



### 2021 John Deere Classic

(The 41st of 50 events in the PGA TOUR Season)

 Silvis, Illinois
 July 8-11, 2021
 FedExCup Pts: 500 to the winner

 TPC Deere Run
 Par/Yards: 35-36—71/7,268
 Purse: \$6,200,000 (\$1,116,000)

Second-Round Notes – Friday, July 9, 2021

Weather: Mostly cloudy. High of 77. Wind SE 5-10 mph.

**36-hole cut:** 72 professionals at 4-under 138 from a field of 155 professionals and one amateur (matches low 36-hole cut at this event: six times)

# **Second-Round Leaderboard**

 Luke List
 66-63—129 (-13)

 Sebastian Munoz
 63-67—130 (-12)

 Seven players
 131 (-11)

## Things to Know

- Luke List seeks first PGA TOUR victory in his 193<sup>rd</sup> start
- List looks to become the fourth consecutive player to make the John Deere Classic his first TOUR title
- List lost the final of the 2004 U.S. Amateur to Ryan Moore (T3/-11)
- Sebastian Munoz hits 32 of 36 greens in regulation, his most through two rounds in any event on TOUR
- Three players remain bogey-free through two rounds (Jason Dufner, Brandon Hagy, Chez Reavie)
- John Deere Classic provides last chance to earn a spot into The Open Championship

## **Second-Round Lead Notes**

- Second-round leaders/co-leaders at the John Deere Classic to win since moving to TPC in 2000 (2018/Michael Kim, 2016/Ryan Moore, 2010/Steve Stricker, 2002/J.P. Hayes and 2001/David Gossett)
- 8 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win on PGA TOUR in 2020-21 (most recent: Phil Mickelson/PGA Championship)

# Leader (entering the week)

Category	Luke List
Age	36 (1/14/1985)
FedExCup	117
OWGR	175
Starts at John Deere Classic	4
Wins at John Deere Classic	0
Top-10s at John Deere Classic	0
Career PGA TOUR starts	192
Career PGA TOUR wins	0
Career PGA TOUR top-10s	18
PGA TOUR starts in 2020-21	26
PGA TOUR wins in 2020-21	0
PGA TOUR top-10s in 2020-21	3

# Luke List (1/-13)

- Makes seven birdies in an eight-hole stretch (Nos. 13-2) en route to a bogey-free 8-under 63; notches 15 birdies through 36 holes, most of any player
- Holds 36-hole lead/co-lead for fourth time on TOUR, failing to convert previous three into victory (2016 RBC Canadian Open/T14, 2017 THE CJ CUP @ NINE BRIDGES/T5, 2018 The Honda Classic/2<sup>nd</sup>)

- Seeks first PGA TOUR victory in his 193<sup>rd</sup> start; owns two runner-up results (T2/2016 Sanderson Farms Championship, lost playoff to Justin Thomas at 2018 The Honda Classic)
- Looks to become the fourth consecutive player, and 24<sup>th</sup> overall, to make the John Deere Classic his first TOUR title
- Makes fifth appearance at John Deere Classic (2017/T68, 2016/T56, 2013/MC, 2007/MC)
- Owns three top-10s this season, but came into this week after missed cuts in last three starts
- Won the 2020 Korn Ferry Challenge at TPC Sawgrass, his second Korn Ferry Tour title
- Played the 2007 John Deere Classic (MC) as a sponsor exemption in his third TOUR event after turning professional

