

### 2020 The RSM Classic Broadcast Window & Pre-Tournament Notes



### Course & Hole Statistics Sea Island Resort (Seaside)

274.4	Had the third shortest Driving Distance – All Drives average of any course last season
11.13%	Last season, <b>477</b> of 4,284 (11.13) of the drives were over 300 yards at the Seaside course, ranking as the second lowest Driving Pct. Over 300+ of any course on TOUR.
71.24%	Since 2010, the field has hit 71.24% of the fairways at the Seaside course, marking the fourth best Driving Accuracy percentage of courses in this time frame (min 4 seasons played). The field hit 76.54% of the fairways on the Seaside course at the 2019 RSM Classic.
89.46%	The field hit 89.46% of the Greens in Regulation on the Seaside course from inside 125 yards in 2019, marking the easiest greens to hit on TOUR from 125 and in last season.
8.04%	Last season, the field made 8.04% of putts from outside 20 feet on the Seaside course, marking the fourth best putt make percentage of any course.
78' 4"	The field averaged 78' 4" of putts made per round on the Seaside course in 2019, only East Lake GC had a higher Feet of Putts made average last season (78' 9").
30.03	Players averaged 30.03 putts per round on the Seaside course last season, marking the fourth highest Putts per Round average during the 2019-20 PGA TOUR season.





# Seaside Course Driving Distance - All Drives Ranks PGA TOUR Since 2010

	Rank on TOUR	Distance
Last Season	3 <sup>rd</sup> Shortest	274.4
2018-19	4 <sup>th</sup> Shortest	274.5
2017-18	6 <sup>th</sup> Shortest	278.8
2016-17	7 <sup>th</sup> Shortest	277.3
2015-16	3 <sup>rd</sup> Shortest	273.3
2014-15	7 <sup>th</sup> Shortest	276.4
2013-14	4 <sup>th</sup> Shortest	271.3
2012	6 <sup>th</sup> Shortest	273.6
2011	6 <sup>th</sup> Shortest	272.6
2010	7 <sup>th</sup> Shortest	273.7

# Seaside Course Driving Pct. Over 300+ Yds Ranks PGA TOUR Since 2010

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Rank on TOUR PCT			
Last Season	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lowest	11.13	
2018-19	3 <sup>rd</sup> Lowest	13.62	
2017-18	6 <sup>th</sup> Lowest	18.56	
2016-17	5 <sup>th</sup> Lowest	14.87	
2015-16	3 <sup>rd</sup> Lowest	11.03	
2014-15	7 <sup>th</sup> Lowest	12.12	
2013-14	3 <sup>rd</sup> Lowest	8.63	
2012	5 <sup>th</sup> Lowest	8.76	
2011	4 <sup>th</sup> Lowest	10.05	
2010	5 <sup>th</sup> Lowest	9.36	

### Shortest Driving Distance (All Drives) PGA TOUR Last Season

	Distance
Pebble Beach Golf Links	272.9
Harbour Town GL	274.3
Sea Island Resort (Seaside)	274.4
PGA National (Champion)	277.2
Waialae CC	279.5

# Lowest Percentage of Drives Over 300 Yards PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
Harbour Town GL	11.01
Sea Island Resort (Seaside)	11.13
PGA National (Champion)	18.30
Pebble Beach Golf Links	19.51
GC of Houston	21.23

# Best Driving Accuracy Percentage PGA TOUR Since 2010

	PCT
Monterey Peninsula CC	74.39
Plantation Course at Kapalua	72.91
TPC Deere Run	71.26
Sea Island Resort (Seaside)	71.24
Sea Island Resort (Plantation)	70.58

Easiest Fairways to Hit PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
Plantation Course at Kapalua	80.93
Sea Island Resort (Seaside)	76.54
Nine Bridges	73.17
Monterey Peninsula CC	72.11
Sea Island Resort (Plantation)	72.07

# Easiest Greens to Hit Inside 125 Yds PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT
Sea Island Resort (Seaside)	89.46
TPC Summerlin	86.68
Sedgefield CC	86.25
Harbour Town GL	84.49
Torrey Pines GC (South)	83.84

\*Min 4 Seasons Played

### Highest Putting PCT. Outside 20' PGA TOUR Last Season

	PCT	
TPC Southwind	8.69	
TPC Boston	8.53	
East Lake GC	8.43	
Sea Island Resort (Seaside)	8.04	
Harbour Town GL	8.01	

