroke play

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### Things to Know

- The Price Cutter Charity Championship presented by Dr Pepper is one of four events from the Korn Ferry Tour’s inaugural 1990 season that still remain today with each tournament contested at Highland Springs Country Club
- A number of future PGA TOUR stars have competed in the tournament over the past three decades, including Tom Lehman, Jim Furyk, David Duval, Jason Dufner, Justin Thomas, Tony Finau and Xander Schauffele
- Notable past champions of the event include Stewart Cink (1996), Chris DiMarco (1997), Pat Perez (2000) and Mackenzie Hughes (2016)
- Defending champion **Max McGreevy** will return after winning his first title in 2020; McGreevy will attempt to become the first player to successfully defend his title in the Korn Ferry Tour’s 32-year history
- Former Dallas Cowboys quarterback and current NFL on CBS analyst **Tony Romo** will compete as an amateur on a sponsor exemption; the start will be the third of his career in a Korn Ferry Tour event

### Field Notes (as of 7/20/21)

- Field headlined by eight of the top 10 and 21 of the top 25 in the Korn Ferry Tour points standings
- No. 1 **Stephan Jaeger**, No. 7 **Davis Riley**, No. 14 **Cameron Young** and No. 17 **Jared Wolfe** are each seeking a third win for immediate promotion to the PGA TOUR
- Ten of the 13 players who have already eclipsed 1,650 points – which is the threshold the Korn Ferry Tour is currently using as its fail-safe number for players to finish inside of the top 25 of the 2020-21 points standings and secure PGA TOUR cards – are in this week’s field
- Field includes 58 past Korn Ferry Tour winners with 89 total wins, led by **Stephan Jaeger** and **Martin Piller** (six apiece); the field also includes three former PGA TOUR winners: **Arjun Atwal**, **Derek Ernst** and **Tommy Gainey**
- 27 winners in the field from the current season: **Tyson Alexander**, **Paul Barjon**, **Hayden Buckley**, **Roberto Díaz**, **Brett Drewitt**, **Tommy Gainey**, **Evan Harmeling**, **Lee Hodges**, **Stephan Jaeger (x2)**, **David Kocher**, **Curtis Luck**, **Max McGreevy**, **Taylor Moore**, **Trey Mullinax**, **Andrew Novak**, **Chad Ramey**, **Seth Reeves**, **Tag Ridings**, **Davis Riley (x2)**, **Greyson Sigg**, **Austin Smotherman**, **Adam Svensson**, **Curtis Thompson**, **Peter Uihlein**, **Jared Wolfe (x2)**, **Brandon Wu**, **Cameron Young (x2)**

### 2020 Price Cutter Charity Championship presented by Dr Pepper

Pos.	Player	R1	R2	R3	Total
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1	Max McGreevy	64	68	71	64	267 (-21)
2	Jose de Jesus Rodriguez	66	69	66	67	268 (-20)
3	Chad Ramey	68	67	67	67	269 (-19)
4	Daniel Sutton	66	67	68	69	270 (-18)

- University of Oklahoma alum **Max McGreevy** broke through with his maiden Korn Ferry Tour victory in 2020 with a final-round 64 and a 21-under total
- McGreevy's final round included a back-nine 5-under 31 with an eagle at the par-5 11th and the come-from-behind margin of five strokes in the final round set a new tournament record
- McGreevy had made just three of his first 11 cuts in 2020 entering the week but has since put himself in strong position to earn his PGA TOUR card after the 2020-21 season
- **Brandon Wu** held the 54-hole lead (by three strokes) in his first start of the season but carded a final-round 74 to finish T9
- Since the conclusion of the 2020 tournament, **Chad Ramey** has secured his PGA TOUR card and is on a current streak of 20 consecutive made cuts; Ramey won the inaugural Live and Work in Maine Open last month

### Past Champions

Year	Player	R1	R2	R3	R4	Total	Margin
2020	Max McGreevy	64	68	71	64	267 (-21)	1
2019	Harry Higgs	66	68	65	67	266 (-22)	2
2018	Martin Trainer	62	68	65	68	263 (-25)	1
2017	Ben Silverman	70	63	63	67	263 (-25)	1
2016	Mackenzie Hughes	67	67	64	66	264 (-24)	1
2015	Dawie van der Walt	63	65	65	72	265 (-23)	2
2014	Cameron Percy	64	68	68	67	267 (-21)	1
2013	Andrew Svoboda	64	72	66	64	266 (-22)	3
2012	Chris Wilson	68	67	65	67	267 (-21)	Playoff
2011	Steve Friesen	62	68	68	64	262 (-26)	5
2010	Hunter Haas	65	66	66	65	262 (-26)	6
2009	Justin Bolli	65	67	69	66	267 (-21)	1
2008	Colt Knost	64	67	69	62	262 (-26)	4
2007	Tom Scherrer	66	63	66	67	262 (-26)	4
2006	Doug LaBelle II	63	67	67	64	261 (-27)	2
2005	Roger Tambellini	65	70	67	65	267 (-21)	1
2004	Brad Ott	65	66	68	64	263 (-25)	1
2003	Tom Carter	66	68	68	65	267 (-21)	1
2002	Patrick Sheehan	63	68	66	72	269 (-19)	2
2001	Steve Haskins	66	65			131 (-13)	1
2000	Pat Perez	66	69	66	69	270 (-18)	Playoff
1999	Ryan Howison	67	68	69	66	270 (-18)	Playoff
1998	Anthony Painter	67	63	68	69	267 (-21)	1
1997	Chris DiMarco	66	70	68		204 (-12)	1
1996	Stewart Cink	68	67	69	68	272 (-16)	Playoff
1995	Mike Schuchart	69	70	65	67	271 (-17)	Playoff
1994	Jerry Haas	69	65	69	69	272 (-16)	1
1993	Tommy Tolles	68	68	69	66	271 (-17)	2
1992	Lennie Clements	72	66	67		205 (-11)	Playoff
1991	Rick Dalpos	70	66	65		201 (-15)	4
1990	Jeff Cook	69	70	68		207 (-9)	Playoff