#### Miscellaneous Notes

- Sebastian Munoz (2/-12) reaches 12-under through 36 holes for third time on TOUR (2017 A Military Tribute at The Greenbrier/T3, 2019 The RSM Classic/3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021 John Deere Classic/TBD); 32 of 36 greens in regulation marks his most through first two rounds of an event on TOUR (previous:2021 Rocket Mortgage Classic, 31 of 36)
- Adam Schenk (T3/-11) posts five consecutive birdies (Nos. 13-17) en route to 7-under 64; T6 at 2019 John Deere Classic marks most recent of four career top-10s on TOUR
- Chesson Hadley (T3/-11) ranks No. 1 in proximity to the hole this week (22 feet, 3 inches)
- In his John Deere Classic debut, **Chase Seiffert** (T3/-11) shoots 31 (-5) on the back nine in round one and 29 (-7) on the front nine in round two
- Lucas Glover (T3/-11) seeks second top-10 finish in 12<sup>th</sup> appearance at John Deere Classic (T10/2019)
- Ryan Moore (T3/-11) owns 69 career top-10s on TOUR, but none in 12 previous starts this season; played just 16 events in 2019-20 season, withdrawing from THE NORTHERN TRUST, the first FedExCup Playoffs event in August, with a back injury; didn't play again until 2021 The American Express in late January; one of nine players to have advanced to the FedExCup Playoffs in each of the first 14 seasons of the FedExCup era; currently sits No. 194 in FedExCup standings
- En route to a 7-under 64, **Maverick McNealy** (T24/-7) made his first ace on TOUR, holing a 136-yard pitching wedge at No. 16, the 16<sup>th</sup> hole-in-one at TPC Deere Run
- Three-time John Deere Classic winner **Steve Stricker** (T34/-6) makes his 14<sup>th</sup> consecutive cut at this event, the longest active streak of cuts made at TPC Deere Run; in most recent PGA TOUR Champions start, won the Bridgestone SENIOR PLAYERS Championship two weeks ago
- Sponsor exemption and 2019 APGA Player of the Year **Willie Mack III** (T34/-6) makes second cut in a row on TOUR after finishing T71 at last week's Rocket Mortgage Classic
- 2006 John Deere Classic champion **John Senden** (T53/-5) followed an opening-round 74 with a bogey-free, 8-under 63 his low score in 50 rounds at TPC Deere Run; sixth time with 63 or better on TOUR, most recent was 63/R2/2014 The Honda Classic (7 years, 4 months, 11 days ago)
- Of the 13 players competing this week also scheduled to compete in next week's Open Championship at Royal St. George's Golf Club, seven advanced to the weekend: Byeong Hun An (MC), Daniel Berger (-5), Rafa Cabrera Bello (-6), Lucas Glover (-11), Brian Harman (MC), Russell Henley (-9), Zach Johnson (-6), Danny Lee (WD), Keith Mitchell (MC), Sebastian Munoz (-12), Alex Noren (MC), C.T. Pan (MC), Chez Reavie (-11)
- The John Deere Classic is the final event of The Open Qualifying Series USA, offering one spot to the leading player (not otherwise exempt) who finishes among the top five and ties
- Kramer Hickok (rib), J.B. Holmes (back), Danny Lee (back) and Fabian Gomez all withdrew during the second round

### **Course Statistics**

Toughest Hole	Easiest Hole
<b>R1:</b> Par-4 9 <sup>th</sup> (4.240)	Par-5 2 <sup>nd</sup> (4.487), Par-4 14 <sup>th</sup> (3.487)
<b>R2:</b> Par-4 9 <sup>th</sup> (4.167)	Par-5 2 <sup>nd</sup> (4.500), Par-4 14 <sup>th</sup> (3.500)

## **Scoring Averages**

	Front 9	Back 9	Total	Cumulative
R1:	34.636	35.240	69.877	
R2:	34.487	34.500	68.987	69.438

## **Bogey-free rounds**

**R1 (11):** Chesson Hadley (63), Chez Reavie (64), Camilo Villegas (64), Ryan Moore (65), Doug Ghim (66), Brandon Hagy (67), Harold Varner III (67), Jason Dufner (68), Sungjae Im (68), Seamus Power (68), Daniel Berger (69)

**R2 (18):** John Senden (63), Luke List (63), Lucas Glover (63), Brandon Hagy (64), Shawn Stefani (64), Roger Sloan (64), Jason Dufner (65), Greg Chalmers (65), Peter Malnati (66), Vaughn Taylor (66), Russell Henley (66), Sebastian Munoz (67), Scott Harrington (67), Scott Piercy (67), Chez Reavie (67), Cameron Percy (68), Tom Lewis (68), Ryan Brehm (70)