# Highest Avg. Feet of Putts Made PGA TOUR Last Season

	Ft Made / Rd
East Lake GC	78' 9"
Sea Island Resort (Seaside)	78' 4"
TPC Boston	77' 6"
TPC Summerlin	77' 0"
Sedgefield CC	76' 1"





### FedExCup Notes

- Since the beginning of the wrap-around schedule in the 2013-14 PGA TOUR season, five of the seven winners of the RSM Classic entered the new calendar year inside of the top five of the FedExCup standings.
- Four of the seven winners qualified for the season ending, TOUR Championship and all winners have finished 40th or better in the FedExCup standings.
- Since the start of the 2013-14 season, Kevin Kisner has earned 852 FedExCup points at the RSM Classic, marking the most of any player.
- 17 of the top 30 in this season's FedExCup standings are in the field this week, marking the second most of any event this season (Shriners Hospitals/25).
- 1 Stewart Cink is the only player who has ranked inside the FedExCup Top 10 in all 10 weeks this season.

FedExCup Finishes
The RSM Classic Champions Since 2013

	Rank after RSM	FEC Finish
2019 Tyler Duncan	11 <sup>th</sup>	40 <sup>th</sup>
2018 Charles Howell III	1 <sup>st</sup>	28 <sup>th</sup>
2017 Austin Cook	3 <sup>rd</sup>	38 <sup>th</sup>
2016 Mackenzie Hughes	4 <sup>th</sup>	36 <sup>th</sup>
2015 Kevin Kisner	1 <sup>st</sup>	23 <sup>rd</sup>
2014 Robert Streb	1 <sup>st</sup>	18 <sup>th</sup>
2013 Chris Kirk	4 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>

# Most FedExCup Points The RSM Classic Since 2013

	Total
Kevin Kisner	852
Chris Kirk	777
Charles Howell III	659
Webb Simpson	618
Robert Streb	570

### Most Weeks Ranked Inside Top 10 of FedExCup PGA TOUR This Season

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	# of Weeks	
Stewart Cink	10	
Matthew Wolff	9	
Bryson DeChambeau	9	
Hudson Swafford	7	
Sergio Garcia	7	
Martin Laird	6	

### Most Players Inside Top 30 of FedExCup in an Event PGA TOUR This Season

	# of Players
Shriners Hospitals for Children Open	25
The RSM Classic	17
Sanderson Farms Championship	16
ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP @ SHERWOOD	13
Vivint Houston Open	13





# Players Ranked Inside Top 125, 70, 30 & 10 of FedExCup Every Week PGA TOUR This Season

Top 12	25 (37)	Top 70 (13)	Top 30 (3)	Top 10 (1)
Stewart Cink	Doug Ghim	Stewart Cink	Stewart Cink	Stewart Cink
Hudson Swafford	Harold Varner III	Harry Higgs	Harry Higgs	
<b>Harry Higgs</b>	Emiliano Grillo	Doc Redman	James Hahn	
Doc Redman	Tom Hoge	James Hahn		
James Hahn	Xinjun Zhang	Sam Burns		
Sepp Straka	Cameron Davis	Kevin Streelman		
Sam Burns	Pat Perez	Anirban Lahiri		
Kevin Streelman	Chesson Hadley	Kristoffer Ventura		
Anirban Lahiri	Beau Hossler	Chez Reavie		
Kristoffer Ventura	Charl Schwartzel	Brian Stuard		
Chez Reavie	Luke List	Michael Gligic		
Si Woo Kim	Adam Schenk	Cameron Percy		
Cheng Tsung Pan	Patrick Rodgers	Doug Ghim		
Russell Knox	J.J. Spaun			
Charley Hoffman	D.J. Trahan			
Brian Stuard	Scott Harrington			
Michael Gligic	Vincent Whaley			
David Hearn	Rob Oppenheim			
Cameron Percy				





### **Past Champions Stats**

6	Six of the 10 winners of The RSM Classic have been first-time winne	s (last: T	vler Duncan.	2019	)
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**7,9,8** Seven of the 10 RSM Classic winners have been inside the top 10 on the leaderboard after the opening round, nine of the 10 winners have been inside the top 10 after 36-holes and eight of the 10 winners have been inside the top 10 after 54-holes.

