



**2021 PGA Championship**

*(34<sup>th</sup> of 50 events in the 2020-21 PGA TOUR Season)*

**Kiawah Island, South Carolina**  
**Ocean Course at Kiawah**

**May 20-23, 2021**  
**Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,876**

**FedExCup Points: 600 (winner)**  
**Purse: TBD**

**Second-Round Notes – Friday, May 21, 2021**

*Weather: Mostly sunny. High of 77. Wind E 15-20 mph, with gusts to 25 mph.*

*Cut: 81 players at 5-over 149 from a field of 156*

**Second-Round Leaderboard**

|                        |                |
|------------------------|----------------|
| Phil Mickelson         | 70-69—139 (-5) |
| Louis Oosthuizen       | 71-68—139 (-5) |
| Brooks Koepka          | 69-71—140 (-4) |
| Branden Grace          | 70-71—141 (-3) |
| Christian Bezuidenhout | 71-70—141 (-3) |
| Hideki Matsuyama       | 73-68—141 (-3) |

**Things to Know**

- Four of the six players in the top five of the leaderboard have major wins: Phil Mickelson (5), Brooks Koepka (4), Louis Oosthuizen (1), Hideki Matsuyama (1)
- Phil Mickelson is the first player age 50 or older to lead a major since Fred Couples (52) at the 2012 Masters (R2)
- Brooks Koepka seeks third PGA Championship win and fifth major title
- Reigning Masters champion Hideki Matsuyama is two shots off the lead; the last player to win multiple majors in the same season: Brooks Koepka/2018 U.S. Open, PGA Championship
- Three of the top-four players in the Official World Golf Ranking miss the cut: Dustin Johnson (1), Justin Thomas (2), Xander Schauffele (4)
- There are no bogey-free rounds through 36 holes

**Second-Round Lead Notes**

- 12 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win the PGA Championship since 2000  
 Tiger Woods/2000, David Toms/2001, Rich Beem/2002, Shaun Micheel/2003, Vijay Singh/2004, Phil Mickelson/2005, Tiger Woods/2007, Keegan Bradley/2011, Jason Dufner/2013, Rory McIlroy/2014 and Jimmy Walker/2016, Brooks Koepka/2019
- 7 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win on PGA TOUR in 2020-21 (Most recent: Sam Burns/Valspar Championship)

**Co-leaders (entering the week)**

| Category                    | Phil Mickelson | Louis Oosthuizen |
|-----------------------------|----------------|------------------|
| Age                         | 50             | 38               |
| FedExCup                    | 168            | 39               |
| OWGR                        | 115            | 31               |
| PGA Championship starts     | 28             | 11               |
| PGA Championship wins       | 1              | 0                |
| PGA Championship top-10s    | 9              | 1                |
| Career PGA TOUR starts      | 643            | 197              |
| Career PGA TOUR wins        | 44             | 1                |
| Career PGA TOUR top-10s     | 196            | 38               |
| PGA TOUR starts in 2020-21  | 14             | 13               |
| PGA TOUR wins in 2020-21    | 0              | 0                |
| PGA TOUR top-10s in 2020-21 | 0              | 4                |

**Phil Mickelson (T1/-5)****Seeks sixth major title and second PGA Championship win (2013 Open Championship, 2010 Masters Tournament, 2006 Masters Tournament, 2005 PGA Championship, 2004 Masters Tournament)**

- Opens 70-69, the 19<sup>th</sup> major championship he has carded scores of 70 or better in the first and second rounds; he won (2005 PGA Championship) or finished runner-up (8, most recent: 2016 Open Championship) in nine of previous 18 instances; he last opened with sub-70 scores at the 2020 Masters (69-70) before finishing T55
- 2005 PGA Championship winner seeks to become oldest major winner and first player to win a major after age 50 (oldest major winner: 48 years, 4 months, 18 days/Julius Boros/1968 PGA Championship)
- Marks 36<sup>th</sup> lead/co-lead after 36 holes on the PGA TOUR; converted 18-of-35 to victory (most recent: 2019 A&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am)
- Marks 23<sup>rd</sup> lead/co-lead after any round of a major (most recent: 2016 Open Championship/R2/finished runner-up)
- Becomes the first player age 50 or older to be inside the top five on the leaderboard through 36 holes at the PGA Championship since 1999 (Hale Irwin/50)
- Becomes the sixth player since 1900 to lead/co-lead after any round of a major in four different decades (1990s, 2000s, 2010s, 2020s); others: Sam Snead, Tom Watson, Jack Nicklaus, Gary Player, Raymond Floyd)
- Becomes the second player since 1958 when the PGA Championship went to stroke play to lead/co-lead after 36 holes at the age of 50 years or older (54/1966/Sam Snead)
- Last player age 50 or older to lead/co-lead after any round of a major: Fred Couples/2012 Masters/R2
- Leads the field with 12 birdies through 36 holes
- Marks his 38<sup>th</sup> round in the 60s at the PGA Championship, second-most all-time by a player (41/Jack Nicklaus)
- Does not have a top-10 on the PGA TOUR since the 2020 World Golf Championships-FedEx St. Jude Invitational (T2), a span of 16 starts
- 44-time PGA TOUR winner has not won since 2019 AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am