### Tournament Records

- Low 18-hole score – 60 (Tyler Williamson/R4/2004)
- Low 72-hole score – 261 (Doug LaBelle II/2006)
- Largest Margin of Victory – Six – (Hunter Haas/2010)
- Holes-in-one – 23 (most recent: Daniel Miernicki/No. 6/R2/2020)
- Playoffs – 5 (most recent: 2012)

### Miscellaneous Notes

- Eighteen consecutive champions of the Price Cutter Charity Championship presented by Dr Pepper have finished at 21-under or better
- Monday qualifiers who gained entry into the field include **Hayden Springer** (62), **Rob Hudson** (63), **Peter Creighton** (63), **Caleb Proveaux** (63), **Charles Kim** (65), **Ben Griffin** (65), **Bobby Hudson** (66) and **Corbin Mills** (66)
- The Price Cutter Charity Championship presented by Dr Pepper is the 18th Korn Ferry Tour tournament of 2021 and 41st of the 2020-21 season

### Last week on Tour – Memorial Health Championship presented by LRS

Pos.	Player	R1	R2	R3	R4	Total
1	Taylor Moore	66	66	60	65	257 (-27)
2	Erik Barnes	63	64	65	68	260 (-24)
3	Andrew Novak	65	65	68	63	261 (-23)
T4	Grant Hirschman	67	65	66	64	262 (-22)
T4	John VanDerLaan	64	68	67	63	262 (-22)

- Spurred by a Saturday 11-under 60, **Taylor Moore** pulled away for a three-stroke victory at the Memorial Health Championship presented by LRS
- The win is the first of Moore's career and secures his first PGA TOUR card for the 2021-22 season after moving from 17th to sixth in the Korn Ferry Tour points standings
- The finish of third moves **Andrew Novak** to the precipice of his first PGA TOUR card as he currently sits 16th in the standings while Erik Barnes advanced to 27th
- **Grant Hirschman** matched his career-best finish while **John VanDerLaan** set a new career-best mark, both at T4

### Korn Ferry Tour 2020-21 Season

With the Korn Ferry Tour forming a combined 2020-21 season due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the 2021 Price Cutter Charity Championship presented by Dr Pepper will be the 41st tournament (of 43) of the 2020-21 regular season.

Twenty-five PGA TOUR cards will be awarded to the top-25 players in the Korn Ferry Tour standings following the conclusion of the regular season at the Pinnacle Bank Championship presented by Aetna (Aug. 12-15). Additionally, 25 PGA TOUR cards will be awarded through the three-event Korn Ferry Tour Finals at the conclusion of the 2021 Korn Ferry Tour Championship presented by United Leasing & Finance (Sept. 2-5).

With three events remaining in the regular season, the Korn Ferry Tour is currently using the 1,650-point threshold as its fail-safe number for players to finish inside the top 25. Taylor Moore is the most recent player to cross the threshold after his win last week. Thirteen players have now passed the 1,650-point threshold.

### Current Korn Ferry Tour Standings

Position	Player	Points	Wins	Top-10s	Points Behind
1	Stephan Jaeger	2,649	2	10	--
2	Mito Pereira	2,556	3	9	93
3	Chad Ramey	2,309	1	9	340

4	Greyson Sigg	2,100	1	9	549
5	Taylor Pendrith	2,070	--	8	579
6	Taylor Moore	1,971	1	10	678
7	Davis Riley	1,944	2	7	705
8	Will Zalatoris	1,876	1	10	773
9	Lee Hodges	1,844	1	8	805
10	Adam Svensson	1,800	1	7	849
11	David Lipsky	1,782	1	6	867
12	Paul Barjon	1,729	1	6	920
13	Brandon Wu	1,726	1	7	923
14	Cameron Young	1,642	2	5	1,007
15	Max McGreevy	1,628	1	6	1,021
16	Andrew Novak	1,612	1	9	1,037
17	Jared Wolfe	1,610	2	6	1,039
18	Nick Hardy	1,579	--	10	1,070
19	Ben Kohles	1,490	--	6	1,159
20	Seth Reeves	1,490	1	4	1,159
21	Curtis Thompson	1,437	1	4	1,212
22	Brett Drewitt	1,403	1	7	1,246
23	Roberto Diaz	1,375	1	5	1,274
24	Justin Lower	1,297	--	3	1,352
25	Paul Haley II	1,264	--	5	1,385
<b>TOP 25 EARN PGA TOUR CARD AT CONCLUSION OF REGULAR SEASON</b>					
26	Austin Smotherman	1,254	1	4	1,395
27	Erik Barnes	1,249	--	4	1,400
28	Taylor Montgomery	1,214	--	4	1,435
29	Peter Uihlein	1,204	1	4	1,445
30	Carl Yuan	1,185	--	6	1,464