50% (5 of 10) of the winners of this event have been decided by a playoff. Since 2010, only The RSM Classic, Waste Management Phoenix Open & the RBC Heritage have been decided by five playoffs (t-most of any stroke-play event on TOUR in last 11 seasons)

**89.29%** Tyler Duncan (2019) hit 89.29% of his fairways (50 of 56) for the week en route to victory, marking the best Driving Accuracy Percentage of any RSM Classic winner. The last four winners of this event have ranked 12th or better in Driving Accuracy.

Four of the last five winners at The RSM Classic have ranked inside the top-10 in Greens in Regulation compared to just one of the first five winners at this event from 2010 to 2013)

Tyler Duncan was the first RSM Classic winner to play the first three rounds of this event bogeyfree.

### First-Time PGA TOUR Winners The RSM Classic

	Year
Tyler Duncan	2019
Austin Cook	2017
Mackenzie Hughes	2016
Kevin Kisner	2015
Robert Streb	2014
Tommy Gainey	2012

# Inside Top 10 of Leaderboard After Each Rd The RSM Classic Winners

	# of Winners
After Rd 1	7
After 36-Holes	9
After 54-Holes	8

<sup>\*5</sup> Wins Decided Playoffs

# Most Wins Decided by Playoffs PGA TOUR Since 2010

	# of Times
RBC Heritage	5
The RSM Classic	5
WM Phoenix Open	5

# Driving Accuracy PCT The RSM Classic Winners

	Rank	PCT
2019 Tyler Duncan	6	89.29
2018 Charles Howell III	12	83.93
2017 Austin Cook	4	85.71
2016 Mackenzie Hughes	11	78.57
2015 Kevin Kisner	17	78.57
2014 Robert Streb	25	73.21
2013 Chris Kirk	41	67.86
2012 Tommy Gainey	33	71.43
2011 Ben Crane	58	64.29
2010 Heath Slocum	4	80.36

### **Greens in Regulation PCT The RSM Classic Winners**

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	Rank	PCT
2019 Tyler Duncan	4	83.33
2018 Charles Howell III	1	88.89
2017 Austin Cook	2	83.33
2016 Mackenzie Hughes	50	72.22
2015 Kevin Kisner	9	81.94
2014 Robert Streb	47	73.61
2013 Chris Kirk	15	76.39
2012 Tommy Gainey	23	79.17
2011 Ben Crane	26	76.39
2010 Heath Slocum	7	81.94





# Broadcast Window Notes 2020 The RSM Classic (featured groups)

#### Sungjae Im

Sungjae Im is set to make his second start at The RSM Classic (2018/T37). Im enters the 2020 RSM Classic leading the RSM Birdies Fore Love rankings with 123 total birdies or better so far this season. Over the last three PGA TOUR seasons, Sungjae Im has played the most TOUR events of any player entering this week (68).

### Fast Facts on Sungjae Im:

- **1,034** Has made 1,034 birdies or better in his first 4,428 holes on the PGA TOUR *(entering 2020 RSM Classic)*. This equals one birdie or better every 4.3 holes played during this stretch.
- Since the start of the 2018-19 PGA TOUR season, Sungjae Im has made 990 total birdies, 216 more than the next player (Adam Schenk & Hideki Matsuyama (774).
- Has 101 rounds with five or more birdies made since the start of the 2018-19 PGA TOUR season, 24 more than Hideki Matsuyama in this time frame (77). Sungjae Im is tied with Tom Hoge for the most rounds with five or more birdies so far in the 2020-21 PGA TOUR season (14).
- -113 Since the start of the 2017-18 PGA TOUR season, Sungjae Im is a combined 113-under par in the Second Round, fifth-best cumulative Round 2 score to par of any player in this timeframe. Im has shot par or better in the Second Round in 18 of his last 21 TOUR events and 72% of his total Rds (50 of 69).