**Louis Oosthuizen (T1/-5)****Seeks second major title (2010 Open Championship)**

- Marks fourth 36-hole lead/co-lead on TOUR

| <b>Oosthuizen 36-hole lead/co-leads on the PGA TOUR</b> |                             |               |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------|
| <b>Tournament</b>                                       | <b>36-Hole Lead/Co-Lead</b> | <b>Finish</b> |
| 2021 PGA Championship                                   | T1                          | <i>TBD</i>    |
| 2019 Masters Tournament                                 | T1                          | T29           |
| 2017 PLAYERS Championship                               | T1                          | T2            |
| 2010 Open Championship                                  | 1 (Led by five shots)       | Won           |

- Making 49<sup>th</sup> major start; has one win (2010 Open Championship), four runner-ups and eight top-10s in 48 previous major starts
- Has four top-10s in 13 starts on TOUR this season, including two in his last two TOUR starts; lost in a playoff with teammate Charl Schwartzel at the Zurich Classic of New Orleans and finished T8 at the Valspar Championship
- Has 14 worldwide wins (most recent: 2018 South African Open)

**Brooks Koepka (2<sup>nd</sup>/-4)****Seeks fifth major title and third at the PGA Championship (2017 U.S. Open, 2018 U.S. Open, 2018 PGA Championship, 2019 PGA Championship)**

- Has ranked T4 or better after 12 of his last 13 rounds in the PGA Championship
- Eagled Nos. 7 and 11, marking the first time in 104 major rounds (28 starts) he has recorded multiple eagles in a round; one of two players with two eagles in a round through 36 holes (other: Patrick Cantlay/R1)
- Seeks third PGA Championship title to become sixth player with three or more wins in the event; 5/Walter Hagen, Jack Nicklaus, 4/Tiger Woods, 3/Gene Sarazen, Sam Snead
- Earned eighth PGA TOUR title earlier this season at the Waste Management Phoenix Open; four total top-10s in 11 starts on the season
- Entered the week with missed cuts in each of his last two starts on TOUR (Masters Tournament, AT&T Byron Nelson), his only starts since March 1 (right knee injury)

### Additional Player Notes

- **Dustin Johnson** misses the cut (76-74); marks second missed cut in a major this season (2021 Masters Tournament) the first time in his career he has missed the cut at two majors in the same season; becomes first World No. 1 to miss consecutive major cuts since Greg Norman (1997)
- Defending champion **Collin Morikawa** posts rounds of 70-75 to sit T25
- Reigning Open Championship winner **Shane Lowry** (T19) leads the field in Scrambling (12 of 15)
- First-round leader **Corey Connors** posts a 3-over 75 to sit T7

### Course Statistics

|            | <b>Toughest Hole</b>           | <b>Easiest Hole</b>           |
|------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>R1:</b> | Par-3 17 <sup>th</sup> (3.503) | Par-5 7 <sup>th</sup> (4.406) |
| <b>R2:</b> | Par-3 17 <sup>th</sup> (3.682) | Par 5 7 <sup>th</sup> (4.597) |

### Scoring Averages

|            | <b>Front 9</b> | <b>Back 9</b> | <b>Total</b> | <b>Cumulative</b> |
|------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------|
| <b>R1:</b> | 36.858         | 37.923        | 74.781       | -                 |
| <b>R2:</b> | 37.130         | 38.519        | 75.519       | 76.149            |

### Bogey-free rounds

**R1** (0): None

**R2**: (0): None