



2021 The Open Championship

(42nd of 50 events in the 2020-21 PGA TOUR Season)

Sandwich, Kent, England
Royal St. George's Golf Club

July 15-18, 2021
Par/Yards: 35-35—70/7,189

FedExCup Points: 600 (winner)
Purse: \$11.5 million (\$2,070,000/winner)

Second-Round Notes – Friday, July 16, 2021

Weather: Mostly sunny. High of 68. Wind NE 10-12 mph, with gusts to 22 mph.

36-hole cut: 75 professionals and two amateurs at 1-over 141 from a field of 148 professionals and eight amateurs

Second-Round Leaderboard

Louis Oosthuizen	64-65—129 (-11)
Collin Morikawa	67-64—131 (-9)
Jordan Spieth	65-67—132 (-8)
Dylan Frittelli	66-67—133 (-7)
Dustin Johnson	68-65—133 (-7)
Scottie Scheffler	67-66—133 (-7)

Things to Know

- 2010 Open Championship winner Louis Oosthuizen (129) records the lowest 36-hole score in The Open Championship history and the second-lowest in major championship history
- Two of the five 36-hole scores of 131 or better in tournament history have come this week (129/Oosthuizen, 131/Collin Morikawa)
- All five of Oosthuizen's 36-hole leads/co-leads on the PGA TOUR have either come in majors or THE PLAYERS Championship (1-for-4 to date)
- Morikawa, Jordan Spieth, Dustin Johnson, Brooks Koepka and Jon Rahm, who have combined to win 11 majors since the start of the 2015 season, all enter the third round within six strokes of the lead

Second-Round Lead Notes

- 48 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win The Open Championship (since 1892)
(most recent: Jordan Spieth/2017)
- 8 Second-round leaders/co-leaders to win during the 2020-21 PGA TOUR Season
(most recent: Phil Mickelson/PGA Championship)

Louis Oosthuizen (1st/-11)

Winner of the 2010 Open Championship

Category	Entering the week
Age	38 (October 19, 1982)
FedExCup	13
OWGR	13
Starts at The Open Championship	13
Wins at The Open Championship	1
Top-10s at The Open Championship	2
Major championship starts	50
Major championship wins	1
Major championship runner-ups	6
Career PGA TOUR starts	200
Career PGA TOUR wins	1
Career PGA TOUR top-10s	40
PGA TOUR starts in 2020-21	16
PGA TOUR wins in 2020-21	0
PGA TOUR top-10s in 2020-21	6

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Score	Player	Year	Finish
129	Louis Oosthuizen	2021	TBD
130	Brandt Snedeker	2012	T3
130	Nick Faldo	1992	Won
131	Collin Morikawa	2021	TBD
131	Adam Scott	2012	2 nd

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Score	Player	Tournament	Finish
128	Brooks Koepka	2019 PGA Championship	Win
129	Louis Oosthuizen	2021 Open Championship	TBD
130	Gary Woodland	2018 PGA Championship	T6
130	Jordan Spieth	2015 Masters Tournament	Won
130	Martin Kaymer	2014 U.S. Open	Won
130	Brandt Snedeker	2012 Open Championship	T3
130	Nick Faldo	1992 Open Championship	Won

- Holds the 36-hole lead/co-lead for the fifth time on the PGA TOUR, with all five coming either in a major or THE PLAYERS Championship

Tournament	Solo/Tied	Finish
2021 Open Championship	Solo	TBD
2021 PGA Championship	Tied	T2
2019 Masters Tournament	Tied	T29
2017 THE PLAYERS Championship	Tied	T2
2010 Open Championship	Solo	Won

- Winner of the 2010 Open Championship, his lone PGA TOUR title; also lost in a playoff in 2015
- Sunday marks exactly 11 years since his win in 2010
- Longest time between first and second major championship wins: 11 years, 9 days (Julius Boros, 1952 U.S. Open to 1963 U.S. Open)
- Longest time between first and second wins at The Open: 10 years (Ernie Els, 2002 to 2012)
- Longest time between wins at The Open: 11 years (Henry Cotton, 1937 to 1948; tournament not played 1940-45)
- Finished runner-up at each of the last two majors (T2/PGA Championship, 2nd/U.S. Open) and has six runner-up finishes in 50 majors in his career (T9 all-time)
- Six top-10s in 16 starts during the 2020-21 season, including three runner-up results (P2/Zurich Classic of New Orleans with partner Charl Schwartzel, T2/PGA Championship, 2nd/U.S. Open)

Collin Morikawa (2nd/-9)

2020 PGA Championship winner

- Records a second-round 64, his second career score of 64 or better in a major championship and first since the final round of his victory at the 2020 PGA Championship (64)
- Only player with multiple scores of 64 or better in majors since the start of the 2019 season
- Ties the fourth-lowest 36-hole score in the history of The Open Championship
- Making tournament debut and won the PGA Championship in his first appearance (2020); no player has ever won two different majors in his first attempt
- Four-time PGA TOUR winner (2019 Barracuda Championship, 2020 Workday Charity Open, 2020 PGA Championship, 2021 World Golf Championships-Workday Championship)

Additional player notes

- Three-time major champion and 2017 Open Championship winner **Jordan Spieth** cards a second-round 67 and a 36-hole total of 132; marks his second-lowest 36-hole score in a major championship (130/2015 Masters Tournament)
- World No. 1 and 2020 Masters Tournament winner **Dustin Johnson** records a 5-under 65 and enters the third round T4; Johnson finished T2 at The Open in 2011 at Royal St. George's, his best result in 11 prior starts at the event

- Four-time major champion **Brooks Koepka** (T12/-5) cards a 66, his second-lowest score in 24 rounds at The Open; best result at the event: T4/2019
- 2021 U.S. Open winner **Jon Rahm** shoots 64 to move to T12 (-5); last player to win back-to-back majors: Jordan Spieth, 2015 (Masters Tournament, U.S. Open)
- Defending champion **Shane Lowry** stands T17 after a second-round 65; last player to successfully defend his title at The Open: Padraig Harrington, 2008
- Amateurs to make the cut: **Matthias Schmid** (T40/-1), **Yuxin Lin** (T65/+1)
- **Will Zalatoris** withdrew before the round due to a wrist injury

Bogey-free rounds

R1 (6): Louis Oosthuizen (64), Stewart Cink (66), Benjamin Hebert (66), Jack Senior (67), Justin Rose (67), Paul Casey (68)

R2 (5): Jon Rahm (64), Matthias Schmid (65), Adam Scott (66), Daniel Berger (67), Poom Saksansin (68)