### Most Rds with 5 or More Birdies Last 3 PGA TOUR Seasons

	2018-19	2019-20	This Season	<b>Total Rds</b>
Sungjae Im	51	36	14	101
Hideki Matsuyama	38	28	11	77
Justin Thomas	32	33	9	74
Denny McCarthy	33	30	11	74
Patrick Reed	34	31	8	73
Sebastián Muñoz	33	29	11	73

### Most Under Par in Round 2 Since Start of 2017-18 PGA TOUR Season

	Score to Par
Dustin Johnson	-141
Jordan Spieth	-119
Webb Simpson	-115
Patrick Reed	-115
Sungjae Im	-113
Charles Howell III	-110

### Key Scoring Stats Last 3 PGA TOUR Seasons

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	Sungjae Im	Next Best
Total Starts	68	Tom Hoge & K.H. Lee (62)
Total Rds Played	240	Adam Schenk (196)
Score to Par	-357	Justin Thomas (-331)
Rds 67 or Better	60	H. Matsuyama, X. Schauffele & J. Thomas (50)
Rds with 5 or More Birdies	101	Hideki Matsuyama (77)
Total Birdies	990	Adam Schenk & Hideki Matsuyama (774)

\*Entering This Week

### Most PGA TOUR Starts Last 3 Seasons

	# of Starts	
Sungjae Im	68	
Tom Hoge	62	
Kyoung-Hoon Lee	62	
Tyler Duncan	61	
Adam Schenk	61	
Brian Stuard	60	

\*Entering This Week





#### **Justin Rose**

2018 FedExCup champion Justin Rose is set to make his tournament debut at The RSM Classic.

#### **Fast Facts on Justin Rose:**

**8** Eight top-five finishes when making first start at a PGA TOUR event

35.7% Justin Rose has shot 68 or better in 35.7% of his rounds this season (5 of 14). Last season, Rose

shot 68 or better in 34.2% of his rounds (13 of 38).

95<sup>th</sup> Currently 95<sup>th</sup> in the FedExCup standings and finished 91<sup>st</sup> in the FedExCup last season

### Best Debut Performances PGA TOUR Career

	<b>Evt Finish</b>
2003 Dell Technologies Championship	3 <sup>rd</sup>
2004 RBC Canadian Open	T4
2004 the Memorial Tournament	4 <sup>th</sup>
1998 The Open Championship	T4
2013 WGC-HSBC Champions	5 <sup>th</sup>
2004 Zurich Classic of New Orleans	T5
2003 U.S. Open	T5
2002 WGC-FedEx St. Jude Invitational	5 <sup>th</sup>
2002 WGC-FedEx St. Jude Invitational	5 <sup>th</sup>

## Highest PCT of Rds 68 or Better in a Season PGA TOUR Career

	PCT	65s or Better	Total Rds
2017-18	42.4	28	66
2018-19	41.9	26	62
2020-21	35.7	5	14
2019-20	34.2	13	38
2014-15	33.3	22	66

### **Matt Kuchar**

Matt Kuchar is set to make his ninth start at The RSM Classic and 470th career PGA TOUR start.

#### **Fast Facts on Matt Kuchar:**

Matt Kuchar has a 68.57 stroke average at The RSM Classic, marking his fourth lowest Scoring

Average in an event of his TOUR career (min 6 rounds).

**3<sup>rd</sup>** Ranked Third on TOUR last season in Putting from Inside 10 Feet (90.55%), marking Kuchar's

best putt make percentage for a season on TOUR.

Times coming from outside the top 10 and moving into the top 10 entering the final round

# Lowest Scoring Average in an Event PGA TOUR Career (Min 6 Rds)

·	Avg
Mayakoba Golf Classic	68.00
The American Express	68.10
Sony Open in Hawaii	68.46
The RSM Classic	68.57
Shriners Hospitals for Children Open	68.59

# Most Times Finishing Inside Top 10 After Being Outside Top 10 Entering Final Round (since 2010)

	Total
Dustin Johnson	27
Charles Howell III	25
Matt Kuchar	23
Webb Simpson	22
Adam Scott	21
Rory McIlroy	20





#### **Tyler Duncan**

Defending champion Tyler Duncan is set to make his fourth start at The RSM Classic and 94th of his PGA TOUR career. Duncan moved from 151st to 11th in the FedExCup standings with his victory at this event in 2019, marking the biggest movement of any player at the 2019 RSM Classic.

#### **Fast Facts on Tyler Duncan:**

6 <sup>th</sup>	Tyler Duncan was the sixth player to earn their maiden PGA TOUR victory at The RSM Classic
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1 Made just one bogey for the week, tied for the fewest total bogeys or worse of any player at this event (Kevin Streelman, 2017).

