



2020 Sanderson Farms Championship (4th of 50 events in the PGA TOUR Season)

Jackson, Mississippi October 1-4, 2020 Purse: \$6,600,000

Country Club of Jackson Par/Yards: 36-36—72/7,460

Third-Round Notes – Saturday, October 3, 2020

Weather: Sunny, with a high of 76. Wind ENE 4-8 mph.

Third-Round Leaderboard

 Cameron Davis
 66-73-63—202 (-14)

 Sergio Garcia
 68-68-66—202 (-14)

 J. T. Poston
 66-67-69—202 (-14)

 Brandt Snedeker
 70-66-67—203 (-13)

 Kristoffer Ventura
 67-68-68—203 (-13)

Things to Know

- The last three 54-hole leaders/co-leaders of the Sanderson Farms Championship have converted for the win
- The Sanderson Farms Championship has produced a first-time winner each year since 2014 (six seasons)
- Seeking his first PGA TOUR title, Cameron Davis birdies his first five holes en route to a career-low 63
- In search of his first PGA TOUR win since the 2017 Masters Tournament, Sergio Garcia posts a bogey-free 66
- J.T. Poston takes his first-ever 54-hole lead/co-lead on the PGA TOUR
- Sebastian Munoz is 9-under 207 in bid to become the first to successfully defend a Sanderson Farms Championship title

Comparing the leaders entering the week

Player	Cameron Davis	Sergio Garcia	J. T Poston
Age	25 (2/21/1995)	40 (1/9/1980)	27 (6/1/1993)
Country	Australia	Spain	United States
FedExCup	T94		
OWGR	208	51	75
Sanderson Farms starts	2	0	4
Sanderson Farms Top 10s	0	0	0
PGA TOUR starts	51	367	103
PGA TOUR wins	0	10	1
Starts in 2020-21	1	2	1

Cameron Davis (T1/-14)

- Australian followed birdies on his first five holes with an eagle-3 at No. 14 en route to a career-low 63 (previously 64)
- Before this week, has never entered the final round of a PGA TOUR event higher than T6
- Making his third start in the Sanderson Farms Championship; T28/2019, MC/2018
- Seeks to become the seventh consecutive first-time winner at the Sanderson Farms Championship, joining Nick Taylor/2014, Peter Malnati/2015, Cody Gribble/2016, Ryan Armour/2017, Cameron Champ/2018 and Sebastian Munoz/2019
- In only other start this season, finished T36 at the Safeway Open
- Best finish in 51 PGA TOUR starts is T8/2020 The Honda Classic
- In 18 starts on the Korn Ferry Tour, claimed one victory (2018 Nashville Golf Open)

Sergio Garcia (T1/-14)

- Takes 54-hole lead/co-lead for 15th time, converting for the win on four occasions; most recently 2017 Masters Tournament
- In first Sanderson Farms Championship start, posted a bogey-free 66 in round three; has just three bogeys through 54 holes
- Comes off missed cuts in two previous starts this season (Safeway Open, U.S. Open)

- Seeks 11th career PGA TOUR victory and first since the 2017 Masters Tournament
- Winner of THE PLAYERS Championship in 2008
- Highlight of 10 made cuts in 12 starts last season was a T5 at the RBC Heritage, his 105th and most recent top-10 finish

J. T. Poston (T1/-14)

- Takes his first 54-hole lead/co-lead on the PGA TOUR after making a 12'11" putt for par on No. 18 in round three
- Sanderson Farms Championship history: T29/2016, T53/2017, T54/2018, T11/2019, TBD/2020
- Lone bogeys through 54 holes; No. 1/R2, No. 10/R3, No. 16/R3
- In only other start this season, missed the cut at the U.S. Open
- Lone PGA TOUR win came at the 2019 Wyndham Championship

Miscellaneous Notes

- Making his second Sanderson Farms Championship start (T45/2019), **Brandt Snedeker** (T4/-13) posted a 5-under 67 in his bid for a 10th PGA TOUR title and first since the 2018 Wyndham Championship
- With his 4-under 68, Norway's **Kristoffer Ventura** (T4/-13) has posted par-or-better scores in all 11 rounds he has played this season; finished T7 at Safeway Open and T52 at Corales Puntacana Resort & Club Championship
- With a 3-under 69, **Denny McCarthy** (T6/-12) has par-or-better scores in 12 of 13 rounds at the Country Club of Jackson
- 36-hole leader **Keegan Bradley** (T6/-12) eagled the par-5 11th hole for the second time this week (round one) en route to a 1-over 73; followed a 3-over 39 on the outgoing nine with a 2-under 34 coming in
- Making his fifth start in the Sanderson Farms Championship, **Charley Hoffman** (T9/-11) posted an even-par 72 to extend his streak of par-or-better rounds this season to a perfect 11-for 11
- A week after a career-best, solo-second at the Corales Puntacana Resort & Club Championship, **Tyler McCumber** (T9/-11) drove the green at the par-4 15th and sank the putt for eagle from 60'10" en route to a 6-under 66

Scoring Averages at the par-72 Country Club of Jackson:

	Front 9	Back 9	Total	Cumulative
R1:	35.625	35.326	70.951	
R2:	35.681	35.910	71.590	71.271
R3:	35.303	35.439	70.742	71.172

Bogey-free rounds:

R1 (10): Jimmy Walker (64), Kevin Chappell (64), MJ Daffue (65), Keegan Bradley (66), Anirban Lahiri (66), J.T. Poston (66), Andrew Putnam (68), Matthew NeSmith (68), Steve Lewton (68), Chase Seiffert (70)

R2 (6): Denny McCarthy (67), Kelly Kraft (69), Si Woo Kim (69), Jonathan Byrd (70), Scott Piercy (71), Sam Ryder (71)

R3 (7): Cameron Davis (63), Wesley Bryan (66), Sergio Garcia (66), Rory Sabbatini (66), Doug Ghim (67), Aaron Wise (67), Scott Stallings (68)