24' 8" Made the longest putt on the final hole in regulation by a winner at The RSM Classic

91.67% Tyler Duncan managed to make par or better 91.67% of the time when missing a green in

regulation at The RSM Classic, tied with Austin Cook (2017) for the best Scrambling performance

by a winner at this event.

69.87% Had the sixth best Driving Accuracy percentage of any player on TOUR last season. Duncan hit

69.87% of his fairways last season, over 9% more than the TOUR Average (60.22%).

### **Biggest FedExCup Movement** 2019 The RSM Classic

	Finish	Entering	After	Movement
Tyler Duncan	WON	151st	11 <sup>th</sup>	+140
Kyoung-Hoon Lee	T5	185 <sup>th</sup>	<b>77</b> <sup>th</sup>	+108
Henrik Norlander	T5	153 <sup>rd</sup>	64 <sup>th</sup>	+89
Webb Simpson	2 <sup>nd</sup>	94 <sup>th</sup>	19 <sup>th</sup>	+75
Alex Noren	T10	168 <sup>th</sup>	T95	+73
D.J. Trahan	T8	144 <sup>th</sup>	72 <sup>nd</sup>	+72

### **First-Time PGA TOUR Winners** The RSM Classic

	Year
Tyler Duncan	2019
Austin Cook	2017
Mackenzie Hughes	2016
Kevin Kisner	2015
Robert Streb	2014
Tommy Gainey	2012

#### **Fewest Total Holes Over Par** The RSM Classic

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2019 Tyler Duncan	1	WON
2017 Kevin Streelman	1	T17
2017 Austin Cook	2	WON
2016 Billy Horschel	2	T2
2015 Kevin Kisner	2	WON
2012 Jim Furyk	2	3
2010 Charles Howell III	2	T6

#### **Best Driving Accuracy Percentage PGA TOUR Last Season**

	PCT
Jim Furyk	74.50
Ryan Armour	73.86
Brian Stuard	71.84
Brendon Todd	71.36
Kyle Stanley	71.29
Tyler Duncan	69.87

<sup>\*</sup>TOUR Average: 60.22%

### Longest Putt Made on Final Hole in Regulation The RSM Classic Winners Since 2010

	Distance	Score
2019 Tyler Duncan	24' 8"	Birdie
2017 Austin Cook	13' 8"	Birdie
2016 Mackenzie Hughes	4' 11"	Par
2015 Kevin Kisner	3' 1"	Par





### **Charles Howell III**

2018 RSM Classic winner Charles Howell III is set to make his 11<sup>th</sup> start at this event and his 577<sup>th</sup> of his TOUR career.

#### **Fast Facts on Charles Howell III:**

- Charles Howell III has made 24 putts from outside 20 feet at The RSM Classic, tied with Brian Harman for the most putts made outside 20 feet at this event of any player.
- Opened with consecutive rounds of 64 en route to victory at the 2018 RSM Classic, tying his low opening 36-hole score in his PGA TOUR career (2003 Shriners Hospitals/128/T18).
- One of nine players who have qualified for the FedExCup Playoffs in all 14 seasons
- 445 Has the most cuts made of any player on TOUR since 2000 (445)

### Most Putts Made Outside 20 Feet The RSM Classic

	# of Putts
Charles Howell III	24
Brian Harman	24
John Rollins	22
Davis Love III	20

### Low Opening 36-Hole Score PGA TOUR Career

	Total	<b>Evt Finish</b>
2018 The RSM Classic	128	WON
2003 Shriners Hospitals for Children Open	128	T18
2003 Valero Texas Open	129	T52
2013 Sony Open in Hawaii	130	T3
2004 Kemper	130	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2004 Zurich Classic of New Orleans	130	T5

## Results Breakdown PGA TOUR Career

Starts	576	I
Wins	3	0.52
Top 5s	48	8.33
Top 10s	96	16.67
Top 25s	220	38.19
Cuts Made	445	77.26

### Most Cuts Made PGA TOUR Since 2000

	<b>Cuts Made</b>
Charles Howell III	445
Stewart Cink	384
Phil Mickelson	382
Jim Furyk	373
Vijay Singh	363





#### **Kevin Kisner**

Kevin Kisner has one win (2015), four top 10s and five top-25 finishes in nine previous starts at The RSM Classic. Kisner has qualified for the TOUR Championship in five of the last six PGA TOUR seasons after finishing 23<sup>rd</sup> in the FedExCup last season.

#### Fast Facts on Kevin Kisner:

Has the most rounds of 66 or better at The RSM Classic (10)

-76 76-under par at The RSM Classic, second-best score to par of any player at this event

has earned the most FedExCup points at this event since 2013 (852)

**89.31%** has the second-best putt make percentage from inside 10 feet on TOUR since 2011 (min 200

rds). In this time frame, Kisner has made 89.31% of his putts from inside 10 feet.

31 of 31 Kisner went a perfect 31 for 31 (100%) in the final two rounds when putting from inside 10 feet en

route to victory at The RSM Classic in 2015. Kisner is one of two winners of this event to not miss

a putt inside 10 feet in the final two rounds (Ben Crane, 2011).

#### Most Rounds of 66 or Better The RSM Classic

	Total
Kevin Kisner	10
Charles Howell III	9
Webb Simpson	9
Chris Kirk	8
Brian Harman	8

### Most Under Par The RSM Classic

	Score to Par
Webb Simpson	-91
Kevin Kisner	-76
Charles Howell III	-74
Chris Kirk	-74
Brendon de Jonge	-55

### Most FedExCup Points The RSM Classic Since 2013

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Webb Simpson	618
Robert Streb	570

### Best Putting Inside 10 Feet PCT Since Start of 2011 PGA TOUR Season

	PCT
Denny McCarthy	90.19
Kevin Kisner	89.31
Beau Hossler	89.26
Greg Chalmers	89.01
Bryce Molder	88.98
Luke Donald	88.98

<sup>\*</sup>Min 200 Rds

### Best Putting Inside 10 Feet in Final 2 Rds The RSM Classic Winners

	Putt make PCT
2015 Kevin Kisner	100.0
2011 Ben Crane	100.0
2014 Robert Streb	96.9
2013 Chris Kirk	93.3
2017 Austin Cook	91.4
2019 Tyler Duncan	89.5

# FedExCup Finishes Last 6 PGA TOUR Seasons

	Rank
Last Season	23 <sup>rd</sup>
2018-19	9 <sup>th</sup>
2017-18	47 <sup>th</sup>
2016-17	12 <sup>th</sup>
2015-16	23 <sup>rd</sup>
2014-15	21 <sup>st</sup>





### **Stewart Cink**

Seven-time PGA TOUR winner Stewart Cink is set to make his 600<sup>th</sup> professional PGA TOUR start (601<sup>st</sup> overall) this week at The RSM Classic.

#### Fast Facts on Stewart Cink:

5 Tied with Patrick Cantlay for the most rounds of 65 or better this season (5)

Stewart Cink is the only player who has ranked inside the FedExCup Top 10 in all 10 weeks this season and one of three players who have been inside the top 30 after every week in the 2020-21 season (James Hahn & Harry Higgs).

# Best Tournament Result in 600<sup>th</sup> Professional Start PGA TOUR (Official Events)

		<b>Evt Finish</b>
Jay Haas	1997 Southern	5 <sup>th</sup>
Hale Irwin	1993 AT&T Byron Nelson	T11
Corey Pavin	2008 Valspar Championship	T14
Lanny Wadkins	1995 Charles Schwab Challenge	T15

<sup>\*</sup>Stewart Cink: Set to Make 600th Professional PGA TOUR start

### Career PGA TOUR Wins Stewart Cink

	Start No.
1997 Travelers Championship	32 <sup>nd</sup>
2000 RBC Heritage	108 <sup>th</sup>
2004 RBC Heritage	219 <sup>th</sup>
2004 WGC-FedEx St. Jude Invitational	231st
2008 Travelers Championship	328 <sup>th</sup>
2009 The Open Championship	352 <sup>nd</sup>
2020 Safeway Open	596 <sup>th</sup>

### Most Rds of 65 or Better PGA TOUR This Season

	# of Rds
Patrick Cantlay	5
Stewart Cink	5
Tyrrell Hatton	4
11 players w/	3

### Ranked Inside Top 125, 70, 30 & 10 of FedExCup Every Week This Season

	# of Players
Inside Top 125	37
Inside Top 70	13
Inside Top 30	3
Inside Top 10	1

<sup>\*</sup>Stewart Cink





### Jason Kokrak

Jason Kokrak is set to make his seventh appearance at The RSM Classic with one top 10 (2013) in six prior starts.

#### Fast Facts on Jason Kokrak:

67.67 Kokrak has

Kokrak has shot under par in each of his six opening rounds at this event, with a scoring average of 67.67 in the opening round of the RSM Classic. Jason's 67.67 Round 1 Scoring Average at The RSM Classic is his Third best of his career in a PGA TOUR event.

One of two First Time winners this season (Carlos Ortiz/ Vivint Houston Open). Since the start of the wrap-around schedule 37.5% of the fall events have been won by a first-time winner (24 of 64 events).

### Lowest Opening Round Scoring Average PGA TOUR Career (Min 2 Starts)

	Avg
The American Express	67.50
Sony Open in Hawaii	67.60
The RSM Classic	67.67
Mayakoba Golf Classic	68.25
A Military Tribute at The Greenbrier	68.67

# Opening Round Performance Career at The RSM Classic

Starts	6
Scoring Average	67.67
Rounds Under Par	6 of 6
Score to Par	-20
Total Birdies	32

First-Time Winners
Fall Season Opening Events Since 2013-14 Season

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# of Winners		
This Season*	2	
2019-20	4	
2018-19	2	
2017-18	4	
2016-17	2	
2015-16	6	
2014-15	3	
2013-14	1	

\*Jason Kokrak & Carlos Ortiz





### Webb Simpson

Seven-time PGA TOUR winner Webb Simpson is set to make his ninth start at The RSM Classic and 302nd of his PGA TOUR career.

### **Fast Facts about Webb Simpson:**

- 3 Has the most rounds of 63 or better at The RSM Classic (3)
- Only player with multiple runner-up finishes at this event (2011 & 2018) and is one of two events where Simpson has two or more top-three finishes without a win (The RSM Classic (3) & Sentry TOC (2))
- One of two players who enter the 2020 RSM Classic with a double-digit streak of consecutive rounds in the 60s (David Hearn (10)).
- **-91** Is a combined 91-under par in his career at The RSM Classic, 15 strokes better than the next best player.
- Webb Simpson has the best Scoring Average at this event of players with 10 or more rounds played. Simpson has a 67.23 stroke average in 30 rounds at The RSM Classic with 28 of his 30 rounds at par or better.

#### Best Scoring Average The RSM Classic Since

	Avg
Webb Simpson	67.23
Austin Cook	67.25
Jim Furyk	67.72
David Toms	67.78
Kevin Kisner	67.80
Tyler Duncan	67.92

<sup>\*</sup>Min 10 Rds

### Most Under Par The RSM Classic

Score to Par
-91
-76
-74
-74
-55

#### Most Rounds of 63 or Better The RSM Classic

	# of Rds
Simpson, Webb	3
Rodgers, Patrick	2
Cink, Stewart	2
Cauley, Bud	2
Crane, Ben	2





### **Harris English**

Harris English is coming off his career best FedExCup season finish, finishing 12th in the FedExCup last season. English was one of 16 players who recorded their career best finish in the FedExCup last season (of players who qualified for 2020 TOUR Championship).

#### **Fast Facts on Harris English:**

- **70.91%** Harris English hit 70.91% of the Greens in Regulation last season, marking his best Greens in Regulation Percentage in a season of his PGA TOUR career.
- **65.33%** managed to salvage par when missing the green in regulation 65.33% of the time last season, marking his best Scrambling performance in a season of his PGA TOUR career.
- 68.55 Had the best Round 1 Scoring Average in a season of his PGA TOUR career (68.55), nearly two strokes better than the 2018-19 season.
- -17 Harris English had the second-best Par 3 Performance of any player last season. English was 17-under par last season.

Career Best FedExCup Finish
Players Finishing Inside Top 30 in 2019-20 Season

	Rank
Johnson, Dustin	WON
Schauffele, Xander	2
Rahm, Jon	4
Scheffler, Scottie	5
Morikawa, Collin	6
Hatton, Tyrrell	7
Muñoz, Sebastián	8
Im, Sungjae	11
English, Harris	12
Hughes, Mackenzie	14
Ancer, Abraham	18
Griffin, Lanto	18
Todd, Brendon	20
Hovland, Viktor	20
Champ, Cameron	24
Niemann, Joaquin	27

Key Stats PGA TOUR Last Season

		<b>Career Rank</b>
FedExCup Finish	12 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>
Greens in Regulation PCT	70.91%	1 <sup>st</sup>
Scrambling PCT	65.33%	1 <sup>st</sup>
Round 1 Scoring Average	68.55	1 <sup>st</sup>
Rds of 65 or Better	10	1 <sup>st</sup>
Par 3 Performance	-17	1 <sup>st</sup>

## **Best Par 3 Performance PGA TOUR Last Season**

	Score to Par
J.T. Poston	-19
Harris English	-17
Richy Werenski	-15
Bronson Burgoon	-10
Brendon Todd	-8
Chris Stroud	-8
Abraham Ancer	-8

<sup>\*</sup>Career-best performance in a season on TOUR





### **Jason Day**

12-time PGA TOUR winner Jason Day is set to make his second start at The RSM Classic (T57/2012) and 276<sup>th</sup> of his TOUR career.

### Fast Facts on Jason Day:

has shot under par in each of his last five opening rounds on TOUR, marking the fifth time Jason

Day has started at least five consecutive PGA TOUR events with an under-par round.

Currently ranks 88th in the FedExCup standings and is one of 30 players currently inside the top 125 of the FedExCup who were outside the top 125 through 10 weeks last season. Day has one

top 10 in six starts this season (T7/Vivint Houston Open).

### Last 5 Opening Rounds PGA TOUR

Rounds Under Par	5 of 5
Scoring Average	68.6
Score to Par	-14
Birdie Average	4.8
Inside Top 25 of Leaderboard	4 of 5

# Longest Streak of Opening Rounds Under Par PGA TOUR Career

	# of Rds
2015 U.S. Open - 2016 Sentry TOC	10 <i>(-36)</i>
2010 AT&T Byron Nelson - 2010 Dell Technologies Champ.	10 <i>(-39)</i>
2020 Shriners Hospitals - 2020 Masters*	5 (-14)
2018 WGC-HSBC Champions - 2019 THE PLAYERS	5 (-18)
2013 Valspar Championship - 2013 THE PLAYERS	5 (-11)

<sup>\*</sup>Active Streak

## FedExCup Performance Through Week 10 Last 2 PGA TOUR Seasons

	Last Season	This Season
FedExCup Rank	139 <sup>th</sup>	88 <sup>th</sup>
Starts	3	6
Top 10s	0	1
Best Finish	T22 (ZOZO CHAMPIONSHIP)	T7 (Vivint Houston Open)





### **Hudson Swafford**

Hudson Swafford is set to make his eighth start at The RSM Classic and 174<sup>th</sup> of his PGA TOUR career. Swafford has missed the cut in three of his last four PGA TOUR starts since his win at the 2020 Corales Puntacana Resort & Club Championship.

#### **Fast Facts on Hudson Swafford:**

- **7** Swafford has made seven starts at The RSM Classic without recording a top-10 finish, tied with The Honda Classic for his most starts in a PGA TOUR event without a win.
- 3 Has qualified for the FedExCup Playoffs three times in his career and currently ranks 12<sup>th</sup> in the FedExCup.

# Most Starts in an Event without Top 10 PGA TOUR Career

	<b>Starts</b>	<b>Best Finish</b>
The RSM Classic	7	T12 (2014)
The Honda Classic	7	T21 (2020)
RBC Canadian Open	6	T12 (2018)
Zurich Classic of New Orleans	6	T12 (2015)
AT&T Byron Nelson	6	T34 (2016)
Mayakoba Golf Classic	6	T46 (2015 & 2016)

### FedExCup Finishes PGA TOUR Career

	Rank
2016-17	38 <sup>th</sup>
2015-16	64 <sup>th</sup>
2014-15	81 <sup>st</sup>
2013-14	146 <sup>th</sup>
2017-18	156 <sup>th</sup>
2018-19	162 <sup>nd</sup>
Last Season	167 <sup>th</sup>

\*Currently Ranks 12th in FedExCup